By Telegraph.

Canadian, British and Foreign.

To the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 23.

It is said that on the assembling of Parliament, it will be immediately prorogued until March 12th, so that the members who accepted office from Mr. Disraeli may have an opportunity to go before their constituents for re-election. It is also said that the Queen's speech will not be read until Parliament reassembles. Sir William Fitzgerald will probably be appointed under Secretary of State for India.

Hart Dillon received an appointment through the patronage of the Secretary of Treasury.

A correspondent of the *Standard* on the Gold Coast writes that a treaty has been signed by Woolsley and the King of the Ashantees.

A despatch to the *Times*, from Calcutta, says that 280,000 persons are distressed for want of food in the district of Tirhoot and Boylipoor, Presidency of Bengal. The same despatch says it is estimated that but for aid furnished by the Government, 500,000 persons would have perished.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.

To-day was more generally observed as a holiday throughout the country than heretofore. The U. S. Senate assembled, but immediately after prayer, adjourned.

No stocks or cable markets.

LONDON, Feb. 23.

DEATH OF AN AUTHOR.

Charlas Shirley Brooks, the novelist, dramatic author and editor of London *Punch*, is dead.

THE ASHANTEE WAR.

The British war office has received no information that a peace is concluded with the Ashantees.

APPOINTMENTS.

Sir Michael Hycks Beach is appointed Chief Secretary for Ireland, and Sir Henry Selwin Ibbetson Under Secretary for the Home Department.

DR. LIVINGSTONE'S REMAINS.

Mr. Dillion, member of the Livingstone search expedition, with Livingstone's remains, is expected to reach Zanzibar the 20th inst. The Cameron expedition will proceed to Ujiji to obtain documents and property left by the doctor.

FALSE REPORT.

The report that a circular letter was sent to Bishops inviting them to visit the Pope before he died is pronounced unfounded.

CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN.

The Spanish fleet which ascended the the Bilboa river to Portugulete was compelled to put to sea by a heavy gale.

Gen. Primo Rivera, who was advancing on the town by land, also returned, having been deprived of the support of the fleet.

THE WAR IN ACHEEN.

In a late fight the Dutch troops in Acheen captured an important fort, killing 2,000 defenders. The loss to the expedition as only six killed and fifty-six wounded.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.

A SEVERE EARTHQUAKE

is reported in Venezuela, causing much damage to life and property.

300 MEN IN PERIL.

A despatch from Saginaw Bay states that three hundred fishermen were adrift on an immense cake of ice and in a hazardous situation. Two are already reported drowned. Later reports say 50 have escaped.

(Special to Daily News.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.

The remainder of the New Brunswick delegation to the Dominion Board of Trade meeting have arrived. Seventy delegates in all are expected.

Rumors of Cabinet changes continue. The Montreal *Herald* announces that Senator Brown will be Minister of Marine. The statement is not generally credited.

The Government requests three Quebec Judges to resign. They refuse.

The Conservative candidate is elected for Drummond to the Quebec Legislature by sixty majority. At the last election a Grit-Rouge was elected by seven hundred majority.

Ross arrived to-night.

LEGISLATURE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 23—*Afternoon.*

Mr. Adams presented the petition of Andrew Duncan for remuneration for services as common carrier; not accepted as money was asked.

Mr. McPherson introduced a bill to establish an additional polling place in York County.

Mr. Wedderburn, according to notice, moved resolutions for the Costigan resolution despatches, etc. He said his object was as set forth, and he was the more anxious to get the despatches because it was probable the matter would be brought up in the Commons, and might also, to a considerable extent, be involved in the pending elections. Mr. Wedderburn said his principal object is to get not only Sir John A. Macdonald's opinion before the Legislature and country, but also views held on this question by Lord Dufferin and the Imperial Government, for, if he could succeed in that there would then be no room for differences of opinion throughout the country. If the subject was to be again agitated, he had no doubt that the Governor General had the residuary right to disallow local bills. He then read extracts from the speech of Sir John A. Macdonald, in opposition to the Costigan resolution, showing he had said that it was an attempt to sap the constitution. The people, if Costigan's resolution were acted on, should rise in their might and assert their rights. Pass it and no legislature would be safe in making its enactments, which would occupy the attention of the Commons of Canada hereafter, to the exclusion of its legitimate business of general legislation.

Mr. Hibbard introduced a bill to incorporate the St. Stephen Valley Park.

Hon. Mr. Stevenson presented the petition of Rev. Mr. Foley and others, of St. Andrews, for the amendment of the Schools Act.

Mr. Gough moved, according to notice, addresses for papers and statements relating to expenditures on account of delegations, revisions of statutes, mining, etc., showing how monies were applied on account of same.

In reply to Mr. Gough, the Provincial Secretary said there had been no extra expenses for special purposes during recess, excepting those incurred on account of the Governor-General's visit.

Mr. Hibbard committed the bill for the improvement of wild lands and opening up roads through the same, Mr. Humphrey in the chair. The bill provides for the exemption from tax of all useless burnt land, and all land that a crown land surveyor will swear is not fit for cultivation. He wished, for the good of the country, that all the crown lands were put into the hands of a large company, in order to prevent the forest destruction that is going on. He referred to the waste of hemlock for bark, and said that future generations would curse the management which now allowed it.

Mr. Irvine thought that if the wild lands were all put into the hands of Mr. Andrew Inches, as agent, he would take much better care of it. He showed how that gentleman had charge of 7,700 acres in Wicklow, Carleton Co., as agent for the estate of Governor Campbell, and could not be compelled to pay taxes.

Mr. Lindsay said it took twenty years to get the tax on the wilderness lands. If the people could not pay the tax they need not buy the land.

Mr Hibbard said he would sell every acre of wild land he owned for forty cents an acre. He said he would pay double the tax on land fit for cultivation; he did not care so much for the cent an acre, but he protested against the manner in which the money was appropriated. If the House would not take the tax off he hoped it would let it be devoted to school and other county purposes.

Mr. Robinson said there is a little truth in what Mr. Hibbard had said, but he knew of a road to North Lake, thirty miles long, and one being built at Forest City, all from tax on wild lands.

Mr. Covert favored increasing the tax on wild lands, if any change was to be made.

Mr. Beckwith thought the wild lands indicated in the bill should be exempted from the taxes.

Mr. McPherson asked if. cariboo plains and lakes are not thrown in, when surveyed, especially for the Riviere Du Loup Company. He opposed the passage of Mr. Hibbard's bill, advancing as one reason that the removal of the export duty enhanced the value of lands. He was assured by Mr. Inches that he never refused to pay the tax on the Campbell property; he had no funds of the estate in his hands to pay tax with.

Mr. Irvine said he had abundant proof that Mr. Inches had had money in his hands, the proceeds of lumber sold off the Campbell lands. The thing was a swindle on the Parish of Wicklow.

Mr. Donald was of opinion that if the bill passed there would be very little lands fit for settlement; he was against the bill.

Mr Tibbets could not consent to taking the tax off, as it would be detrimental to the roads.

Mr. McPherson deprecated any attempt to relieve the wild lands of the tax.

Mr. Hanington thought the land tax should be devoted to affording facilities for reaching into the interior of, and settling, the country. It would cost more than ten dollars for a surveyor to ascertain the condition of a thousand acres of land, and that was all the tax would come to. He argued at considerable length against the bill.

Hon. Mr. Fraser opposed the bill, and claimed that the tax was justly put on to establish and maintain settlement roads.

Mr. Hibbard said the owners of these lands pay all taxes as paid by others, and one cent an acre in addition.

Progress was finally reported with leave to sit again.

Mr. King introduced a bill to incorporate the Alumni of Mount Allison Wesleyan Academy, and in further amendment of an act to incorporate the Trustees of Wesleyan Academy, at Mount Allison, Sackville.

Mr. Hanington gave notice of a resolution, on Thursday next, that a Legislative union of the Maritime Provinces is desirable.

Mr. Gough gave notice of a resolution, for Thursday, that the conditions of settlement imposed on the Riviere du Loup Railway Company, in the granting of land in August and January last, be furnished the House.

Mr. Blanchard gave notice that he would move, on Thursday, that as many subjects in the Province speak the French language, it is desirable that all public notices emanating from heads of departments shall be in French language and in French newspapers, when practicable.

Dr. Alward introduced a bill to authorize the removal of nuisances in Portland.

Hon. Mr. Fraser introduced a bill to confirm the sale of certain lands in Queensbury; he also laid on the table papers asked for by Mr. Napier in regard to the small-pox expenditure in Gloucester.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 24.

Mr. Wedderburn, from the committee appointed to wait on the Governor with resolutions relating to correspondence on Costigan resolution between the Dominion Government and Secretary of State for the Colonies and the Dominion Government and Privy Council of England, reported that they had performed the duty assigned to them, and His Honor had assured them that he would obtain the copies required at as early a day as possible.

Dr. Alward introduced a bill to regulate the responsibility of inn-keepers, boarding-house keepers and their guests; also a bill relating to the streets, roads and highways in Portland, with petition.

Mr. Wedderburn introduced a bill to authorize the sale of certain unclaimed property.

Mr. Hibbard presented the petition of Rev. E. Doyle and others of St. George praying the School Act may be amended so as to give the Catholics of New Brunswick the same educational rights as the Protestants of Quebec; also the petition of James McLean and others for a new polling boote in L'Etete.

The Chief Commissioner laid on the table papers giving the names of Supervisors and their sureties.

Mr. O'Leary gave notice of a resolution for the papers relating to the dismissal and restoration to office of the Clerk of the Peace of Kent.

Mr. Wedderburn introduced a bill relating to Registry of Deeds, and to enable the assignees of life insurance policies to sue in their own names thereon.

Hon. Mr. Crawford introduced a bill to enable the Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, Kingston, to sell certain lands, with a petition; also a bill to vest in Thomas Southern and others certain lands.

Mr. Gough, from the Committee on the bill relating to the reduction of representation, reported the committee think it inadvisable to reduce the representation at present, and recommend that one member each additional to the present be given to Carleton, Kent, Gloucester and King's.

Hon. Mr. Crawford committed a bill Mr. Adams in the chair, to incorporate the King's County and Grand Lake Railway Company, for building a railway from some point between Norton Station and Petitcodiac to Grand Lake, which passed without discussion.

Mr. Landry, in accordance with notice, moved a resolution calling for the names of school teachers to whom the Government allowance has been refused etc. He said he had been informed that several teachers had performed duties and forwarded registers in due form without receiving Government allowance.

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OUR usual sale of KID GLOVES, in Bargain Lots, will commence

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WE are selling off the Balance of Winter Stock of

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Silver Filligree Jewelry.

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AT PERCIVAL'S BAZAAR!

and

DIED.

On Sunday evening, after a lingering illness, MRS. MARY VICKERY, widow of the late John Vickery, aged 85 years, a native of Bandon, County of Cork, Ireland.

☞ Funeral on Wednesday afternoon, at half-past 2 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. J. Howe, east end of Union street, when friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

In this city, on Sunday, 22nd instant, Mr. MICHAEL MALONEY, in the 79th year of his age, a native of Athlone, Ireland. He leaves a wife and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

☞ Funeral this day, (Tuesday), at half-past 2 o'clock, p. m., from his late residence, 15 Queen street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

At Bloomfield, on Monday morning, 23rd inst., of inflammation of the lungs, HENRY S. WETMORE, in his 53rd year.

☞ Funeral from his late residence in Bloomfield, on Wednesday, 25th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.

On the 14th inst., at the McLean Settlement, on the McLaughlin Road, Kent County, after a lingering and painful illness, Mr. CHARLES McLEAN, aged 67 years. His end was peace.

At his residence, Kars, King's County, on the 18th instant, Deacon FOSTER MERRELL, aged 74 years.

"And devout men carried him to his burial, and made great lamentation over him."

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The same studies pursued as during the day.

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A call respectfully solicited.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

CLEARED

Feb 23d—Schr Prairie Bird, 149, Hjelmstrom, Grenada, Scammell Bros, 132,825 ft boards.

24th—Schr Ella Clifton, 103, Kimball, Boston, E Sutton & Co, 70,014 feet boards; 66,920 pieces pickets, 105,550 blind slats; S R Foster & Son, 12 boxes Hungarian nails.

British Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Liverpool, 19th inst, ship Frank Flint, Williams, from New York.

At Deal, 20th inst, bark Argonaut, Sanderson, from New York for London.

At Queenstown, 6th instant, ship Prince Rupert, Wade, from Moulmain.

SAILED.

From Troon, 6th inst, brig Wanderer, Payson, for Matanzas.

From Liverpool, 6th instant, brig Little Harry, Rourke, for Cienfuegos.

From Greenock, 6th inst, bark Syringa, Gibbons, for Matanzas.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

At New York, 20th inst, barks Curacoa, Borden, for Curacoa, 17 days; Josephine, McFarlane, fm Cienfuegos, 17 days; brigs Chas A Hoard, Messenger, from St Johns, P R, via Arequibo and Acquadilla; Dart, Coulter, from Matanzas, 12 days.

At Havana, 12th inst, Geo Wheelwright, Howard, from Little Glace Bay, CB; 13th, brig Beauty, Sinclair, from Port Celedonia, CB, via Halifax; schr Helen Hastings, Marsden from Sagua.

At Sagua, 6th inst, bark Yumuri, Carlisle, from New York; brig Blanche, Howard, from Saint Thomas; 9th, schr Arianna, Penery, from Havana.

At Baltimore, 20th inst, bark Laila W, McNeil, from Liverpool; brig S V Nichols, Chase, from Matanzas.

At Pensacola, 17th instant, ship Cambrian, Post, from Havana.

At Boston, 20th inst, schr G W Reed, Sprague, from Grand Manan, NB.

At Vineyard Haven, 19th inst, schr Advance, fm New York for this port.

At Gloucester, 20th inst, schrs Sarah, Harned, hence; Favorite, Jenkins, from New York for Cornwallis, NS.

At Portland, 19th inst, schr Esperanza, Joyce, from Deer Island, NB.

At Matanzas, 12th inst, sch Amelia, hence.

At Moville, 24th inst, S S Polynesian, from Portland.

CLEARED.

At New York, 20th inst, barks Teresa, Wallace, for Cienfuegos; schr Pampero, Matthesen, for St Jago.

At Boston, 21st inst, schr Little Annie, Roberts, for this port via Portland.

At Wilmington, NC, 13th inst, schr Martha A. Glass, for Cardenas.

SAILED.

From Havana, 12th inst, bark Eva Parker, Slocumb, for Cibarien.

From Bremerhaven, 4th inst, ship Peter Maxwell, Sulis, for Philadelphia, and anchored off lighthouse same day.

Spoken.

Feb 4th, lat 50, lon 9, bark Stella, Lockhart, fm Antwerp for Tybee.

Jan 24th, lat 46, lon 6, bark Somerville, Smith, from Havre for Tybee.

Jan 18th, lat 31 N, lon 39, brig Venture, from York for Bahia.

Memoranda.

In port at Havana, 14th inst, bark Elgin, Hibbert, for Baltimore.

In port at St John's, PR, 6th inst, brigs Sarah Gowell, Morris, and Julia Blake, Gavin, from New York, discharging.

Passed down Newcastle, Del, 20th instant, bark Susan M Dadman, for Cork or Falmouth.

In port at Macabi, 16th Jany, ship James Edwards.

Notice to Mariners.

NEWPORT, RI, Feb 20, 1874—The fog bell on the breakwater in this harbor broke down this PM, and during foggy weather, until further notice, a horn will be used. The fact has been reported, and the damage will be speedily repaired by order of the lighthouse inspectors.

U S Steamer Verbena, Gibbs, at New Bedford 19th inst, from Wood's Hole, reports having placed Sow and Pigs light boat on her station she having dragged off about 200 yards during the late gale. Also replaced the buoys on the Sentinel and Hen and Chickens, before reported missing.

Newfoundland—East Coast. Alteration in Pollin Island Light—The Colonial Government of Newfoundland has given notice, that the following alteration has been made in the arc of visibility of Pollin island light. The light is now obscured towards the land only between the bearings N by E and W by N from the lighthouse, or between Big Pools island and Fox Island, in Fox bay. [At 18 Bearings are Magnetic, Variation 32½° Westerly in 1873.]

By command of their Lordships,
GEO HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 7th January, 1874.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts: Trinity harbor to Cape Freels, No 293; and Greenspond approaches, &c. No 240: also, Newfoundland Light List, No 6.

Nova Scotia—South-East Coast—Revolving Light on West End of Sable Island—The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on the West end of Sable Island, Nova Scotia. The light is a revolving white light, making a revolution in three minutes, and showing three distinct flashes at intervals of half a minute, and then eclipsed during one a half minutes, thus completing the three minutes. It is elevated 123 feet above high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 17 miles. The illuminating apparatus is catoptric or by reflectors. The tower is an octagonal wooden building, 86 feet high, and painted white. Position, lat 44 57 N, lon 59 54 W. The distance from this light to the fixed white light on the best end of the island is 17 miles. A steam fog whistle has been erected in the vicinity of the lighthouse, which in thick or foggy weather or snow storms will sound eight seconds in each minute, leaving an interval of fifty-two seconds between each blast. The whistle will probably be heard, in calm weather or with the wind, from 10 to 15 miles, and in stormy weather or against the wind, from 3 to 6 miles.

By command of their Lordships
GEO HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 6th January, 1874.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts: North Atlantic Ocean, No 2069 b; St John's to Halifax, No 2663; and Sable Island, No 2271; also, Sailing Directions for SE coast of Nova Scotia, page 11.

New Advertisements.

BEST SYDNEY COAL.

We are now selling from Yard:

Best O'd Mines Sydney

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$9 PER CHALDRON.

T. McCARTHY & SON,

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TO MEMBERS

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900 LBS. SORTED SIZES. Low for cash.

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Second Edition.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY. — *Continued from First Edition.*

Mr. Tibbitts introduced a bill to authorize the Justices of the County of Madawaska to raise by loan money to construct a court house and jail.

Hon. Mr. Fraser introduced a bill to incorporate the York County Boom Company.

Mr. Wedderburn said he intended to ask the views of the Government in reference to providing for aid to the blind, deaf and dumb of the Province.

The Secretary said the Government intended to provide such aid.

Mr. Hibbard committed the St. Stephen Valley Park bill, Mr. Lindsay in the chair. He explained that the bill was for the incorporation of a trotting park; agreed to without amendment.

Mr. Tibbetts introduced a petition in favor of making part of the Parish of Drummond a separate town or parish.

Hon. Mr. Willis presented the petition of James Robinson and others, of Lancaster, praying that the same aid may be given to the Grand Southern Railway as to others.

(Special Telegram to the Tribune.)

Episcopal Church Dedication.

SUSSEX, N. B., Feb. 24.

A large number of persons came from St. John this morning to attend the consecration of the Church of the Holy Trinity at this place. The service commenced at 10.30. About 400 people were present. His Lordship the Bishop of Fredericton conducted the services, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Brigstocke, officiating minister. His Lordship preached a practical discourse.

(Special Telegram to the Tribune.)

The Dominion Board of Trade—Another Plum for George Brown.

OTTAWA, Feb. 24.

The Dominion Board of Trade met this morning, W. H. Howland presiding. The report of the Executive Committee was read. It reviews the operations of the Board, and compliments the late Ministry on the passage of the following Acts: Pilotage; Preventing Desertion of Seamen; Deckloads; Port Wardens Inspection Law, &c. On motion of Mr. Fairweather of St. John the report was adopted. The usual committees were appointed. Among the committees is one to consider a new Bankrupt Law. The Board adjourned until afternoon to allow the Western delegates to arrive. The following New Brunswick men are on committees: Bye Laws, C. H. Fairweather and R. Marshall; Insolvency, Sheriff Harding and T. R. Jones.

Roscoe, an Independent, is elected for Westminster, B. C.

The Cabinet has recommended the British Government to appoint Senator Brown the Canadian representative on the Fishery Commission.

Merchants' Exchange.

New York, Feb. 24th.

Freights—Business slow, rates, wheat to London, 10d; Grain, Be.fast 7s. 9d; Petroleum, Baltimore to Baltic port, 7s. 3d.

Mrrkets—Molasses, no change; sugar quiet, easier, 9¾.

Exchange—Gold opened at 112¾.

Weather—Wind N. W., fresh, cloudy. Ther. 37°.

Boston, Feb. 24.

Weather—Wind N. W., fresh, clear. Ther. 37°.

Portland, Feb. 24.

Weather—Wind N. W., fresh, clear. Ther. 38°.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived—At Trieste (no date) brig Florence, from New York via Gibraltar; at New York, 22nd inst., schr. Maud, from Cardenas; at Portland, 24th inst., str. Corinthian; from Glasgow.

Spoken—Dec. 22nd, off Cape Horn, ship Prince Eugene, from San Francisco Oct. 30th, for Liverpool.

English Mail.

The R. M. S. Caspian arrived at Halifax at 3 p. m. yesterday. The mails for this city were forwarded via Amherst and expected here at 3 p. m. to-day.

Chubb's Corner stock Exchange.

Mr. J. W. Cudlip sold at auction to-day at Chubb's Corner 55 shares Maritime Bank stock. It was purchased by A. I. Palmer, Esq.—10 shares at 13 per cent. below par, and 45 shares at 12½ below.

Point Lepreaux Weather and Marine Report.

The following is the telegraphic report from Point Lepreaux to the Board of Trade room, this morning:

9 A. M.—Wind N. W., very strong breeze, with light clouds; nothing in sight.

"Will You Come in Uniform?"

The following conversation occurred at Chubb's corner this morning, between the civilian and military aspirants for the Aldermanic chair of King's Ward:

"Good morning, John."

"Good morning, Colonel."

"I'm coming against you."

"How?"

"I am coming against you in the election for the Aldermanship of King's Ward."

"Is that so? Will you come in uniform, Colonel?"

Hotel Changes.

The Gordon House, King street, has been taken by Mrs. Darrow, who, at present, keeps a boarding house in Wentworth street. The demands for accommodation with Mrs. Darrow have been so many that she has engaged this large house.

Mr. Collins, who now keeps the Gordon House, will take possession of the American Hotel. This hotel has been kept by Mr. Estey and his father for a long time, and has been so well kept that the name alone will much assist Mr. Collins.

The Continental Hotel has been leased to Mr. Hayward, who has been engaged in hotel business for a number of years. He takes possession the first of May.

There are one or two other changes spoken of, but not definitely arranged as yet.

The Victoria Hotel is being repainted, whitewashed and renovated generally for the summer season.

LONDON HOUSE, Retail,

3 and 4 Market Square.

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One Case of

REVERSIBLE BLACK LUSTRES,

Superior make.

2 cases of Canadian Tweeds.

1 case TYCOON REPS.

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feb 18 BARNES, KERR & CO.

OATS IN STORE.—Heavy P. E. Island Oats, at wholesale and retail, by

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Grand Lake Coal.

ALL who want that Superior Coal, for Smiths' use, can get it at

GIBBON'S

feb 18 General Agency Office.

New Books.

W. R. GREG:

"Literary and Social Judgments,"

By Author of "Enigmes of Life."

EDWARD GARRETT:

"Gold and Dross."

By Author of "Occupations of a Retired Life."

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W. H. GIBBON,
General Agent.

St. John, Feb. 17th, 1874. feb 18

16 BBLS APPLES—A choice article. For sale by

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By Order of the Common Council

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented to the Local Legislature for enactment, to increase the assessment for Police purposes on the Western side of the Harbor in the City of Saint John, to provide for additional cost of Police establishment, on order of the Governor in Council, under authority of the Act of the last Session, 36 Victoria, Chapter 55.

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By Order of the Common Council.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented to the Local Legislature for enactment, to amend the Charter in Civic Elections, to persons assessed upon two hundred dollars income.

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By Order of the Common Council.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented to the Local Legislature for enactment, to provide for an additional assessment of Ten Thousand Dollars in the present year, upon that part of the City of Saint John on the Eastern side of the Harbor, to be expended in the repair of the public streets of said city.

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Eggs. Eggs.

JUST RECEIVED:

3 cases FRESH EGGS.

feb 4 J. S. TURNER.

Mechanics' Institute!

POSTPONEMENT OF LECTURE.

MR. BOYD'S Lecture on "Who Giveth this Woman," (owing to the storm), is Postponed until

Monday Evening next, 2nd March.

H. LAWRANCE STURDEE, Secretary.

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NOTICE!

THE Subscriber has just received another supply of his favorite

Family Sewing Machines!

VIZ:

Singer Improved Family Machine, and Wanzer Letter A Family.

These Machines are so well known that they do not require any recommendation.

For manufacturers I keep constantly on hand, Singer Manufacturing, for cloth and leather; Elias Howe A B and C; and have also received a small sample lot of the new Machine called the

WANZER D,

Which cannot be equalled in the market for range of work, it doing from the lightest to the heaviest without alteration of any kind; it is also noiseless, and runs without gears, cams, cogs or springs of any kind.

Call and examine it.

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SHIP STORES.—Halibuts, Fins and Naps

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London & St. John Packets.

I AM instructed by Cable, that the A 1 Bark

"ST. LAWRENCE"

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