

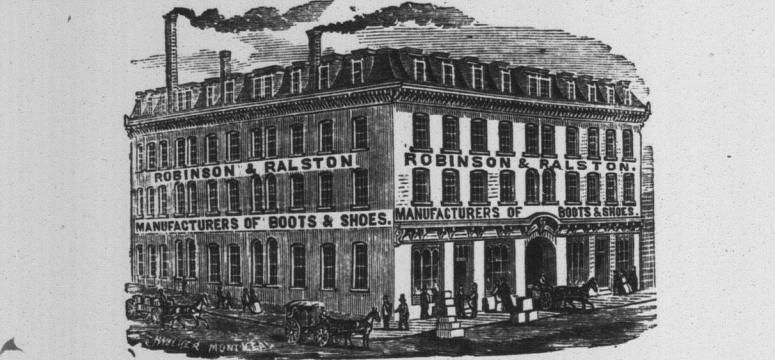
The Daily Tribune.

SAINT JOHN, N. B., MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1872.

No. 84.

VOL. I.

STEAM SHOE FACTORY.



THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE REMOVED THEIR MANUFACTORY, WAREROOM, &c., TO THE CORNER OF UNION AND CARMARTHEN STREETS.

Where they would solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore received by them.

ROBERT MARSHALL, GENERAL AGENT.

THE EVENING TRIBUNE.

Subscription price of THE DAILY TRIBUNE is \$5 per annum, in advance. Carriers will deliver early in the morning at the houses of City Subscribers, and Country Subscribers will be served by the first mails leaving after the hour of publication—say 4 P. M. Postage (except when the paper leaves the Dominion) must be paid at the office of the Subscribers.

That THE DAILY TRIBUNE may be placed within the reach of all who may desire to read it, it has been decided that, in addition to sales by the street News-boys, and on the Railroads, and delivery by Carriers, the paper shall be offered for sale at the following central points in and near St. John:—

- In St. John:—At the Book-stores of Messrs. T. H. Hall, W. K. Crawford, H. S. Beek, J. & A. McMillan, H. Chubb & Co., At Messrs. Hunter's, Dock street, North Wharf, At W. Hawker's Drug Store, Reed's Point, At J. D. McAvity's Grocery, Bustin's Corner, At James Adams' Grocery, Orange and Carmarthen, At Mr. Lorrimer's Grocery, corner Duke and Sydney, At Mrs. Bowen's Princess street, (above Carmarthen), At James Lennon's, corner St. James and Carmarthen, At Miss Campbell's Pitt street, near King, At John Smith's, corner Union and Coburg, At R. E. Piddington's Grocery, 44 St. John street, At John McArthur's, Charlotte street, At Geo. Williams's, Coburg street, At J. B. Fenwick's, Railway Station, At C. G. Mansell's, Brunsell street, At L. Curry's, Waterloo street, At E. G. Brown, Sons, Golden Ball corner, At John Morey's, Union street, At R. J. Patehill's, corner Britain and Sydney, At Mrs. Perkins', corner Carmarthen and Mecklenburg, Portland:—By Mr. Shields, druggist, Main street, Capt. Speight, Main street, W. G. Brown, P. M., Indian town, A. T. Matthews, Indian town, Charlottetown:—At the Agency of H. Fairbairn, —At C. F. Tilton's, Post Office.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE may also be obtained at the Stations of the E. & N. A. Railway. We have only space to add the names of a few of our country agents, such as Mr. A. Andrews, McLaughlin & Sons, Fredericton, Mr. W. Everett, Woodstock, Mr. W. P. Pittfield, Moncton, Mr. Ovid Chapman, Shediac, Mr. T. G. Burns, Ouchecos, A complete list, however, will be given in another issue.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.
A limited number of yearly contracts will be made on the basis of \$2 for one inch of space, several changes being allowed, say, \$30 Two inches, with changes, \$50 For a Card of 5 lines, 1 year, say, \$12

For Advertisements of Governments, Corporations, Railway and Steamboat Co's., and other public bodies,—for Theatres, Concerts, Lectures and other public entertainments, say first insertion, 80 cts Each subsequent do. 40 cts For ordinary mercantile transient advertising, say first insertion, 60 cts Each subsequent do. 30 cts For condensed advertisements, to occupy 5 lines, such as Wants, cards and every insertion, 25 cts. A few special agreements, having reference to position and extra space, will be made at paying rates.

Insolvent Act of 1869.
Canada.
In the County Court for the County of Saint John, In the matter of a deed of Insolvent, the undersigned has filed in the office of the Court a schedule of assets and liabilities, as required by the Act, and on MONDAY the 20th day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, he will apply to a Judge of the said Court for the confirmation of the charges hereby effected.

Dated at Saint John, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1872. SAMUEL McFILLER, Attorney at Law.

Manning's Classified Speller.
mar 23 Cor. King and Cornhill streets.

WASHINGTON CHRISTAL AND COPPERAS.
For sale by
GEO. S. DEFOREST,
100 King Street, No. 1

CODFISH, HERRING AND SHAD.—50 lbs. Shad; 150 qts. good CODFISH.
GEO. S. DEFOREST,
100 King Street, No. 1

Steam Brush Factory.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS REMOVED TO HIS NEW STEAM BRUSH FACTORY, CORNER OF Union and Carmarthen Streets,

where he has the largest premises, and the most complete machinery, of any Brush Manufacturing Establishment in the Dominion of Canada.

All the latest appliances for making Brushes have been imported from England and the United States, and with his present facilities he can supply the whole Trade of the Maritime Provinces fully 30 per cent. cheaper than can be imported.

The Stock now on hand and manufacturing, consists of full lines of the following kinds of BRUSHES:

- 3000 dozen Paint,
- 1000 dozen Varnish,
- 3000 dozen Whitewash,
- 300 dozen Wall,
- 400 dozen Sash,
- 2000 dozen Shoe,
- 1000 dozen Stove,
- 3000 dozen Scorb,
- 400 dozen Horse,
- 100 dozen Tar,
- 50 dozen Seam,
- 100 dozen Dust,

And nearly every description and style imported into this market can be furnished at short notice.

WHOLESALE ONLY
Office at the Factory.

JOHN MURPHY
English Corsets!
REDUCED.

WE have in Stock about 100 pairs of FIRST-CLASS WHITE English Gored Corsets.

Perfectly Clean and Fresh. Sizes from 20 to 29 inches.

On which we have made the following reductions:—

- Lot 1—30 pairs, original price 90c, and 10c now 80c.
- Lot 2—30 pairs, were \$1.25, now 75c.
- Lot 3—30 pairs, were 1.50, now 90c.
- Lot 4—30 pairs, were 1.80, now 1.10.

The above lots are now ready for inspection.

LANSDOWNE & MARTIN
(Successors to Magee Bros.)

Boots and Shoes.
THE Subscriber would advise the general public that he will be found in his NEW STORE,

No. 15 King Street, on THURSDAY morning next, the 22nd inst., and before closing the Store on Prince William street, would take the opportunity to tender his grateful thanks to his numerous patrons for their generous support since commencing business five years ago.

He has now a large stock of Boots and Shoes, and is enabled to supply the public with the most fashionable and durable goods at the lowest prices.

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Barbadoes Sugar.
7 HIDS. Bright Barbadoes Sugar—landed from Barbadoes, in 15 boxes, O.S. No. 1, 15 lbs. per cwt.

CHEAP RAISINS.
A SMALL LOT RAISINS (Lovers). For sale at one dollar and fifty cents per box.

VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS.

TAYLOR'S BROAD WINDSOR BEANS. BERT'S Six sorts, viz: Long Blood, Carter's, Swiss, Chard, Bicolor, Crosse, some of these have been imported from the Continent, and are of the best quality.

CABBAGE. River sorts: Early Schweitzer, Winesap, Iron, one of the best summary crops, an excellent for pickling; Kohlrabi, Champion Drumhead, one of the largest; Green Arrow, Early Harvest, Low Opener; Allington's Selection, White Bellona; New Zealand, one of the most useful varieties raised; all sorts new.

CARROT. Carter's Dwarf Mammoth, early, compact and hardy; Longhorn, a large variety; Walker's, Standholder, a large variety; Carter's Incomparable Dwarf Carrot, true to its name; White, from the South of France; Winter Queen, a fine variety; Prince's Garden. All of immense quality.

CUCUMBER. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large.

LETTUCE. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large.

SPINACH. New Zealand, Blood Potatoes, and other varieties from the U.S. Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large. (Other sorts from the U.S.) Very large.

NEW CLOVER. White Dutch, Sweet Marjoram, Sage broad leaf, Thyme, Parsley, Long Green Parsley, Rampion, and other varieties.

GLADIOLUS. Archduke, Salome, plain, with various colors; Grand Duke, with white variegated; Duke, with red and white variegated; Duke, with red and white variegated; Duke, with red and white variegated.

For description see our Catalogue. For description see our Catalogue. For description see our Catalogue.

FLOWER SEEDS.
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NOTMAN'S
Photographic Establishment,
15 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET,
IS NOW OPEN.

Special attention given to Enlarged Portraits of every description.

CHARLES McDONALD,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER

GROCERIES
AND
PROVISIONS.

No. 7 NORTH SIDE KING SQUARE.
All Goods delivered free of charge.

Wholesale Warehouse,
10 KING STREET.

2 BALES CAMP BLANKETING
3 Bales GREY BLANKETS
1 case RUBBER DO.
80 suits OIL CLOTHES.

T. R. JONES & CO.
Landing ex sh. 'Osco.'
100 BARRELS BAKERS' FLOUR, Oat

For sale by
S. J. GOLDING & CO.,
3 and 4 North Wharf.

1872 Fresh Seeds. 1872
WE have just received from London, per steamship Rotterdam, via Portland, containing 5000 lbs. of GARDEN SEEDS, including FLOWERS, FRUIT, and VEGETABLES, of the most superior quality, and at a large assortment than ever of Peas, Beans, Carrots, Turneps, Cabbages, Potatoes, Cauliflowers, Lettuce, Parsnips, Radishes, Spinach, Savoy, Tomatoes, Pumpkin, and other sorts, will be more fully advertised in the regular list of seeds and plants, and are ready for distribution on application.

For Seed Catalogue and prices, apply to the Proprietors, Messrs. J. B. BROWN & CO., 100 King Street, No. 1.

THE LEGISLATURE.

FRIDAY, March 30. The following Bills were introduced:—

Waddell's Bill to incorporate Industrial School of St. John, and a petition in favor of the Bill; and a Bill to incorporate St. Andrews Society Curling Club.

Stevenson's Bill to incorporate the N. B. and Canada Railway Company; and Napier's Bill to incorporate Napier and Flemming Railway Company; but as this last was only a little and no bill, it was withdrawn.

The House went into Committee on Wednesday's Bill to enable executors to issue on judgments obtained in the County of Common Pleas prior to the passage of County Court Act.

After some discussion, the Bill was agreed to. The Secretary laid before the House a report relating to the St. Stephen Bank, and a speech on our financial position.

In showing how certain matters might be made to get into a dispute with Kelly, who stated that the chairman of the Committee at present investigating the reports of the Chief Commissioner of Public Works and the Crown Lands report (namely, Gould) went into the Reporters' Gallery before that committee had got through with one evidence, and stated that the committee were ending damaging revelations, and Kelly further stated that the statements in the "Banner" and "Star" relating to this matter were false.

[Nothing incorrect has appeared in THE TRIBUNE on the subject.—Ed.]

City Nominations.
The following nominations have been filed at the Common Clerk's office:—

ALDERMEN.—Charles McLaughlin; nominated by John V. Thurgar, J. P. McGovern, Charles Veale, J. T. Robinson, James McManus, M. Pomare, Joseph Fairweather, Robt. J. Leonard, A. E. Kearns, and L. B. Boleston.

COUNCILLORS.—James L. Robinson, nominated by James Dever, Thomas Robinson, Robert S. Robinson, James L. Robinson, Joseph Fairweather and Jas. G. Row.

CLERKS.—John V. Thurgar, J. P. McGovern, Charles Veale, J. T. Robinson, James McManus, M. Pomare, Joseph Fairweather, Robt. J. Leonard, A. E. Kearns, and L. B. Boleston.

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BUSINESS NOTICE.
The Tribune Counting Room is in the southern hall of the Office of Mr. George Phillips, Broker, Prince William street. It is centrally situated, being near the City Hall, the Bank, News Room, Express Office, Chubb's Corner and the Ferry Landing. Advertisements for the Tribune should be left at the Counting Room before 11 A. M.

The Daily Tribune.

ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 1, 1872.

Clearing the Galleries.

On Saturday the Galleries of the Assembly were cleared, the spectators not being deemed sufficiently respectable (?) to witness the settlement of a personal difficulty arising out of a case of abusive language between several of the Leaders of factions in the House. In ordinary life when two ill-bred persons, representing nothing beyond their own selfish interests, get into a difficulty of this description, the matter is settled by the Police Magistrate, who fines the guilty party in the sum of a few dollars, and binds him over to keep the peace if he is regarded as a particularly troublesome fellow. In the Assembly they manage such affairs differently. Compared with ordinary Police Office characters, the members of our Legislature occupy a high, if not meritorious position in the use of abusive language. During last Session the talent was developed to an extraordinary extent. This Session it is cropping out again, and we presume that before the Session closes few shall witness scenes quite as disgraceful as any of last year. The mode of dealing with the principals, however, differs considerably from Police Office discipline. Thus, on Saturday, according to the Telegraph's report:

Gough replied that Kelly got 30 votes more than he because he had the patronage of the Board of Works at his back. He could promise one thing in one place and another thing in another, and since the corrupt administration of that department when Hatheway had charge of it, the people expected anything and everything from him.

There was great confusion and questions of order raised with loud talk between Kelly and Gough, and efforts on the part of the Speaker to keep Gough in order. Kelly at last said that he had never ceased a private individual out of \$10,000, and Gough asked him to explain what he meant.

Kelly will refer you to a certain lawsuit. Again there were cries of "order," and several members spoke, some siding one way and some another—our Government and Opposition.

Gough said if Kelly made such insinuations outside the House he would call him a liar, and Kelly said if he had not referred to himself and the House he would have referred in the same language when Gough said he had administered the affairs of his department corruptly.

There was a general melee and efforts were being made to secure order when the clock struck one, and the House separated for dinner.

In the afternoon there was another scene, to which the News' despatch alludes as follows:—
He criticized the Provincial Secretary's course, and said that that officer seemed to think that to be a successful politician it was necessary to be corrupt, and that to be clever he must be dishonest.

Hatheway got excited at this and moved the standing order, whereupon the Speaker was cleared, and it was requested that the words used be taken down. It turned out the words supplied to the Speaker were not taken down by the clerk, and did not tally with those used as above, and no apology was offered.

The doors were reopened after some wrangling and Gough resumed, urging arguments to justify economy.

The Telegraph's despatch thus reports the same incident:—
Here Gough read the Globe editorial in reference to Hatheway's speech. When he concluded the reading, Hatheway said: "I shall now hand you the Memorandum which Gough said Hatheway might consider his shameful bid for support for the Dominion Government's honor. It was the policy of a man who, to carry out his representations before the country, had to resort to corrupt and dishonest practices."

Here the Secretary moved the standing order, and the galleries were cleared. In secret session there was more abuse and explanations, of which I will speak again. It did not amount to anything, however, and the doors were opened and the debate resumed.

The galleries were cleared! There was no further settlement or apology? If the gentlemen had been common culprits they would have received Police Office justice; being uncommon sinners they merely do their duty, and their constituents out from their exhibitions, and peg away at each other. The Assembly is supposed to have a Speaker, and the Speaker is supposed to confine Debate within gentlemanly and proper limits; but the whole arrangement, of late, appears to be a fiction, and Debate is actually conducted without restraint or decency.

OUR BOSTON LETTER.

Contraband—The Forty Thieves—Appeal to a Higher Court—Steamboat vs. Railroad—Jubilee Items—Business notes.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

Boston, March 25th, 1872.

If we may believe the New York papers, which I beg to be excused from doing implicitly, our practical free traders, with industrial proclivities, have been doing a rather extensive business under the very noses of the Custom authorities. The plan of operations has been to import goods to New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and packing them in ordinary trunks, carry them across the river at St. Stephens to Calais, Me., where by some legitimate, not very clearly defined, other and similar trunks containing free goods were substituted for the contraband, for Custom House inspection, and the latter transported into the interior towns of New England and the Middle States. The alarming sacrifices of dry goods, silks, gloves, velvets, and other articles in these country towns, first led to the suspicion and subsequent detection of the smugglers' traffic over the border. It is claimed, I know not with what truth, that prominent merchants in Halifax, Saint John and Montreal are interested largely in this profitable business, and have realized handsome profits from the venture. Whether the revenue has been, as is said, defrauded of millions by the transaction, or not, the moral is obvious, not that we require more vigilant officers, or a greater number of Custom Houses on our long frontier, but that a reciprocity treaty, by making contraband trade unprofitable, will best present fraud on our revenue, and protect honest importers. It is probable that wise statesmen will at length take this view of the case, and by the true theory of "protection," benefit both ourselves and our neighbors.

The New York Times has also discovered, or pretended to discover, in your good city of St. John, a rendezvous of ex-Tammany officials, whom it describes as occupying a kind of Colonial Arcadia, at the Victoria Hotel. Generals, Colonels, and other dignitaries they be, who live luxuriously, arrayed in purple and fine linen, and leading sumptuous lives, on Tammany requisites. P. B. Sweeney, according to this authority, lately paid them a visit in their club room and bowed down before the bust of James Fisk, which the Forty "had set up."

Chaplain Landworth of our State Legislature, has had the pleasure of a brief notice during the past week, by reason of his introducing politics into his opening prayer, in an appeal to the Throne of Grace on the Woman's suffrage question. He expounded the Woman side of the question, and at the close of his petition was "routed to task by an opposition member, on the ground that the General Court held jurisdiction over the case at present, and that it was improper for the matter to be raised before decision had been rendered here. He will probably not combine poetry and politics in the future.

The snow blockade on the E. & N. A. R. R. has caused a good deal of annoyance to business men lately. According to the Portland Daily Press, the change of mails between Portland and St. John, by Postmaster General Crosswell, last autumn, from the steamer to the cars, "was not an expeditious arrangement, as the steamers arrive in St. John from three to seven hours in advance of the cars. It is in consequence of the fact that the steamer arrived in Portland on the 21st inst., with six days mail matter." And tells of a St. John merchant who sent orders by mail to Portland, which he duplicated on the steamer, and the merchandise was sent and received in St. John two days before the mailed order arrived in Portland.

All the railroad and steamboat lines running to and from St. John, have agreed to carry special societies for the Jubilee at half the usual rates of fare. In a conversation with the agent of the International Steamboat Company here, I learned that his line will probably carry passengers at excursion rates, during the same season, and if so, doubtless, your music-loving citizens will take advantage of the occasion to enjoy the great show.

Apropos of my remarks on smuggling goods, I have been informed that a smuggling scheme at Eastport, Me., which has been in successful operation for thirteen years. The contraband goods were *laid* sounds and *cod* fish, the former used in the manufacture of linings, and only employed by three firms in the whole country. It was a few months ago since a Boston firm was found guilty of the same offense, and fined three hundred dollars, \$100,000 for it. The importation was exclusively from the Province, whence cometh many a good thing, not all contraband either. It is, perhaps, useless to point out the fact that smuggling is crime, but it may be well to appeal to the fine consciences of the criminal by means of their pockets, and show them that, if the profits are large, the risk is correspondingly heavy.

It is comparatively brisk in the Shoe and Leather trade. Money is rather tight in the Banks and elsewhere, but still a little easier than a week ago. Real Estate is very active and so far profitable, the increasing size of Boston helping the business. Erie stock, so long the distressed of common speculators, begins to look bright again, under the promise of a new life, by the expulsion of the Jay Gould faction, and the inauguration of a new regime. So long ago as 1859, general John Brougham said or sung, "Hard his lot who deals in Erie, 'tis a fluctuating stock."

Let us hope that its long suffering shareholders, both native and foreign, will at last come into their own. The four and grain trade is very quiet, though prices rule high and holders are firm. The receipts are very small, even for this season of the year. Extra shipping bonds are held at \$7.25 to \$7.50, but orders from the Province are scarce. Cornmeal is firm at \$3.50 to \$3.55, rather the latter than the former, with small sales.

Butter, small receipts, Vermont and New York, quotes at 30c to 35c. Common and poorer qualities all the way from 15c to 25c.

It will not pay expenses to send St. John or other Provincial Buses to this market. Those who have tried the experiment will not question my statement. Eastern Eggs and Provincial, if any were in the market, would bring about 25c per doz. Market are worth, for Jackson whitties, 25c per bush. As the first boat of the I. S. S. line will run to this city on Tuesday they will probably soon to a limited importation of your produce. I regret that there has been no favorable change of our tariff as yet to interest your shippers.

J. J. R.

Lobbying at Washington.

[From the Toronto Globe.]

Our neighbors are probably entitled to the questionable credit of having brought the science of lobbying to the highest stage of development. Washington is, of course, the headquarters of the chief operators, and the halls of Congress the scene of their operations. The art of the lobbyist is a science, and the science of the lobbyist is an art. It is a science, because it is a system of organized effort, and an art, because it is a system of organized effort.

There's a canker in the social breast: Not in the constitution; And the sooner remedial measures are adopted the better it will be for the national character. The plan to remodel the civil service upon that of England is a step in the right direction; but much more should be done, and it was well of the House to have a great deal of the lobby ing evil may be traced to the

EXERCISES PROTECTIVE SYSTEM which has prevailed in the United States for several years. To obtain its enormous special benefits, wealthy and grasping capitalists, and unscrupulous politicians, have not hesitated to employ every means of bribery, and sometimes without due regard to the rights of the citizen. An incident of the other day proves the correctness of the allegation. One of the steamship subsidies for which Mr. Roscoe's lobby ing was under discussion, and General Morgan, an ardent supporter of it, was the subject of a public attack by the press, in order that the American flag might be able to contend the supremacy of the Pacific with the Red Cross of St. George.

It is not surprising that the lobby ing has become a great evil in the United States. It is a system of organized effort, and the science of the lobbyist is an art. It is a science, because it is a system of organized effort, and an art, because it is a system of organized effort.

LOCALS.

English Papers. We are again indebted to Mr. W. W. Jordan and Mr. H. T. A. Scott for late English papers.

The Petition asking Parliament to pass the Act to incorporate the new Bank has been generally signed by leading merchants, traders, and manufacturers, and now lies in the New York office, where parties favorable can call and affix their signatures.

The Express arrived from Annapolis on Sunday morning with passengers and mails. The railway was open to Annapolis on Saturday.

The steamer New Brunswick, which had a large number of passengers this morning, some of whom, for Calais and St. Stephen, thought they would take that route, not knowing what effect the storm of yesterday would have in delaying their English papers.

Our informant was in error in stating that W. K. Reynolds, Esq., presided at a political meeting at Leppaux called at Mr. Kerr. Mr. Reynolds was not present on the occasion.

The Legislative Ball. Nine hundred and eighty invitations were out on last Thursday night for the Ball at Fredericton, and more were still being issued. At the last Speaker's Ball over eleven hundred invitations were issued, and only four hundred attended. Many of the country members are favoring the wives and daughters of their constituents in distant parts with invitations, which, as a matter of course, will not reach them till the Ball is over. But to seek a good word from the ladies for the future.

Gatherings and Amusements this Evening. An entertainment consisting of select readings, by John Boyd, Esq., will be given this evening in the Lecture room of the Calvin Church, corner of Wellington Row and Carlton Street. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Sabbath School.

Don't fail to visit the Northern Star Minstrels, at the Institute this evening. Their bill is a good one, and the performers numerous.

The Carleton Quadrille Assembly will close their series of entertainments by a Grand Ball, to be held in the City Hall, on Friday, the 27th inst. A good time is anticipated.

Snow Slides are the order of the day. General dignities is expressed with the state of the weather, so different from what was anticipated. Several individuals were unfortunately enough to throw themselves in the way of the slides this morning and got themselves thoroughly drenched for their trouble. One gentleman met with three mishaps of this description, the last one knocking him down but inflicting no injury. One heavy fall on Prince William street started the horse of C. E. Burnham, Esq., which was standing near the Eastern Express Office. He was speedily captured. Another horse with a sled attached was started on the Market Square; he was stopped before he got any distance.

The "City of St. John" has left her winter quarters, and is now lying at Head's Pier Wharf. She has been thoroughly overhauled and painted and made ready for resuming work on her Windsor and Western routes.

The Portland Elections. The following are the returns of the votes in Portland. The three highest in each ward are elected.

WARD NO. 1.	WARD NO. 2.	WARD NO. 3.	WARD NO. 4.
Stephen E. Stevens 215	Thomas Hilyard 169	Samuel T. Strang 149	Wm. M. Jarvis 94
Henry A. Austin 181	James Wilcox 160	James G. Jordan 132	Geo. E. Snider 86
Arthur N. Shaw 148	Charles Nettie 159	James Harris 117	Edwin Fisher 75
Shadrach Holley 133	Henry Miller 131	Michael O'Mahoney 88	I. Allen Jack 46
		James M. Connell 82	W. M. Jarvis 49
		Thos. McElroy 22	Fred. S. Dougherty 23

The Sheffield Street Robbery. Jacob Shelley, of Pennsylvania, and James McCallum, of Richmond, who have been sejourning at one of our principal hotels for a few days, went out yesterday afternoon for a walk, and it is supposed to escape the driving storm of sleet and sleet, took refuge in a street—namely, Sheffield Street. They didn't know the name of the house, but met two girls, one dark, the other fair, and pretty good looking too, as they usually are. They had some pleasant conversation with the ladies, and some of the money from McCallum. After spending a couple of hours there they returned home, and McCallum fell asleep, overcome by the liquor which, he said, had been brought by his companion. On waking up he missed a hundred dollars, or, as he said, may be a little more, or a little less, and went off to two policemen whom he brought and his friend submitted to a search—Shelley denied taking the money, and as an evidence that he had lost of the fifty year, he drew from an inside pocket a wallet which was tightly packed with gold pieces of all denominations and contained several hundred dollars. McCallum declared himself satisfied of his friend's innocence and left. Shelley threatened to exterminate the Richmond man if he ever crossed his path on the American continent, for the indignity of having him searched. They both left on the American boat this morning, and were last seen conferring together in a most amicable manner.

Purchase of the Wiggins Property. S. T. King Esq., of Calais, who purchased the King Esq. two years ago, but whose residence has been in Calais, has disposed of his fine properties there and will make St. John his permanent residence. The Wiggins property on German St., purchased by him on Saturday, cost \$13,000, including about a thousand dollars worth of gas fixtures, chandeliers, mirrors, etc. The house is a wooden one, and has deep eaves, a two story brick addition in the rear, as well as a brick stable. Mr. King intends pulling down the stable and moving it to the front of the lot facing the street; the rear portion of the stable will be turned into a grass plot for a play ground for the younger members of the family. Mr. King contemplates making other extensive improvements on the property.

The "Magdala." "Magdala," 215 tons, Capt. Upham, which arrived at this port on the 30th ult., reports:—On the 26th Feb., four days after leaving Dartmouth, Gen. met with a heavy gale from the North, which was tipped up to the 20th, when the vessel was hoisted to the 3rd March met with another heavy gale from N. W. and drove her to St. John, continued until the following night at 12 o'clock when the weather moderated and sail was made. At 12 p. m. on the 5th met with another gale from N. W. with squalls of snow. On the 6th the weather having moderated sail was again made, but on the 7th the gale increased, blowing a hurricane compelling them to heave to and cut away the topgallant masts. The deck load was shifted and drifting about the deck to the imminent danger of the men. On the 8th the topgallant masts were cut away, and the vessel was able to strike the Captain and inflicted a severe cut on the right eye. From the 7th up to the time of their reaching this port, they met with a succession of gales, the vessel being so lashed up as to be completely unmanageable. The sufferings of the crew are beyond description. One of the men was frost bitten. Had the "Magdala" not been a staunch vessel she never could have reached this port. She is owned by A. L. Palmer, Esq., of this City. The "M." has 42 days making the passage; she is loaded with pitch pine.

New Firm. By referring to the advertising columns of THE TRIBUNE it will be seen that Mr. W. H. Farnham has this day taken Mr. W. H. Smith into partnership. Both gentlemen have had large experience and are well known in the city—having each been nine years in the employ of Messrs. John Armstrong & Co. Mr. Smith has also been some time with Messrs. Barnes, Anderson & Kerr. They are obliging, affable and deserving young men, and we hope they will be liberally supported. Through the snow blockade the improvements they intended making have been retarded; everything is ready to begin work, but the plate glass has not yet arrived—it is in Halifax.

Award of Ten Pounds Sterling is offered to Recruiting Officers, Sergeants, and others, for information that will lead to the discovery of a missing young man, height 6.2, dark eyes, hair, and had moustache; considerable knowledge of military engineering. Implored to return, to his parents' home, Portland, U. S., and Canada papers, please copy.—Mr. Rowe's, Green Dragon, Bishopsgate without (London) S. Write to near Charing Cross; any money for lead will be sent.

Social Gathering. In the Rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, when the usual number of interesting readings will be given. The public are cordially invited. Admission free.

THE LEGISLATURE BY TELEGRAPH.

[Special Telegram to the Daily Tribune.]

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

FREDERICTON, April 1. Wedderburn submitted the report of the committee to whom was referred the different laws, introducing a Bill relating to the following Bills:—Bills relating to Woodstock, Sanbury, Queen's and Northumberland. The Bill was read a second time. The committee also reported favorably on the following Bills:—Bill relating to Dower; relating to administration of justice in equity, and a Bill in further amendment of the law.

Wicks introduced a Bill to amend the act relating to the imposition of a tax on unimproved granted lands and to provide a fund for opening roads in parishes where such lands are situated. The House in committee agreed to the following Bills:—Bills relating to Woodstock, Sanbury, Queen's and Northumberland; relating to paying damages assessed for lands taken for highways.—Bill to extend the time of issuing executions on judgments obtained in any Court of Record in the Province;—Bill to divide the Parish of Grand Falls in Victoria County.

The Speaker called the attention of the House to the fact that it was a breach of privilege for members of select committees to make public any part of their proceedings before they made their report to the House. Willis rose to move his resolution calling for information relating to the number of Schools in each County throughout the Province, etc., when the Attorney General informed him that Government would put information before the House without an address. The Superintendent is very busy or the matter would have been attended to before.

The House is now debating whether Gough's resolution is an amendment to the order of the day or not. It is a breach of Confidence motion. If it is not he is opposed to it at the present time. Hatheway will regard it as a vote of Want of Confidence.

Expensive Party. A portion of the press has commented with more severity than reason, we think, upon the recent slow movements of trains. To one having any idea of the difficulties encountered and the untiring exertions made, often by night as well as day, by the officers and employes on the roads, the wonder is that the task was not relinquished long ago. We imagine the expenses incurred on the lines this side of St. John, on account of the storms, in breakages, labor, etc., must be as much as \$12,000.—Amherst Gazette.

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Merchants' Exchange. The following despatches were received at the Exchange to-day:—New York Flour Market quiet. Superfine State and Western \$6.25 to \$6.60. Pork dull, \$12.75 to \$13.57 new. Grain freights nominal. Montreal Flour Market more active. Western State and Welland Canal Superfine, \$5.70 to \$5.80. No Gold despatch received at 1 p. m. Postpaid.

When you have a bad cough, which if left to its own course can only end in pulmonary irritation and destruction of the lungs, use Dr. Cunningham's Cough Cure. It will cure any curable cough. Sold by all Druggists.

DR. HOLLOWAY'S COMPOUND Wild Cherry Bitters, AN EXCELLENT TONIC. PRICE THIRTY CENTS. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL AT HANINGTON BROS APOTHECARIES, FOSTER'S CORNER, ST. JOHN, N. B.

MARRIED. On the evening of the 23rd inst., at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Archibald Macleod, Esq., of this City, by the Rev. J. D. Murray, Mr. James Morrison, of Richmond, to Miss Flora A. South daughter of Donald Macleod, Esq., of Boston.

DIED. On Thursday, the 28th inst., CORA WASSON, daughter of Andrew and Margaret Wasson, aged 3 years and 5 months. On Sunday, 31st March, after a short illness Mr. HUGH McDEVITT, in the 63rd year of his age. Funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 50 Leinster street, Friday, at half-past two o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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From Ottawa.

(Special to the Tribune.)

OTAWA, April 1st. A great snow storm with high wind raged yesterday and last night. The Railways are blocked up; and it is still snowing. Much snow at Montreal. Pope has also gone East. Schults has returned to Fort Garry. Gilbert McMillen is gazetted Commissioner of Police for Manitoba. The inter-colonial commissioners met again on Thursday. The Printers strike in Toronto continues.

The first number of a joint stock paper called the "Mail" was issued on Saturday; capital \$250,000; politics independent. The paper is the same size as the Toronto Globe. Girls are employed in several papers learning typesetting. The last Manitoba news reports great excitement among the Half Breeds respecting the timber duties imposed by the Dominion Government agents. The delay in the issue of grants is also complained of. A meeting was held by those interested at St. Norbert on Sunday, and resolutions passed setting forth that the rights and privileges promised them are interfered with and expressing a strong determination to allow no further intrusion in denuding their lands of timber. The Governor and the Governor General are to be memorialized.

British and Foreign. [By Telegraph to Associated Press.] LONDON, March 31. Prince Frederick William leaves Berlin to-night for Baden to visit Queen Victoria. Her Majesty rides out daily and has made several excursions in the environs of Baden. The Assembly has taken a recess until April 23rd. Thiers made a hopeful speech before the adjournment. New York, April 1st. At two o'clock this morning Professor Morse was sinking fast. Balto arrived yesterday; brought second news of Carl Granville. The blockade runner Virginia is reported to have escaped from Aspinwall for Key West. A tornado Friday evening in St. Louis demolished a part of the brick market, injuring a dozen, some seriously. The New Orleans reservoir gave way yesterday afternoon, half the water running out and many houses being flooded; damage \$50,000. Latest intelligence from the California earthquake on Tuesday states that 30 were killed and 100 wounded. The ground cracked for a great distance; the rivers turned backward, and a large area was violently affected. It was the severest since 1819.

MANCHESTER.

ROBERTSON & ALLISON'S EUREKA SHIRTS (FORD'S PATENT). LONDON MADE. Size 13 to 17 inch. SHIRTS OF ALL KINDS MADE TO ORDER. No. 2 Market Square.

People's Laundry. THE ABOVE LAUNDRY is now open, and the subscribers are invited to patronize it. WASH AND IRON CLOTHES. All descriptions of neat notions, and in a style that cannot be surpassed. For Price List and further information apply at the Office, 28 Chalmers Street, Montreal, N. B. CALKIN BROTHERS. SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. PORT OF SAINT JOHN. ARRIVED. SUNDAY, March 31st—Ship Neptune, 600, Leary, from Boston. SUNDAY, April 1st—Ship Ida May, 123, Dicks, from Boston. SUNDAY, April 1st—Ship Ida May, 123, Dicks, from Boston. SUNDAY, April 1st—Ship Ida May, 123, Dicks, from Boston.

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