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Is desirous of calling the attention of the Public to a large and varied stock of Goods received from the United Kingdom, "Nawn" and "Spoon" consisting in part of

FRENCH MERINOS, COBURGS, BLANKETS, OTTONS, in white & unbleached, very cheap. Braces, Soutages, Clouds, Garibaldi, Maria Stewart Hoods and Opera Mantles, COTTON FLANNELS, OSNABURGS

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A large and varied stock of BOOTS and SHOES, in childrens, youths, Boys, Mens, Misses and Ladies—warranted manufacturers.

Would call special attention to his white Warps which are made from the very best Southern foot ton and warranted sound, well made and good. Also the St. John Warps, Parks' make, prepared for the Loam.

If you want good value for your money, come to the ALETON HOUSE.

JOHN S. MAGEE.

2,000 Gallons ALBERTINE OIL,

Just received from the manufactory at Saint John and will be sold wholesale or retail at the lowest rates, by the Subscriber. Please enquire for yourselves, before purchasing elsewhere. JOHN BALSON, Kennedy's Arcade, Water St. St. Andrews, Aug. 29, 1867.

Sugar & Molasses.

Ex "Loyalist" from Barbadoes via St. John, 17 lbs. Choice Barbadoes Sugar, 18 lbs. do do Molasses. J. W. MAGEE, June 27, 1866.

1867. Almanacks 1867.

McMILLAN'S New Brunswick Almanack and Register for 1867, can be obtained singly at ten cents, or by the dozen at a retail from J. LOCHARY & SON. A supply of the old Farmers Almanack always on hand. St. Andrews Nov. 30, 1866.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership lately existing between James Moran and James A. Moran, of St. George, in the County of Charlotte, under the firm of James Moran & Son was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said James A. Moran, who is authorized to settle all debts due to and owing by the said firm.

JAMES MORAN, JAMES A. MORAN. St. George, September 16, 1865.

Rub. Rubber. Rubbers.

AT THE Albion House. JOHN S. MAGEE, Has received an assortment of Childrens, Misses, Ladies, Gent's, Rubber Overshoes.

Also, Ladies Rubber Balmoral Boots, a nice article for the present season, which with a pair of Childrens and Ladies Boots, SKELETON SKIRTS, and the balance of stock of WINTER DRY GOODS, He will sell CHEAP for Current Money American Bills taken at the usual discount.

MORE NEW GOODS.

JUST RECEIVED and now open for sale at the very lowest prices: Hats, Bonnets, Feathers, and Ribbons, SHAWLS, MANTILLAS, AND FANCY DRESS GOODS Grey and White Cottons, Shirting, Stripes, and Regattas Pinks, silicas, and COULET CLOTHS Crashes; Towelling & Table Linens, Shirt-fronts, Collars, and Fancy Neck Ties, Boots and Shoes. Balance of Summer Stock daily expected per Steamer "Europa" and when received will be sold at a very small advance on cost.

D. BRADLEY.

FOR SALE.

Hosiery, Gloves, and Worked Col-Over Garments for Boys & Girls Boys Jackets, Sacks, Pants, Waists, &c. &c. Each pattern can be used with ease. JAS. McKINNEY, June 23.

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Poetry.

AULD LANG SYNE.

DONE IN DARTAN.

The following jeu d'esprit was written by the minister of a small rural parish, near Perth, with reference to the Highland belief in the antiquity of the Gaelic language:—

Should Gaelic speech be e'er forgot,
An' never brocht to min',
For shell be spoke in Paradise
In the days o' auld lang syne.

When Eve all fresh in beauty's charms,
First met fond Adam's view,
The first words that he'll spoke till her,
Was "Cumar aghum dhù."

And Adam in his garden fair,
Whenever the day did close,
The dish that he'll to supper teak
Was always Athole brose.

When Adam from his leafy bower,
Came out at break o' day,
He'll always for his morning teak
A quach o' usqueache.

An' when w' Eve he'll had a crack,
He'll tent his smoochin' horn,
An' on the tap ye'll weel nitch mark
A pery lawr cairngorm.

The smoochin' snail is fine, my friend,
The smoochin' snail is grand;
We'll tak it hearty smoochin' my friend's
An' put his hand to hand.

When man first found the want o' claes,
The wind and cauld to fleg,
He twisted round about his waist
The Tartan phibeg.

He musn't first on earth be heard
In brackie accents deep;
When dhal in fawster squeezed
The brackie o' a sheep.

The bray bagpipes is grand, my friend,
The bray bagpipes is fine;
We'll tak it hearty phibroch yet,
For the days o' auld lang syne.

Miscellany.

An Evening at a Lecturo.

It is very curious to study an expectant audience. Some sit resignedly upon their seats, comfortable as the reverse, as the case may be; thinking of nothing, or thinking of something, just as it happens, in a sort of amiable chert; the end-stupor, oblivion of the slow-dragging moment. Others pull out watches for frequent consultation, shuffle feet, and take an affectionate and mournful and fond look at a furtive cipher, which can be of no possible present use. Others with an envious forethought draw from the depths of coat pockets the daily papers, and studiously apply themselves to the contents, to the manifest envy of that improvident class who are obliged to fall back upon the unsatisfactory employment of twirling their faggy thumbs. As for the ladies, bless 'em! they are never at a loss. Are there no gloves to pull off, to show a diamond ring to advantage, and glistening brooches to settle, and the last finishing polish to put upon hair, already groomed to the satin smoothness of a respectable hair sofa? This duty done, the first bonnet within range passes under the inspection of an inexorable martinet, viz.: "Did she make it herself?" or, "Is it the approved work of a milliner?" "Does her hair curl naturally?" or, "Does she curl it?" "Is her collar real lace?" or, "Only imitation?" These professional detective-queries, so amusing to the general female mind, while away the time edifyingly, especially when there is a variety of heads within eye-range for minute inspection.

FANNY FERN.

A DEADLY DEATH.—A young French musician of much promise, named Benoit Denis, met with a terrible death near Vera Cruz last December. He had been performing at a country house of a wealthy American merchant residing near Vera Cruz, quitted the heated concert room to refresh himself in the pleasure grounds and enjoy the cool evening air. Feeling thirsty, he took up an alcazar which he happened to see near a fountain, filled it with fresh water, and put it to his lips—Frightful screams instantly attracted the company to the spot. Denis was lying the earth, his hair on an end, his features livid, the body and tail of a monster scorpion protruding from his gaping mouth. The reptile whose bite is more venomous than that of a scorpion, had taken shelter from the heat in the cool porcelain bicker. As Benoit approached the vice to his lips the scorpion had sprung at his open throat. In vain was the reptile's

body cut away. Once its fangs close on their prey it is impossible to tear them open. A surgeon who chanced to be among the guests proceeded to cut them out of the flesh, piece by piece; but by the time the operation was over the poison had produced its fatal results, and after three hours of agonizing convulsions the unfortunate young artist expired.

A Conductor Caught.

'Halloo, Limpy, the cars will start in a minute; hurry up, or we shall leave you behind!'

The cars were waiting at a station of one of our Western railroads. The baggage master was busy with checks. The men were hurrying to and fro with chests and valises, packages and trunks—men, women and children were rushing for the cars and hastily securing their seats, while the locomotive, snorted and puffed and blowed.

A man curiously dressed was standing on the platform of the depot. He was looking around him, and seemingly paid little attention to what was passing. It was easy to see that he was lame. At a hasty glance one might easily have supposed that he was neither a man of wealth nor influence. The conductor of the train gave him a contemptuous look, and slapping him familiarly on the shoulder called out—

'Halloo, Limpy, better get aboard, or the cars will leave you behind!'

'Time enough, I reckon,' replied the individual addressed, and he retained his seemingly listless position.

The last trunk was tumbled into the baggage car. 'All aboard!' cried the conductor. 'Go on Limpy!' said he, as he passed the lame, curiously dressed man.

The lame man made no reply. Just as the train was slowly moving away the lame man stepped on to the platform of the last car, and walking in quietly, took a seat.

The train had moved on a few miles, when the conductor appeared at the door of the car where our friend was sitting. Passing along, he soon discovered the stranger whom he had seen at the station.

'Hand out your money here,' 'I don't pay,' replied the lame man, very quietly. 'Don't pay?'

'No, sir.' 'We'll see about that. I shall put you out at the next station.' And he seized the valise which was on the rack over the head of our friend.

'Better not be too rough, young man,' returned the stranger.

The conductor released the carpet-bag for a moment; and seeing he could do no more then he soon passed on to collect the fare from the other passengers. As he stopped at a seat a few paces off, a gentleman who had heard the conversation just mentioned looked up at the conductor, and asked him:

'Do you know to whom you were speaking just now?'

'No, sir.' 'That was Peter Warburton, the President of the road.'

'Are you sure of that, sir?' replied the conductor, trying to conceal his agitation.

'I know him.' The color rose a little in the young man's face, but with a strong effort he controlled himself, and went on collecting his fare as usual.

Meanwhile, Mr. Warburton sat quietly in his seat—none of those near him could unravel the expression of his face, nor could tell what would be the next movement in the scene.

And he—of what thought he? He had been rudely treated; he had been unkindly taunted with the infirmity which had come, perhaps, through no fault of his. He could revenge himself as he chose. He could tell the directors the simple truth, and the young man would be deprived of his place at once.

Should he do it? And yet, why should he care. He knew how he had risen by his own exertions to the position he now held. When a little orange pedlar, he stood by the street crossings, he had many a rebuff. He had outlived those days of hard-hip; he was respected now. Should he care for a stranger's roughness or taunts.

Those who sat near him waited curiously to see the end.

Presently the conductor came back. With a steady energy he walked up to Mr. Warburton's side. He took his book from his pocket, the bank bills, the tickets which he had collected, and laid them in Mr. Warburton's hand.

'I resign my place, sir,' he said. The President looked over the accounts for a moment, then motioning him to the vacant seat at his side, said:

'Sit down, sir, I would like to talk with you.' As the young man sat down, the President turned to him a face in which there was no angry feeling, and spoke to him in an undertone.

'My friend, I have no revengeful feelings to gratify in this matter; but you have been very

imprudent. Your manner had it been thus to a stranger, would have been very injurious to the interests of the company. I might tell them of this, but I will not. By doing so, I should throw you out of your situation, and you might find it difficult to find another. But in future, remember to be polite to all you meet. You cannot judge a man by the coat he wears, and even the poorest should be treated with civility. Take your book, sir, I shall tell no one of what has passed. If you change your course, nothing that has happened shall injure you. Your situation is still continued Good-morning, sir.'

The train of cars swept on, as many a train has done before; but within it a lesson had been given and learned, and the purport of the lesson ran somewhat thus—'Don't judge from appearance.'

A Father-in-Law in Spite of Himself.

The London correspondent of the New Orleans Delta writes the following to that newspaper:

A good sell is related of a wealthy banker here, who is very good natured, but inclined to be a trifle fast in his views of life. He had a favorite clerk, a young man about twenty one and a remarkably handsome, modest and intellectual.

For these qualities he was liked by every one, and the banker did not escape the general feeling of good will. He was poor as his salary, and had no connections to push him after fortunes, and so, like most English clerks, he would rise to one hundred and twenty pounds a year, and marry, when he gets two hundred a year, henceforth to vegetate and find that the additional ten pounds a year only kept pace with the additional babies in the household.

The banker on Sunday afternoons, when no one was expected, would occasionally ask the young man to visit his family at the suburban villa; as the conversation of the young man was so correct and clever, it could be of advantage to his children. This was a mistake, evidently, but it was a good-natured error, and we can only wish, all of us, that more were committed. I have not mentioned that there was a beautiful daughter of nineteen, but that may always be understood in an English family that has known wedded life long enough. But there were, of course, no attentions on the part of the young man other than the most delicate, reserved and proper.

This will most always be the case with English youth, as Americans well know. The youth in spite of two or three days' invitation to the banker's country seat, to breathe fresh air and clear his lungs of London smoke, was evidently very ill, although he declared himself well and robust, the banker shook his head.

I cannot make out what is the matter with my young clerk, said the banker to a conferee who was in his office with him, after the youth had just brought in some papers.

'Well you are green, I should say, for a man of your life time and experience, said banker number two. "Don't you see what's the matter? he's in love!"

'In love! bah! It is modesty and propriety itself.'

I tell you it's a fact, and with a rich old fellow's daughter who would no more think of having him for a son-in-law than you would of yourself.

Oh, the haughty old fool! my clerk is as good as his daughter, and he hangs to him. Thank you for the hint.

As soon as banker number two had gone, the clerk was called in.

So, sir, you are in love, and pining away for the object of your affections—that's the secret is it? why did you not tell me before, sir?

The youth was silent.

Well, my boy, I pity you, but will give you a word of advice. If the daughter is fair she is worth making a risk for. There are £500 and two months leave of absence. Run away with the girl. Bah, don't look so stupid, I did the same before you, and it didn't hurt me.

The clerk fell on his marrow bones and was on the point of making a clean breast of it when the old man arose and left precipitately to avoid the scene. The young man considered and acted, and the result was the next day there was no daughter at the dinner table of the banker at the country house. The house was in consternation, and a search was made for her in all directions. A note, however, was found on her dressing table, conveying the customary prayer of forgiveness and another from the clerk, stating that believing the banker had meant to give him a hint in regard to his daughter, and was not able to give his place consent owing to appearances, he had acted on the suggestion, and ere his father-in-law had received the letter he would be his son in law. The pill was a bitter one, and the joke a terrible one against him; so it was hushed up and has only got to the ears of the purveyors of scandal and to your correspondent, who records it as a trait of London life.

We understand that Mr. Harry Gove, son of Dr. S. T. Gove of St. Andrews, has received the degree of M. D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York, having passed a very satisfactory examination. We understand it his Dr. Harry Gove's intention to practice in connection with his father at St. Andrews; under such auspices, it is believed he will secure a large share of public confidence and professional practice.—[Telegraph.]

MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS, FREDERICTON, 20th March, 1867.

Commissions signed by his Excellency the Commander in Chief:— First Battalion Charlotte County Militia. Ensign R. M. Jack to be Lieut. 20th Mar. '67. Elmer Shiner, Gent. to be Ensign, 20th do. Edwd. B. Chandler, Gent. do. 21st do. John Breen, Jun. Gent. do. 22d do. James Simpson, Gent. do. 23rd do.

By Command. G. J. MAUNSELL, Lt. Col. Adj. Gen. of Militia.

Lonely People.

Men who isolate themselves from society, and have no near and dear family ties, are the most uncomfortable of human beings. Byron says, "Happiness was born a twin," but the phrase, though pretty and poetic, does not go far enough. We are gregarious, and not intended to march through life either in double or in single file. In pining time, i. e., during the honeymoon, individuals of opposite sexes may find it very pleasant, not to say delightful, to walk apart from the unsentimental world, two and two. But as a general thing they are ready enough to rush back into the crowd when the billing and cooing season is over. Let us now have a group of friends, and a life-long *à la carte* in the wilderness, and Sappho would have jumped into the sea to escape *crash*, had she been compelled to matrimonial solitude with the man for lack of whose love she made "a dump body" of herself.

It has been well said that the vital principle grows weak when isolated. The man who cares for nobody, and for whom nobody cares, has nothing to live for that will pay for the trouble of keeping soul and body together. You must have a heap of others to make a glowing fire. Scatter them apart, and they become dim and cold. So to have a brisk, vigorous life, you must have a group of lives, to keep each other warm as it were, to afford to each other mutual encouragement and confidence and support. If you wish to live the life of a man, and not that of a *fungus*, be social, be brotherly, be charitable, be sympathetic, and labor earnestly for the good of your kind.

MEETING OF COURTS.

The Courts of Common Pleas and General Sessions of the Peace, will be held at the Court House on Tuesday the 9th of April next.

At which time and place all Magistrates, Coroners, and Constables of said County and all persons required to be at these Courts are hereby publicly notified to give their attendance.

A. T. PAUL, Sheriff of Charlotte. St. Andrews, March 20, 1867.

PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the Estate of Alexander Grant, late of the Parish of Saint Andrews, in the County of Charlotte, deceased.

WHEREAS George D. Street and Charles W. Warshaw, Esquires, Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said Alexander Grant, deceased, have this day filed their Account with the said Court, and have prayed that the Creditors and next of Kin of the deceased, and all persons interested in the said Estate, may appear and attend the passing and allowance of the said account.

Notice thereof is therefore hereby given, to all the Creditors and next of Kin of the said deceased, and to all persons interested in the said Estate, and they are hereby cited to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at the Office of the Registrar of Probates in Saint Andrews, in the said County of Charlotte, on Wednesday the seventeenth day of April next, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowance of the Account of the said Administrator.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Court, this thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1867.

R. R. STEVENSON, J. W. CHANDLER, Registrar of Probates. Judge of Probates. for the County of Charlotte. pro hac vice.

Choice Fish.

A few Bundles 20 lbs. each Bundle, choice Pollock Fish, for family use, are offered for sale by the subscriber, at One dollar and twenty five cents per bundle.

JOHN S. MAGEE, Albion House.

NOTICE.

It has been ordered by His Excellency the Administrator of the Government in Council, that on and after the first day of May next, at the Fees, Perquisites, and other Revenues, (except the Commission allowed on Postage Stamps) derived at any of the Post Offices in this Province, in connection with the duties thereof, shall be collected by the officer in charge, and accounted for as belonging to the general Revenues of the Post Office, to the Head of the Department.

JOHN MILLAN, Postmaster General. Post Office Department, Fredericton, N. B., 6th March, 1867.

To the Court of General Sessions in and for Charlotte County.

The Petition of the Parish of Hamble sheweth,

That Petitioner is a Householder, residing in the Parish of Hamble, in said County, and is desirous of obtaining a Licence to keep a TAVERN at (here specify the place and building) in said Parish. That Petitioner is a person of orderly and sober habits, and has the means of comfortably entertaining travellers, and is prepared in all respects to comply with the Laws of this Province, and the Regulations of this Honorable Court, relating to the Sale of Spirituous Liquors and the keeping of Taverns.

And as in duty bound will ever pray. Dated [Paris] [signed] A. B. the day of A. D. 1867.

The above petition is to be accompanied with the following recommendation signed by not less than two freeholders, viz:—

The Subscribers, resident freeholders in the Parish aforesaid, certify that we know the above named petitioner, that we believe the statements by him above subscribed, and recommend that the prayer of his petition be complied with.

The foregoing is the form of petition to be signed by applicants for Tavern Licenses at ensuing Sessions, which petition is to be in Court on or before Thursday of the first week of the Court.

Blank forms of petition may be had at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace.

GEO. S. GRIMMER, Clerk of Peace. St. Andrews, March 8, 1867. Courier 6 weeks

TO BE PUBLISHED.

OF 96 PAGES EACH (PERIOD 12 NOS. ALTOGETHER) IN A WORK ENTITLED "Political Notes and Observations;" A GLANCE AT THE LEADING MEASURES THAT HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED AND DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

NEW BRUNSWICK, Under the Administration of Sir W. M. G. Colebrook, Sir E. W. Heath, Hon. J. H. T. Munro, Sir J. W. H. Gordon, and Hon. A. H. Gordon, extending over a period of twenty-five years.

BY G. E. FENETY, (QUEEN'S PRINTER).

The first Number will be issued on the 1st May, and sold at the Bookstores and Agencies at 25 cents.

By addressing the Advertiser, any time before the month of May, enclosing 25 cents in postage stamps, the Book will be sent to any one free of postage.

The postage on all letters to the Advertiser must be prepaid, or they cannot be taken out of the Office.

Agencies will be established in different parts of the Province. Further particulars in reference to the manner in which the work will be continued, etc., etc., will be explained in the advertisement that will appear in the first Number.

S. R. MILLER, Queen Street, Fredericton, Mar 13 41.

FISH FISH.

THE Subscriber has received on consignment, a lot of Barrels and half barrels Pickled HERRINGS, Fry COD and POLLOCK. Also a supply of Smoked Herrings.

Jan. 30. C. F. CLINCH. (Acadian 4)

FOR SALE.

THE Corporation of St. Paul's Church Grand Manan, will offer for sale at Public Auction, at the Church Gate, on Wednesday, the 15th day of May next, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon, and 3 o'clock P. M.

Half an Acre of Land more or less, situated at Grand Harbour on the West side of the Creek near the Public Landing, and being a part of the Globe Land granted said Corporation.

Terms and further particulars at sale, apply to GEO. T. CARRV, Reor. COCHRAN CRAIG, Church PHILIP NEWTON, Wardens Grand Manan, Feb. 1, 1867.—Su Feb 13

TELEGRAPHIC.

LONDON, March 21.
Consols advanced quarter, closing at 91 1/4 for money. U. S. 20's, 7 1/4.
Toronto, C. W., 21st March.
At parade of Queen's Own last evening an order was issued directing men to have two (2) days rations cooked and provisions constantly on hand.

Gold 134 1/2.

Paris, March 22d.
The iron-clad "Mantouville" and other vessels of the American fleet are still at Port Mahon, Island of Minorca, Balearic Islands.
It is announced that the Emperor Napoleon favors a Confederation of the Governments of France, Belgium and Switzerland against Prussia.
5-20's 7 1/4 1/2; Consols 91.
Gold (N. Y.) 134 1/2.

Montreal, March 22.
Advices from a source which may be relied upon state that the British Government only waits the completion of its defensive preparations in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Canada, in order to adopt a force towards the United States Government which will compel it to put down Fenianism or take the understood consequences.

Hon. Mr. McCallan, Commissioner of Public Works, arrived at Ottawa yesterday.
Two car loads of U. S. troops have arrived at St. Albans, in which vicinity Fenians' arms are again said to have been deposited. [Telegraph to Telegraph.]

New York, March 23.
At about 8 o'clock this morning an employee of the Winter Garden Theatre having some occasion to open the stage trap door, discovered the curtains underneath to be on fire. The alarm was immediately given, but before the engines could reach the scene of the conflagration the flames had communicated to the upper portion of the building, and in fifteen minutes from the first discovery of the fire the Theatre was reduced to smoldering mass of charred ruins.
The fire involves a loss of about \$300,000. All the property of the Theatre including the magnificent wardrobe of Edwin Booth were consumed.

Gold 134 1/2.

Berlin March 23.
King William has succeeded in effecting an offensive and defensive Treaty with the Kingdom of Wurttemberg. It is understood that one of the features of the Treaty is, that in times of war Prussia is to command the consolidated armies of both countries.

LONDON, March 24.
The Government has published the correspondence between the English and French Cabinets, in regard to the illegal extradition of the French fugitive Lamirault, and the subsequent demand by England for his surrender.

New York, March 25.
Gold 134 1/2.

LONDON, March 25.
Consols 91 1/4. Five Twenties 73 1/4.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "We regret to say we have reason to believe that some of the recent overtures of Sir Frederic Bruce in behalf of his government in the matter of arbitration in the Alabama claims have not been received in a conciliatory spirit by Mr. Seward. We do not understand that the offer of the British representative has been directly refused, but that at two interviews the subject has been evaded."

New York, March 25.
Gold 134 1/2.

THE CONFEDERATION BILL PASSED.

By English papers, received by us yesterday, by the Canada mail, and which are of later date than any received at the News Room, or elsewhere in the city, so far as we can learn, we find that the Confederation Bill passed in Committee on Monday the 4th inst., the same day when the Ministerial explanations as to the resignation of members of the Cabinet were given in the Upper House, and when political excitement was at a high pitch in the House of Commons. Mr. Aytoun (not Aytoun, it appears) was about to press his motion for a debate on the guarantee clause, but Mr. Gladstone dissuaded him from doing so, requesting him to reserve his opposition for the Guarantee Bill. Mr. Aytoun consented. A brief discussion then took place, some clauses, the nature of which is not stated—they were probably of a formal character, relating to the perfection of the Bill in a legal point of view—were added, and the Bill passed in a Committee of the whole House. The Bill would then be immediately engrossed, and shortly afterwards be reported to the House and pass as a matter of form. The amendments would be doubtful at once concurred in by the House of Lords, in which House there was no opposition. As the cable has not put us into possession of the fact that the Bill passed in Committee, and as the Delegates from British North America have recently been rather sparing of telegrams, which it would have been very satisfactory to us to have received, it is not unlikely that the Guarantee Bill may ere this have also passed both Houses. We should like much to be enabled to announce the facts on the authority of telegrams received before we go to press. [Morning Journal.]

FRANKLIN RICHMOND ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—In New York, on the 18th., during the passage of the procession of the Irish societies, a truckman, in endeavoring to remove his team from the route, according to orders from the police, was deemed too slow in his motions by the members of one of the societies, who made a serious attack upon him. The police endeavored to protect the truckman, when a serious riot took place, large masses of the Irish attacking the police. All sorts of weapons were used, including bludgeons, clubs, swords, pistols, muskets, etc., and a number of the police seriously injured. The efficiency of the police, aided by the efforts of the principal leaders of the procession, finally quelled the disturbance.

THE FENIANS.

A large body of men said to be composed of Fenians, drills regularly at Burlington Vt. They are all armed. At St. Albans and other places on the American border, men of unmistakable Fenian aspect appear and disappear in a suspicious manner. One can hardly think that these men will be mad enough to attempt a second raid upon Canada; but when it is considered that the United States contain so many idle and reckless adventurers, ready to risk a hand in any game that may present itself, and that this Fenian force is a most popular thing, another raid on Canada, and even our own inoffensive Province, does not appear so improbable. It would seem that both the American and Canadian Governments anticipate something of the sort; for we see it announced that a body of U. S. troops has been hurriedly despatched over the Hudson River Railroad to Oswego, and that some of the regular forces stationed in Canada have been moved towards the frontier. We presume the authorities have high information as justifies the precautions, and it may be the unusual silence of the Fenians now is only in evidence of their greater earnestness and prudence.

The amount of state tax assessed in Maine the present year is \$201,32. This tax in addition to the poll tax of one cent, is a tax of five and one-fourth mills on the dollar of the present valuation for the current disbursements of the treasury and of three fourths of a mill on the dollar of the valuation established as a basis for the sinking fund created by the act of January 1865. This, however, does not cover all the appropriations. The Bangor "Whig and Courier" says that the entire appropriations amount to \$1,500,573,666.

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN AND CONFEDERATION. A telegram from Montreal to the Quebec Chronicle contains the following:—

"At Her Majesty's great levee, the Hon. Messrs. Cartier, J. A. Macdonald, Galt, Tupper and Tilley, had the honor to be presented privately, and to converse with Her Majesty." Our Halifax exchanges in their summaries of Dr. Tupper's speech, refer to a similar fact. We quote:—

"In conclusion he remarked that in obedience to a Royal command, before the delegates left England, he attended at Buckingham Palace, and there had the declaration from Her Majesty that she was strongly in favor of the Confederation scheme, and congratulated the colonies upon the results which had attended the labors of the delegates. Her Majesty on that occasion observed that she manifested a deep interest in the welfare of the British American Colonies."

The Standard.

ST. ANDREWS, MARCH 27, 1867.

The friends of Confederation and British connection were gratified to learn that the Confederation Bill had triumphantly passed in Parliament, and ere this has no doubt received Her Majesty's assent. In the Legislature of Nova Scotia too, the House by an overwhelming vote have sustained the action of the Delegates with reference to Confederation. In that Province, the great question met with the most bitter opposition from the Antis, who however appear to be a determined but small opposition. They sent Messrs. Howe and Annand to England in the vain hope of preventing the Bill being passed, if not defeated; but those gentlemen, although every opportunity was afforded them to promulgate their opinions, and a portion of the Press employed to disseminate their views, failed, miserably failed, and have just returned to the Province, to meet a similar fate in the Legislature.

The delegates it appears from well informed sources were to leave England on the 16th, so that the Hon. Messrs. Tilley, Wilnot, and Johnson may be in Halifax ere this—Hon. Messrs. Mitchell and Fisher will remain until the guarantee bill shall have passed. From telegraph reports it appears that the Legislature of Vancouver Island is knocking at the door of Union, for admission into the Confederacy; and so it will be, with P. E. Island and Newfoundland ere long. The fact is, the Antis will follow their leaders into Confederation, or leave the Dominion for a more congenial clime.

MAN KILLED.—We regret that a fatal accident, occurred on the Railway on Thursday last. A young man named Thomas Gillespie, of Spear Settlement, Carleton Co., was lying across the track at the curve near Mountain road, it is reported, in a state of intoxication; the down train heavily loaded was on its way to St. Andrews, when the driver discovered the man on entering the curve, the whistle was blown, and the breaks put down, and indeed every effort used to arouse the man; it was impossible to stop the train in time, and we are sorry to state that it passed over his body, killing him instantly, and mutilating him in a shocking manner. We are warranted in stating, that no blame whatever

can be attached to the Driver, Conductor or any of the employees; they did all that men could do, to save the unfortunate man's life, but without avail. An Inquest was held on the body, but we have not heard the verdict.

The Steamship China, arrived at Halifax on Monday night. It is probable that the Hon. Mr. Tilley and the other delegates will be in St. John on Thursday.

MILITARY FUNERAL.—One of those solemn and impressive processions—a military funeral, was witnessed here yesterday. Gunner Wm. Wiley, of Capt. Osburn's Battery, who, during the Fenian excitement twelve months ago, was constantly on duty, contracted a cold which settled on his lungs, and resulted in that fatal disease consumption; the poor fellow lingered through the fall and winter, and such was his zeal for the service, that he constantly attended drill. Within a fortnight he was with his brothers-in-arms; but last week was confined to his room, and expired on Sunday. Notwithstanding the heavy rain yesterday, the Battery turned out, and Capt. Stevenson's Company of Volunteers, with a large number of citizens, in order to pay the last tribute of respect to their fellow soldier, and citizen. The remains were placed on a gun carriage covered with the national flag, and drawn by a pair of black horses. The escort was formed by the Battery with reversed arms, the files playing the dead march; the remains were interred in the Episcopal burying ground, and after the impressive service by the Rector, a firing party composed of the men of the Battery, performed the last sad duty of the fallen companion. The Battery looked well in their new uniforms, and executed their duties in a manner that would have been creditable to more experienced men. Gunner Wiley is the second Volunteer in this County who has sacrificed his life in protection of his country.

A fire took place on Friday last, about 11 o'clock, at Indian Point near the Railway Depot, in a carpenter's shop, owned by Mr. John Smith. The Engines and populace were early at the place, but the old building was destroyed.

The death of Dr. Livingston, the African traveller is confirmed, by the British Consul at Zanzibar.

Demorest's Monthly Magazine is one of the best publications published in the States.—The tales are well written and the whole "make up" is such as to afford instruction, amusement, and profit to its readers. The illustrations are executed with artistic taste.—Price \$3 U. S. currency.—See adv.

TORONTO, March 18.—A Fenian spy was arrested at the Suspension Bridge on Saturday, having been followed from this city by detectives. Plans of this city with the locations of banks and municipal buildings, a map of the frontier, &c., were found upon him. He was brought to this city this morning. It is expected there will be important developments at his trial.

An English paper says "a good editor and competent newspaper-conductor is, like a general or poet, born not made. Exercise and experience give facilities, but the qualification is not manifested. On the London daily papers all the great historians, novelists, poets, essayists, and the writers of travels have been tried the late editor of the London Times, and many of the men to write for me, but very seldom one man of common sense." Nearly all successful editors are of this description. A good editor seldom writes much for his paper, he reads, judges, selects, dictates, alters, combines; and to do all this well, he has but little time for composition. To write for a paper is one thing, to edit, another."

We understand that the wife of Mr. John Grass, Waterville, had a cancerous tumor, weighing three pounds, cut from her left side on Sunday last by Dr. Wolhaupter, assisted by Drs. Smith and Connell. Mrs. Grass is doing well as could be expected after so serious and painful an operation, and has every prospect of a speedy recovery. [Sentinel.]

A young man named McQuarry, belonging to South Richmond, was killed by the falling of a tree, some where in the upper part of York County, near Eel River, on Friday last. [Id.]

The Montreal Minerve says that as soon as Confederation is established, it appears certain that Government will give the country a network of telegraphic wires running in all directions, and that as this will not be a speculation, Government will be satisfied if expenses are paid. The tariff will probably be reduced to a cent a word or less.

Lieut. Col. Sir H. Havelock, son of the distinguished East Indian General, has been appointed Assistant Quartermaster General in Canada, succeeding Col. Wolseley, whose term of service has expired.

Young —, son of her Majesty's printer, who had the patent for printing Bibles in Scotland, went to an assembly in Edinburgh in a bright green suit, turned up with gold lace. This gay attire attracted universal attention,

and some asked Lady Weyms who he was? "It is young Bible," replied her ladyship, "bound in calf and gilt, but not tethered."

"Pray Miss Sophia, what are you making?" said Dr. —, to a young lady who was at work upon a garment of a certain description. "A Saphy covering, Doctor," was the reply.

Mrs. Martha Towle, wife of Horatio Towle, of Oak Bay, St. David's, has within, the last six months, (in addition to household duties) woven over three-quarters of a mile of twilled cloth of the usual width of homespun, in an old styled loom; 300 yards belonged to one person, 1325 yards in the whole. [Christian Visitor.]

A woman confined in the Fredericton jail for drunkenness on the night of Saturday, the 16th inst., was found dead in her cell on the following morning.

The Telegraph says that two barns with a superior horse, a pair of oxen, 4 cows, and two year old heifers, belonging to Capt. David Stiles, Hopewell Hill, A. C., were destroyed by fire on Sunday night.

DR. LIVINGSTON.—The Portland Press published an extract from a letter to the Boston Transcript from Mr. W. Winwood Reade, the distinguished African traveller, suggesting that the rumor of Dr. Livingston's death requires confirmation. He thinks that no credit should be given to the rumor until it is confirmed by H. B. M. Consul at Zanzibar.

SAD ACCIDENT.—Mr. Chas McDonald had his feet badly injured in the Messrs. Hall's mill of the Union last Tuesday that it was found necessary to amputate it near the elbow. The amputation was effected by Dr. Thompson.

It is said that a portion of raw onion, eaten before retiring to rest, will insure refreshing sleep to persons suffering with lungs overburdened with irritating matter.

Henry Ward Beecher insists that the only "call," a man needs for the Christian ministry, is "to want to preach and to be able to do it successfully." And, we might add, as in Mr. Beecher's case, get paid for it.

Paris has about seven hundred new-papers devoted to local news and gossip, and the correspondent of the Springfield Republican says a sheet that would not live three days in New York is considered acceptable there.

Married.

On the 25th inst., at the Wesleyan Parsonage, St. Andrews, by the Rev. Robt. Wilson, Mr. John H. Kyle, to Clara, second daughter of Capt. B. Bradford, all of this Town.

At Hobeac, on the 7th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Miller, Mr. Robert Kerr, to Miss Mary Jane Herbinson, all of the above place.

Deaths.

On the 22d inst., William Garney, formerly corporal in H. M. 32nd Regt., aged 85 years. The deceased served in the British Army from 1793 to 1814, and was under Sir Ralph Abercromby in Egypt, and the Duke of Wellington throughout the Peninsular war. His medal bears the names of Pyrenees, Salamanca, Vimeira and Rocla. He was wounded in consequence of which he was discharged, and came to this place in 1831 where he has since resided until his death.

On the 24th inst., William Wiley, aged 22 years. Suddenly on the night of the 15th inst., at Penfield, Charlotte County, Mr. Ebenezer Poole, aged 80 years.

At Penfield, 4th March, of Diphtheria, Aggie Trot, aged 4 years and 2 months, only child of William T. and Mary E. Trot, of La Grange, Maine.

At his residence, Fredericton, on Sunday 17th inst., after an illness of ten days, a bilious fever, Rev. Ezekiel McLeod, Editor and Proprietor of the "Religious Intelligencer," in the 55th year of his age, leaving a widow and nine children to mourn their loss.

At "Rose Hall," Fredericton, on Sunday night last, Katherine Elizabeth, eldest daughter of G. E. Fenety, Esq., aged 16 years and 6 months.

At Fredericton, on the 17th inst., at his residence in King Street, Mr. John Reilly, in the 89th year of his age. He came to this country a Sergeant of the 74th, 1818, and was discharged in this City. In every relation of life, his course has been honest, faithful and just.

Ship News.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

ARRIVED.
March 14, Schr. William, Cook, Calais, 50 tons plaster.

19 Only Son, Peacock, Eastport, Herring, Hanson Bros.

20 Daisy, Carson, Portsmouth, Ballast, master.

21 Emeline, Fuller, Red Beach, Meal, master.

Rechab, Mowatt, Eastport, Express Co. goods.

CLEARED.

March 13, Schr. R. P. Leonard, Haley, Boston, 2850 sleepers, R. Ross.

16 Mary Ellen, Waycott, Boston, 3100 sleepers, J. W. Street.

"Princess, Mahoney, Calais, deals, scantling, Kelly & Co.

18 Laron, Bradford, Boston, 3100 sleepers R. Ross.

Rechab, Mowatt, Eastport, Express.

20 Albert, Thomas, Boston, 72 tons Hay, Hanson Bros. 2900 sleepers R. Ross.

23 Daisy, Carson, Portsmouth, 2100 sleepers R. Ross.

25 Esther, Maloney, Boston, 146,000 Clap boards, A. Watson & Co.

NOTICE.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 26th Feb. 1867.
IT is ordered in Council, That any person who has procured Land under the Labor Act, (or his Assigns) before the 1st day of January, 1861, but has not yet resided and improved as prescribed by the Regulations, may apply to have the Sale cancelled and the Lot advertised for sale by Public Auction, subject to the payment of the value of existing improvements; and if such person or his assigns, be the purchaser, fifty per cent. of the labor returned will be credited on the purchase.
It is further ordered, that all Sales before 1st January, 1861, to persons under the Labor Act, and not yet granted, shall be cancelled on the 1st day of November, 1868, and the Lots then become vacant, unless such persons do previously perform the necessary conditions of payment, improvement, and residence, or avail themselves of the privilege above offered.

The equitable interest of the parties (or their assigns) who may have made improvements or performed labor on any of the Lots to be sold or forfeited, will in all cases be fully protected against subsequent purchasers; but in no case shall such persons having made improvements on the Lands, or performed labor in part or in whole for such Lands, have any claim thereon upon the Government of this Province.

CHARLES CONNELL, Sur. Gen.

Mar 27—3m

Lots for Sale.

The Subscriber offers for sale Five Lots in the Block formerly belonging to the Madras School, fronting on Sophia and Parr streets. The lots are in excellent condition, and well located for building. For particulars apply at the Standard Office, or to

C. A. KENNEDY.

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Demorest's Monthly and Young America, together, \$4, with the premiums for each.

Goods remaining on hand, and for sale low by the Undersigned.

March 27, 1867.

- 20 Bbls Refined Crushed Sugar,
- 8 Hags Rio C. Coffee,
- 2 Cases Nutmegs,
- 1 Bag Cloves,
- 1 Cst Pimento,
- 1 Chest Cassia,
- 10 Kgs 1 cwt. Carbonate of Soda,
- 3 Bbls Rice,
- 3 Hbds & Bbls Barbadoes Sugar,
- 14 Hbds Macassar Molasses,
- 20 Chests London Congou Tea,
- 5 Half "
- 12 " " American Souchong,
- 8 " " Oolong,
- 12 Boxes Canada blue Starch,
- 15 Cwt Braundram Broe—No 1 London White Paint,
- 75 Kgs do Yellow, black & green paints,
- 4 Hbds boiled & raw Linseed Oil,
- 1 Cwt best Putty,
- 50 Boxes St. Helena crown Window Glass, assorted sizes,
- 10 Hbds
- 8 Qr casks
- 2 Pipes
- 3 Hbds
- 21 Qr. casks
- 12 Hbds
- 12 Qr casks
- 70 Cases "Vine Growers Co's." Brandy,
- 10 do "Hennessey" do,
- 14 do Scotch Malt Whiskey,
- 10 Baskets "Cordon Royal" Champagne,
- 9 Cases 4 doz. "Guinness & Co's." Extra Stout,
- 40 Bbls 4 doz. London Porter, qts & pints,
- 14 do " " London Pale Ale.

J. W. STREET.

Alcohol & Petroleum Oil.

Ex "Harriet" from Boston.

10 Puncchecks Alcohol, 95 p. ct proof,

10 Bbls. Refined Petroleum Oil

March 26. J. W. STREET.

MEETING OF COURTS.

The Courts of Common Pleas and General Sessions of the Peace, will be held at the Court House on Tuesday the 9th of April next, at 10 o'clock. At which time and place all Magistrates, Coroners, and Constables of said County and all persons required to be at these Courts are hereby publicly notified to give their attendance.

A. T. PAUL, Sheriff of Charlotte.

St. Andrews, March 20, 1867.

Choice Fish.

A few Bundles 50lbs each Bundle, choice Pollock Fish, for family use, are offered for sale by the subscriber, at One dollar and twenty five cents per bundle.

JOHN S. MAGEE, Albion House.

New Brunswick & Canada.

On and after this date Train draws for Richmond every Monday and Friday at 9 a. m., and St. Monday every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9 a. m., and St. Monday every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9 a. m., until further notice.

Return train will leave Richmond for St. A. Monday and Saturday or St. Stephens every Monday at 9.30 a. m., until further notice.

D. J. SEELY, Water street VANWORT, Woodstock.

HEN St. Andrews, March 5, 1867.

Cases Brought.

100 Cases Pale and Brown Received. Feb. 5, 1867.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE business heretofore conducted by the undersigned, under the name of "Mealy & S." is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and by the late and settled by Mr. Charles Mealy, the business on his own account.

St. George, Feb. 27, 1867.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Estate of EDWARD ANDREWS, deceased, are requested to attend within some duly attested within those indebted to said Estate, to make immediate payment.

Z. CHILPIN, St. Andrews, Feb. 26, 1867.

Not.

ALL parties having any claims against the estate of CHARLOTTE, are requested to attend within some duly attested within those indebted to said Estate, to make immediate payment.

St. Andrews, Feb. 20, 1867.

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Feb. 19, 1867.

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