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SEEKING.

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Over the wild flowers, strange and sweet,
I tread, with swift, unheeding feet.

Into the forest, vague and far,
Where the mingled shadows and sunlight are.

From a land where chilling breezes blow,
A land firm locked by ice and snow.

I reach, at last, this land of sun,
Seeking for rest, but finding none.

The wind is stirring the stately pines,
Through the spaces between the warm sun shines.

The birds are flitting from bough to bough,
The woods are in all their beauty now.

But what is the balm of air or sky
To the restless thought of such as I?

Wind of the South, blow soft and low,
And tell me if, by the river's flow,

By the orange groves, by land or sea,
The sweet gift of life may be brought to me.

Sun of the South, shine warm and kind,
Give to me healing of heart and mind!

Vain is the cry, and vain the thought;
Not in such ways are blessings sought.

It is God that wounds, it is God that cures;
There is no pain the soul endures,

That lies beyond His power to heal;
To Him I pray, in woe and weal.

From pitiless, powerless, wind and sun,
I turn to Him, the Mighty One.

For strength to do, for patience to bear,
For faith to be led—I know not where.

Florida, Feb., 1874.

NOTES AND NEWS.

UNITED STATES.

There are six young ladies in Washington that haven't been called the reigning belles of the season. Shame!

Illinois has abolished solitary imprisonment. Convicts there are too numerous to be so exclusive.

A Maine husband wanted to bet his wife that she could whip a panther, but she saw the joke and refused to try.

A Cincinnati lawyer has found out that every marriage in Ohio for the last fifty-one years is illegal. He is out of business.

"Came to his death while being hit on the head with a long handled stewpan in the hands of his wife," was the verdict in a recent case in Illinois.

It was stated in Congress that within fifteen years, at the present rate of cutting, the land in the United States now yielding trees for heavy timber would be entirely stripped.

A Floridian heard the other day, for the first time, the story of David and Goliah, and became so enthusiastic that he swung his hat and called out, "Bully for the fellow with the sling."

A promising young lawyer in Nebraska named Moore was discovered riding a horse belonging to a farmer. A mob surrounded him, and whipped him, extorting a confession, and then hung him to a tree. After life was extinct, a hole was cut in the ice, and his body was put underdeath.

John Thompson, a private of the 2nd Massachusetts Regiment who lost a leg at Ball's Bluff, and has been unsuccessful in obtaining work in New York, was found in the snow reduced to a skeleton a few nights since and taken to the hospital, where he has since died from the long lack of food. The body weighed sixty pounds.

A Rome letter says the Pope is again in excellent health and spirits. He takes open air exercise in fine weather, in the Vatican gardens; in rainy weather he walks through the long Loggias and Stanzas of Raphael. The library halls of the Vatican are also favorite daily resorts of the Pope. Every day he spends an hour or two there in conversation with the learned clergy and his councillors.

GENERAL.

The Persians say of noisy, unreasonable talk: "I hear the sound of the millstone, but I see no meal."

A singular instance of skepticism is recorded in the case of a man who said the Bible was "too good to be true."

The majority in the Newfoundland Parliament for the Government is but one, consisting of the Speaker's vote.

The workingmen of England have £60,000,000 in the savings banks established there for the working classes.

A jeweller labelled some diamonds in his window as being as sparkling as the tears of a young widow and more lasting.

The Lowell *Courier* says the United States imported 318,000 hogsheads of molasses in 1873, for its buckwheat cakes and rum.

One who wishes the world to know what he knows about farming, says that the best way to raise strawberries is with a spoon.

Disturbances are threatened along the Haytian coast, and the Government has despatched a war steamer to restore order.

Now they want to know if one of the the Siamese twins had been convicted of murder in the first degree, what would have been done about it.

Leigh Hunt was asked by a lady if he would not venture on an orange. "Madame," he replied, "I should be happy to do so, but I am afraid I should tumble off."

Attorney-General Schalch of Jamaica has died of yellow fever. W. A. G. Young has been appointed Administrator of the Government, and J.C. McGlashan Acting Colonial Secretary.

The duel which was about to take place between M. Gambetta and the Bonapartist Deputy, M. Haentjens was found to be unnecessary, the latter having explained, through his seconds, that when he exclaimed in the Assembly "You engendered indiscipline," he meant that Gambetta had done it involuntarily. M. Gambetta, who at the time gave him the lie direct, consented to accept this explanation.

The managers of the institution for the Blind of Halifax have received eight volumes, containing the whole Bible in raised characters, intended for the use of the blind, donated to them by the American Bible Society.

Mr. Stewart Tupper, the talented son of the ex-Minister of Customs, last week passed his intermediate examination in law at Osgood hall. Mr. Tupper, while here, was a student of the much lamented Mr. John Bower Lewis, Q C. He is now in the office of Messrs. Harrison, Osler, and Moss; and from private accounts received from the Queen City we are rejoiced to hear, as we are sure his many warmly attached friends here and in Nova Scotia will be also, that his career at the Bar promises to be a most brilliant and successful one.—*Ottawa Free Press.*

A few days since the fact was noticed that a colored male infant had been left on the door-step of the house of a man named Allison, living on Albro street. The mother of the child proves to be a colored woman, a widow named Margaret Bruce. She was arrested and says that Allison is the father of the foundling, and that was the reason that she left it at his door. She was sent to the poor house to nurse the child until she can make the affidavit as to its paternity that will oblige its father to support it.—*Halifax Recorder.*

The death of David Frederic Strauss, at the age of 64, deprives the extreme German free-thinkers of their most redoubtable and persistent defender. Strauss has for more than thirty years stood in the position of the champion of ultra materialism pure and simple, as antagonistic to the faiths and dogmas of every section of Christendom. Renan was regarded, when his "Life of Jesus" appeared, as the most outspoken of modern French philosophical sceptics: but in his controversy with Strauss he was, compared with that adversary, almost an exponent of traditional orthodoxy. The world has just been able to read, in Strauss's "Old Faith and the New," the ultimate limits to which the scepticism of the German philosophers of the last century can be carried, by a mind full of learning, subtlety, and a courage which the most terrible conclusions do not dismay. What others of his own school have shrunk from admitting, that their theories result in materialism as the only theology, he asserted in this book with a bluntness and a repetition which are dreary and dismal enough. Strauss boldly discarded everything that did not admit of recognition and experience by the use of the senses. His God was Nature, and man as its most perfect product. Beyond these all was to him as nothing. He was not only a writer on theology, however, but a historian of note, and one of the most vehement and thoroughly national of German politicians. His life was a stormy one, but it seems as if he loved the conflicts of intellect, and rejoiced in the friction of antagonisms, in which his uncommon endowments could not fail to assert their superiority over most of the opposition with which they came into collision.

Kingsley on the Political Situation.

The Rev. Chas. Kingsley, the poet, novelist and historian, now in New York, has been asked his opinion on the dissolution of Parliament and the political outlook in England, and replied: The dissolution of Parliament was not unexpected, and it is not particularly significant. It indicates no reaction from liberal ideas, and it is better for Mr. Gladstone to retire now, when his prestige and his influence is at the highest, than to remain and risk a possible fall in the future. The Liberal cause is so firmly established that it cannot fall.

England is essentially a Whig country, that is, in the great middle class and shopkeeping class, which is the great power. Even the Conservatives of England are Liberal at heart, and, on the other hand, the Liberals are Conservative at heart. In other words, there are no essential differences of faith in the real opinions of the vast body of Englishmen. I remember a case where two gentlemen, both good friends of mine, were the opposing candidates for a seat in Parliament. One styled himself a Liberal Conservative and the other a Conservative Liberal, and that, really, is about all the difference that there is between the parties in England. In this case it is a fact that the Liberal Conservative's address to the electors was the more Liberal, and the Conservative Liberal's was the more Conservative of the two.

What will be the effect of the late election for members of Parliament? Well, I have heard it jokingly remarked that the only apparent result would be the distribution of a great many gallons of beer among the voters. You know that the political complexion of Parliament, if you will take black to represent the Conservatives and white to represent the Liberals, will still be gray. There is really nothing to fear from the coming leaders of the Cabinet, and least of all, perhaps, from Disraeli. He and Lord Derby, Lord Carnocchan and Lord Salisbury, who will all, I suppose, have some place in the Cabinet, are all Liberals at heart, and are safe men. The new Parliament is pretty closely balanced, as it has lately been, and it is just as well that it should be so.

Wine and Women.

The latest tidings from Ohio show that the temperance crusade is by no means halting. Dio Lewis, the originator of the system of warfare now in vogue, has arrived upon the scene and is reported to have given a fresh impetus to the movement. Dr. Lewis thinks little of the legal obstacles in the form of injunctions against prayer which the ladies of Hillsboro and Washington have encountered. Instead of regarding the injunction secured on what he considers a technical construction of law, he advises them to go before the door of Dr. Dunn in greater numbers than ever, and sing and pray there, unmoved by threats of law or violence. He thinks no judge in Ohio would dare order the arrest and imprisonment of 200 praying women; that no constable could be found to carry out such a judicial decree, and that if arrested, no country jail could hold the 200 female martyrs. Dr. Lewis is accompanied by Van Pelt, the hero of New Vienna, who will say a word for the women wherever he has a chance. The cities are beginning to feel the effect of the movement, and it is a question in which one the war will break out first. The women in numerous instances have given their attention to shutting up gambling as well as drinking saloons by prayer. Fifty women entered a faro bank in McArthur the other evening where they were received without opposition. Singing and prayer were held for about an hour, when the band took their leave, thanking the proprietor for his courtesy, and he in turn requesting them to return, but this they had not the opportunity of doing. Next day he closed his establishment, sold his tables and chairs, and decamped, saying that being prayed out of town was a new experience to him.

A special despatch from Cincinnati says that at Waynesville an order was issued by Mayor Dodson to the Marshal requiring him to disperse all bands of women found congregating in the streets or on the sidewalks. He declares his intention to have no more sidewalk or saloon prayer meetings in his village, and the ladies, backed by the money of many temperance people, no less determinedly evince the intention to hold just as many meeting and offer as many prayers as they think proper. One old liquor dealer named Frandy, in that place, is keeping a strict account of the time the women occupy his premises for prayer, and purposes to prosecute them for damages. They visit him daily, however, and for him they are offering fervent prayers.

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The Daily Tribune.

J. L. STEWART,..... EDITOR.

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 16, 1874.

We hope mercantile men are taking means to have candidates for the Common Council pledged to take the harbor out of the Mayor's keeping. Now is the time to work for the desired change. The petty patronage attached to the harbor management will never be surrendered willingly. Have every seat contested, and support only those who pledge themselves to vote right on the harbor question. A watch-the-enemy committee of the Board of Trade should be formed for the work in hand, and a systematized effort made to ensure a majority of the Common Council for the desired harbor improvements. The work might be done quietly, but none the less effectually.

Mr. Nowlan displayed an intimate acquaintance with the backwoods when he said a law to aid thinly settled school districts would be followed by the discovery of a vast number of the thin kind. It is to be feared that distribution of money under such a law will be an electioneering agency, and do more harm than good. A district that has few children needs but a small and inexpensive schoolhouse. We hope the Government will not legislate any districts into the Provincial poor house. They are all able to build as large school-houses as they require.

The Ministerial organs have been claiming the entire New Brunswick delegation, except three. Mr. Costigan has written to the Montreal *Gazette* denying that he is a Government supporter, and Mr. Moffat said on the hustings that he would rather not go to Ottawa than go as the supporter of the Mackenzie Government. New Brunswick has, therefore, five independent representatives—Mitchell, Palmer, Domville, Moffat and Costigan. New Brunswick has the postion of honor—she is the banner Province.

Mr. Smith's plan for reporting the wise utterances of the Legislative Solons has been rejected. This is right. The House should have nothing to do with reporting—shou'd waste none of the public money in such a fashion. The newspapers report all th t is really worth reporting, and they are always ready to correct mistakes.

Mr. J. M. Le Moine, late President of the Quebec Historical Society, suggests the formation of a literary society in St John. We have charitable societies in abundance, but no common ground for literary men to meet on. Can't the literati be gathered together in some way?

It is a subject for congratulation that so few of the members of the Legislature voted in opposition to the protest against the unwarrantable meddling of Parliament with our local legislation. Mr. Gough could not swallow the Costigan resolution, even to oblige his separate school friends. A. H. Gillmor, Jr., the *Telegraph's* favorite, thinks the Costigan resolution all right.

The Assembly Clown has rattled the bells on his cap early in the session. His bill for the extension of the present House of Assembly four years has caused much anxiety among the three hundred and ninety-seven St. John candidates for the House.

It is said that Mr. Gladstone is to be made a peer. This will be as bad as making Mr. Tilley a Governor on the retirement of the late Ministry!

Bennett of the New York *Herald* has authorized the fire and police departments of New York city to establish soup kitchens for the poor in all the stations, the soup to be furnished in unlimited quantities at Mr. Bennett's expense by the famous restaurateur, Delmonico.

LEGISLATURE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

FREDERICTON, Feb 14.

After dinner Wedderburn continued his remarks on the paragraph of the Address referring to railways: The export duty, which was considered of such small importance by some members of the present House three years ago, has suddenly become of great value in the estimation of the same gentlemen. He regretted that by a prevailing custom in reference to the matter, the Government could not be reached and necessary information obtained before the passing of the Address. If the policy of the Government in reference to the Railway aid promised was like that outlined in some of the papers he would hesitate before giving it the endorsement of his vote.

The Attorney General claimed and showed that it was not customary for the Government to go into the particulars of their measures during the passing of the Address. The money and time spent on delegations sent to Ottawa to press our better terms and unadjusted claims was well spent, as by keeping the matter before the Dominion Government and Parliament they felt the justice of what we asked, and were the more disposed to favor us when opportunity offered. This feeling had secured the liberal sum which we are to receive annually in lieu of our export duty. The same feeling had aided in inducing the Dominion Government to arrange the question of the debt between Ontario and Quebec in consequence of which New Brunswick received some $58,000 annually as interest on the additional debt allowed to her. The delay in the adjustment of our claims has done us no harm, as while they were pending the Local Government had refrained from withstand claims for interest made by the Ottawa Government on account of our drawing more than was due us for our public services.

In reply to Lindsay, the Attorney General said that no interest is now due from New Brunswick to the Dominion Government.

Lindsay spoke in favor of the paragraph.

Maher thought the Attorney General rather more reticent than necessary in refusing to give the information asked by Gough.

Covert was glad to hear of the proposed liberality of the Government, but would like to hear also where the money would come from.

Gough thought the Government should press its just claims with a view to their prompt settlement instead of keeping some of them hanging, in order that others might be forced to adjustment which would not otherwise take place. It was political trickery. He wondered at the Government referring to the oft-reiterated fact that the claims were still pending. If their shrewdness and cunning did not meet with his approval he could certainly compliment them on their impudence.

The resolution then passed.

Landry attacked the eighth paragragh, which relates to the action of the Dominion Government in the Costigan resolution. Its meaning should be more plain. He would like to know what was the remonstrance made by the the New Brunswick delegates against the resolution. He knew of no attempt on the part of any one to violate the Constitution, although it had been modified. As instances of modification he referred to the "Better Terms" granted to Nova Scotia, the settlement of the debt of Ontario and Quebec, and the allowance to New Brunswick in lieu of the export duty. The Costigan resolution was not an attempt to violate the Constitution. Some of the newspapers had said it was; the paragraph did not—excepting by implication—say so. If the Government by it to assert, then it would lose his vote in the matter.

The Attorney General and the Government did hold that the Costigan resolution was an attempt to violate the constitution, and what was done in the matter by the Parliament of Canada was an impertinent attempt in the same direction.

Adams said that the British North America Act empowered the Governor General to disallow all acts passed by the Local Legislature, and asked the Attorney General to say whether in his opinion such was or was not the case.

The Attorney General said that any antecedent attempt of Parliament to control the Governor General in the disallowance of acts of Local Legislatures is unconstitutional, and against the spirit of British Constitutional law.

Adams said the 92d section of the Dominion Act gave the Governor General power to disallow any local act. That section meant something surely.

Lindsay thought that some members of Parliament favored the Costigan resolution who did not believe in it. If Mr. Adams was right the Legislature had no independent power at all.

Maher believed that the 92d section referred to meant that the Dominion Government should exercise a supervision over acts of Local Legislatures. What he wanted was for the Attorney General as such to state whether it was his opinion that it would have been unconstitutional for the Governor General to have acted on Costigan's resolution had it passed.

Attorney General said it would. So far as a right of disallowance exists it can have effect only when acts of Local Legislatures are a violation of the British North America Act.

Wedderburn referred to the British North America Act, to show that certain exclusive rights were vested in the Dominion,—and others equally exclusive in the Provincial Parliament, and that neither had any right to invade the jurisdiction of the other. Education was exclusively within the power of the Local Legislature, and the Parliament of Canada had no right to interfere, unless it were clearly *ultra vires*. This was the opinion of the Minister of Justice, and the reply of the Imperial authorities to the remonstrance sustained that opinion. If a part merely of one Branch of the Dominion may control our Legislature on this subject, he knew not where it would end. If the acts of the Local Legislature were not *ultra vires* and did not interfere with the royal prerogative the Governor General was bound to reject that advice and preserve the constitution inviolate. For his conduct his advisers were responsible to Parliament; he was only responsible to his Royal Mistress. He quoted Granville's despatch, in reply to Landry, to show that the passage of the Nova Scotia relief Act was not a violation of the Constitution, nor the concession of better terms to New Brunswick. The conduct of the Dominion Parliament was a dictation to the Governor General how to exercise the Prerogative, and clearly unconstitutional. These rights, which were few enough, were ceded to the Province in 1867, and were the very breath of our political independence as a Legislature. To yield to the claims of the Parliament of Canada would extinguish those rights and subject us to the control of any minister or dominant Party at Ottawa—and all power of Legislation might be erased by a mere stroke of the pen. He would resist this to the last; and if the privileges of the Legislature were thus to be destroyed, it might be found that the unhappy trouble existing in another province, would be created in this. Whatever were his views, and even if he were as heartily opposed to as he approved of the School Law, he would sink every other feeling for the time, and stand side by side with any party to preserve inviolate the Constitution, as the only bulwark and safeguard of our liberties.

Landry said the House of Commons had a right to advise the Governor General to disallow acts of Local Legislatures.

Hanington was of opinion that the Government itself was in doubt as to whether the Costigan Resolution was a violation of the Constitution or not. If they did have any positive conviction about it, they had not expressed it in the paragraph. He would oppose any infringement on the School Act as strenuously as any man who favored that Act, and would vote for the paragraph.

A division was taken on the paragraph as follows:

YEAS—Fraser, King, Kelly, Stevenson, McQueen, Crawford, Willis, Tibbits, Gough, Wedderburn, McPherson, Gillespie, Hanington, Philips, Donald, Napier, Coram, Robinson, Nowlan, Butler, Palmer, Ryan, Humphreys, Maher, Covert, Irvine, Lindsay, Beckwith—28.

NAYS—Blanchard, Landry, Adams, O'Leary—4.

Absent—Theriault, Alward, Montgomery, Hibbard, Girouard, Williams, Harrison, Brown.

On the 10th Section Gough said he gave the Government credit for taking up the abolition of imprisonment for debt, a matter that he had urged ever since he had a seat in the House.

On the paragraph relating to a scheme for assisting to build school houses in poor and sparsely settled districts, Mr. Nowlan said the Government should define what it intended to do. If a scheme for helping thinly settled districts were established he feared a great many of them would be thin. There was great dissatisfaction and considerable excitement over the School Law, and the Government should so amend the Act as to allay the present ill-feeling and opposition to it, or else introduce a measure for its repeal. He would like to know how the Government meant to aid those thinly settled districts.

The Provincial Secretary gave Nowlan credit for his moderate speech and said the measure which he assured the House the Government intended to introduce, would contain all the information asked.

After some further discussion the paragraph passed.

In reply to Wedderburn, the Secretary said that it was the Lieut. Governor's own desire that the prefix, "His Honor" should be substituted for "His Excellency" as applied to himself.

On the closing paragraph, Gough in response to a suggestion by the Attorney General referred to the matter of the independence of Canada and expressing his conviction in favor of it. He thought the speech would have contained reference to the codification of the laws, the improvement of the ballot system, the extension of the franchise, the Legislative Union of the three Maritime Provinces, and other important subjects which he trusted would have the early attention of the Government.

On motion of Butler the usual resolution was passed for the engrossing of the address, and at the suggestion of Gough, seconded by the Attorney General, the whole House was appointed a committee to wait on his Honor and present the address to him.

A committee was, on motion of Butler, appointed to wait on His Honor to ascertain when he would be pleased to receive it.

LOCALS

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET see Auction column.

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

Amusements—	Lee's Opera House
Mechanics' Institute Lectures—	H Lawrence Sturdee
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Intercolonial Railway—	C J Brydges and others
Election Card—	Isaac J Olive, Jr
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AUCTIONS.	
House For Sale—	Stewart & White
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On First Page: Poetry; Notes and News; Wine and Women; and Kingsley on the Political Situation.

On Fourth Page: Yesterday's Second Edition.

Personal.

W. W. Jordan, Esq., has not yet sailed for England, as reported a few days ago. He will probably leave on Thursday next.

Mr. Inglis Harrington is in town.

Hon. P. Mitchell leaves for Montreal to-morrow, where he will remain until the meeting of Parliament.

Brevities.

The great attraction of the week will be the sociable in Calvin Church School room, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Tickets 12 cents each, to be had at the store of Messrs. Logan & Lindsay, and at the door.

The Germain St. Baptist Church has received from Messrs. Daniel & Boyd, $50; Mr. George W. Day, $25; Mr. Robt. A. Gregory, $10; Mr. Chas. Harding, Jr, from friends in Halifax, $35; Miss Annie Chipman $2.

St. Malichi's Hall, last evening, was crowded to hear a lecture on Temperance from R. J. Ritchie, Esq. The lecture was listened to with strict attention, and contained some excellent arguments in favor of total abstinence.

A counterfeit $20 note, of the Bank of British North America, was detected at the Bank counter Saturday by the teller. It was a very well executed photograph.

On Saturday Miss O'Neil, nurse at J. W. Cudlip's, fell on the sidewalk and broke her arm.

Isaac J. Olive, Jr., is out as a candidate for the Councillorship of Guy's Ward. His card will be found in our advertising columns.

Rev. Leonard Gaetz occupies the platform of the Mechanics' Institute this evening. The title of his lecture is "Help Yourself."

The Engineers have a ball to-morrow evening at the Claremont House.

The concert in aid of the Industrial School, to be given in St. Jude's church, this evening, promises to be a very pleasant affair.

Petitions asking the Legislature to amend the School Law are being extensively signed by the Catholics of the City and Portland

Special services are being held every night in Exmouth St. Wesleyan Church.

Saturday was St. Valentine's Day, and many valentines passed through the Post Office. It is not nearly so fashionable to send them as it was a few years ago, and consequently there are not so many purchased or sent. The dealers in valentines report business dull, and hope that next year the trade will be livelier.

A house, for which only £30 rent has been paid, was leased for £50 on Saturday, the lessee to pay for all improvements.

The Grand Complimentary Ball tendered to Mr. Wm. Wilson, proprietor of the Bay View Hotel, by the boarders and friends, will take place at the Hotel, Prince Wm. Street, on Monday evening, Feb. 16th. A few tickets can be had on application at the Hotel. Tickets to admit a lady and gentleman $2.50. Arrangements have been made for a pleasant time. e.o.d—3i

Oysters. Oysters. Oysters.

Shemogue oysters. Just received a very fine lot of the above oysters, at the Victoria Dining Saloon, Germain street, No. 8. CORNELIUS SPARROW.

GOLD-VEINED Ebony and Walnut Frames at NOTMAN'S.

The storm.

The rain storm of Saturday had the effect of taking all the snow off in the country. Persons who came from the east by train report the fields perfectly bare of snow, and the rivers overflowing their banks. Near Sussex the railway track was submerged for some distance on Saturday, but not so as to prevent the trains passing.

Shipping Notes.

The brig Veteran, of Liverpool, N. S., Hudson, master, at New York, 12th inst., from Para, reports having been up to lat. 22 N., in seven days; from thence had strong northerly gales and heavy seas; was 13 days north off Hatteras, with heavy N. E., and N. W. gales; on the 10th inst., while heaving the vessel to, was struck by a heavy sea, which carried away jibboom and was obliged to cut away all the gear attached to it; on the 7th instant, Chincateugal bearing N. W. 25 miles, spoke the ship New Era, from Savannah for New York, which supplied them with provisions.

The bark Annie Burrell, Blauvelt, master, before reported ashore at Tybee, still remained on the 9th inst. The vessel was not in a dangerous position, and would be got off as soon as the weather moderated sufficiently for tugs to work on her.

The bark Mexican, which sailed from Sydney, C. B., on the 15th Jan. for New York, and for the safety of which some uneasiness had been felt, arrived at the latter port on Saturday the 14th inst., with head of foremast gone. She has been chartered for Liverpool with oil, at which port she will be sold for the benefit of the underwriters.

The brigt. Lulu, Givan master, made the passage from New York to Matanzas in 9 days. She is chartered for North of Hatteras, $4 for molasses. The L. is owned by Messrs. Mills & Jago of this city; she has been, since her launching, one of the most fortunate vessels sailing out of this port.

The schooner The Star.—Telegraphic advices from Portsmouth, N. H., reports the T. S. in a very bad condition. Her cargo of 300,000 fresh herring is to be sold without delay. The damage done cannot be estimated until the vessel has been discharged. She is insured for $5,000.

Wild Life in the Far West.

A volume bearing the above title has just been issued by a Hartford publishing house. The book gives numerous incidents and details of life in the Far West in years now past, when civilization had encroached still less on the home of the Indian. The author, Capt. James Hobbs, has lived among the Comanches and knows whereof he writes. The hero of the stirring scenes of the book, with the author, is vouched for by Mr. Wm. E. Goodyear, a well known citizen. The book is profusely illustrated; printed on good paper and well bound. It will prove a very attractive volume to a large class of readers, and much more valuable than the stories of adventures upon which the public are fed.—*N. H. Palladium.*

M. McLeod, General Agent for New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. Local agents wanted.

Mr. Magee and the Common Council.

Mr. John Magee, who has been spoken of as a candidate for the Aldermanship of Duke's Ward, has no intention of offering his services and canvassing for votes. To a committee that waited on him some time ago he expressed his readiness to accept a nomination for the Aldermanship of his Ward, in case of a general movement for a civic reform, but he has no desire to get into the Council by a personal canvass. If those who desire a change in the management of civic matters, and want something done for the improvement of the harbor, organize for the election of new men to the Common Council,—Mr. Magee will be one of their candidates.

"Cunard Line"—Special Notice.

With the view of diminishing the chances of collision, the steamers of this Line will henceforth take a specified course for all seasons of the year. On the outward passage from Queenstown to New York or Boston, crossing meridian of 50 at 43 lat., or nothing to the north of 43. On the homeward passage, crossing the meridian of 50 at 42 lat., or nothing to the north of 42. Tickets for all steamers of this favorite Line can be secured at Hall & Hanington's Ticket Agency.

Lee's Opera House.

The last performance of "Modoc Jack" was given Saturday night, and there was a startling ending to the drama of the Lava Beds. The great chief of the Modocs, after being shot, fell on the stage, and his long flowing hair touched the fire kindled for his prisoners. Instantly it was in a blaze, and his Indian suit, covered with feathers and hair, soon caught, and there was a prospect of a tragedy. The warriors and braves suspended their death struggles, rushed to Jack's rescue, and by judicious turning and rubbing the fire was put out, just as the curtain went down on the last of the Modocs. A new bill will be presented this evening. On Wednesday night Pete Lee's benefit comes off.

Another large lot of "Richardson's," "Home Circles," "Dulcimers," &c., just received. For sale at cost price at Landry & McCarthy's.

Point Lepreaux Weather and Marine Report.

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

9 A. M.—Wind E., strong breeze, with sleet; nothing in sight.

HAY AND CORDWOOD for sale wholesale and retail by J. M. Smith, opposite Railway Station, St. John. tf

Choral Society.

The members of the Choral Society will please take notice that the night of meeting is changed from Thursday to Monday, commencing to night.

The Glove Stealing Case.

The examination in the glove stealing case was continued at the Police Court Saturday afternoon. The woman was released on her own recognizance to appear on Tuesday, and Buchanan was remanded to gaol until the same day. The evidence of Sergt. Watson is wanted, and he was ill. The Magistrate expressed the hope that the woman would leave the city as soon as possible.

By Telegraph.

Canadian, British and Foreign.

[*To the Associated Press.*]

LONDON, Feb. 14.

Consols 91⅞ a 92; breadstuffs quiet.

Taylor's furniture repository, Belgravia, covering an acre, was burned last night. The building alone is insured for one million dollars. The total loss, including the contents, consisting of pictures and mirrors, is $500; carriages and a vast amount of other goods, estimated at $15,000,000. Five houses and several stables adjoining were partially destroyed. A number of accidents occurred, and two firemen were killed. A large unruly crowd were present, and the military were required to preserve order.

Latest returns show 342 Conservatives, 296 Liberals and Home Rulers. Conservative gain 58. In Buckinghamshire Disraeli and Sir R. Harvey are elected.

The *Standard* believes the Government will resign on Monday or Tuesday.

It is rumored that upon his retirement from the Ministry Gladstone will be created a Peer.

It is probable that the form of Government in Spain will be decided by plebiscite.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.

Gold 112⅛; exchange 485¼.

LONDON, Feb. 16—6 A. M.

THE ELECTIONS.

The election in Ireland is still pending. In the three kingdoms 346 Conservatives, and 297 Liberals and Home Rulers have been returned. The net Conservative gain is 60. The Commons will contain 216 new members.

THE NEW CABINET.

The *Observer* says the new Ministry will probably be:

Disraeli, First Lord of the Treasury;
Lord Cairns, Lord High Chancellor;
The Duke of Buckingham, President of the Council;
The Duke of Richmond, War Secretary;
The Earl of Northumberland, First Lord of the Admiralty;
Ward Hunt, or Mr. Hubbard, Chancellor of the Exchequer;
Gathorne Hardy, Home Secretary.

THE CZAR

will visit England in April.

ADVICES FROM SPAIN

announce that the national troops defeated 2000 Carlists before Tolosa and revictualled the city.

It is reported that Gen. Dorregaray has been murdered.

THE ACHENESE

have defeated the Dutch troops, capturing several mitrailleuses, besides other arms, ammunition, etc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.

AN ICE THAW

has begun in the Hudson, and the break up has taken place near Troy, where considerable damage was done.

COAL GAS POISONING.

A whole family in Chicago were found Saturday under the influence apparently of some powerful poison, from which three had died, and the rest seemed in a dying condition. A later report says their condition was caused by inhaling coal gas.

(*Special to Daily News.*)

OTTAWA, Feb. 14.

Donald A. Smith is elected for Selkirk by a large majority.

In the local election in North Perth today, Daly, Conservative, was ahead so far as heard from.

The *Gazette* contains a number of appointments in P. E. Island.

Notice is given of an application for charter by a Company to build a Railway from Lake Superior to Winnipeg, Manitoba.

The following Militia appointments are gazetted: Brevet, to be Lieut.-Colonel, Major Charles Raymond, O. F. O., 67th Battalion, from 15th May, 1871; to be Major, Captain Robert Call, G. V. B., Newcastle, N. B., from 18th December, 1873. Confirmation of rank: Lieut. John Fletcher, M. S., No. 5 Company 67th Battalion, from 16th October, 1870.

Hon. A. J. Smith and Lewis Carvell arrived to-night.

Chronic Splenitis—Physician's Report of a Remarkable Case.

GAGETOWN, N. B., July 22, 1868.

MR. JAMES I. FELLOWS, Chemist,—*Dear Sir*,—Allow me to bear my testimony in favor of your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites. I have used it myself for Tuberculosis with marked benefit, and have given it to a great number of my patients, with the same results as I experienced from its use. During the last seven years I have devoted myself almost exclusively to the treament of Consumption, having cases under my care in all parts of the Province; so that I am enabled to speak from experience of the benefits derived from its use.

The most marked was a case which was under my care in March last. This was a patient who had been under treatment nine months with no beneficial results. When I first saw him he was so feeble that he could not sit up long enough to have his heart and his lungs examined. What disease he had been treated for did not appear, but I found him suffering under Chronic Splenitis. He had a severe cough, dyspnœa, palpitation of the heart, impaired digestion, and consequent general emaciation. I put him under treatment, prescribed your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, and after using four bottles he was able to at end to his farm, and is now perfectly well. In March he was given up by four physicians respectively; in May he assisted in ploughing eighteen acres of land, and had run up in flesh from 136 to 148 pounds weight.

I send you this for the purpose of making what use you please of it, and wish you all success in your labor for the benefit of suffering humanity.

Strongly recommending the use of your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites to all who suffer in any way from disease or weakness of the lungs, bronchial tubes, or general debility. Believe me your obedient servant,

J. H. W. SCOTT, M. D.

Losses in Freight to Richibucto Merchants.

To the Editor of the Tribune.

In my former letter I referred to the plundering business so extensively carried on between St. John and Richibucto at the expense of merchants in the latter place and Kingston; and to throw some light on the subject, for the benefit of the railway authorities, I beg to state briefly a few facts:

The goods which have been missed by

the importers were found to be spirituous liquors, cordials and groceries: the master of the sailing vessel between Point du Chene and Richibucto alleges these deficiencies have not been caused while the goods were in his possession; the said captain stated to an importer in this town (Richibucto) that a railway official at the Point had been dismissed during the summer,—for what reason the public know not; and judging from these statements, with other facts which have since come to light, there are *prima facie* reasons for believing the missing goods were lost while in the custody of the railway officials.

On one occasion during the past summer a case of gin—twelve bottles—was sent from St. John to a merchant here, and on the arrival of the case at its destination there were found to be seven bottles wanting: but in place of the missing goods a piece of iron, Railway iron, weighing about ten pounds, was found in the case. Numerous pieces of iron similar to the above mentioned may be seen during the summer months on the Point du Chene wharf. Quantities of goods which were sent from St. John for this place late in the fall, and *via* Point du Chene, have not, as yet, reached their destination; and it is due to the Railway authorities, as well as to the shippers and importers, that an investigation be had. It is also due to the Captains and owners of the sailing vessels that this matter be properly explained to the satisfaction of those who have had to *pay for goods which they never received*.

The spring trade will soon open. The time will soon come that orders must be sent to the St. John merchants, and unless some explanation be speedily given about the missing goods, it is quite probable the importers both here and in Kingston—some of them at least—will send their orders to another city than St. John. Yours truly,

MORE ANON.

Richibucto, Feb., 1874.

P. S.—In another letter I will furnish you with a memorandum of goods lost, with their value. M. A.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE and all the most popular Canadian, English and American newspapers and magazines can always be obtained at the bookstore of Mr. W. K. Crawford, King street. au 8

PIANOFORTE TUNING.—Mr. Carson Flood has secured the services of Mr. C. E Bourne, of Boston, a practical pianoforte builder and tuner. Orders left at the Warerooms, No. 75 Prince Wm. street, will be attended to in the order received

Portland Police Court.

Business was dull at the court this morning, there only being two victims to dispose of.

Margaret Ryan was arrested drunk in a hall on Black Spring Road yesterday. She was also charged with being a common vagrant. Two months in the penitentiary and forty days extra for vagrancy was the fine imposed.

John Parkinson was charged with drunkenness in Main street Saturday afternoon. A fine of $4 was imposed.

ENGLISH and American Chromos at NOTMAN'S.

A fine assortment of new English Music at E. Peller & Bro's.

The "Canadian Sunday School Organ" is one of the finest collections of sacred music published. For sale at Landry & McCarthy's.

A disasterous fire occurred in Halifax Friday evening. Three buildings were completely gutted. Several firemen received serious injuries during the progress of the fire.

Burke, an old soldier, has been arrested in Halifax, for carrying round a petition for relief with the forged name of Col. Elgee on it.

To Advertisers.

The circulation of the TRIBUNE is at the present time very large, doubtless exceeding the circulation of any other St. John daily. Advertisers will consult their own interests by patronising the TRIBUNE. Yearly contracts made at favorable rates.

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St. John Stock Exchange.

BOARD ROOM, Feb. 16th, 1874.

	Shrs paid	½ yr Div	Asked	Bid
Bank of New Brunswick,	$100	5 p.c.	167	
" " B. N. America,	250	4		
" " Montreal,	200	8		192
Maritime Bank,	100	4		
People's Bank,	100	3½		
St. Stephen Bank,	100	4	87	
Stadacona Bank,	100		100	
Spring Hill C. M. Co.,	50		120	
Joggins C. M. Co.,	3	4	100	
People's Street Ry. Co.,	20		20	
St. George Red Granite,	100		50	
Victoria Hotel Co.,	100		20	
Suspension Bridge Co.,	25		74	
St. John Gas Co.,	110	4		105
Victoria Skating Rink,	20	3	105	
Confederate Life Ins. Co.,	100		99	
Royal Canadian Fire Ins.	100		99	
N. B. Patent Tanning Co.	5		55	25
Sussex Boot & Shoe M. Co.	50	1¾	100	
Ottawa City Bonds,	20	3	99	
Academy of Music,	30		40	
Parrsboro R. and Coal M	100		60	
St. Stephen Ry. 1st M. B.,			96	
Colebrook Rolling Mills,	100	6		
Moosepath Driving Park,	100		35	
City School Debentures,		3	93½	
Corporation Bonds,		3		99
South Bay Boom Co.,	40	5	75½	
Carleton Branch Ry.,	20		55	
" 1st M. Bonds,		3	100	
Western Extension Ry.,			23	
Port Philip Free Stone,	50		100	
M. F. Knitting M. Co.,	30		99	
M. Warehousing & D. Co.				101
N. B. Electric Tel. Co.,				
Fredericton Boom Co.,				
Central Fire Ins. Co.,	40	3		
St. John W. & S. Deben,		3		101
Do. do. Carleton,		3	100	
Do. Reed's Point, Pettingill Property, etc.,		3		

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

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BAZAAR!

and

DIED.

At Salt Springs, K. C., WM. REID, in the 61st year of his age, leaving a wife and 4 children to mourn their loss.

At Moncton, Feby. 15th, AUGUSTUS WILSON LUTTRELL, eldest son of R. Luttrell, aged 14 years, 1 month and 17 days.

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A. H. EATON,
nov 11 Principal.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

ARRIVED.

CLEARED.

Feb 14th—Stmr New Brunswick, 935, Pike, Boston, H W Chisholm, mdse and passengers.
Brigt Annie W Goddard, 358, Johnson, Montevideo, Vroom & Arnold, 323,463 ft boards.
Schr Osseo, 95, Martin, Boston, D J Seely, 565,000 laths.

British Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Liverpool, 16th inst, bark St George, Hall, from New Orleans. [By tel.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

At New York, 12th inst, bark Teresa, Wallace, from Cienfuegos, 18 days; brigs Veteran, Hudson, from Para, 30 days; Ida, Smith, from Trinidad, 22 days; Carrie, Urquhart, from Matanzas, 16 days; 14th, bark Mexican, from Sydney, CB; 13th, brigs Union T, Tufts, from Cardenas; G P Sherwood, from Matanzas.
At Cardenas, 2d inst, bark Fanny Lewis, from Port Calgdonia, CB; brig Chillianwallah, Simpson, from Havana; 30th ult, brig Agnes Raymond, Kinney, hence, 17 days.
At Havana, 5th inst, schr M L St Pierre, Carter, from Wilmington, N C; 6th, bark Venture, Heals, from Little Glace Bay, CB; brig John Good, Morehouse, hence via Cardenas.
At Matanzas, 1st inst, brig Alice M, Richardson, from Savannah; 2d, barks Young Eagle, Simpson, and Norma, Smith, from Savannah; 13th, brig Lulu, Givan, from New York, 9days.
At Baltimore, 12th instant, bark L H DeVeber, Wright, from Savannah.
At Philadelphia, 12th inst, bark Pekin, Sutherland, from Belfast.
At Havre, 16th inst, ship Peace Maker, Classon, from New Orleans. [By tel.
At Sagua, 1st inst, bark M E Corning, Hughes, from St Thomas.
At Galveston, 11th instant, bark Wild Hunter, Erichsen, from Liverpool.
At Rotterdam, 12th inst, bark Robert Godfrey, from New York.
At Portland, 15th instant, stmr New Brunswick, hence.

CLEARED.

At Galveston, 11th inst, bark Minnie Carvill, Moyter, for Liverpool.
At New Orleans, 12th inst, ship Stowell Brown, Lowther, for Liverpool.
At Boston, 13th inst, brig Quaco, Dakin, for this port via Portland.
At New York, 12th inst, schr Advance, Foster, for this port.

SAILED.

From Cardenas, 30th ult, schr Nellie Cushing, Peck, for north of Hatteras.
From Kingston, Ja, 30th ult, baig Leona, Bishop, for Cienfuegos.
From Matanzas, 1st inst, schr Freddie C Ebbett, Veal, for north of Hatteras; brig Harmony, Willingale, for Philadelphia; 5th, J V Nichols, Chase, for Baltimore.
From Havana, 5th inst, schrs Addie & Nellie, Cameron, for north of Hatteras via Cardenas; Arianna, Aubrey, for Sagua.
From Antwerp, 11th inst, ship Crown Prince, for United States.

Spoken.

Feb 5th, lat 37 39, lon 72 49, brig Lulu, from New York for Matanzas.
Feb 11th, off Abscoom, brig Maggie Vail, from Cienfuegos for Boston.
Feb 9th, lat 36 37, lon 69 50, brig Alice, from New York for Kingston.

Memorandr.

Passed down Newcastle, Del, 9th inst, schr Kittie Stevens, for Port Spain.
Passed out through Hell Gate, 12th inst, schr Favourite, Jenkins, from New York for Cornwallis, NS; 13th, schr Advance, from New York for this port.

Bird Cages

JUST RECEIVED—A large variety of CAGES. Price 80 cents upwards. Also, Bird Baths, Fountains, Gravel Paper, &c.

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WANTED.—Any person having a PEDOMETER to dispose of will hear of a customer at this office. feb 16 tf

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THE REV. LEONARD GAETZ Lectures TO-NIGHT,

Monday, Feb. the 16th.

Subject—"HELP YOURSELF."

Admission to members of the Institute only.

H. LAWRANCE STURDEE,
feb 16 Secretary.

Electors Guy's Ward.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Electors, to offer my services as

COUNCILLOR

for your ward, after mature reflection, I have consented to do so, hoping, if you return me as your representative, your confidence will not have been misplaced.

Your obl't. servant,
ISAAC J. OLIVE, Jr.
Carleton, Feb. 14th, 1874. feb 16 10i

Brandy. Brandy.

Just Received in Store, from Liverpool, via Halifax:

Two Qr-casks Pale Brandy.

(VINTAGE 1830.)

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Intercolonial Railway.

THE Commissioners appointed for the construction of the Intercolonial Railway, hereby give Public Notice that they are prepared to receive Tenders for Track-laying and Ballasting on about 75 miles of the line, from the Metapedia Road to the Bridge across Metapedia River, Section 18. Tenders to be for the whole distance.

Specifications and forms of tender can be obtained at the office of the Commissioners at Ottawa.

Sealed tenders marked "Tenders" and addressed to the Commissioners, will be received at this office in Ottawa, up to 12 o'clock, noon, TUESDAY, the 24th March next.

Tenders will also be received, at the same time and place, for 300 tons of Railroad Spikes, according to sample to be seen at the above office. Tenders to state price per ton of 2240 lbs., delivered at Riviere du Loup, in equal quantities, in the months of May, June, and July, next.

C. J. BRYDGES,
ED. B. CHANDLER, } Comm's.
A. W. McLELAN,
Intercolonial Railway, Commissioners' Office,
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By Order of the Common Council

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented to the Local Legislature for enactment, to increase the assessment for Police purposes, on the Western side of the Harbor, in the City of Saint John, to provide for additional cost of Police establishment, on order of the Governor in Council, under authority of the Act of the last Session, 36 Victoria, Chapter 55. jan 31 4i 1i cw

Notice to Mariners.

THE BELL BUOY broke from her moorings at the east end of Partridge Island, this morning, and will be replaced as soon as the weather will permit.

J. H. HARDING,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.
St John, Feb. 14th, 1874. feb 14 city pap

250 HF-BBLS. For sale by MASTERS & PATTERSON,
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Second Edition!

(*Special Telegram to the Tribune.*)

Edward Jenkins Appointed Agent of Canada The Manitoba Elections Riel Elected.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.

Edward Jenkins, M. P. for Dundee, Scotland, has been appointed the representative of the Government of Canada in London, in place of the late Mr. Dixon, but with more extended powers, embracing not only Emigration matters but the transaction of such other business as the Government may require him to attend to.

In Manitoba, Smith, Riel, Schultz and Ryan are elected. The full returns are not in from Marquette, but Ryan's victory over Cunningham is considered certain. Ryan and Schultz are Opposition.

Daly, Opposition, is elected for North Perth, for the Ontario Legislature, by nearly 300 majority over the Grit candidate.

Merchants' Exchange.

New York, Feb. 13th.

Freights quiet, easy; wheat 10d. to Glasgow; grain, Antwerp, 8s. 6d.

Markets—Petroleum 6s. 3d. a 6s. 9d.; molasses quiet, unchanged; sugar quiet, steady.

Exchange—Gold opened at 112¼, been 112¼, now 112¼.

Weather—Wind E. N. E., light, cloudy. Ther. 36°.

Liverpool, Feb. 14.

Markets unchanged.

Boston, Feb. 16th.

Wind N., light, snowing. Ther 33°.

Portland, Feb. 16th.

Wind N., light, cloudy. Ther. 30°.

Court of Sessions.

The Court opened this morning at 11 o'clock, about thirty Justices being present. After reading the minutes the discussion was resumed on Mr. Marshall's amendment to Mr. Gilbert's assessment bill.

Justice Gilbert spoke first, producing figures and facts in support of his scheme. The incomes Mr. Marshall proposes to relieve from taxation would take $40,000 at least from the tax roll, and this is to be put on real and personal estate.

Mr. Marshall—"These arguments are not sound."

Mr. Gilbert "What does Mr. Marshall mean? They are not arguments at all, they are facts."

The Mayor—"No personalities, gentlemen; try and avoid that to-day."

Mr. Gilbert—"What then does the Justice mean by saying that my arguments are not sound?"

Mr. Marshall—"I apologize. Your arguments are all sound." (Laughter, which Mr. Gilbert did not appear to know the meaning of.) Mr. Gilbert continued his speech, charging Mr. Marshall with springing the assessment bill on the Board, and read from letters that have been published in the papers. He closed by saying that he would not be mortified at all if they proved him wrong, and appealed, in God's name, for the Board to come to the proper conclusion.

Justice Milligan spoke on the amendment, referring particularly to the tax proposed on shipping. It was impossible to tell which bill he favored.

Justice Marshall closed the debate. He gave a short history of the struggle for improved assessment. He objected to Justice Gilbert's bill, as it revolutionized the whole system, making as it does income the basis. He claimed that a properly constituted Board of Assessors would bring up the income to $300,000.

Justice Gilbert, jumping to his feet—"Good God Almighty! how is that to be done?"

Mr. Marshall proceeded, and fully explained his bill, being frequently interrupted by Mr. Gilbert, who had to be called to order several times.

After Mr. Marshall had finished Justice Gilbert took the floor and made another speech.

Justice Flewelling moved in amendment to the amendment that they proceed to take up the three sources of revenue, viz., income real and personal estate separately. It was not seconded.

Justice Gerow told Mr. Flewelling if he occasionally attended the Sessions he would know something about the question.

Ald. Duffell said that in his opinion neither of the bills would pass the Common Council.

Ald Kerr said he would favor the bill presented by Mr. Marshall.

Justices Gardiner and Marshall then had a little dispute about a Board of Assessors, and electioneering, after which the question on Mr. Marshall's amendment was put to the Board. The amendment was voted down. For the original motion eleven voted. "There's a pretty good crowd," remarked Justice Gregory. The section was lost. The learned justices were now at their wits end. The principle of both bills was condemned, and amidst the confusion that followed, the Mayor managed to get a motion to adjourn the discussion until March passed, and the proceedings came to a close.

Scene in Church.

A gentleman entered one of the churches yesterday and was surprised to see several strangers occupying seats in his pew. He called the sexton to him and, striking a theatrical attitude, demanded: "Who are these plebeians in my seat?" "They are strangers," meekly responded the sexton. "How dare you put them in my seat? What did you do it for?" "I didn't think you would be here to-day." "Are you aware, sir, that the seat is my property, bought and paid for—that I own the seat, and you might as well take these plebeians to my front parlor and put them there as in that seat? If there is law in the land you shall be punished, I will have redress." "That sort of a dress are you going to have, a red one?" asked the humble sexton. The irate owner of the seat in the house of God stalked away, and the sexton now awaits a summons from one of the police courts.

Case of Assault.

Julia Burt, of Sheffield street, made information against Sarah Johnston and Mary Jane Weary, at the Police Court this morning, for assault. The case came up for hearing, and Mrs. Burt's evidence was very conclusive. As she had a black eye to show as a result of the row it looked as if she might have her companions fined; but other witnesses deposed that Mrs. Burt herself commenced the row, and the charge was dismissed, the complainant paying the costs.

The case of Brown vs. Brown, for alleged assault at St. Martins, occupied the attention of the Portland Police Court this morning.

Madigan and Doherty, charged with stealing liquor from Lundergan's store, will be tried this afternoon. The charge against these two young men for assaulting and breaking Johnston's windows, on Portland Bridge, has been withdrawn from the Portland Police Court.

City Police Court.

The Police Court was crowded this morning with spectators, but there was very little business to be transacted.

John Coll was arrested drunk in King street. He confessed the charge and was fined $8, as is customary on Monday mornings.

George Johnston, when drunk, went to the Police Station and was given a room. A fine of $8 was imposed.

William Stewart was found by a policeman lying drunk in an alley off Germain street. The same fine was imposed.

Albert Winslow, William Armitage and Thomas Bain were arrested for fighting in Charlotte street. The two former confessed the charge, and were fined $10 each. The evidence of a young man proved that Bain was attacked and only defended himself. He was, therefore, dismissed.

Bow Bells for February has been received by Mr. W. K. Crawford, King st. It contains the opening chapters of Wm. Harrison Ainsworth's new novel, entitled "Merry England, or, Nobles and Serfs," illustrated by Gilbert. The romance is full of interest and startling sensations, illustrative of the history of the Plantagenet and Wat Tyler period. The supplements are Fancy Parisian Needlework, Turkish Embroidery, and Parisian Fashion Plates.

Small pox has broken out in a French family which arrived at Albion Mines, N. S., about a fortnight ago.

Two New York boys—"My father is in the Custom House." "Mine's in the station house." "My father can keep on stealing and yours can't."

Six entirely new dresses, worn by an actress in a single play, in New York, the other night, were imported from Paris at a cost of $10,000, exclusive of diamonds and other accessories.

Here is a paragraph that is going the rounds. "Haines, the gambler, who makes the Maine railroads dangerous for fools, caught a tartar on the Grand Trunk the other day. The stranger found those four kings in his poker hand, and was quite eager to bet. Of course, the professer had four aces. The two men kept 'raising' until Haines had his last dollar on the board. The 'green one' arose, and slapped down a pocket-book containing $900. The professor went through the train showing his hand, and endeavoring to borrow, so as to get a 'sight' for his money. No one would lend him, and after a time the stranger raked in the $200 on the board, smiled benevolently, and got off at the next station." The man who hatched this item knew enough about poker to know that four aces beat four kings, but he did not know that the player who puts all his money up can force his opponent to show his hand. If any such scene ever occurred the gambler called when his pile was up and pocketed as much of his opponent's money as he had of his own. That itemizer should study poker awhile before he begins the manufacture of anecdotes about the game.

LEGISLATURE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 16.

Perley moved and Lewis seconded the reply to the address.

Seely objected to the words "just expectations" in the fourth paragraph, as the $150,000 in lieu of export duty was more than any one expected.

Young explained that the Government could have levied taxes on other kinds of lumber, and brought the tax up to $200,000.

On the sixth McInerney inquired what claims were settled and what unsettled with the Dominion.

Young stated that a claim for iron for $43,000, one for Railway stores, and others, were settled, and that the Eastern and Western Extension and St. Andrews Railway claims were unsettled.

The eighth McInerney denounced as an attempt to raise a cry. He was almost surprised that the Fenian invasion was not put in the speech. Who attempted to violate the constitution? If the Governor General in the exercise of his prerogative disallowed the act how was it unconstitutional?

Hanington said he would defend the Constitution from assaults from any quarter.

Young said the Commons had no right to influence or attempt to influence our legislation.

Chandler believed that the Commons had no right to interfere with local legislation.

The address passed without division.

Mr. Jones returned this morning.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 16.

Bills were introduced as follows: by Crawford, for the encouragement of manufacturers; by Montgomery, to establish a polling place in the Parish of Colburne in the County of Restigouche; by Adams, a Bill to enable the Justices of County of Northumberland to dispose of certain lands in that county and invest the proceeds; also a bill to authorize them similarly to dispose of their interest in other County lands.

On motion of Gough a committee consisting of Gough, Irvine, Coram, Donald and McQueen was appointed to consider the question of reporting the proceedings of the House.

Napier committed a bill to authorize Hon. John Ferguson to erect a boom across the Big Nepisquit River, Wedderburn in the chair. The bill provides for the usual piers, etc., for the erection of the boom near the mouth of the river and its management by the owners in the usual manner.

Blanchard said he had not yet seen the bill and he suggested that progress be reported. Progress was reported.

Mr. Butler, from the proper committee, reported that his Honor would receive the address in reply to the speech at a quarter before three to-morrow.

Wedderburn moved that all bills relating to County and Circuit Courts and practice there be referred to a special committee with power to consult the Judges thereon, adopted, and Messrs. Wedderburn, the Secretary, Hanington, Nowlan and Ryan were appointed such committee.

Adams committed a bill to increase the capital stock and further to amend the Act to incorporate the Southwest Boom Company, Maher in the chair. It was still under discussion at adjournment.

Mr. Hanington did not say, as appears by Saturday's report, that he would oppose any infringement of the School Act, but that he would oppose any attempt to infringe the constitution.

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To the Electors of Kings Ward.

ON the first Tuesday in April, I shall be a Candidate for the office of

ALDERMAN

of your Ward. Should you honor me with a majority of your votes, I will not be unmindful of the discharge of my public duties, of the confidence which you have thus reposed in me.

feb 13 e o d JOHN MELICK.

Adjourned Special Sessions.

AN Adjourned Special Sessions of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, will be held at the Court House, in the City of Saint John, on MONDAY next, the 16th instant, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of taking into consideration the Assessment Bill now before the Board, and also any other Bills which may be submitted to go before the present meeting of the Legislature of this Province.

H. W. FRITH,
feb 13 Clerk of the Peace.

Hams. Hams.

JUST RECEIVED 2 CASES

Sugar Cured Hams.

feb 6 J. S. TURNER.

SAINT JOHN

Mutual Insurance Company.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Members of the above Company will be held at their Office, Wetmore Building, Princess Street, on MONDAY the second day of February next, at noon for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

Saint John, N. B., January 17th, 1874.

JOHN SMITH,
President.
A. BALLENTINE, Secretary. d & w—jan 20

ARRIVED IN STORE.—5 cases SHELLE ALMONDS, for sale at market rates, by

JOHN CHRISTY,
jan 16 75 King street.

HARD COAL!

THE Subscribers are now landing at Merritt's Wharf—a Small Cargo of BEST QUALITY

HARD COAL.

Which will be sold at at $1 per ton less than market price, as it has become somewhat mixed in vessel.

T. McCARTHY & SON,
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Pork and Hops.

25 BBLS. MESS PORK;
10 boxes Fresh Pressed HOPS.
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GEO. S. DEFOREST,
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Buys and sells on Commission—Stocks, Shares, Bonds, Debentures, and all classes of negotiable securities. jan 5

LONDON HOUSE,

Sept. 8th, 1873.

NEW FALL GOODS!

Per "Lady Darling," "Sidonian," &c.

292 Bales and Cases, Assorted,

In every Department.

Further shipments per "Ismalia," "Assyria, "Tevern," "Cingalese," &c.

sep 8 DANIEL & BOYD

Cigar Lighters.

20 GROSS VESTUIANS; 10 gross Wax Vestas; 10 gross Wax Matches, in tin boxes; 20 gross do., in paper boxes; 16 gross Cigar Lighters, spunkwood; 2 gross Wax Tapers, white; 10 gross Wax Gas Lighters, in colors. For sale by GEO. STEWART, JR.,
feb 7 Chemist and Druggist, 21 King st.

Auction Sale.

House For Sale,

There will be sold at Public Auction, at Chubb's Corner, on TUESDAY NEXT, the 17th Feb., at 12 o'clock, noon:—

THE spacious and comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, owned by the Trustees of Saint Andrews Church, formerly the property of Robert Sheraton, Esq., situated on the corner of Sydney and Queen streets, with the main entrance on Queen Square. The house has nine rooms, and two kitchens, with range and furnace, hot and cold water bath room, gas, water, &c. It is at present occupied by the Rev. R. J. Cameron. The sil in connection with the house is separate, and brings in a good rent. The lot is 42x85 feet, more or less. A lease for 21 years will be given, with the usual covenants. For further particulars apply to

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Office, 51 Prince William Street.

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5¼ (foot of) KING STREET,

Near Barlow's Corner, - - - St. John, N. B

Auction Sale Every Evening,

Commencing at 7 o'clock.

☞ Goods (in endless variety) sold at auction prices during the day. dec 6

Wants.

WANTED—A GIRL for general housework. Apply at No. 30 Exmouth street. feb 14 tf

WANTED.—A small HOUSE or FLAT for occupation 1st May. Separate entrance preferred. No children. Address H. P. O. Box 489, or enquire at this office. jan 21

WANTED.—Active and intelligent boys to sell DAILY TRIBUNE. Apply at Printing office, Charlottee street, between 3 and 5 o'clock. may 9

AGENTS WANTED.—Energetic men can make money by selling WILD LIFE IN THE FAR WEST. City and country canvassers wanted *at once*. Liberal commission paid.

jan 15 dw tf M. McLEOD.

$5 TO $20 PER DAY. Agents wanted. All classes of working people, of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address, G. STINSON & CO., Portland, Maine.
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To Let.

TO RENT.

THAT large and comfortable Dwelling House, No. 8 Chipman's Hill. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday, from 3 to 5 p. m. Apply to WM. PARKS & SON, N. B. Cotton Mills. feb 9 tf

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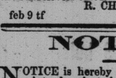

THAT PLEASANTLY SITUATED COTTAGE and Premises on the St. Andrews Road, lately owned and occupied by W. H. Skinner. There are 12 acres of land. Ground Rent $20. Building all in good repair. Possession given 1st May next, or sooner if required. For fuller particulars enquire at the subscribers office.

R. CHIPMAN SKINNER,
feb 9 tf Solicitor, &c.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be introduced at the approaching Session of the Local Legislature of New Brunswick, for the Incorporation of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. jan 8

Tea Rose.

LANDING Ex. T. S. Tarbell.—100 BARRELS TEA ROSE FLOUR.

jan 30 GEO. S. DEFOREST.

MOLASSES.

LANDING ex Charlie Bell, from Boston—100 Puns. PORTO RICO MOLASSES.

jan 30 GEO. S. DEFOREST.

SUGAR.

LANDING ex M. R. W., from New York—42 Hhds. VACUUM PAN SUGAR.

GEO. S. DEFOREST,
jan 30 11 South Wharf.

ROBERT MARSHALL,

Fire, Life & Marine Insurance Agent

NOTARY PUBLIC,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

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Carriage Stock.

C. G. BERRYMAN Has just Received 1 Case Dasher Leather; 1 do. Curtaining Tufting Buttons, Lining Nails, Shaft Sockets, Fellor Plates, Shaft Shackels, Seat Poppets, &c.

jan 13

78 KING STREET.

LATEST HAT OUT,

The Fulton & Monarch.

oct 17 at PUNN BROS.

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LANDING ex Scandinavian, via Portland, and daily expected:—

404 HALF CHESTS

New Season's

KAISOW CONGOUS!

LOGAN & KINDSAY,

feb 12 62 King street.

NOW DISCHARGING.—2,200 bushels P.E.I OATS. For sale by

MASTERS & PATTERSON,
jan 6 19 South Market Wharf.

75 KING STREET.—In Store—Twenty bbls. DRIED APPLES. For sale cheap by

JOHN CHRISTY.
jan 15

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

To take effect on MONDAY, November 24th, 1873.

TRAINS LEAVE.	Exp.	Acc.	Fgt.	Exp.
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
St. John,	8.00	10.30	2.30	4.30
		P. M.		
Hampton,	9.10	12.10	4.15	5.35
Sussex,	10.15	2.15	6.35	6.55
Petitcodiac,	11.10	3.47	8.55	8.00
	P. M.			
Moncton, *Arrive*	12.15	5.35	10.50	
" *Leave*		5.45		
Painsec Junc., *Arrive*	12.35	6.15		
" " *Leave*	12.40	6.45		
		6.50		
Painsec Junction,	1.00	6.20	4.40	
Point du Chene,	1.45	7.10	4.45	
Amherst,	2.40	10.35		
		A. M.		
Londonderry,	5.08	4.30		
Truro, *Arrive*	5.50	6.00		
		Ex.	A. M.	
" *Leave*	6.10	6.30	7.15	
Pictou,	3.00			Acc. 6.00
New Glasgow,	3.39			6.47
Truro,	5.45			9.50
Truro,	6.10			10.20
Shubenacadie,	7.30	7.35	9.40	11.50
Windsor Junction	8.22	8.55	12.27	1.45
Halifax, *Arrive*	9.00	9.30	1.20	2.35

TRAINS LEAVE.	Epx.	Acc.	Fgt.	Exp.
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Halifax,	7.30	10.15	3.20	4.00
Windsor Junction.	8.50	11.15	4.48	4.38
Shubenacadie.	9.20	1.02	7.15	5.50
Truro, *Arrive*	10.20	2.35	9.00	7.00
				Acc.
Truro, *Leave*	10.25			7 20
Truro, *Leave*	20.30	3.00		
New Glasgow,	12.35	6.13		
Pictou,	1.15	7.00		
Londonderry,	11.06			9.15
				A. M.
Amherst,	1.50			3.10
Painsec Junc., *Arrive*	3.35			6.40
" *Leave*	3.40			
Point du Chene		11.45	2.45	6.00
Painsec Junction		12.20	3.30	7.16
			A. M.	
Moncton	4.05		9.00	7.55
		Exp.		
		A. M.		
Petitcodiac,	5.03	6.00	11.25	9.30
Sussex,	6.15	7.05	2.15	11.25
				P. M.
Hampton,	7.14	8.08	4.02	1.05
St. John, *Arrive*	8.30	9.20	6 00	2.35

☞ For full particulars see small Time Tables, which can be had at all Booking Stations.
Tickets for all Stations on this Line can be obtained at Hall & Hanington's Ticket Agency, Prince William street, St. John.

LEWIS CARVELL,
General Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, 6th November, 1872. nov 21

CONSOLIDATED European & North American Railway.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

ON and after MONDAY, 10th November, trains will, until further notice, run as follows:

Express leaves St. John (Ferry) for Bangor and Intermediate Stations, at 8.00 a.m., connecting with Trains of Fredericton, and N. B. and C. Railway, due in Bangor 6.15 p.m.

Express leaves Bangor 7.45 a.m., for St. John and Intermediate Stations, connecting with trains of N. B. and C., and Fredericton Railway, due in St. John 7.00 p.m.

Accommodation for Fredericton and Freight leaves St. John 2.45 p.m.

Accommodation leaves Fredericton 8.30 a.m., and Express 3 p.m., for St. John.

M. H. ANGELL, Superintendent. H. D. McLEOD, Asst. Supt.
St. John, 9th Nov., 1873. nov 6

Intercolonial Railway.

TENDERS FOR FENCES.

TENDERS will be received at this office until six o'clock, p.m., on Saturday, 31st instant, for the erection of a quantity of Fencing between Windsor Junction and Pictou Landing, and between St. John and Point du Chene, and also for the delivery of Fence Posts and Poles at various points on the line.

Tenders will be received at the same time from owners of Land fronting upon the Railway, for the erection and maintenance of the Fences across their property.

A specification of the work, with bill of quantities, may be seen after Wednesday next, 11th inst., at all Stations on the line, where printed forms of tender may also be obtained.

The Department will not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

LEWIS CARVELL,
General Superintendent.
Railway Office, Moncton, 7th Feb., 1874. feb 14

Intercolonial Railway.

TENDERS FOR BUILDING.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 6 p. m., on Saturday, 21st Feb., inst., from persons disposed to offer for the construction of a Dwelling House at Moncton.

Plans and Specifications may be seen on and after Wednesday next, at the Railway Office, Hollis street, Halifax, at the Railway Station, St. John, and at the Engineer's Office, Moncton, where forms of tender may be obtained.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

LEWIS CARVELL,
General Superintendent.
Railway Office, Moncton, Feb. 7, 1874. feb 14

CHOICE DAIRY BUTTER

13 tubs and 3 bbls.

Roll BUTTER.

All carefully selected for Family use.

dec 29 BERTON BROTHERS.

Huckin's Tomato Soup

THE above delicious article just received at
dec 31 R. E. PUDDINGTON'S.

FAR, FAR AWAY!

LO! BEHOLD HE IS COMING!

JUST RECEIVED a beautiful assortment of very fine OPERA GLASSES, in Plain, Fancy and Ornamental Styles, just the article to bestow on a Lady or Gentleman

For a Christmas or New Year Gift.

20 different patterns to select from will be sold low. Lose not the present opportunity.
R. D. McARTHUR,
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APPLES, extra quality—Ribston Pippins and Rhode Island Greenings, for sale by
b 7 MASTERS & PATTERSON, 19 South M. Wharf.

MEN'S LONG BOOTS!

JUST RECEIVED:

70 Pairs Men's Fine French Calf Boots,

BROAD SOLE.
GEO. JACKSON,
nov 15 32 King street.

75 KING STREET.

JUST RECEIVED:

20 Boxes Castile Soap!

For sale low by
JOHN CHRISTY,
31 Under Waverley House.

HARDWARE!

C. G. BERRYMAN,
Barlow's Corner, - - 5 King Street,

JUST RECEIVED.—Rules, Door Springs, Mineral and Porcelain Knobs, Trunk, Cupboard and Chest Keys, Brass Buttons, Oce's Wrenches, Blake's Butts, Gimblets, Brass Hooks & Eyes, Tinned Gridirons, Corn Poppers, Tin Oilers, Metalic Cartridges, Read and Match Planes, Brad and Chafts Pokers, Glaziers Points, Screw Drivers, Level Glasses, Mallets, Molasses Gates, Tea Spoons, Oil Stone, Clothes Line Pulleys Barn Door Rollers and Hangers, Furniture Casters, Pad Locks. 1 13

LABRADOR HERRING, superior quality by
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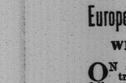
Steamboat.



1874.

INTERNATIONAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Steamer and Rail.

FOR PORTLAND & BOSTON.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ONE TRIP A WEEK.

ON and after THURSDAY, January first, the splendid sea-going steamer "New Brunswick," N. C. Long, Master, will leave Reed's Point wharf every Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, for Eastport and Portland.

Returning—will leave Portland every Monday, at 6 o'clock, p. m. or after the arrival of the noon train from Boston, for Eastport and St. John until further notice.

No claims for allowance after Goods leave the warehouse.

Freights received on Wednesdays only up to 6 o'clock, p. m.

H. W. CHISHOLM, Agent.
dec 30

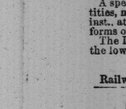
TWO TRIPS A WEEK!

ST. JOHN TO HALIFAX.

Steamer "SCUD,"

FOR DIGBY AND ANNAPOLIS!

Connecting with the Windsor and Annapolis Railway for KENTVILLE, WOLFVILLE, WINDSOR and HALIFAX. With Stages for LIVERPOOL and YARMOUTH, N. S.



STEAMER "SCUD" will, until further notice, leave her wharf, Reed's Point, at 8 o'clock, a.m., WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, (returning same days,) for DIGBY and ANNAPOLIS, connecting with 2.30 p.m. Train for Halifax and Way Stations.

Change of Fare—Winter Rates.

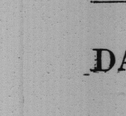
On and after December 1st, 1873, until further notice, the rates for Through Tickets, per Steamer and Railway, will be as follows;

St. John to Halifax	$5.00
do Windsor	4.00
do Kentville	3.25

Intermediate Railway Stations in proportion. No increase on former Rates to Digby and Annapolis.

St. John to Digby	$1.50
do Annapolis	2.00

SMALL & HATHEWAY,
jan 28 up 39 Dock Street.



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The following first-class full powered Steamships will be despatched for St. John, N. B., via Halifax, (unless prevented by unforeseen circumstances) as follows:—

"INDIA."

FROM GLASGOW.	FROM LIVERPOOL.
Saturday 14th March.	Wednesday, 18th March

"SIDONIAN."

From London.....Saturday, 28th March.	

"DORIAN."

FROM GLASGOW.	FROM LIVERPOOL
Saturday, 28th March.	Wednesday, April 1.

To be followed by regular monthly sailings during the remainder of the season.

FREIGHT.

Fine Goods 50 shillings and 10 per cent. primage, or upon as favorable terms as by any other Trans-Atlantic Steamship Line. Coarse Goods and dead weight as per agreement.

FARE.

Cabin Passage	13 Guineas
Intermediate do	8 do.
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Parties desirous of bringing out their friends should make immediate application to the subscribers, who will grant Certificates of Passage from any place in England, Ireland or Scotland, to St. John, N. B., which are good for 12 months.

Drafts issued, payable on presentation, in sums from £1 upward.

No Bill of Lading will be signed for a less sum than half a guinea. Apply to

HENDERSON BROS.....Glasgow
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HENDERSON BROS.....Londonderry
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Or to
SCAMMELL BROS.,
5 and 6 Smyth street,
jan 14 St. John, N. B.

FLOUR!

NOW LANDING and in Store—6,000 bbls, of the following Choice Brands:—

TEA ROSE,	ALBION,	SPINKS EX.,
Marshalls A,	Port Hope,	Snowflake,
Warcupe,	Opal,	Victoria,
Sunnyside,	Oneida,	White Frost,
White Pigeon,	Balmoral,	Bridal Rose,
Howlands C. Ex.	Rosebank,	Model M,
Marshalls Ex.	Bakers Choice,	Woodhouse,
Brussels,	St. John City,	Wolverton.

200 Bbbls. OATMEAL.

For sale by
jan 14 HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

From Saturday's Second Edition.

LEGISLATURE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 14.

This morning the bill already introduced, were read the second time.

Bills were introduced as follows: by Mr. Willis, to incorporate the Loyal Orange Association of New Brunswick; by Mr. Lindsay, to establish the number of members of the House of Assembly; by Mr. Crawford, to incorporate the Westfield Hall Company; by Mr. Napier, to extend the present and other terms of the House of Assembly from four to eight years; by Mr. Hanington, to regulate the sale and lease of lands held by the Diocesan Church Society, accompanied by a petition from Bishop Medley and other members of the Society in favor of the same; by Mr. Butler, to change the name of office of certain parish officers; by Mr. Tibbetts, to establish an additional polling place in Victoria County.

Mr. Napier guve notice that on Tuesday next he would move an address to the Governor asking that a statement of the expenses incurred on account of small-pox in Gloucester during the past year be laid before the House.

Mr. Ryan was added to the Contingent Committee and Special Committee on Reports.

Mr. Wedderburn, from the latter Committee, reported that in reference to Mr. Smith's offer for reporting the proceedings of the House they had decided to take no action on it; he reported that a memorial against it had been laid before the Committee by the proprietors of the Fredericton papers. From the Contingent Committee he reported that it had decided to allow each member $6 for stationery; it also recommended that the Government communicate with the Post Office Inspector with the view of making an arrangement for the transmission of letters, etc., of members through the mails at commuted rates.

The Address came up at 12, as the order of the day.

The first five sections passed without discussion.

Maher urged that the sixth paragraph was not an answer to the corresponding one in the speech, inasmuch as, while the former stated that several of the Provincial claims on the Dominion Government were yet unsettled, the latter referred to our claims as a whole. He went on to say that there is an impression on the public mind that the sum granted in lieu of our export duty is to be taken as a settlement of the better terms question, and that the paragraph in the speech itself tends to confirm such an impression. He saw no prospect of our claims being settled.

Gough said, the "confident expectation" of the Government in the matter was their annual offering.

The Provincial Secretary said Maher did not understand the matter. Some of our claims have been settled, such as the one for the Railway iron. Unadjusted claims still remain, and it is expected that when they are settled our better terms claims will be taken up and also adjusted. A delegation would have gone to Ottawa on the subject during the past season but for the dissolution of the Commons and similar causes. He explained the nature of the claims and the settlement in reference to the export duty.

Wedderburn made a twenty minute speech on the two classes of claims pending in favor of the Province, against the Dominion Government. The paragraph under discussion alluded to both the Better Terms and Unadjusted claims. It would be well if the matter was brought up in such a way as to have placed before the people the exact position of the matter. It should be known definitely just how far the one hundred and fifty thousand dollars given in lieu of Export Duties affected our claim.

Mr. Maher said he wished to elicit from the Government their view, as to whether they consider the sum granted for exports in any way settling better terms claims.

The Attorney General said that our better terms claims were based on our poverty, and so far as that was removed by the export duty grant the claims were affected.

Maher, in closing, said we had in the Export Duty relinquished the only privilege we had of expanding our revenue by duties. The sixth section then passed, and on the seventh, relating to railway subsidies, Gough addressed the House, saying there were "glittering generalities" in the address which were well enough, but the Government should explain in figures exactly what it proposed to do in the matter of railways. He then referred back to the section just passed, saying the Government kept the "confident expectation" of having our better terms claims settled in the speech and address because it helped to keep them in power. If the Government unfortunately remained in power he expected to see the same thing stated ten years hence, until the general election would no doubt set aside this species of humbuging.

Mr. Beckwith replied to some allusions Gough made to him.

Mr. Wedderburn had just risen to speak when the House separated for dinner.

New Parsonage at Welsford, Queen's Co.

The congregation of the Episcopal Church at Welsford, Queen's Co., have commenced the erection of a parsonage for their pastor, the Rev. J. P. Sheraton. The site of the building is a picturesque bank of the Nerepis stream, and commands a splendid view of the surrounding scenery, and we believe a more fitting site could not have been procured at so convenient a distance from the church. The building is of irregular form and is arranged in the most convenient manner, showing the good taste and judgment of the architect. The dimensions of the main building are 27x33 feet, being laid off in parlor and dining room, each 15½x16 feet, study 9x10½ feet, principal hall 9x20½ feet. The L, which is 22x17 feet, is laid off in kitchen, 16x14 feet, with pantry, china closet, &c., &c. The out-buildings attached, which are 30x28 feet, comprise carriage-house, wood-house, cow-house, stabling, harness room, water closet, &c., &c., all arranged in the most convenient manner. The second floor, which is gained by the principal and rear stairs, comprises 3 well-lighted chambers, two of which being 14½x16 feet, and one being 15½x18 ft., one bedroom 9x18 feet, and one 9x10½ feet, with closets, &c., &c. There is a basement under the L, containing frost-proof cellar, &c., all basement walls and foundations being built of good substantial rubble masonry. The superstructure is of wood. The exterior finish will have neat bracketed cornices, with plain hip and gable roofs, neat glass entrance porch. With its neat and becoming designs, and having the advantage of modern conveniences, and its very moderate cost, it will, when finished, be a credit to the congregation and all parties concerned. The plans, &c., have been furnished by D. E. Dunham, Esq., architect, of this city, under whose supervision and direction the work will be carried out; and the contract has been awarded to Mr. Edward Sproull, of Welsford, builder, for the constructing and finishing of the whole at the very moderate sum of $1800.

Shipping Notes.

The schooner The Star, Clark, master, before reported ashore, has been got off full of water; she will be towed to Portsmouth.

Quick Passage.—The brigt. Florence, Woods, master, has made the passage from Halifax to Kingston, Ja., in 12 days, one of the quickest trips on record.

The brigantine Thala, from Boston for Halifax on or about the 1st inst., has not reached her port of destination. No fears are entertained as to her safety, as it is thought probable she has got iced up and been compelled to run for warm weather.

The bark Cronstadt, from New York for Liverpool, is reported by Cable as being ashore at Baltimore, Ireland.

Missing Vessel.—The ship Julia, of Yarmout, N. S., Dunkerton, master, sailed from Savannah Dec. 7th, with 2,557 bales of cotton, valued at $162,960, for Liverpool, and not having since been heard of some fears are entertained for her safety.

The bark Eliza Young, Perret, master, from Doboy, 18th Dec., for Barrow E., has been wrecked off Crookhaven. The N. Y. registered 540 tons, was built at Yarmouth, N. S., in 1858, and hailed from Dublin.

Disasters in December.—The Committee of Management of the Bureau Veritas has just published a list of maritime disasters reported during the month of December, 1873, concerning all flags. This list gives following statistics:—Sailing vessels totally lost, 267, viz: 127 English, 31 German, 20 Greek, 16 French, 16 Norwegian, 11 Italian, 10 Russian, 9 American, 6 Danish, 6 Spanish, 4 Swedish, 3 Austrian, 2 Portuguese, 1 Brazilian and 1 Turkish. In this number are included 9 sailing vessels reported missing. Steamers totally lost, 31, viz:—17 English, 4 French, 4 Spanish, 2 Swedish, 2 German, 1 American and 1 Japanese. In this number are included 9 steamers reported missing.

Edward Blake's Fall.

An article in the Toronto *Mail* of Wednesday, on the career of Edward Blake, is interesting in view of the action on his part our Ottawa special announces to-day. Mr. Blake has reason to be ashamed of the ignoble acts that mark his career, and he has, no doubt, grown thoroughly disgusted with the winding ways through which the peculiar tactics of his party forced him. It is not strange that Edward Blake should become ashamed of being the spokesman of an Organized Hypocrisy. The *Mail* says:

Proud of his genius and confident in the integrity of his purpose, the moderate men of all Parties would have gathered round him as a secure centre, and, led by him, would have followed his lead with that almost unreasoning faith the people ever have in the true patriot. But how widely opposite and different is his position now?—in almost open antagonism to the leaders of the Grit Party, chafing and wincing under the iron despotism of George Brown, distrusted by his opponents and without a follower in the House unless it be the vacillating and uncertain member for West Toronto, his own very election so imperilled as to render it imperative to resort to improper means or suffer humiliating defeat, while on the hustings forced to bear the taunts and jeers of those who were once his warmest supporters for many a broken pledge and many an unfulfilled promise!

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His conduct when a question connected with the Scott murder came up, was the first act that brought shame to the cheeks of his friends. When he crawled out of the House so as to avoid being forced to take any action in the matter. He had declaimed ever and strongly against Coalitions, yet formed one with the renegade Tory Cartwright, and what is far worse, as far as political morality is concerned, with several men who forty-eight hours before were strong supporters of Sir John Macdonald. He had inveighed with bitter scorn against the necessity for thirteen Ministers, yet formed a Government consisting of fifteen. He denounced in language of more than ordinary power the evils of placemen, yet filled himself at the first opportunity the situation he condemned.

We state these things plainly, but without any bitterness towards Mr. Blake. With others, we respect his great talents, but deplore their prostitution to ignoble ends. He is still a young man, and may yet serve his country well; and never did she need his services more than now. For while her destinies are under the guidance of the bold, avaricious, unscrupulous men who now control the Government, a growing fear is rising in the minds of the people that our own interests are about to be sacrificed in the interests of the American Ring who control the Northern Pacific Line. Should this fear prove well founded—and it is at least suspicious that Mr. Senator Brown, the Dictator of the Cabinet, hurries off to New York at a time when a meeting of the Northern Pacific Directors is about to be held—Mr. Blake may atone for all the evil he has done if he will stand by the country now and denounce this base scheme, even though he thereby lose power for the present; for the time will come, and soon, if he takes this course, when he will find at his back a strong phalanx composed of those from all parties who believe in the watchword, "Country before Party."

Mr. Blake's retirement from the Cabinet is a full confession of the statement that he is "in almost open antagonism to the leaders of the Grit party, chafing and wincing under the iron rule of George Brown." It was not to be expected that Mr. Blake would remain in the Cabinet with Alex. Mackenzie, who has lent his name and official influence to a mining speculation, and with the infamous Huntington, who is under indictment for swindling. Either suicide or resignation was open to Mr. Blake, and he has chosen the latter.

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