THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—The chances of restoring the line to a healthy condition, as regards the transmission of messages, appear to be very small indeed; in fact, the tests for faults give such results as almost to lead to the belief that continuity has ceased, and the wire is completely parted. The condition of the wire is as bad as it can possibly be. About the middle of last October very powerful batteries were put in circuit at the Newfoundland station in order to force the signal, if possible, past the fault on the English side. This dangerous expedient, however, was attended with very slight success, the only and the last signal which reached the English shore being the words, "Daniell's in circuit."

Almost immediately after this, a large and most important fault was discovered at the Newfoundland end, apparently about four hundred miles from land, and caused beyond all doubt by the use of the powerful batteries we have referred to. The tests to discover the exact distance of this fault from land have given the most uncertain and contradictory results. At one time the injury has appeared within 300 miles, and the tests for several days have given the distance as exactly 371. After that, however, the distance fluctuated between 400 and 900 miles, settling down finally at about 750 from land. This fault is supposed to be even of a more serious nature than that on the English coast—About a month since the words, "Henly" and "you understand it," were received at Newfoundland, and for a time revived the hopes of those in charge of that side of the Atlantic that successful means had been found to restore the cable to working order. Unfortunately, a comparison of dates showed that on the day these words reached Newfoundland, the station at Valentia was locked up and deserted, and the signals, therefore, were merely due to the constant and perplexing vagaries of earth currents.—[London Times.

MURDER IN WASHINGTON.—Washington, Feb. 27th. The community is thrown into an immense excitement to-day by the killing of Phillip Barton Key the United States District Attorney for the District of Columbia by Daniel E. Sickles. According to report Mr. Sickles becoming convinced of truth of certain scandalous rumors involving his wife, resolved to redress his wrongs. At about two o'clock this afternoon, proceeding from his residence near the President's house to the southeast corner of Lafayette Square in the same neighborhood, where Mr. Key was engaged in conversation with Mr. Butterworth of New York, he charged Mr. Key with having dishonored him, and shot him three times with a revolver. Death ensued in a few moments. Mr. Sickles then delivered himself into the hands of the officers who subsequently conveyed him to jail to await examination.

IN THE MATTER OF
Robert B. Davis,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of ROBERT B. DAVIS of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, Cabinet Maker, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly 21st Victoria, Chapter 17, I appoint SATURDAY the eleventh day of June next, at my office in Woodstock, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the creditors of the said Robert B. Davis, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considerering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the eighth day of March, 1859.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Clerk of Peace for County Carleton
A. N. GARDEN, Sol.

For Sale.

The Subscriber offers his property at Upper Woodstock for sale, and possession given on the first of May, next.—On the premises is a comfortable HOUSE and OFFICE, STABLE and large BARN, a good GARDEN and young ORCHARD with nearly six acres of excellent LAND attached under good cultivation and well fenced. Should the property not be sold prior to the first of May next, it will be leased for one or more years. For further particulars apply to Francis E. Winslow, Esq., at Woodstock or to the subscriber at St. Andrews. H. M G. GARDEN.

Woodstock, March 3, 1859. tim

NEW BRUNSWICK & CANADA RAILWAY & LAND COMPANY. (limited.)

NOTICE is hereby given that on or about the 1st of May next,—as may be found necessary or desirable from the state of the weather affecting the works and frost in the ground;—the passenger and freight trains between St. Andrews & Canterbury, will be discontinued for a month, or thereabouts, to complete the bal asting and other work.

JULIUS THOMPSON, *Manager.*
St. Andrews, Feb. 27, 1859.—tim.

Land for Sale.

INTENDING buyers of land in Carleton County or Victoria, may by inquiring of FRANCIS E. WINSLOW at Central Bank Agency obtain information with reference to several most desirable situations for sale on most reasonable terms.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby coutioned against trespassing upon or cutting or carrying away Timber or trees of any description from the lands of the Heirs of the late SIR ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, BARONET. Any person found guilty of trespassing in any way upon the said property will be prosecuted to the utmost rigor of the law. JOHN ROBERTSON,
Atty. for Heirs.

ROBERT KERR, ESQ., Local Agent.
St. John, Feb 21, 1859.

To Intending Assurers.

ENTRANTS before the approaching Annual ballance (5th April) will be ranked in all future divisions of Progts—as of *one year's longer standing* than later Entrants.

LIFE ASSOCIATION OF SCOTLAND.
2 Hanover Street, Edinburgh.

This Association, now of twenty years standing, is one of the most extensive Life Assurance Institutions in the Kingdom. The Assurances are almost all on First Class Lives, and the funds are invested principally on First Class Securities over land.

DURING THE LAST SIX YEARS
The new Assurances were 6378 for £3 016,-691, 0 0, being an annual average of 1063 for £502,781, 16 0. The Annual Income is now £138,000 sterling. The Policies are unusually free from liability to forfeiture.

NEW BRUNSWICK BRANCH
Head Office, St John.
—DIRECTORS—
FRANCIS FERGUSON, ESQ,
W. H. ADAMS, ESQ..
ALEX. JARDINE, ESQ.,
REV. W. DONALD. M. A.
HON. J. A. STREET.
SAMUEL D. BERTON, *Secretacy.*

Application may be made to
HUGH McLEAN,
Agent for Woodstock.

OUTLAY FOR LIFE ASSURANCE MATERIALLY LESSENED.

Life Association of Scotland, (founded 1838.)
2, Hanover St. Edinburgh.

Under a policy of £500, and upwards, payment of only one half the first six years' premiums is required, the other half remaining unpaid, at interest, as long as the policy holder pleases.

First year's payments for policies of £600.

Age 30.	Age 40.	Age 50.	Age 60.
£6 11. 3.	£8 11 1.	£11 12 4	£17 3 11

The annual income of the Association is now £138,000.

TO INTENDING ASSURERS.

Entrants before the approaching annual balance (5th of April) will be ranked in all future divisions of the profits, as of one year's longer standing than later entrants.

Applications should be made to
HUGH McLEAN,
6w Agent for Woodstock.

St. Andrews, Jan. 21st, 1859.

WM. WHITLOCK

HAS just received Ex Schooner "Alma," from New York:—
500 bbls Superfine and Extra Flour;
25 do Heavy Mess Pork,
100 Bags Corn Meal;
13 Hogsheads } Prime Retailing
19 Tierces } Molasses;
22 Barrels }
4 bbls White Beans;
13 boxes Cheese;
—ALSO IN STORE—
100 bbls Extra Ohio Family Flour;
50 do do Philadelphia do;
50 qtls Codfish;
100 do Pollock Fish, Axes, Tea, Sugar, Coffee, Spices, Dried Apples, Soap, Candles. Tobacco, Burning Fluid, Albertine Oil and Lamps Buckets, Brooms, Boots, Shoes, and Rubbers, Cooking. Parlor, and Shop Stoves, Common Paint, with a variety of other articles, for sale as his Store in Water Street, near the Post Office. (2 mos.)

Through to Woodstock

By Stage and Railroad.

ON and after this day the Subscribers will run a STAGE TWICE A DAY from Calais and St. Stephen to the Roix Road Station, to connect with the cars to and from

Woodstock & St. Andrews.

Their Stage will leave Deming's Corner, Calais, every morning (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock, which will enable passengers to take the cars at the Roix Road Station in time to arrive in Woodstock the same afternoon. Also leave Deming's Corner at 2 P. M. for same Station.

Their Stage will leave the Roix Road Station twice a day, on the arrival of the morning and evening train.

☞ Passengers forwarded to and from St. Andrews by this route.

HARDY & BRIDGES.
St. Stephen, December 6th, 1858.

PHŒNIX
Life Assurance Company.
FOR GENERAL LIFE ASSURANCE
Annuities, or Loss of Life at Sea.

CHIEF OFFICE.—1, *Leadenhall Street, London*
BRANCHES.—16, DALE STREET, *Liverpool.*
ST. JAMES' CHAMBERS, *Manchester.*

THOMAS L EVANS, Agent for New Brunswick; JAMES R. MACSHANE, Esq., St, John; W. H. SMITHSON, Esq., Fredericton.

Medical Examiner for Woodstock, Dr. G. A. BROWN.

Woodstock, January 1, 1859.

A CARD.

THE Subscriber has, in connection with his BAKING ESTABLISHMENT, commenced the manufacture of CONFECTIONARY, and havidg secured the services of a superior workman from Scotland, and being determined to use none but the very best materials, he will at all times be prepared to supply the Trade, as well as private families, and individuals, with the various articles in this line, of the choicest description and quality; and flattering himself that his Goods will give satisfaction, he respectfully solicits from his friends, and the public, a call, before purchasing elsewhere.

JOHN C. McINTOSH,
St. John, April 28, 1858. 45 Dock-street.

P S.—Ship Bread, Fine Biscuit, and all sorts of Fancy Cake on hand, as usual. Goods purchased at this Establishment, will be delivered anywhere in the City and vicinity, free of charge. J. C McI.

On Consignment.

200 BBLS, FLOUR,
20 do. PORK, (Heavy Mess,)
12 do Beanf,
7 hhds. Barbadoes Molasses,
4 boxes Tobacco,
10 qtls Codfish,
2 kegs Saleractus.
GEO. STRICKLAND.
Woodstock, Feb. 23, 1859.

Sugar, Tea, Pork, &c.

The Subscribers have now in store:—

3 HHDS. BRIGHT SUGAR;
5 Bbls. CRUSHED SUGAR;
8 Chests TEA;
18 1-2 do. do;
5 Bbls. New York City Mess POBK;
6 Boxes TOBACCO;
36 8lb Cans Preserved SALMON;
10 Bbls. BISCUITS;
80 Bags Liverpool SALT;

The above, together with a good stock of Wines and Spirits, are offered low for *Cash.*
MYSHRAL & RICHEY.
Fredericton, Feb. 16, 1859.

Cheese and Cider.

1200 LBS. CHEESE—Coy's Dairy;
300 Gallons New CIDER.
For sale low by MYSHRALL & RICHEY.
Frederiston, Feb. 16, 1859.

Brandy on Consignment.

THE Subscribers have now on consignment, —and offer for sale—
10 Quarter Casks Brandy;
I. Hennessy & Otard Dupay & Co Brand,
The above is offered at very low rates for cash or approved payment by
MYSHRALL & RICHEY.
Fredericton, Feb. 22, 1859.

Just Received
AND FOR SALE AT THE
"MEDICAL HALL,"
A now and full supply of
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
PATENT MEDICINES,
of every description,
HORSE MEDICINES, &c.
Perfumery.

English and American, Old Brown Windsor Soap, Claver's Honey Soap, Transparent Balls. Camphor Balls for Chapped Hands, Military Shaving Soap, Panaristan Cream, Hair Oils, Kathairon, Tricopherous, Rosemary and Castor Oil, Cocaine, Hair Dyes, &c., &c.,

Brushes.

Varnish, Paint, White-Wash, Blacking Black Lead, Scrubbing, Comb Brushes. A very nice assortment of English Hair, Hat, Clothes Brushes, Tooth and Nail Brushes—with Gutta-Percha Toilette Combs, Ivory Combs, Back and Side Combs.

Also direct from New York:
A quantity of Stationery and Children's Toy Books; a nice selection of Novels,. Also School Books, Portmonnaies, Wallets, Steel Pens and Ink.

Confectionary.

A large Variety. Candied Citron and Lemon Peel, Flavoring Extracts for Cake &c., Marmalade, Corn Starch, Broma, Tapioca, Sago, Arrowroot, Yeast Powder, Ginger, Pepper, Spices of all kinds, Dye Stuffs.

PAINTS.

White Lead, Black, Blue, Green, Yellow and Red Paint,—dry colors in large variety.

OILS.

Boiled and Raw Linseed, Pale Seal, Olive Neatsfoot, Turpentine, Coach and Furniture Varnishes, Burning Fluid, &c.

ON HAND,
A quantity of Curtis & Perkins' Pain Killer, which will be sold at as low rates as by the manufacturers.

Doctor Smith continues to attend to the practice of his profession, and may be found at his office in the above Establishment, or at his residence next door.

Woodstock, Feb. 3, 1859. 1y.

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE Subscribers have this day entered into Co-Partnership under the style and firm of BARKER & CALDWELL.
ROBERT BARKER,
ROBERT CALDWELL,
Woodstock, Jan. 27, 1859.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE ON hand
400 Bbls. Superfine Flour;
200 do. Extra Family do,;
50 do. Double Extra Genesee do.;
100 do. No. 1 Herrings;
10 Hhds. Muscovado Molasses;
1 Bbl. Porter's Burning Fluid;
1 Tierce Rice.
Muscovado, Granulated, and Crushed Sugars;
Together with a general assortment of
Dry Goods and Groceries.
and they hope by a strict attention to business to receive a share of public patronage.
BARKER & CALDWELL.
Woodstock, Jan 21, 1859.

IN THE MATTER OF
Isaac L. Cornelison,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of Isaac L. Cornelison, of Wakefield in the County of Carleton Farmer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria, Chapter 17, I appoint Friday, the sixth day of May next, at my office in Woodstock, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the creditors of the said Isaac L Cornelison, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the thirty-first day of January, 1859.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE.
Clerk of Peace for the County of Carleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
Darius Dickinson,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR

NOTICE is hereby given that on the application of Darius Dickenson, of Wakefield, in the County of Carleton, Lumberer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria, Cap 17, I appoint Monday the ninth day of May next, at my office in Woodstock, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said Darius Dickenson, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the second day of February, 1859.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Clerk of Peace for County of Carleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
John Dickinson,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given. that on the application of John Dickenson, of Wakefield, in the County of Carleton, Lumberer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria Cap.17, I appoint Monday the ninth day of May next, at my office in Woodstock, at twelve o'clock noon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said John Dickinson, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the second day of February, A.D.1859.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE
Clerk Peace County of Carleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
Alexander Jackson,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of Alexander Jackson, of Richmond in the County of Carleton, Laborer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly. 21st Victoria, chapter 17, I appoint Monday, the second day of May next, at my office in Woodstock, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the creditors of the said Alexander Jackson, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the twenty-fifth day of January 1859.
A K. SMEDES WETMORE.
Clerk of Peace for County Carleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
James J. Montgomery
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned have beenappointed assignees of the Estate and effects of James J. Montgomery, an Insolvent Debtor; and have been duly sworn according to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Vict., Cap 17. All persons indebted to the said James J. Montgomery are required to pay to us forthwith all sums of money due from them, and to deliver to us the said property and effects; and all creditors of the said James J. Montgomery are required to deliver to us, on or before the first day of March, next, their respective claims and accounts against the said James J. Montgomery.

Dated the twentieth day of December, 1858.
DAVID MUNRO, } Assignees.
ROBERT HARPER, }

IN THE MATTER OF
James Derroh,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of JAMES DERROH, of Wicklow, in the County of Carleton, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria, chapter 17, I appoint Monday the twenty-eighth day of March next, at my office in Woodstock, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said James Derroh, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act. Dated the twenty-first day of December, 1858.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Clerk of Peace for County of Carleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
James Dickinson,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of JAMES DICKINSON, of Wakefield, in the County of Carleton, Lumberman, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria, chapter 17, I appoint Saturday the nineteenth day of March next, at my office in Woodstock, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said James Dickinson, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act. Dated the 14th day of December, 1858
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Clerk of Peace for County of Carleton.

Nails and Glass.

3D. 4d. 5d. 8d. 10d. 12d. CUT NAILS. Also 6 inch SPIKES.
7x9, 8x10, 9x13, 10x12, 10x14, 10x16, and 14x20, WINDSOR GLASS, for sale low by
JOHN EEGAR.
Feb. 8, 1859.

IN THE MATTER OF
Robert Melvin,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application ROBERT MELVIN, of Brighton, in the County of Carleton Laborer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly, 21st Victoria, Cap. 17, I appoint Wednesday the twenty-third day of March next, at my office in Woodstock at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said Robert Melvin, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the fourteenth day of December 1858
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Clerk of Peace for County Carleton.
JOHN C. WINSLOW, Sol.

IN THE MATTER OF
Ptolemy T. S. Squires,
AN INSOLVENT DEBTOR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of PTOLEMY T. S. SQUIRES, of Kent, in the County of Carleton, Farmer, made to me pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly 21st Victoria, Cap 17, I appoint Tuesday, the twenty-second day of March next, at my office in Woodstock. at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time and place for a meeting of the Creditors of the said Ptolemy T S. Squires, for the purpose of examining into the state of his affairs, and considering the terms of a compromise to be offered by him under the said Act.

Dated the fourteenth day of December 1858.
A. K. SMEDES WETMORE.
Clerk of Peace for County of Carleton.
JOHN C. WINSLOW, Sol.

St. Andews, January, 1859.

Flour, Molasses, Tea, Sugar, &c.

THE Undersigned offers for sale at his store in St. Andrews the following goods:
200 bbls. Superfine and Extra state Flour,
50 do Extra and Double Extra Ohio Round Hoop Flour,
20 do Heavy Mess and Clear Pork,
15 do Extra Mess Beef,
12 hhds Muscovado and Clayed Molasses,
30 chests Congou Teas, 30 1-2 chests Olong,
—Boxes Tobacco, 40 Quintals Pollock,
10 Boxes Woodstock & T. D. Pipes,
10 do Saleratus, (to arrive,)
10 do Manufactured Coffee;
ALSO:
18 Hhds } Best Martell's & Hennesy's Brandy,
10 Quarter Casks, }
14 Pipes, } Best Holland Gin,
10 Hhds. }
5 Quarter Casks Best Port Wine,
5 do do and Octaves Brown & Pale Sherry
2 Puncheons best Scotch Whiskey,
7 do Alchohol, 90 O. P.
40 bbls. London Bottled Porter quarts and pints,
10 do do do Pale Ale &c, &c., &c.
JAMES W. STREET.

Golden Fleece,
St. Stephens, New Brunswick.

H. & P. CULLINEN,
IMPORTERS OF
British and Foreign
DRY GOODS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, having made an extension of the NEW BRUNSWICK & CANADA RAILROAD to his wharf, is now prepared to

Store Goods,

arriving from the United States and elsewhere destindd for the upper St. John. He will also act as Agent to reship them to their destination. Lumber brought by the down trains piled, and, if desired shipped to any part.
H. H. HATCH.
St. Andrews, Nov. 29, 1858. 3m

GREAT BARGAINS
AT THE
EAGLE FURNITURE STORE.

THE Proprietor still continues to manufacture furniture, and would respectfully announce to the public in general that he is now prepared with superior machinery, and is manufacturing the following articles at the lowest prices to suit the times, viz.: Bedsteads from 12s. 6d. upwards; Tables from 10s. upwards; Chairs from 2s. 6d. upwards; Spinning Wheels from 12s. 6d. upwards; and all other things in the line at the lowest possible rates
R. B. DAVIS.

N. B.— Undertaking attended to at the shortest notice by an experienced hand on the most reasonable terms. R. B D.
South side Bridge, near Davis' Mills.
Woodstock, Jan. 26, 1859.

Notice to Trespassers.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby warns all persons from trespassing upon, or cutting or carrying lumber from, a lot of land owned by him, lying near the farm of Mr. Hugh Davis, in the fifth ier, South Richmond. Any person so trespassing will be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.
ANDREW NICKEL.
Woodstock, Dec. 15th, 1858.

N. B.—The above lot is offered for sale on reasonable terms. Apply to the subscriber.
A. N.

Lumber Wanted.

THE Subscriber wishes to engage a quantity of Good Butternut Lumber. Particulars given on application.
THOS. G. BOURNE.
Next B. H. Smith's south side Bridge.
Woodstock, February 3d, 1859.