

By Telegraph.

Canadian, British and Foreign.

[To the Associated Press.]
New York, Jan. 6, p. m.
Gold 114; sterling exchange steady; money 7 per cent.

Senator Sumner, this morning, introduced the bill of the House of Representatives, to the floor of the Senate.

A naval court of inquiry will be ordered to investigate the sinking of the Virginia. It is stated that confidential diplomatic dispatches were not included in the Virginia correspondence sent to the Senate, as it would complicate matters and render future relations with the new ministry of Spain unpleasant, without gaining anything on the part of Government.

London, Jan. 6, p. m.
Consols 92 a 94; breadstuffs quiet; wheat 13s 10d a 14s; for average California wheat, 12s 4d a 12s 10d; for red western spring corn 5s 9d a 6s 1d.

Madrid, Jan. 6.
Senator Castelar, in an address to the country, says he must protest with all his energy against the recent brutal coup d'etat. He concludes: "My conscience will not permit me to associate with the magistrates, and I come now and honor to refuse to accept the situation created by the coup."

Several members of the majority, which voted against Castelar, now approve the stand he has taken.

The capital is quiet, but there are rumors of disturbances in Valladolid.

London, Jan. 7.
The Metropolitan Railway carriage works at Birmingham were burned last night—loss £20,000; 400 hands thrown out of employment.

Spain.
The diplomatic representatives of Spain at Paris, Brussels and Lisbon have resigned.

It is reported that the Government will remove the Captain General of the Philippines Islands, Cuba and Porto Rico. It is probable that Gen. Concha will be appointed to Cuba.

The disarmament of the disaffected volunteers is going on quietly everywhere.

The Madrid Municipality has reorganized with Senator Castelar at its head.

Dispatches from Cartagena report that the bestigators, inspired by the new order of things, will redouble their efforts to reduce the city. The defenders seem to have taken fresh courage from the belief that the present Government is unpopular and short-lived. They have recently made several desperate sorties, but without effect, and have lost a black flag.

New York, Jan. 7.
Protest against Williams.
The Bar Association unanimously adopted resolutions last evening protesting against the nomination of Attorney General Williams for Chief Justice as one unfit to be made.

There was a brisk snow storm last night at Cincinnati. Six inches of snow are reported at Louisville.

The National Disease.
F. S. Bacon, cashier of the Holyoke, Mass., National Bank, is a defaulter for \$4,569.

GENTLEMEN'S LINEN COLLARS and CUFFS, New Styles, JUST RECEIVED.

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SHIRT DEPARTMENT, We have on hand, a large stock of WHITE DRESS SHIRTS, ALL SIZES.

Fancy Flannel SHIRTS, in great variety.

Lambwool and Merino Under Clothing, Also, a large assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

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Now opening for the coming Holidays! AT PERCIVAL'S BAZAAR

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DIED.

This morning, at the residence of his father, Mount Pleasant, CHARLES F. youngest son of JAMES NEVINS, Esq., aged 15 years.

Funeral on Friday afternoon, 9th inst., at half-past 2 o'clock.

On Tuesday, 6th inst., Mrs. EDWARD PATTERSON, widow of the late John Patterson.

Funeral on Thursday, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Lee, Corner of Waterloo and Peters streets.

EATON'S Commercial College, RITCHIE'S BUILDING, St. John.

THE EVENING SESSION is now in full operation, which will enable young men to take advantage of the College Course without interfering with their business.

The same studies pursued as during the day. All of the subjects necessary for a thorough Commercial education, are taught in a practical manner.

A call respectfully solicited. A. H. EATON, Nov 11

SHIPPING NEWS. PORT OF SAINT JOHN. ARRIVED.

Tuesday, Jan. 6th—Bark Sunbeam, 884, (new) from New York, 5th inst., 6:45 a.m.

Ship Fanny Platt, 174, Warren, from New York, 5th inst., 7:30 a.m.

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New Advertisements.

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PETE LEE, Proprietor and Manager. HARRY LESLIE, Director of Amusements.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 7th 1874. LAST NIGHT OF THE STREETS OF ST. JOHN!

Don't fail to see it! Matinee Saturday afternoon, at 2:30. Prices as usual.

THE next Lecture of this Course will be delivered by the Rev. J. C. MacLellan, D.D., on "THE STREETS OF ST. JOHN!"

Subject: "FAMOUS TRIAL SCENES IN WESTMINSTER HALL."

Single admission tickets will be issued for this Lecture at the box office of the Academy. Prices: Economy Seats, 50c; Gallery, 25c.

Jan 7. BIBLE SOCIETY.

THE Anniversary Meeting of the New Brunswick Auxiliary Bible Society will be held at the Mechanics' Institute.

On Thursday Evening, 8th inst. Doors open at 6 o'clock. p. m. Chair taken at 7 p. m.

Minutiae free. A collection will be taken up during the meeting.

W. W. MACLELLAN, Secretary. St. John, N. B., 6th Jan. 1874.

THE GRAND GIFT ENTERPRISE WHICH was to be drawn on New Year's day, owing to unnecessary interruption, has been POSTPONED.

Until the fifteenth day of the present month, at 7 o'clock, p. m. None but Ticket Holders can gain admission to witness the Drawing.

Parties wishing to have their names called at above place where the tickets can be seen.

Jan 7. MARK TWAIN.

Just received at McMillan's. "INNOCENT ABROAD," THE NEW "IMMORTAL HOME." At 20 Cents Each.

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Jan 7. To the Electors of King's County.

GENTLEMEN:—Parliament having been dissolved and writs issued for a General Election, it becomes necessary for you to select a representative for this County for the House of Commons at Ottawa.

Having been requested by a large number of influential constituents to offer myself to do so, and if I have again the honor to represent you at Ottawa, I shall, in the past, vote for all measures that may be conducive to the welfare of the Dominion, stand up for the rights of this Province, and endeavor to obtain equal privileges for King's County.

Thanking you for the generous support you gave me on the last occasion, and asking the favor of your influence at the coming Election.

I am, gentlemen, Your obedient servant, &c. JAMES DONVILLE.

Jan 5 4w. To the Electors of the City and County of St. John.

GENTLEMEN:—Parliament having been dissolved, and you having been called upon to elect representatives for this City and County, I at the request of a large number of the Electors, have decided to be a candidate for your suffrages.

The dissensions lately made in Canadian politics, in my opinion, for a condemnation of the Administration then in power; and believing, as I do, that the present Government has been formed on principles which, if adhered to, must tend to elevate the moral tone of politics in the Dominion and advance its general interests, I shall, if elected, accord to them a liberal support.

Assuring you that, if elected, I shall devote myself earnestly to promoting the welfare of the Dominion in general, and particularly of this City and County, and respectfully soliciting your support.

I remain, gentlemen, Your obedient servant, &c. G. R. PUGSELEY.

St. John, Jan. 6th 1874. Jan 5 4w. 13 P.M. CO. OFF. call, at market rates. MASTERS & PATTERSON, 19 South Mark W. Wharf.

Second Edition.

The New Brunswick did not reach Eastport until about 2 o'clock this afternoon, owing to a storm, which prevailed to the westward. She is expected to arrive here at 7 p. m.

Off the Track. The engine of the down train from Petticoatville while shifting from the turntable, this morning, slipped and ran off the track, detaining the train half an hour.

Auction Sale—Buyers to a Law suit. The property in Masquash Cove, sold on Saturday by Hugh McGuirk, by order of E. McLeod, assignee of Hugh Morris, insolvent. Before the sale Philip Palmer, Esq., informed intending purchasers that Mr. McGuirk held a deed of the property, and was prepared to defend his title by a law suit. The property was, however, sold to Senator Dever for \$500. It is worth about \$12000.

A Large Raft Adrift. An immense raft of pitch pine timber, valued at about \$5,000 which was being towed to Ten Mile Creek, for John S. Parker, Esq., shipbuilder, by the tug boats St. John and Captain, was, off the Cape, owing to the roughness of the water, cast adrift by the tug; one of them attempted to follow it up but lost sight of it and was compelled to return. The steamer Albert, from Hillsboro, for this port, fell in with the raft yesterday and brought it safely into the harbor.

The Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Tilley will arrive here this evening from Fredericton.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Bible Society will be held to-morrow evening at the Hall of the Mechanics' Institute, at 7 o'clock. Among the speakers there will be the Lieutenant Governor, Rev. Dr. Waters, Rev. Messrs. Briggstock, Sprague, Dodd, and Hickson, and Thomas MacLellan, Esq. The singing will be by the St. John Music Union under direction of T. H. Hall, Esq. A most interesting meeting may be expected.

Portland Police Court. The Police Court took call after the excitement of the last few days, only two prisoners being called to answer charges.

George Curtis was charged with robbing policeman Woods in the discharge of his duty. The charge was not pressed, however, and he was let go.

Mary Ann Higgins was yesterday let out of the Alms House, and at once went and got drunk. In this state she went to the police station and was locked up for the night. She was sent to her old quarters in the Alms House this morning.

The Portland Civil Court opened this morning, but there were no cases for trial, and it at once adjourned.

City Police Court. Charles McCurdy was the smallest boy seen in the dock for a long time. When he stood up his head could not be seen over the rail, and he was obliged to stand on the bench. The charge against him was stealing \$25 from the house of James Gordon in Duke street. He acknowledges taking the money and says he gave it to a woman. His father is dead and his mother refused to go to the police court to look after her almost blind son. The Magistrate sent for her, and she requires the services of a juvenile offender to be present at her trial. His trial was adjourned until her arrival.

Paul Gordon was given in charge by Samuel McPherson for obtaining a call from his mother's house in Union Alley under false pretences. He admitted getting the call, and said he was drunk at the time and did not know what he had done. He was remanded to goal until Monday.

Francis O'Keefe was brought from goal and convicted of stealing a frikin of butter from the cellar of Patrick O'Keefe. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

A mistake yesterday sent Patrick Kelly to the penitentiary for resisting police officers within the last few days should have followed out, those of your friends who, like myself, and I think they are many, believe in the principle of non-resistance, as I have mentioned, and are desirous that you should run in the same principled position which it would, in my opinion, be desirable to avoid if possible.

This is what has induced me to trouble you at this length. Assuring you that I am as confident as ever that by united action you can be elected on the independent platform on which you stand.

I remain, Dear Sir, Yours very truly, G. R. PUGSELEY.

St. John, Jan. 7th, 1874.

MEN'S LONG BOOTS!

JUST RECEIVED: 70 Pairs Men's Fine French Calf Boots, BROAD SOLE, GEO. JACKSON, 32 King Street.

Popping Corn. 2 BLS. Popping Corn. For sale by E. L. P. PIDDINGTON

their friends to now support me. As a rule it is not well to notice the scribbles of correspondents who have not the courage to write over their own signatures, and who—generally from motives of self interest—rush into print with statements for which they cannot be made responsible.

Under the present circumstances, however, I feel it due to my friends to state publicly the course which I have pursued since the evidence in the Pacific Scandal was brought to light.

There is no one admires consistency more than myself, and no one who would more soon be guilty of a departure from it. From the first, sir, I have never disguised the fact that, both before and after, I was in their favor and believed they should and would be sustained by the people. When it was proposed to bring out opposition to the Minister of Customs, I stated, whenever opportunity offered, that I was opposed to anything of the kind and would vote for Mr. Burpee. Whoever states that I exerted myself to bring out opposition to the Government states what is wholly untrue.

Perhaps I can best explain my position by drawing the attention of the public to the following letter which I wrote to Mr. Skinner on the twenty-sixth of November 1st, when certain gentlemen were working to bring out opposition to Mr. Burpee.

St. John, Nov. 26th, 1873. C. N. Skinner, Esq.—My Dear Sir: It is commonly reported on the streets to-day that an effort is being made to bring out opposition to the City Council and to oppose Mr. Burpee for the County, it being the programme to bring out opposition to the City Council.

I cannot for a moment believe that you will agree to this election contest so far as I understand it, the Committee valued upon me to write you a letter to inform you of my position.

What are the facts of this election contest? I have been asked to write you a letter to inform you of my position.

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\$40,000 WORTH OF Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, FANCY GOODS, PLATED WARE, At 78 King Street.

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And continue until further notice, when the following goods will be disposed of:

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GOLD GUARDS, Colored and Bright, Long and short, set in Gold, Silver, and Plated Cases, with and without alarms.

COLAR, GILT AND SILVER, with and without alarms, in Gold, Silver, and Plated Cases, with and without alarms.

CHAINS, in Gold and Silver Plated, Long and short, set in Gold, Silver, and Plated Cases, with and without alarms.

SPONS AND FORKS, in Silver Plated, Nickel Silver, and Enamelled Cases, with and without alarms.

PRINCE OF WALES, in Silver Plated, Nickel Silver, and Enamelled Cases, with and without alarms.

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