LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FRIDAY, June 21.

RAILBOADS. Hon Mr Fergusson presented the report of the Conmittee to whom was referred the bill to enable Municipal Corporations to subscribe stock in Railroads. The only important addition made by it, is that which enacted that the Mayor, Watden or Reeve of any municipal Corporation that subscribed to Railways, should be allowed to vote on behalf of such Corporations in the same manner as any other shareholder.

Hon Mr DeBlaquier said he hoped that before Municipal Corporations were allowed to subscribe to Railroads that the House should be acquainted with those which were proposed to be erected. The condition which I'mland had lately been placed from a reckless preceeding in there undertakings, ought to make them cautious before they vested that power in Municipali-

On motion, the consideration of the Bill was referred to a Committee of the whole House on Monday next.

REGISTER ACT.

A message was received from the House stating that that House had concurred in the amendments made by the Council, to the bill entitled An Act to extend the time for the performance of certain matters connected with the Montreal'Registry Act.

The House the adjourned till Monday next.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. FRIDAY, June 21, 1850.

ADJOURNED DEBATE-CLERGY RESERVES.

After speeches from Messrs Drummond, McConnell Chauveau, Laterriere, Sherwood (Toronto), Chabot, Robinson, Sanborn, Morrison, Lafontaine, and Cayley, the amendment moved by Mr. Cameron (Kent), to proceed by Bill, was put and lost by a majority of 43.

Mr Cayley then moved in amendment, to the effect. that the present appropriation of the Clergy Reserves should remain undisturbed, but that other religious bodies enumerated should be admitted to participate in the proceeds of those investments. On being put to the vote it was negatived .- Yeas 16. Nays 52.

Mr Wilson moved in amendment, that Her Maj sty be prayed to direct the repeal of the Imperial act of 1840, having due regard to vested rights:-Yeas 3;

Mr.J. H. Boulton moved an amendment similar to that which had been moved by Mr Cameron,-Lost, Yeas 7;

The first 23 of the original resolutions were carried by 52 against 18. A division took place on the 21th resolution, which was carried by 50 against 20; and the 25th, by 41 against 27.

Mr, W II Boulton moved in amendment to the 26th resolution that Her Majesty be prayed to recommend to Her Imperial Parliament, to allow the Canadian subjects the same right to legislate on social and political subjects as was enjoyed by the inhabitants of Great Britain. On

being put to the vote, it was negatived by 65 against 4. The 26th resolution was carried by 48 against 19.

On the 29th resolution being put to the vote, Mr Morrison moved, seconded by Mr. Flint that the most expedient mode for the settlement of the Clergy Reserves, would be by praying the Queen to repeal the Imperial Act of 1840, and by vesting the Clergy Reserve, and the Revenues arising therefrom, in the hands of the Canadian Legislature. It was negatived by 42 against 23. The main motion which involved the whole principle of the resolutions was then carried, by 36 against 34-being a majority of 2 only. This announcement was received with cheers by the opposition. The 30th resolution was carried by 40 against 28 The 31st and last resolution was carried by 45 against 23.

A committe was then named to draft an address founded on the resolutions.

The House then adjourned at a 4 to 2 till Monday next.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

From the Montreal Herald.

We have received the Inspector General's stateent of the public accounts for the year 1849-that is, from the 1st Feb. 1849, to the 31st Jan. last .-We give below an abstract statement of the revenue and expenditure of the Province for the past year, showing a surplus of the former over the latter of £62,517, 14 9. It must be admitted that this statement contrasts most favorably and satisfactorily with that for 1848; the expenditure durn z which year was no less than £79,845 15 10 more than the reyenue; while in 1849 it was £62,517 11 9 less .-In 1848 the revente was only £379,645 7 8—the expenditure £459,491 3 6. The increase on the revenue in 1849, isa£133,785 15 3, while there has been an apparent decrease of £8,577 15 4 in the expenditure. We say an apparent decrease, because we find a statement of-warrants issued on the Receiver General "in payment of various indispensable expenses ('mounted constabulary force' -the 'Fortins'-tor 'special services,' 'special magistrates,' 'miscellaneous,' and 'expenses attending the removal of the seat of Government,") and for which a provision is required amounting to £26,1516 10, not included in the statement of the year's expenditure.

ABSTRACT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE. -- REVENUE.

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	£213,852 4	5
Customs. Montreal & Quebec, Inland Ports;	168,774 14	: 3
Internal Duties.		
Excise,	21,131 16	. 8
Light House or Tonnage Duty.	1,009 9	7
Bank Imposts,	10,763 4	. (
Militia Commissions, Fines, &c.,	21 5	.]

Fine & Forieitures, including Seizures, 1,315

14,379

Casual Revenue,

42,615 1 7 9,568 14 7 Public Works, Territorial, Total Currency, £513,431 2 11

EXPENDITURE. Interest on Provincial Debt, £180,125 1 Tumpike Trusts, Civil Government, 52,530 15 6 Administration of Justice, 13.900 0 Provincial Penitentiary 59,264 10 Legisláture, Education, Agricultural Societies, 39,601 19 8,585 Hospitals and other Charaties, 12,422 14 Provincial Geological Survey, 1,971 17 2.034 11 4,850 11 10 Maintamance of Light Houses, Emigration, Pensions, Indian Annuties, 10,788 13 Miscellaneous, £450,913 8 2

Add Excess of Revenue over Expenditure,

Total Currency, £513,431 2 11

DISSOLUTION OF THE N. BRUNSWICK ASSEMBLY! -A Royal Gazette Extra of Saturday last, contains a Proclamation by His Excellency the Lieuterant-Governor, dissolving the General Assembly of this Province, and ordering that Writs for calling a new General Assembly be forthwith issued, returnable on Thursday, 11th July next.

The St. Johns New Brunswicker of the 4th inst., say, several American vessels have arrived at the port within the last few weeks, to load with timber or England, which they carry at a very low rate of treight. On Friday, the Prussian barque Ar hibild arrived from Bermuda, for the purpose of loading or Great Butain.

The Pilot states on good authority, that the moment the bill passes the Houses of Assembly to allow the extension of the Champlain and St. Lawrence Railroad to Rouse's Popt, the work will be commenced. The contract has been taken by H. R. Campbell, Esq., the present Cluef Engineer of the Vermont Central Radroad, who engages to complete it within the piese tyear. In connection with this Governor Payt. President of the Central Railroad, was at Montreal last week. The Railroad from Rouse's Point to Ogdensburgh has been opened as far as Chateauguay, a distance of 453 miles.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT .- We are informed, on the very best authori'y, that a proposition for the sale of the Victoria College Building to the Government was, on Monday last, submitted by the College Board to the Wesleyan Conference sitting in this town, and carried, with little, if any opposition.— The Buildings will be converted into a House of Correction for Juvenile offenders. We understand that this sale has been forced upon the Conference by the failure of the Institution—it being now shut up for want of students as well as funds. The Wesley ans are forthwith to avail themselves of the provisions of the present University Act, and come under its regulations at Toronto. Their charter, as a matter of course is surrendered. The most remarkable and interesting feature in this case, is, the statement of Egerton Ryerson, on the Conference floor during the discussion of the question, that the Government are about to subjust to Parliament an amendment to the University Act, des'roying is s'"godless" character and recognizing religious worship! We offer no comment.—Brockville Recorder.

GREAT FIRE IN NEW YORK.

Yesterday morning, at 4 o'clock, a very destructive fire broke out in the pot and pearl ash inspec-tion warehouse, 48 and 49 West street, and em-bracing half a dozen numbers in Washington street. The building was occupied by Cassidy, Palmer & Co., who inspected pot and pearl ashes, and classified it according to its value. Most of the stock t contained belonged, therefore, to others. The building was destroyed completely through to Washington street, with about half of the 5,000 barrels of pot and pearl ashes it contained.

In addition to these, there were about 300 casks in the warehouse, which had not been yet inspected hus making the whole stock over 5,000 casks There were, besides, 400 hogsheads of sugar, a quantity of iron and other merchandise, stored in the building. The total damage is estimated at from \$60,000 to \$70,000. About half of the loss is covered by insurance. The building, owned by Mr. J. F. Freeborn, was partially insured, namely for \$5,000. Messrs Cassidy, Palmer & Co. were not insured for one cent. and have lost, in fixtures, implements, &c., about \$3,000. The aggregate loss of stock is divided among a great many, 600 barrels of pearls being the largest lot; some of the lots are as small as five barrels. The ashes in the bonded room escaped, with but slight damage.— Herald, June 17.

Buffalo, June 21.

A storm here yesterday was of a very violent character; the wind blowing almost a tornado, carrying away signs, tearing up trees, and breaking windows. Several small boats were upset, and three boys were drowned from one of them. The steamer Knickerbocker ran on a rock, and it was feared she would break in two. We have not yet heard of her release. Telegraphic despatches were entirely stopped. The steamer Knickerbocker is expected to be got off the rock without much injury. Her freight is all taken out. Dates from Matanzas state, that the harbor was strictly guarded, and their militia were drilling. Sickness had left their shipping, after a few cases of cholera among the negroes. William Barnes, Editor of the Sunday Despatch, died this morning of appoplexy, after a brief illness. He was a young man of industry and talent.

Montreal, June 21, 7. P. M.

Yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, a fire broke out | Canadian Agriculturist, in the Vaudreuil Glass Works, destroying one of the Fur- ournal of Medical & Physical Science, Yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, a fire broke out 4 naces; the Cupola and the attached buildings were saved,

HURRAH FOR CANADA.

We take the following from the Albany Argus.--We hope that as Mi Pleck has done so well in the States, he will send some specimens of his handi-eraft home to the great International Exhibition, ande any off the big prize there. The public will have an opportunity of judging in the Fall what 2,502 18 4 Ganadian incchantes can do, and we are inistaken in the Montreal Industrial Fair does not open the eyes of some people .--

A trial of plows is to be made every day during this week, under the direction of the Evecutive Committee of the N. Y. State Agricultural Society; nearly forty different plows have been entered for the trial, the competitors being from New York, New England, New Jersey Michigan and Canada. The judges, who have been selected by the executive committee of the society are gentlemen in whom the public have confidence; and they are directed, we understand, to pursue this triat until every impliment shall be tested in the most thorough manner and its character for peforming the work desired, ascer-

The trial commenced at 11 o'clock yesterday with stubble land. For this 12 plows were entered.

Alex. Fleek of Montreal drew No I, --- Plowman, Mathew Hutchinson, from Canada. The ground wa in bad order from the excessive rams, yet the work was done in a manner that reflects great credit on the plowman, as well as on the the Wilkie Scotch plow, made by Mr Fleck .--Montreal Transcript.

The body of a man, much accomposed, was on Friday last, found floating in the River St Law-rence, about three miles above Lachine. The dece ised was in winter habiliments--An over-coat of American grey cloth, with Capuchon over his head tiowsers of the same material; blue cloth dress coat, with metal buttons, white flannel and blue check cotton shirts, drawers of white flained and black-silk ciavet, a pair of strong leather boots, appar-ently but little used, fur cap of blackAstrican, one seal-skin glove, and leather belt around his waist of robust make, auburn hair, and about five feet six inches in height. The body was removed to Lact me and intterred in the Presbyterian Cemetary. —Montreal Herald.

Toronto Market Prices, June 22. Corrected weekly for the Watchman.

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Fresh Butter per lb.	,0	61		71
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Lard per lb.	,0	31	a 0	.4
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Straw per ton,	25	0	.μ 35	
Hay per ton,	45	0	a 60	
Fire Wood,	11	3	a 15	0

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