AMERICAN NEWS

New York, May 15.

The Herald's Washington despatch states from a reliable source that the sacred remains of Washington have been removed from Mount Vernon by Col Washington, who has recently joined the Confederate army. In the sale of Mount Vernon; Col. Washington reserved to himself not only the tomb of Washington, but also an acre of ground around it. He also bound himself to renovate

The 5th Massachusetts Regiment have received marching orders. It is supposed they go to the Relay House.

The President takes the dee The President takes the accession on in the desperate struggle now going on in the secessionist and Union men. Measures are in contemplation for the support of the gallent Andrew Johnson and his gallant triends in their devoted

massachusetts regiments have been pur-posely selected for opening the way to the Federal troops through Maryland, in order to render the humiliation of the secessionists the greater. The triumphant re-entrance of the 6th proved a pill of indiscribable bitter-ness to the bloodtubs.

Mr. Frederick W. Seward and the Secre-Mr. Frederick W. Seward and the Secretary of State entertained to night a distinguished company, including the officers of the New York 7th 71st, Massachusetts 5th, and Rhode Island Regiments, the members of the Cabinet, the diplomatic corps, and army officers. Among these were Lieut. Gen. Scott, together with other guests, and fur preportion of ladies.

Over hauling since Messrs Wilson and Dana came into possession. From top to bottom bed-rooms, parlours, and drawing-room have been painted and papered in the finest style, and furnished with new carpets and new furniture. Rooms may now be obtained at the Wilson House equal in elegance to any Hotel in Canada.

The Pawnee is increasing her armament, as though she were expecting an early brush with the rebels at Alexandria. Two more heavy Dahlgrens were mounted on her to-day.

All this is shown in the manner in which the present improvements have been carried out, nor is he likely to rest satisfied till the elegance and comfort of the hotel is universally admitted by the patronage given.

As to the table and other etceteras, one

High expectations are en-

tertained of this brigade. Senator Pomeroy, of Kansas, has satisfied the War Department that several of the flicials at Forts Leavenworth and Riley are A thorough clearing has already been ordered Parties from Northern Missouri now here are urging the Government to station an

army in that part of the country.

Philadelphia, May 17th. The Virginia newspapers received to-day note continued arrival of confederate troops and their departure for points not designated The 8th Massachusetts regiment at the Relay House have elected Hinks Colonel in place of Monroe, resigned. Citizens of the seceded States, in order to receive patents for inventious, must take the oath proscrib-ed by law acknowledging their allegiance to the United States.

Philadelphia, May 17th. Quite an excitement was created in the upper part of the city this morning by the seizure of a submarine boat, the invention of D. E. Villeroi says he was taken it to the Navy Yard to test it, but the officers of the yard disclaim any knowledge of him. The boat was constructed some time since for raising wreeks and other submarine work, but was never put in active use. It is eigar shaped and made of Iron, 30 faet long. It supplies its own air and will be useful in running under a fleet.

required, let us call attention to the Gift-book man; and surely they are generous individuals, these who are so kind as to give every book valued at a dollar or a little more, jewellry worth from 50c. to \$100. They send through the country by the hundred, catalogues to tell what prizes they have to offer. I turn for a moment to one of those statutes of Canada respecting Extradition of Fugative Felons from the United States of America.

An Act to amend and explain the Act respecting Duties of Customs as regards packages in which goods are imported.

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Washington, May 17th. The Charleston Courier reports that on the 12th the British bark Hilga was refused enterence into the port by the Niagara. The ships Monmouth and General Parkhill were also ordered off. Another British ship was pursued, but run into shoal water and was towed up in the city.

The British ship Susan G. Ownes, from Liverpool, was detained, but finally permitted to pass.

Baltimore, May 17th. Ross Winans has been honorably discharg

Bridge, Potomac. One has crossed, one is at the draw, and one at the end.

The World's Despatch states that passengers via Harper's Ferry report, that the Rebels are erecting fortifications on Mary. land heights. It is reported that considerable discon

tent exists among the troops at Richmond. General Wool was to-day ordered to Fort

The steamer Cahawba, arrived from Washington 17th, at N. Y.

The Harriet Lane was blockading Jan

and Elzabeth Rivers; Monticello, York Rivers; Quacker City, Chesapeake Bay; gun boats Dawn and Yankee were at Fort Monroe; Minnesota off Point Comfort.

HOW WHAT THE CIVIL WAS IN THE UNITED STATES AFFECT CANADA ?-The first and most obvious consequence of the present extraordinary condition of the United States will be greatly to limit, for a time at least, many of the ordinary enterprises and expenditures of the American people. There will, for instance be little or no house-building, or construction of railroads, or ship a depressing effect on the prices of product, though it is slightly compensated by an extra demand for pork, and it may be, some other

Government. This may send an unusually large proportion of the American exports from the West through Canadian waters, and so far prove advantageous to us in a pecuniary point of view. Whether or not vessels will be cleared here, as some think, was not aware indulging the previous night, was not aware of the loss of the "United States," in which of the loss of the "United States," in which of the Agricultural Lean Asset of Canada.

The peace, security and immunity from military service enjoyed in Canada will doubtlessly be regarded by many in the States with favor, and especially by Cavadian settlers there. Already French Canadians English and American families from various parts and especially from the Southern Sates have, it is said begun to arrive in Canada, as the land of refuge. If the war goes on, this immigration will doubtless increase, and dwelling-houses, village lots, farms, &c., will in that case be in demand, and consequent-

increase in value. We do not say that any of these results are to be desired at the expense of our neighbors, but merely that they are likely to take place. Canadian interests, upon the whole, would be best promoted by the peace and prosperity of the great nation with which we are so intimately connected that we must, to a certain extent, be affected, by its condition, whether for good or evil.—Witness.

Hospital.

To incorporate the Wesleyan Female lege of Hamilton.

To incorporate the Stadacona Cluiquebec.

To incorporate the Society named Union St. Joseph de L'Industrie.

An Act to amend the charter of the nuity and Guarantee Funds Society of

THE WILSON HOUSE. This fine Hotel has undergone a thorous

a fair proportion of ladies.

It is altogether improbable that a demonstration against Harper's Ferry will be undertaken by Federal troops from either Pennsylvania or Maryland, without a simultaneous advance of strong corps from this city to some point between Richmond and the Ferry to cut off succour from the Southern part of Viscinia.

All who know Mr. Wilson are aware that when he says 30, so it is; and that when he makes up his mind, he neither falters nor looks behind. He having built the hotel, and his name having been associated with it ever since, like a captain with his ship, the name and fame of the establishment are endeared to him by ties of no ordinary nature. All this is shown in the manner in which the All who know Mr. Wilson are aware tha All this is shown in the manner in which the

The Secretary of War announced last night to the President that Gen. Sickles has offer- Wilson House cannot be surpassed. Willto the President that Gen. Sickles has offered his brigade, 5,000 strong, direct to the Government for the whole term of the war, fully equipped and ready for any service.

"It must be accepted immediately," said the President. "I have accepted it," said the Secretary. "You have done well," said the Secretary. "You have done well," said big enough for all.—Recorder.

QUACKERY-GIFT HUMBUGS AND WITCHCRAFT.

Sir,—Will you kindly grant a small portion of your valuable space to make a few strictures on some practices which obtain here. The practices referred to are Quackery, Gift-Books and Witchery. Perhaps some of our readers will say, why trouble us writing about these? They concern only fools. Let them work their own cure. people will be duped, let them pay their folly. The force of this I admit; argument is good as far as it goes. If peo-ple will be enticed by the pretensions of the Quack or the gilded gift of the Bookster. or the weird vaticination of the would-be Witch, let then pay for it. But then there is something more involved than merely the being duped. It is the essential immortality and wickedness of the system which is to be re-pudiated and condemned, and against which many of the unthinking need to be warned. and to legalize the said agreement. less frequently he is less consulted, the less will his panaceas, clixirs and catholicons be

most polluting character. A parent with a very small modicum of modesty, would blush to read such a book before his family. Yet all parents encourage such a system by giv-tion their children dollars to get books on this principle, even with a prize. Take care the prize may turn out to be a sad blank. Surely

it is time the teachers of youth and conservators of the public morals were ceasing to be the agents of this system.

A word or two to the spaewife. I thought such a dark and devilish traffic was almost ebsolote in this age of enlightenment, but is not so. More men than one are found driving a very successful trade in these driving a very successful trade in these base incantations. It is a fact that they have been consulted often of late, and that All is quiet in this city.

This morning the philadelphia camp was visited by thousands. It presents a splendid appearance.

The special to the Tribune says Mr. Patten, of Maine, is said to be instructed to build several gunboats, to be armed with Dahlgrens, for blockading purposes.

Three companies are ordered to Long Bridge, Potomac. One has crossed one is search has been made, and the weird sisters two of them, had to be consulted, and never did Delphic Oracle utter response more transcendently ambiguous or nicely adjusted. If ever the person appears, ten to one if some of the witches be not a true revealer of secrets. Now while many may think it enough to laugh at such instances of human folly and weakness yet, when we think of the terrible wickedness it involves, that these miserable creatures are usurping a preroga-tive of the Most High God, to whom the knowledge of things future belongs, and that those who consult them are accessory to their sin, is there no reason why these detestable practices should be exposed and

Hoping that you will continue, as I have with pleasure observed you to do in the time past, to expose these enormous evils, I would now subscribe myself,

Most reepectfully yours,

OBSERVATOR.

North Crosby, May, 1861. ed States will be 'greatly to limit, for a time at least, many of the ordinary enterprises and expenditures of the American people. There will, for instance be little or no house-building, or construction of railroads, or ship building, unless it be for government purposes; and the demand for Canadian timber must in consequence, be paralyzed. This trade has latterly assumed gigantic proportions, and the regions of Canada which depended on the export of sawed lumber on the States, are already almost in a state of collapse. The Americans demand for the finer qualities of wheat, butter, cattle, poultry &c., &c., which used to fill Canada with money, has likewise fallen off. All this has a depressing effect on the prices of product,

- Witness.

DUELLING (OR PISTOLS) NOT TET Exting a time of the Legislative Council, went to Island Pond to fight a duel; but when there, found that their artillery would not go off. It is said that either caps or bullets were wanting, certainly foommon sense was. Like the celebrated King of France, who, "with fifty thousand men marched up the hill and then to Island Pond with their seconds and doctors, and there came back again. Such a melancholy exhibition, in the year 1861, would provoke indignation, were that feeling and 11th Vic. Chaps 97 and 98.

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The Quebec Vindicator learns from private letters that many of the vessels on route On the other hand however, the issuing of Letters of Marque by the Southern Confederacy will subject American vessels to high rates of insurance, and the blockading of Southern ports will make it impracticable to obtain clearances for them from any portinger proportion of the United States lovernment. This may send an unusually tree proportion of the American experts.

for Charleston, Savannah, Mobile and New Orleans, to run the risk of being captured, remains to be seen; but the prospect of obtaining twelve dollars for flower, and fifty dollars for pork, will doubtless be a great dollars for pork, will doubtless be a great doubt as to the validity of Canada. To remove all doubts as to the validity of Canada. The remove all doubts as to the val

Prorogation of Parliament.

Quebec, Saturday. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL day, at two o'clock p. m., His Exce the Governor General proceeded in the Chamber of the Legislative Cour

The Members of the Legislative Councille being assembled, His Excellency was please to command the attendance of the Legislativ Assembly, and that House being present the following Bills were assented to in He Majesty's name by His Excellancy the Governor General, viz:—

An Act to incorporate the Guelph Genera

To incorporate the Wesleyan Female College of Hamilton.

To incorporate Les Dames Religeuses de Jesus Marie.

uity and Guarantee Funds Society of

To amend the Act incorporating the Mon-ireal Asylum for aged and infirm women. To incorporate the Montreal Skating Club. To incorporate the St. Antoine Assion of Montreal,

An Act to amend the 111th chapter of the cosolidated statutes of Canada, intituled an Act respecting the Provincial Penitentiary

of Canada.

To abolish the rights of Courts of Quarter Sessions and Recorders' Courts to try treasons and capital felonies.

To amend the 108th chapter of the consolidated statutes of Canada, intituled an Act respecting a Lunatic Asylum for criminal convicts.

Further to increase the capital stock of La Banque du Peuple.

To amend the charter of the Ontario Bank

To incorporate the Church of England Female Orphan Asylum at Quebec. To consolidate the debt of the town of Peterboro', and to authorize the issue of debentures on the security of town property

and for other purposes.

To incorporate the Canada Central Railway Co., and to amend the Act intituled an Act to provide for the encouragement and construction of a Railway from Lake Huron

To abolish the mode of procedure in criminal cases, called recording sentence of death.

To amend the Prison and Asylum inspection Act. To provide for the separation of the County of Renfrew from the County of Lanark.

An Act to prevent vexations indictments overtain spindamenance.

or certain misdemeanors.

An Act to amend and extend the law in spect to persons injured in this Province and dying abroad.

To change the name of the Roman Catholi

Episcopal Corporation of Bytown. An Act for the relief of the repre f the late Thomas Ewart. An Act for the relief of David Rinto and Walter Armstrong.

To change the name of the College of By own, and to amend the act incorporating

To enable the Municipalities of Dereham and Ingersoll to pass by-laws to ratify the agreement with the Dereham, Ingersoll and Dorchester Plank and Gravell Road Co.,

Act respecting the Public Works, in so far required, let us call attention to the Gift-book as respects the powers of Official Arbitrators

An Act to amend the Act passed in the 12th year of Her Majesty's reign intituled an Act to Incorporate La Communaite Des Peverendes Sœurs de la Charitie at Bytown.

To confirm certain roads in the Township of Scarborough, and to provide for the defining of other road allowance in the said Township.

To amend the Acts relating to the Com

mon of the Seignory of Yamaska, and to authorize partition of the said Common. An Act to amend the Charter of the South

An Act to amend the Charter of the Sc Eastern Mining Company of Canada. For the Incorporation of the Lake Peter Navigation Company. To amend Act incorporating the Brit American Manufacturing Company. To authorise the Incumbent and Chur Wardens of St. Paul at London to sell, loan, or mortgage a portion of that block of land on which said Church stands.

Will of the late Hon. Thos. Mackay by the

ment entered into between the Church Societies of the Dioceses of Toronto and Huron, relative to certain Church Lands in the Diocese of Huron.

To Incorporate the Merchants Bank.
A Bill respecting Mining Rights.
To place the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Parsonage property in the town of Stratford County in the Strat

Quebec.

For the better preventing of the fradulent use of the false Invoices for Customs pur-

To amend chapter 54 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada intituled an Act respect ing Incorporated Banks.

To amend chapter 102 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada intituled an Act respecting duties of Justices out of sessions.

An Act in relation to persons char with indictable offences. To amend an act relating to constables.

To amend an Act respecting trade marks.

To provide for the registration of designs.

To remove certain obstructions to the

of the ship channel between Me

ro, and to fix the county town at Lindaay To incorporate the Montreal and Ver-ont Junction R.R. Co for 1861.

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To incorporate the Montreal R.R. Ter-ninus Co. To extend the application of ertain restrictions of an act respecting cer-

Tarriages, Baptisms and burials.

To confirm certain surveys of the town hips of Lingwick, Bury and Oxford.

Respecting the Union of Certain Presbytian churches therein named. To vest in the city of Hamilton, the water

To extend the period fixed for the comple-tion of the work on the North R.R. Co. of Arthabaska and for other purposes.

To amend act chapter 63 of the Consolidate Statutes of Canada, respecting Joint

To amend the charter of Drummond and Arthabaska Counties Railway Company.

To authorize the trustees of the Congression of the gation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, in connection with the Church of Scotand, at Beauharnois, to sell certain lots held by them in trust for such congregation.

To incorporate the Montreal Hydraulic and Dock Co.

To confirm the survey of certain parts of he City of Ottawa. To incorporate the Toronto Street Railray Co. An Act to vest certain real estate of the nte John Knatchbull Roche in the hands of

To amend the acts incorporating the St. Lawrence Warehouse, Dock & Wharfage Co. To authorize any Board of Notaries to ad-nit, after examination, Jules Huguenin and Joseph Lefevre to practice as Notaries.

To enable the Municipal Council of the Parish of St. Anne de la Perade to estabish certain tolls on bridges over the R

To incorporate the Montreal city Pass ger Railway Company.

To alter the limits of the villa

rale in the County of Bagot.

To amend the Acts incorporating Tarillon and Grenville Railway Company.

To incorporate the St. Michael Congregaion of Montreal. To enable the city of Toronto to issue

To enable the city of Toronto to issue de-bentures for \$200,000 and to consolidate the public debt of the city.

To remove doubts as to the validity of By law Lo 5 of the Corporation of the County of Grey, and of certain debentures there under.

To remove doubts as to the validity of

certain bequests contained in the last will of Nathan Gage deceased, and to enable trus-tees under the said will to carry into effect the said bequests.

An Act respecting Maps, Plans of Towns or Villages in Upper Canada.

To amend Assessment Act.

To allow the establishment of a Commis-

oners Court in the Municipality of Her-rtville in the Ccunty of Checoutimi, notithstanding any deficiency in the number An Act further to extend the time for the

Registration of Conveyances to religious in-An Act to authorize the Corporation of the City of Ottawa to continue William treet to the Market Square.

tisfaction of debts.

An Act to provide for the the City of Toronto from the United Counties of York and Peel for Judicial purposes.

The Joint Stock Company's Bill Clauses Consolidation Act. To incorporate LaBanque Jacques Cartier.
To amend the Charter of Bank of Mon-

To incorporate St. Lawrence Navigation nd the Lower Canada Consolidate

Municipal Act. To amend the Joint Stock Company Judicial Incorporation Act. To amend the Act respecting Mutual Insurance Companies in Upper Canada.
Further to amend the Act incorporating Metropolitan Gas and Water Company of the city of Toronto.

respecting the Notorial profession.

To amend chap. 89 of the Consolidated Statutes of Upper Canada respecting the Registration of Deeds and other instruments.

To explain certain parts of chap. 72 of the Consolidated Statute for Lower Canada relating to admission of students to the profession of an Advocate.

The returns of killed, wounded and missing, foot up to a considerable sum. We take the following list of casualities from the New York World:

Last night a melancholy accident occurred in the 7th regiment; Keyes, of company 8, was accidentally shot, and instantly killed.

A stack of rifles fell on the floor, one of them went off the hell respired them.

dministry of poison.

To incorporate the St. George's Society of Ottawa.

herein mentioned and for other purposes.

To consolidate the debt of the town of

To amend the Act respecting the inspec-tion of Sole Leather.

To amend chap. 6 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada respecting the election of members of the Legislature.

For the removal of all don right of appeal in the case her ioned.

To amend the Act respecting the investigation into accidents by fire.

To amend the 13th chap, of the Consolidated Satutes for Upper Canada respecting the Court of Error and Appeal.

To repeal the laws relating to Registration of Judgments of Upper Canada.

To amend and consolidate the Laws respecting Recorder's Court of the City of the Cit To amend the Act resp

ting Recorder's Court of the City fler which his Excellency the Gover eral was pleased to reserve the follow for the signification of Her Majse

leasure thereon:
An Act to enable Frederick Chase Cap real, Esq., to dispose of certain lands by al-otment notwithstanding chap. 95 of the Con-olidated Satutes of Canada.

passed, and one man standing on the steps of the church fired a revolver in the ranks. of the church fired a revolver in the ranks. A soldier fell dead, when two more shots were fired from the windows of a house near by. At this time the head of the column, which reached as far as Seventh street, turned suddenly, and, levelling their rifles, fired down the street and promiscuously among the spectators, who lined the pavements.

Shooting as they did directly towards their own rear ranks, they killed some of their men as well as those composing the crowd. The showers of bullets was for a moment terrible, and the only wonder isthat more lives was not lost. The missiles of lead entered the windows and perforated the doors of private residences.

perforated the doors of private residences, tearing the ceiling and throwing splinters in

the streets presented much the same appearance as on the last day of one of our were like picture frames, groups of people being there congregated to view the preparations in the streets for this terrified hegira.

Capt. McDonough, Chief of Police, hearing the Protestant inhabitants

county surveyor, was working in the yard of Mr. Cozzens at the time of the occurrence. While stooping over in the act of fastenin some flowers to a frame, three soldiers en ed the gate, and approaching within the yard, fired three shots into his body. Fortunately none of them were fatal, being all flesh daughter of Mr. S. H. Waggoner.

The United States volunteers with the enemy, are not from the accidents of war.— To amend cap. 7th of the Consolidated enemy, are not from the accidents of war.—
Statutes for Lower Canada, entituled an Act
The returns of killed, wounded and missing

ression of an Advocate.

To amend the law relating to unlawful near the region of the heart. He was belov-

ed and is regretted by the regiment. There are five or six persons in the capitol injured by accidental explosions.

One Massachusetts soldier suffered amputation, on account of injuries received in precisely the same way. A soldier belonging Port Hope.

For the better assignment of Dower in U.C.

To incorporate the St. Lawrence Grain

To incorporate the St. Lawrence Grain volver and killed while on his way to Annapolis. Last evening, Mr. Simonton, the reporter of the *Times*, was shot through the shoulder, while driving out with his wife.—
The horse, frightened by the discharge, ran away, throwing Mrs Simonton out of the vehicle, and injuring her considerably.—
about the same time a miscreant policeman, A Bill respecting Mining Rights.

To place the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Parsonage property in the town of Stratford, County of Perth, under the directions and provisions of the Model Deed of in connection with the English Conference, for the Better management thereof.

Satutes for Lower Canada respecting Mu to the same time a miscreant policema of the name of Thomas Hadden, shot Jeh H. Doward, belonging to the Metropolita Rifles. It seemed he was slightly intoxical additional sum for the purpose of completing the new Water Works in the said city, in the said city, within certain limits.

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with being secessionists.

The principal sickness seems to be amount the Zouaves. There is, in that regime four cases of small pox, two of typhus fever, and four wounded by accidental discharges of pistols; none seriously. In the Rhode Island regiment two are similarly wounded, and a third by a bayonet.

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for some years, and the loss anticipated will consequently be less general, although pro-bably not less decided where winter wheat

If Col. Playfair voted confidence in present Ministry, as the Standard appears admit, we can promise him "a hard row hoe" with the men of Montague. Ministry

WEEKLY COMMERCIAL REPORT. We write at a late hour to-day in order o include the latest advices by telegraph rom New York.

Yesterday we received English advices the "Europa," to the 4th inst., which that owing to the disturbed state of Ameriaffairs, the produce market is considerated. Ashes have advanced two shills Her Most Gracious Majesty has unfirred a deep domesta affiction, which you as her loyal unjuscent fairs, the produce market is considerably have expressed your condelence and sympathy. I have expressed your condelence and sympathy. I have taken care to forward your. Address to the Secretary of State for the Colonies. I believe that we may shortly expect the bonot of a visit of a private character from His Royal Hamily of England will be as awabed of the Royal Family of England will be as awabed of congratulation. I now relieve you from your labours and prorogue the Parliament of Canada.

The Speaker of the Legislative Council then said, Honorable Geutlemen of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly.

It is His Excellency the Governor General's will and pleasure that this Provincial Parliament is accordingly proragued until Thursday, the 27th day of June next.

SECOND MASSACRE AT ST. LOUIS

Another act in the terrible drama of blood that opened so fearfully on Friday, was en acted Saturday evening, and six more victims were added to the already sad list of dead. Two scenes of blood so close together and so frightful in their results, have seldom before plunged a city into mourning. At about half past five o'clock in the evening a large body of the German Home Guards entered the city through Third street, from the arsenal, where they had been enlisted during the day and furnished with arms.

Large crowds collected to witness their march, and they passed unmolested along until they reached Walnut street, when they turned up that street and proceed westward. Large crowds collected to witness their march, and they passed unmolested along until they reached Walnut street, when they turned up that street and proceed westward. Large crowds oclected to witness their march, and they passed unmolested along until they reached Walnut street, when they turned up that street and proceed westward. Large crowds oclected to witness their march, and they passed unmolested for and prices firm, good samples bring \$

COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 28 St. Nicholas Street Montreal, May 16th, 1861.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW. MONTREAL WITNESS Office.

Montreal Witness Office,
Tuesday, Noon, May 14, 1861.

Weather changed again; last night there were light showers, and heavy rain fell this morning. Temperature at 7½ a.m., 53° above zero; at noon, 60 above.

—It is generally remarked that this is an extraordinary year for Canada in a commercial point of view. The stoppage of the railroads and other highways, by snow-storms in winter was a severe public calamity. The flood and burning of the Potash Stores added to the derangement; the destruction

added to the derangement; the destruction of confidence and credit in the States has tearing the ceiling and throwing splinters in every direction.

The alleged rebellion against the peaceful measures of General Harney produced the greatest consternation and dismay among our citizens. Frenzied imagination added their terrors to even most exaggerated rumors, and the wildest conjectures were indulged in as to what might be expected. In some parts of the city a perfect panic prevailed.—Trunks were hurriedly packed, and directions given for an immediate departure. Vehicles of all descriptions were in demand, the railroad ticket offices thronged, and steamboat clerks kept busy in registering the names of passengers. Hasty adiens were exchanged among relatives and friends, and from three to six o'clock in the afternoon the streets presented much the same ap-

JOHN DOUGALL

Street to the Market Square.

An Act to amend the Act 23rd Vic., chapter 25 and chap. 85 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada as respects the four thousand. The windows of dwellings the city at about the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada as respects the statutes for Lower Canada as respects the four thousand. The windows of dwellings the city at about the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada as respects the statutes for Lower Cana We understand that it is the intent ion appointed to solicit subscriptions from the Brethern of the surrounding Lodges, and Capt. McDonough, Chief of Police, hearing of the facts, posted messengers about to queil the alarm, and assure the citizens that there was no danger, by contradicting the reports in circulation.

A pool of blood marked the spot where he fell, after his body had been removed. Jeremiah Godfrey, a hired man of Mr. Cozzens, county surveyer was working in the median.

On the 9th of May, in the Township of Stafford, Mrs. Henry Davis, of a son. MARRIED. On the 9th inst., in Ottawa by the Rev. ohn Carroll, Mr. W. Burnett to Martha

On the 11th instant, The

Township of Nepean, to Miss Jane Township of Goulbourn Township of Goulbourn.

At Quebec, by the Rev. Hy. D. Pewis, at the residence of the bride's mother, James McNab Cassels, Esq., Merchant, to Mary, second daughter of the late John Strang, Esq. On the 15th inst., at St. Peter's Church, Brockville, by the Rev. Dr. Lewis, Jacob Dockstader Buell, Barister at Law, to Margaret Sophia, daughter of the Rev. E. J. Senkler, M. A., of Brockville, and formerly of Docking, Norfolk, England.

At his residence, Wellington street, in Ottawa, on the 14th inst., Mr. James Doran, aged 78 years. Mr. Doran has resided for a lengthy period in Ottawa, and was highly esteemed by his fellow citizens.

At Stadacona Terrace, Quebec, on the 8th instant, Elizabeth Gilmour, wife of William Hamilton, Esq., of that city, aged 59 years. The deceased lady was the sister of John Gilmour Esq., and mother of William Hamilton Esq., of Cantly Hull.

In Arnprior, on the 12th inst., Phebe Webster, second daughter of John Butler, aged 2 months.

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THE YOUNG ROCKINGHAM. SIRED by the well known horse Old Rocking-ham, tormerly the property of Mr. E. Reilly, Richmond, is of a bright bay colour, with black

egs, main and tail, stands sixteen hands high and is well built in proportion. Will stand for mares this season as follows:

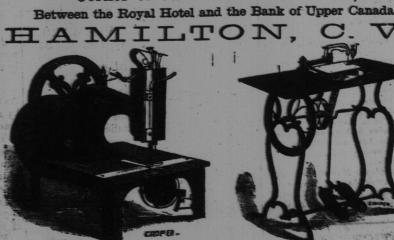
Monday, forenoon at Mr. D. McFarlane's Ashton, that evening at Mr. N. Lavalee's, Carleton Place. Tuesday, noon at Mr. D. Stewart's 11th line Ramsay, that evening at Mr. D. McGregor's, Almonte. Wednesday, noon at Mr. W. Stergeon's 2nd line Ramsay, that evening at Mr. J. Jackson's, Innswille. Thursday, noon at Mr. J. Doyle's, 3rd line Drummond, that afternoon between two and five o'clock at Mr. G. Barry's, Perth, that night and next morning at Mr. J. McEwen's, It line Drummond. Fiday, noon at Mr. E. McEwen's, Franktown, that evening at Mr. J. McEwen's, 7th line Beckwith. Saturday afternoon at the stable of the subscriber. Teams:—4 dollars for the season single leap \$2.

Notes to be passed at the time of service payable on the 1st of February, 1862. All mares at the risk of their owners.

ALEXANDER McEWEN. Beckwith, May 20th, 1861,

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