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England and Russia.

The situation remains unaltered. England continues to refuse to discuss any treaty except on the basis of the Treaty of Paris. Russia considers that England having sent a fleet up the Dardanelles, against the will of Turkey, has herself violated that Treaty. In the meantime Bismarck is making proposals for a Congress. Should these proposals fail will there be war? It seems not.

There will be no necessity for England to declare war. It will be sufficient for her, in the words of the *Pall Mall Gazette*, to continue her armament; to occupy certain parts of territory not necessarily provocative of a collision with the Russian force; and to keep Russia in her present position in an unrecognized treaty in her possession, but no other gain from the war but such as she can retain by actual physical possession at ruinously increasing cost, and there let her remain until she returns to the sense of her duty to Europe.

The Brown-Kelly Investigation.

Where is the Money?

Mr. J. C. Brown, C. E., was to receive a sum of \$65,727.00 cash for grading, etc., the Chatham Branch road. He acknowledges he received \$40,000 in cash. The Government subsidy and stock subscription amounted to \$65,000. Deducting \$40,000 cash, the question is, where has the balance, amounting to \$25,000 of Government money, gone to? A satisfactory explanation of that would be a much better occupation for the *Telegraph* than abusing Mr. Brown, Mr. O'Leary, Mr. Cottrell, the *News*, et al.

We should be exceedingly sorry to find the Hon. Wm. Kelly's reputation tainted by official corruption, but we must say the explosions of anger of our city contemporary, a sole sufficient to place Mr. Kelly in a very unfavorable position. Calm, considerate people in the country are not convinced by displays of violent language, but are apt to argue that a reputation requiring to be sustained by such distempered reflections on other people has not a very firm basis. We do sincerely hope that Hon. Mr. Kelly will come out of this painful matter with clean hands; a contrary result would be a reproach to the fair name of our Province and to the reputation of her public men, and the shortest remedy to remove any doubts in the public mind as to Mr. Kelly's innocence, is not to blacken the characters of his accusers, but for the *Telegraph* to show he received no portion of that \$25,000 of public money, which stopped somewhere in transit between the Treasury and Mr. Brown's pockets.

The "Northern Light."

The irreparable loss that the world would sustain should any disaster happen to this \$100,000 wonder of Hon. Mr. Smith's, was a subject of remark by a naval officer, who lately inspected her, for said he, "Keep her safe; the world has never seen anything just like her and it never will again."

Like MARY SNELLY'S Frankenstein, the great-great-aunt of nature furnishes only one such prodigy. Had JULIUS VERNE four years ago received a hint that such a marine wonder was in process of being hatched on this North American continent, he would surely have postponed issuing his *Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea*, to have added a few chapters on the great Smith-Severell invention. He would have taught the effete despots and down-trodden millions of Europe what is being done in this land of purity and steel rails under the eyes of a Sea and a moderate cost of \$100,000!

Hon. Mr. Poiré has given in the Commons a graphic and thrilling account of the manner in which this vessel solved winter navigation in Charlottetown Harbor. A horse that had been placed under the bow and rig up a horse power there to aid her movements and to facilitate the navigation of the Straits, but the horse becoming spanned just at the time of Mr. Cartwright's second deficit, the project was abandoned on economical grounds.

Canada's proposed volunteer corps of ten thousand men to help sustain the traditional fame of British arms before the walls of Byzantium might be supplemented by our Canadian marines wonder. Imagine the sensation in the ranks of the enemy at the appearance of this mysterious tribe of life in the Sea of Marmara! Whether sea-serpent, sea-devil, or huge alligator, or a revived Ichthyosaurus from the Jurassic sea bottoms, this specimen of horse-mine archi-tecure would likely fill the minds of the superstitious sons from the Steppes with terror, as if the wrath of the gods was indeed threatening them, and more terrible than the Cossacks that hung in the rear of Napoleon's retreating legions from Moscow, the powers of darkness in-

voked by our own ADMIRAL SMITH would pursue them. None should escape him—

Terebentoff, Ignatieff, and Schepeloff, And all the others that end in off; And Neldoff and Kostomarov and Theodoff. And all the others that end in off; Molodtchich and Juladovitch and Karachowitch, And all the others that end in off; Osharoffsky and Rostoffsky and Kastichoffsky. And all the others that end in off; And Platoff, he'd play him off, And Markoff, he'd mark him off, And Tutchoff, he'd touch him off, And Woronoff, he'd worry him off, And Dochtoroff, he'd doctor him off, so that the land of the Ottoman should know no more and the name of Sarraz might become as immortal as the animal whose timely cackle once saved the seven-hilled city.

Personal and Political.

The Election Petition cases against Messrs. Lafamme and Langevin have been dismissed by the Supreme Court.

Hon. John Young, the chairman of the Hay Verte Canal Commission, died at Montreal on Saturday, aged 67 years.

John Wheaton, Esq., proprietor of the Kent Hotel, Richibucto, died suddenly on Saturday from heart disease.

Dr. Thomas, a leading Methodist divine of Chicago, and Prof. Swigg (Independent) are preaching the No-bell doctrine.

Mr. Ellerhausen, owner of the Bell's Cove (Nfld.) Copper Mines, was descending the main shaft (500 feet deep) the other day, when the chain connecting with the cage broke. Mr. Ellerhausen sprang and caught hold of the side timbers, where he clung till released. A narrow escape from a horrible death.

Mr. A. C. Thomas of Windsor wrote to the *Mail* that for eight years he marsh-mugged his upland, manured it carefully, dressed it with bone dust, but he was never able to obtain more than thirty bushels of barley to the acre, until he undertook, when the yield sprang up to sixty bushels to the acre. If more experimental farmers like Col. Laurie and Mr. Thomas used their pens as well as their brains, and wrote freely for the public, it would be greatly to the advantage of the farming community.

That sin and punishment go tirot the world with their heads tied together, never received a more signal evidence than in the suicide of Madame Restell the other day. The possessor of a fortune, living in a palatial residence on Fifth Avenue, New York, and every material want satisfied, yet, pursued by the furies of her own mind, she waited till her household had retired, stealthily procured a knife, and in the morning she was found dead in her bed, with her throat cut from ear to ear. She was a professional abortionist, and a charge for selling improper medicine was then pending against her.

On Monday Mr. Theriault, in the Local House, moved his resolution, affirming the right of the French inhabitants of the Province to representation in the Executive and Legislative Councils. It was well received by the House. Mr. Johnson did not forget how the French representative who sat so long for Westminster was treated in reference to a seat in the Legislative Council which was given to another. That gentleman had sat for twenty years in the House, and it was a shame that he did not get justice from the Government.

Mr. Costigan sharply criticized the political consistency of Hon. Mr. Smith, in the Quebec debate, Saturday. Mr. Smith was leader of the Government in the Legislative Council. Against the action of the Governor, a majority of the House—twenty-two members, headed by Mr. Smith—sent an address to the Queen, complaining in the strongest way of the Governor for dismissing a Minister who had a majority of the House. Now Mr. Smith is prepared to defend and applaud the act of a Governor—Mr. Letellier—who dismissed the Quebec Ministry that possessed a majority of twenty! If Governor Gordon's conduct was one of "moral turpitude," why not also Governor Letellier's? The telegram states that Mr. Smith in reply said the position he took in New Brunswick was consistent with his present position. The Imperial Government had approved of Gordon's conduct, and the people would follow him. He said then he said now that Gordon's conduct was unconstitutional and treacherous. It was on the ground of moral turpitude that his appeal was made to the Queen, and as the Queen did not interfere with Gordon, this Government should not interfere with Letellier.

It makes all the difference whose bull is gored.

On Monday, Mr. Mitchell gave his version of Governor Gordon's acts. He said Governor Gordon received a despatch from the Colonial Secretary instructing him to use his influence for the carrying of Confederation. This despatch was showed to Smith, and Smith told that Governor Gordon would see his colleagues and agree with them on terms for carrying Confederation. Mr. Mitchell read from the speech from the throne as proof that Smith agreed to Confederation if he could have it on his own terms, and charged that he had lacked courage to carry out their intention. Gordon was led to believe that his ministers would carry out the policy that was forced on him, and when they failed him he was forced to look for other ministers, whom he found. Were the people, who had fought for fifty years to build up a responsible Government, to see it swept away, and eight despots set up in the country? Letellier was appointed by this Government and was the slave of the Parliament as follows:—

The House divided as follows:— Yeas 70, nays 112—party vote.

Parliament will probably not progress before the middle of May.

PARLIAMENTARY.

From the Post's Ottawa Correspondent.

THE QUEBEC COUP.

OTTAWA, April 15.—The discussion of the Quebec outrage was the event of last week. Sir John Macdonald opened the debate in a speech which was worthy of so grave an occasion, and of his reputation as a statesman. He placed all party feelings out of sight, sank all party feeling, and treated the question in a grave and judicial spirit. He laid down the principle that the constitution is not to be sought in the precedents and practices and teachings of a century ago, but in those of modern times. The constitution had long been progressing, until the principle of responsible Government became the unwritten law of England and finally of the Colonies, and there could be no going back to arbitrary rule without outraging the principle of Government on which our system rests. He quoted from various authors, all of whom are recognized authorities, and of particular weight among Liberals, to show that his interpretation of this law was that of all the advanced writers of recent times, and then brought Mr. Letellier to the bar, tried him according to the standard, and found him wanting. It was a masterly exposition of constitutional Government, under the British system, and will undoubtedly take rank as a handbook of Responsible Government, one without which no family, with boys in it, likely to become Lieutenant Governors, should be without.

ALEXANDER'S SURRENDER.

Mr. Mackenzie could not controvert Sir John's doctrine, nor could he show that Mr. Letellier had not violated the constitution. He felt this so strongly, saw so plainly that if he dared to meet the resolution by a defence of his appointee that he would be defeated in the House, that he accepted the doctrine which had been laid down, and professed not to know whether they had been violated or not. He would not say that they had not been violated, but he would say that it would be highly improper and indecent for the Parliament or Government of Canada to express any opinion on his conduct, let it be what it might. The people of Quebec, he said, should be left to settle the matter among themselves. This was the view he presented to his followers. He called upon them, not to justify the acts of his Government, but simply to say that they had no right to interfere. This was a very clever stroke, and saved him from the low and sordid Brunswick supporters and many others, who would certainly have voted for Sir John's resolution if an attempt had been made to justify the acts it condemned. A lawyer, in Mr. Mackenzie's place, would have almost to a certainty made the mistake of pleading justification as well as want of jurisdiction, but the Premier knew better than to weaken the only point in which reliance was to be placed by coupling it with another of no weight except with Quebec Liberals who needed no argument to secure their support. Mr. Mackenzie attempted to give his followers from Ontario and the Maritime Provinces an excuse for not supporting Sir John's resolution, and he succeeded very well in this rather discreditable undertaking. It was a pitiable sight, and he evidently felt it after the fact, for the low ground he was compelled to stand on. Other speakers dealt with the matter in a Quebec point of view, discussing Provincial politics rather than constitutional principles, until midnight, when Mr. Palmer took the floor and made an able constitutional law argument, showing that the Lieutenant Governors are not in an analogous position to the Queen, but are her servants, with such powers as are delegated to them by the terms of their commission, and clearly subject to approval, censure or punishment by the appointing power.

AN ALL-NIGHT STRUGGLE.

Baby and Cameron followed, being replied to in a pompous, rhetorical style by Huntington, and McDougall of Three Rivers asked for the adjournment of the debate. But the Government said "No, go on." Mr. McDougall in preparing for the evening had made the mistake which George Eliot's Mr. Brooke made when he was to address the Middlemarch electors—took one glass of sherry too much—and was not in trim for very sharp reasoning. He pressed for adjournment, and the refusal was persisted in. Then he spoke for some time, hour or two, and his friends determined that the debate should be continued. One speaker followed another all night, while members slept in various places, imbibed freely in the restaurants, or amused themselves in the House. One old gentleman had a place in the middle of the floor some time, flourishing his hat in one hand and his cane in the other—very drunk. A group of French members sang Canadian boat songs, the Marcellaise, Adieu! Lang Syne, and other songs, the refrain being taken up all over the House, and an obligato played with desk covers, boot heels, whistles, jews-harps and other instruments. It was a wild night. When Saturday's breakfast had been eaten, members retiring for it in detachments, order succeeded chaos, and members spoke to a small but respectful House. Domville made an exceedingly happy effort, when the House had to be detained until a gentleman who wanted to speak had arrived, reading elegant extracts from literary works, and making the members roar with laughter by applying them to the question before the House. As an impromptu it was capital of its kind, and was heard throughout without interruption.

COSTIGAN GOES FOR ALBERT J.

The debate dragged on, French gentlemen on the Opposition side chiefly occupying the time until noon, when Mr. Costigan rose and made a scathing review of the position of Hon. Albert J. Smith and Mr. Gilmour, who, in the Province of New Brunswick, had denounced Governor Gordon in unmeasured terms for persisting in a course on Confederation which his Ministers did not advise, and now proposed to vote that Governor Letellier was right when he dismissed his Ministers.

ADDRESS TO LORD DUFFERIN.

There was no dissenting voice in the House when Mr. Mackenzie, seconded by Sir John Macdonald, moved an address to Lord Dufferin, regretting his departure, and expressing feelings of esteem and admiration. The speeches were brief and complimentary. Bunsler, who had been expected to speak, was prevented in some way from doing so, and thus there was no burlesque element in the proceedings.

SECTIONAL PROTECTION.

The Ontario men, after having voted against Sir John Macdonald's resolution in favor of a comprehensive system of protection for Canadian manufactures, products and minerals, came into the House with resolutions for the protection of wheat and flour, and corn and oats. The former had but twenty-eight supporters, all but one being from Ontario, and the latter found fifty-six friends.

THE PENITENTIARY.

If you are condemned to the penitentiary within the next six months or so, you will be forced to make a visit to St. John. The Minister, in reply to Mitchell the other night, did not name any time, but he gave the impression that moving day for the St. John and Halifax convicts would not come for some time.

LIQUOR LEGISLATION.

The Liquor Bill has finally escaped, by very narrow majorities, the dangers which beset it in the Senate. Various amendments were urged on Senators by delegations of both friends and foes, and it required much effort to prevent the adoption of any of them. The only one of any importance that was carried, on division, provided that cases might be carried, by writ of certiorari to higher courts than the Stipendiary Magistrate's. The majority was only two, and next day, when five more members were present, this amendment was reconsidered by a majority of one, and the original clause restored to the bill. It will doubtless pass the House without serious change.

Obituary.

The L-to Mrs. Snowball.

Elsewhere, in our columns, will be found the announcement of the decease of the widow of the late Rev. John Snowball; an announcement which has been received with grief in many households in our neighborhood, and will carry sorrow to numerous relations and friends at a distance, for Mrs. Snowball was widely known, and as widely beloved. For about half a century she was the Westchester Minister of the Maritime Provinces. How nobly she sustained him in his work, and often in hardship and danger of which happily the present generation have but little experience, is only known to him whose service they were and whose cause they were so generous and heroic in supporting. Just such as adorn the Christian gentleman. Last autumn, while visiting her daughter in Truro, N. S., she met with a serious accident, though from her effects she had appeared to be quite recovered. But last Thursday afternoon, after a short illness, she died. Her remains were brought to Sackville, and laid to rest beside those of her late husband on Sabbath last.

S. & W. Agricultural Society.

The April meeting of the Sackville & Westmorland Agricultural Society was held in the Hall, Point de Bute, on Monday afternoon, the unpleasant day and the unfavorable state of the roads no doubt prevented many of the members from attending. In the absence of the President, Mr. Howard Trueman occupied the chair. It being advisable to hold a full show, the prize list as prepared by the executive committee was read to the meeting and unanimously adopted. The only material change from last October's list was the addition of two prizes on pure-bred Yorkshire stock and two prizes on pure-bred Leicester sheep. Messrs. Humphrey and J. F. Allison were appointed a committee to take charge of the Society's grounds and buildings. The Secretary was authorized to have the prize list and other printing required by the Society done. Some of the members present who had read the Report of the Provincial Secretary of Agriculture for New Brunswick, just published, expressed their regret that such a report, so unreliable and calculated to misrepresent the farming interests of New Brunswick, should have been published.

PANDEMIONISM was let loose in Parliament on Friday night and Saturday. The Opposition determined to fight off a forced vote, spoke against time, and such speaking invariably produces some of the horse-fun style. Mr. Mackenzie was responsible for it in the beginning, but afterwards Government and Opposition members were alike uproarious.

THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE will perhaps rise this week. The Attorney-General on Tuesday introduced his resolutions, expulating Messrs. Kelly and Young in the Richibucto-Brown-Bunsler matter, and made a long speech in support of them.

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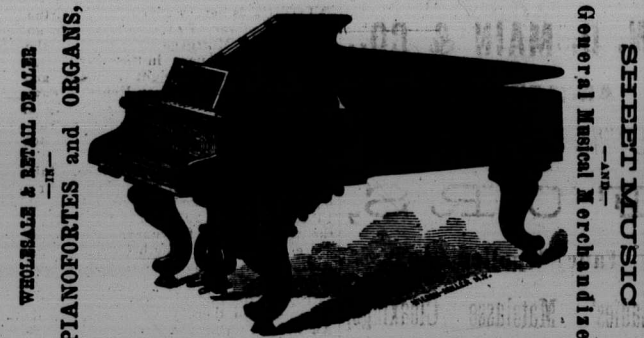
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White & Scarlet Flannels, Cotton Flannels,
Gent's Under-Shirts and Drawers,
Children's Under-Clothing,
Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.

Shawls--Plain and Fancy.

CLOTHS, TWEEDS and FANCY COATINGS,

A GOOD RELIABLE ARTICLE.

FUR GOODS, of all kinds, still further Reduced in Price!

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Tapestry Carpets,

Wool Carpets,

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VARIOUS LENGTHS, AT VERY LOW PRICES.

FURNITURE:

CENTRE TABLES, SOFAS, LOUNGES, CHAMBER SUITS, &c.

A GOOD CHAMBER SUIT FOR \$25!

BOOTS & SHOES:

No reasonable offer refused for anything
in this line that we have on hand.

In Carriage Hardware,

Harness Mounting and

Building Material, &c.

We have Full Lines and offer Special Terms and Prices to anyone buying a quantity.

Bona Fide Reductions in Prices Right Through the House, and one of the
Largest and Best Assorted Stocks of Goods to be found in any Country Town.

THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE CO.

Amherst, N. B., Feb. 20th, 1878.

A. CHRISTIE & Co., -- Planing and Moulding Mill,

Manufacturers of Doors, Sashes, Window Frames, Blinds, Shutters, Door Frames,
Turnings, Jig Sawing, Carving, Planing, Cir. Sawing, Variety Moulding, Balusters,
Newel Posts, Pine Mouldings, Walnut Moulding, Door & Window Finish, &c.
Having our establishment fitted up with first class Machinery and a large Dry House
on the most improved method, we are prepared to dry lumber for all who will be kind
enough to give us a call. All stock got at our establishment will be manufactured out
of kiln-dried material.

A. CHRISTIE & CO., St. John, N. B.

THE ONLY WAY

TO GET VALUE FOR YOUR MONEY

is to buy Goods of the
finest quality in all cases. But always
buy from the most reliable Manufacturers.
Poor Goods are dear at any price.

Boots and Shoes,

Of good Quality and Style, kept constantly
on hand, both at my Manufacture and
at my Store, in Blair's Building, opposite
the Brunswick House.

My Goods are not shop worn. They
are not made nor sold for better Stock
than they are. It will cost fifty per cent
less to show your family with my Goods
than it will with imported ones. So con-
vinced am I of their superior excellence
that I have my name and place of man-
ufacture printed on the bottom of each pair.

W. H. THORNE & CO.,

St. John, N. B.

ABNER SMITH,

Sackville, Feb. 24, 1878--17

GREAT SALE

CARPETS!

THE Subscriber being about to remove
his business to Larger and Better
adapted premises, will offer for sale,
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,
the balance of his last Spring's importa-
tions. This Sale will continue for one
month from date, and parties in need of

CARPETS

for the Spring will do well to attend, as
such a chance is not likely to occur again.
As this Sale will include the Stock saved by

Messrs. Sheraton & Skinner

from the Fire, GREAT BARGAINS may
be looked for.

BRUSSELS.

Best 5 frame body Brussels at \$1.40
\$1.45 and \$1.50.

FORMER PRICE.....\$1.65.

Short lengths of same Goods, \$1 to \$1.35.

TAPESTRIES.

Sixty pieces of New and Good Pat-
terns at 70c. and 75c. per yard.

Lengths of from 17 to 25 yards at
from 70c. to 75c. per yard. Former prices, 90c.
95c. and \$1.

WOVE CARPETS,

10 Per Cent Discount.

Union Carpets,

10 Per Cent Discount.

STAIR CARPETS,

And Other Goods in Same Proportion.

This Sale will include

100 Pairs of Lace Curtains,

Which will be sold at a small ad-
vance on the cost.

An Inspection is respectfully solicited.

Sale to Commence this Day.

A. B. SHERATON,

Market Hall,

GERMAIN STREET, - - - ST. JOHN, N. B.

Local and other Matters.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS at the Drug

Store.

A large moose was seen near Au

Lac Station yesterday.

Good Friday to-morrow -- the

stores will be closed.

Rev. Mr. SIMONDS has been elected

Rector of Dorchester.

ALL the latest Spring Novelties

can be seen at Geo. E. Ford's.

Geo. McLEOD, Esq., has 20,000-

000 ft. of logs on the Kouchibouguac.

HATS and CAPS, Boots and Shoes,

&c., just received at J. F. Allison's.

Adv. next week.

DIPHTHERIA.--Mr. Nelson Law-
rence has recently lost two children
from this disease.

THE Rev. D. M. Bliss is expected to
preach in St. Paul's Church on
Sunday next at 3 p. m.

A SNAKE, weighing about 300 lbs.,
was killed at Bay Verte on Monday
by Mr. Gouden.

VESTRY MEETINGS next Monday.
Full attendance at St. Ann's is
requested as the election of Rector
will be made.

MAPLE SUGAR.--Mr. Louis Wheaton
has leased a maple tract in Elgin, A.
&c., and has made a large quantity of
maple sugar.

SHIPPING.--Schooner "Mary C."
Stewart, master, cleared to-day for
Bathurst, with 45 tons cargo, 70 bbls.
potatoes, 630 bushels oats, 13 M.
spruce lumber, spars and hardwood,
by Messrs. Baird and Wood.

E. P. McLEAN, D. D. S., Office in
Post Office Building, Amherst, N. S.
Dr. McLean has made the Filling of
Teeth a specialty during the last five
years. He has just returned from
Philadelphia and Boston with the
latest improvements.--**Cost**

PAINFUL ACCIDENTS.--Some days
ago, while Martin Faraday was en-
gaged cutting logs in Mr. Robert
Anderson's mill, Centerville, the axe
he was using slipped, inflicting a
bad wound on his foot.--Mr. William
Hicks, same mill, received a danger-
ous cut on his foot, splitting the
second joint of his big toe.

NEW WOODENWARE FACTORY.--
Mr. J. W. Doull is about erecting a
building 30x50, and two stories, for
a factory, on Bridge Street, corner
of the back road. He has secured a
10-horse-power engine, lathes, saws,
planer, mortising machine, boring
machine, etc., and intends within
three months to be manufacturing
furniture.

A BAD PROSPECT FOR TEMPERANCE
MEN.--A temperance orator at Am-
herst the other night in discoursing
on the differences of opinion existing
amongst temperance men as to the
means to be adopted to crush out
the traffic, said these differences were
of small moment, for at last they
would all arrive at the same fail-
(Com.)

POGWAG ITEMS.--That dreadful
"spell" of weather--over, and we
keep the air cold. The Concert on
Friday evening last by the choir of
the Reform Club proved successful;
amount realized, \$15, to be devoted
to starting a reading room in con-
nection with Club--The Odd Fellows
are now to the front, preparing for
a concert to come off on the 26th
inst.--Capt. Mockler, of the barque
"Eleonor," of this place, met with
a very serious accident lately in
Savannah, S. C. In attempting to
board the vessel, he fell, striking on
the quay, breaking his hip-bone and
otherwise injuring himself badly.
The barque had to proceed to
England without him. He is ex-
pected home as soon as he is able to
travel.

The Brown-Kelly Investigation.

Majority Report.

COMMITTEE ROOMS,
House of Assembly,
April 12th, 1878.

The Committee appointed on the
27th day of March, to whom was
referred the following enquiry, viz:

Resolved, That Mr. O'Leary, a
member of this House, having stated
in his place that he is credibly
informed and believes he can estab-
lish by satisfactory evidence that an
agreement was made between the
Hon. Mr. Kelly, Chief Commissioner
of Public Works, and Member of
the Executive Council of this Pro-
vince, acting for himself and also
for the Hon. Robert Young, Presi-
dent of the Executive Council, on the
one part, and John C. Brown, acting
for the Government, on the other part,
whereby the former agreed to use their
influence and position as members of
the Government of this Province to
procure for the said John C. Brown
and certain other railway contractors,
contract for the building of the
Kent Northern Railway, the consid-
eration being that the said John C.
Brown and others should relinquish
certain claims which he or they had
against the said Honorable William
M. Kelly and Honorable Robert
Young, in respect of the Chatham
Branch Railway Company, of which
they were stockholders, and that
such claim or claims were surren-
dered for such considerations; there-
fore

Resolved, That a committee of five
members be appointed to enquire
into all the circumstances connected
with the matters in question, with
power to send for papers, persons
and records, and examine witnesses
under oath, and with instructions to
report in full the evidence taken and
all proceedings of such committee:

The committee to report they have
carefully and exhaustively enquired
into the subject matter of the said
resolutions, and submit herewith a
full and complete copy of the evidence
taken before, together with the pro-
ceedings of the said committee. That
having carefully examined such
evidence and proceedings they find
the charges contained in such
resolutions entirely groundless and
without foundation in fact, and that
the conduct of the Hon. William
M. Kelly and Hon. Robert Young was
not in any way liable to be impugned;
and further that your committee sub-
mit that the charges made against
the Honorable the President of the
Executive Council and not only en-
tirely groundless and without founda-
tion in fact, but were vexatious and
unjustifiable.

Respectfully submitted,
(S'g'd) ROBT. MARSHALL, Chairman,
ROBT. ROBINSON,
W. B. DEVERIDGE.

Minority Report.

COMMITTEE ROOMS,
House of Assembly,
April 12th, 1878.

We, the undersigned, a minority of
the committee to whom was referred
the resolution of the House preferring
certain charges against the Hon. Wm.
M. Kelly and the Hon. Robt. Young,
beg to dissent from the foregoing
report of the committee on the
grounds and for the reasons hereinaf-
ter set forth.

It appears from the testimony that
a contract in writing, dated Novem-
ber 27th, 1873, was made by Mr.
J. C. Brown with the Chatham Branch
Railway Company for the construction
of that road for \$65,727; that in the
fall of 1875 the work was taken
off Mr. Brown's hands practically
finished, as he states, and up to that
time as appears by his books, he had
received from the Hon. Wm. Kelly
who was one of the managing direc-
tors of the company, the sum of
\$36,517.62. Mr. Kelly, by private
understanding with Mr. Brown, was
to receive, as he states, the sum of
\$19,000 for the work done by him
out of the contract price. Shortly
after the completion of the Chatham
Branch Railroad, the Kent Railway
Company was organized, and Brown,
who was highly recommended by Mr.
Kelly to some of the latter company,
entered into a contract with the
company for the construction of Kent rail-
road, conditional upon the Government
approving of the contract and giving
the \$5,000 per mile subsidy. Mr.
Brown pressed Mr. Kelly for the
payment of the balance due him on
the Chatham Branch contract, which,
as stated, amounted to \$16,209.38,
but no payment was made on account
of this down to the 1st of June, 1876.
Relying upon the assurances, from
time to time received, that the
Government would approve the
Northern Railway contract, Brown
had located the line for the company,
and was engaged in the construction
of the Kent Road when he received
a telegram from Mr. Kelly, who was
then in Fredericton, urgently asking
him to meet him at the Hotel de St.
John the following day, Mr. 30th.
1876. Mr. Kelly left Fredericton on
the evening of the assembling of the
Executive Council and proceeded to
St. John to meet Mr. Brown. At this
time certain delegates from the Kent
Northern Company had come to
Fredericton to meet the Government,
for the purpose of having the contract
finally signed. It appears that Mr.
Crowford saw Mr. Brown on the train
coming to St. John before Mr. Brown
had seen Mr. Kelly, and gave him the
understanding that Mr. Kelly wanted
the \$19,000 claim against Chatham
Branch Company settled before the
Kent Northern contract would be
signed by the Government. Mr.
Crowford does not dispute this. It
appears that the parties met on the
evening of the 30th May, at the
Hotel de St. John, and there were
present Messrs. Kelly, A. E.
Kilham, A. D. Shirreff, Crawford
and William Gillespie. Mr. Brown
and Mr. Gillespie state that Mr.
Kelly insisted that Mr. Brown's claim
against the Chatham Branch Rail-
way Co., must be settled before the

Kent Railway contract would be

signed, and that it was the wish of
Messrs. Fraser and King that this
matter should be settled, and that
Mr. Kelly offered Mr. Brown \$3,000
cash and \$4,000 in the Chatham
Railway Co's bonds, and promised
that if he would agree to take this
amount in full of his claim, that
Mr. Kelly would give him a written
guarantee that the Kent Northern
contract would be signed. That in
consideration of the assurance thus
given by Mr. Kelly he would get the
contract and that he would not lose
what he had already expended, Mr.
Brown agreed to sign an agree-
ment to take the amount offered by
Mr. Kelly in full satisfaction of his
claim against the Chatham Branch
Railway Company. That after sign-
ing the agreement Mr. Kelly stated
that the Government had decided not
to approve of the Kent Railway con-
tract, and that he would not give the
written contract offered, but he
strongly assured him the contract
would be signed. The next day
Messrs. Kelly, Crawford and Brown
proceeded to Fredericton. It also
appears that Mr. Kelly introduced
William Gillespie, who was Mr.
Brown's partner, to merchants in St.
John, recommending them for credit
and stating that they were going to
get the Richibucto Railway contract.
After the return of the parties to
Fredericton, Mr. Brown was informed
that the Government had decided not
to approve of the Kent Railway con-
tract, and Mr. Kelly requested Mr.
Brown to telegraph to St. John to
Wm. Gillespie not to buy any more
goods, whereupon Mr. Brown did
telegraph as requested. Mr. Kelly
then offered Mr. Brown \$3,000 in
making the aggregate amount paid,
as stated by Mr. Brown, \$39,517.60.
It is stated by Mr. Kilham that he
did not hear the bargain made, as
stated by Mr. Brown. That there
was a good deal of conversation
between Mr. Kelly and Mr. Brown
that Mr. Kelly assured Mr. Brown
he would do all he could for the Kent
Railway. Mr. Kilham also stated that
something was said about Mr. Brown
taking \$10,000 stock in the Chatham
Railway Co., but his recollections did
not make him distinctly in regard to
this point.

Mr. Kelly largely contradicted Mr.
Brown's testimony, that he had made
the bargain at the Royal Hotel, as
stated by Mr. Brown and Mr. Gilles-
pie, and says that he considered Mr.
Brown was getting well enough paid
by the Government, and that he
did not want to be offered, as he
stated, a large price, and had not
fully performed his contract. He
also submitted a statement showing
that he had paid Mr. Brown \$44,710,
adding that he had receipts therefor,
but did not produce the same. Mr.
Kelly also stated that he had paid
Mr. Brown \$13,000 for himself out of
the contract price, but said Mr. Brown
had offered him ten per cent. if he
would make advances as he would
require them. He says he told Mr.
Brown on the following morning that
he would not advance the sums
he would require.

Mr. Crowford stated that he could
not say what took place at the Royal
Hotel, as he was only present part of
the time, but the Kent Railway was
prominently talked of in all the ne-
gociations.

Mr. Shirreff, in his evidence, stated
that he did not hear the bargain made
as stated by Mr. Brown, but he did
hear Mr. Kelly say that he would do
what he could and would use all his
influence in his favor to get the Kent
Railway for him (Mr. Brown). It
was also stated by Mr. Kelly that
Mr. Brown agreed to take \$10,000 stock
in the Chatham Railway Co., in part
payment of the balance due him. This,
Mr. Brown denies, but admits that
at the time of, or after, the bargain
was made, and he had signed the
agreement to take \$3,000 cash,
and \$4,000 bonds, he was asked by
Mr. Kelly to sign the stock book,
which he did to the amount of
\$10,000. Mr. Brown says that he
did not consider the stock of any
value, inasmuch as he would be
obliged to give his testimony to it in
this contract with the Chatham
Railway Co., as he merely took the
stock at Mr. Kelly's request.

A good deal of evidence was ad-
mitted by the committee, tending to
show that Mr. Brown did not fully
complete his contract on the Chatham
Railroad, and that the contract price
was largely in excess of the actual
value of the work. As against this
evidence there was the testimony of
Mr. Brown and others, and the
certificate of Mr. C. J. Brydges and
engineers Lynch and Perley as to the
superior character of the work. But
this evidence has not been considered
by the undersigned, as it does not
occur to them that it is at all relevant
to the enquiry. The undersigned do
not express any opinion as to whether
the version of the settlement at the
Hotel de St. John, given by Mr. Kelly,
that given by Messrs. Brown and
Gillespie, is the correct one. They
deem it to be their duty to leave that
question to the determination of the
House, but it is worthy of remark
that Mr. Kelly is not stated to have
questioned the version of the settle-
ment given by Mr. Brown, either the
large amount of his contract price
or the incompleteness of the work
done under his contract, as a reason
he should take the sum he finally
agreed to take, and abated the
balance of his claim. It is further
to be observed that, assuming Mr.
Kelly to have paid Mr. Brown the
sum of \$44,710, as stated by him
(Mr. Kelly), there remained the sum
of \$21,010 unpaid Mr. Brown as his
contract price, and it will be for the
House to consider whether any suf-
ficient reason other than Mr. Kelly's
statements that he was not to be
paid, and that the difference be-
tween the actual cash paid and the
amount of the receipts given was on
account of the allowance he was to
make Mr. Kelly personally, accord-
ing to their private arrangement. To
their private arrangement Mr. Kelly's
statement was distinctly called, but he
has not either contradicted the same or

furnished the committee with any

explanation respecting them. Be-
fore drawing their report to a close
the undersigned feel constrained to
say that they cannot regard the en-
quiry as being an exhaustive one.
They thought it their duty to elicit
all information from signed witness
which would throw light upon the
transactions into which the commit-
tee were directed by the House to en-
quire, and in their opinion it is not
only unprecedented, but also subver-
sive of the utility of Parliamentary
enquiry if a bare majority may
arbitrarily disallow questions which
their colleagues on the committee
considered it their duty to put to
witnesses on the stand, and conduct
their enquiry in accordance with
narrow technical rules which it may
serve their purpose to adopt for the
occasion. An examination of the
minutes of the committee will sug-
gest to some extent the matters in-
to which the undersigned were debarred
from entering, and will at the
same time declare the unlimited
powers which the members of the
Government were allowed to take in
their defence. The undersigned need
hardly say they have had no desire
other than to lay bare the facts to the
House and country, and upon reference
to the minutes of the committee al-
ready referred to, it will appear how
far this endeavor has been seconded
by their colleagues. It is with pain-
ful regret the undersigned also feel
compelled to remark upon the want
of courtesy and respect shown both
to their wishes and feelings by the
majority of the colleagues upon the
committee. The undersigned will, in
conclusion, say that in their opinion,
no evidence has been elicited to im-
plicate the Hon. Robt. Young in the
transaction, with respect to which the
charges against him was made.

All of which is most respectfully
submitted.

THOS. COTTRELL,
HENRY O'LEARY.

Sackville Gift Enterprise.

The drawing took place at the
Chignecto Hall on Tuesday. It
excited a good deal of interest, a
large number of spectators being
present. The following are names
of winners of the leading prizes:

No. 3,061, Tiger, T. H. Prescott & Co.,
1,004, Cavalry, F. W. Bent, Amherst;
1,281, Mare, E. A. Walsh, Shemogue; 956,
Piano Buggy, B. Woodhill, Sydney, C. B.;
1,043, Sleigh, Oliver Stevens, Sydney;
2,380, Sleigh, T. C. Muncy Co., Cape
Breton; 2,638, Double Sleigh, Frank
Harper, 734, American Buggy, H. H.
Edson, Kentville; 2,675, Buffalo, E. C.
M. Chapman, Sackville; 2,274, Sleigh
Horse, J. R. Rennie & Co., 778, Black
Mounted Harness, E. M. Stevens, Mon

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

1877-9 WINTER ARRANGEMENT 1877-8

ON and after MONDAY, 15th OCT., Trains will leave Sackville Station as follows:

Express for Halifax, and Way Stations, at 1.32 a.m., 7.21 a.m., and 1.50 p.m.
Express for St. John, Point de Chene, and Way Stations, at 2.40 p.m., and for St. John, and Way Stations, at 12.15 a.m.
Express for Moncton, Riviere du Loup, and Way Stations, at 7.24 p.m.

C. J. BRYDGES,
Gen. Supt. Govt. Railways.
Railway Office, Moncton,
Oct. 15th, 1877.

Albert Railway.

ON and after MONDAY, the 10th of December, Trains will leave Hopewell Corner for Salisbury at 6.30 a.m., arriving there in time to connect with the morning accommodation from Shediac for St. John.
Returning, will leave Salisbury for Hopewell Corner and Salisbury at 11.30 a.m., and the arrival of No. 2 Express from St. John.

A. E. KILLAM,
MANAGER.
Railway Office,
Hopewell, Nov. 15th, 1877.

New Spring Goods.

Ex "Circassian" at Halifax.

WE are in receipt of Invoices containing 33 Packages of New Spring Goods, the purchases of our Mr. McFARLANE, who understands his business throughout all his branches.

- 2 cases Ladies' Straw Hats and Bonnets;
- 2 cases Feathers and Flowers;
- 2 cases Coat and Vest Buttons;
- 1 case Window and Other Scarfs;
- 3 cases Ribbons;
- 3 cases Vest Tweeds;
- 5 cases Worsteds Coatings;
- 1 case Silk Vests;
- 4 cases Dress Goods;
- 1 case Corsets.

These Goods shall be opened as fast as they come forward by rail, and will be at the LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

New Goods by every Steamer.

EVERITT & BUTLER,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

New Brunswick,
County of Albert, ss.
I, S. J. Albert, of the County of Albert, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the records of the County of Albert.

WHEREAS Elijah Kinnear and Simon Bishop, the Executors of the Estate of George Bishop, late of Harvey, deceased, have filed their final account and prayed that the same may be allowed and finally passed. You are therefore required to cite the heirs, next of kin, creditors and executors of the said Estate, and all others interested therein, to be and appear before a Court of Probate to be held at my Office, at Hopewell, on WEDNESDAY, the twenty-fourth day of APRIL next, at one o'clock, p.m., to attend the passing of the said account, and to show cause, if any, why the same should not be allowed and finally passed.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Probate Court, the twenty-third day of March, A. D., 1878.

GEORGE H. STEADMAN,
Judge of Probate, County of Albert.

S. G. MOISE,
Registrar Probate, Albert Co.

STEPHENS & FIGURES

Have in Stock and are receiving by late arrival

430 CHESTNUT and Infants Superior Kailow Congou Tea;

- 110 boxes Choice Tea, for family use;
- 200 boxes Java and Ceylon Coffee;
- 75 boxes Tobacco, smoking and chewing;
- 300 boxes Raisins, Layers, &c.;
- 1000 boxes New Figs, 1 lb. & 2 lb. boxes;
- 30 barrels Currants;
- 55 bags Nut, Filberts, Walnuts, Almonds, &c.;
- 50 boxes Candied Peel, Citron, Lemon and Oranges;
- 19 cases Scotch Refined Sugar;
- 30 barrels Refined Sugar;
- 80 boxes Confectionery;
- 40 cases Washing Soda;
- 75 kegs Baking Soda;
- 60 barrels Pickles;
- 48 cases Coleman's Starch;
- 8 cases Coleman's Mustard, in tins;
- 80 cases Biscuits;
- Rice, Pipes, Blacking, Cream Tartar;
- Red Corda, Brown, Pails, Soap;
- Candles, Caster Oil, Lequorice;
- Spices of all kinds;
- Vinegar, Salsa, Senna, Twine;
- Paper Bags, Wrapping Paper;
- Canned Goods, &c. &c.

All of which are offered very low for cash or approved paper.

DOCK STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

WORTMAN & SPENCER,

Paradise Row, - - St. John, N. B.

HAVE IN STOCK:

500 DOZ. CASTOR OIL, 2, 4 and 6 oz.;

- 600 doz. Spencer's Violet, Black and Crim. Ink;
- 200 doz. Spencer's Vanishing Liniment;
- 80 doz. Spencer's Elixir of Wild Cherry;
- 300 doz. Spencer's Aniline Dyes;
- 80 doz. Spencer's Glycerine;
- 40 doz. Bay Rum;
- 200 doz. Hair Oil, assorted;
- 70 doz. Pomade, assorted;
- 40 doz. Glycerine;
- 100 doz. Perfumes, assorted;
- 200 doz. Flavoring Extracts, assorted;
- 75 doz. Sweet Oil;
- 40 doz. Olive Oil;
- 25 doz. Stoughton Bitters;
- 1000 gross Taper and Wine Corks.

TO ARRIVE:-

1000 gross Corks, No. 0 to 20.

We sell these Corks 10 to 20 cent. cheaper than they can be imported, being Agents for one of the largest Cork manufacturing houses in America.

All of our Goods are first class and are sold at very low prices to wholesale dealers and the trade generally.

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Customs Department.

OTTAWA, March 8, 1878.

AUTHORIZED discount on American Invoices until further notice, 1 per cent.

J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

GOODS

RECEIVED AT THE
Sackville Drug Store.

2 GROSS THOMAS' ELECTRIC OIL;

- 1 gross Johnson's Liniment;
- 1 gross Robinson's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil;
- 1 gross Syrup of Phosphates (Chemical Food);
- 1 gross Fellow's Hypophosphites;
- 1 gross Shoshone's Remedy;
- 1 gross Vanbasick's Sarsaparilla;
- 1 gross Campbell's Quinine Wine;
- 1 gross Gales' Bitters and Syrup;
- 1 gross Ayer's Hair Vigor;
- 1 gross Hall's Hair Renewer;
- 1 gross Green's August Flower;
- 1 gross Boschee's German Syrup;
- 1 gross Chester's Cure;
- 1 dozen Constitutional Catarrh Remedy;
- 1 dozen Wine of Beef and Iron;
- 1 dozen Mergeson's Calcification;
- 1 dozen Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry;
- 1 dozen Allen's Lung Balm;
- 1 dozen Urquhart's Sarsaparilla;
- 1 dozen Fowler's File and Hammer Cure;
- 1 dozen Ladies and Gent's Shoulder Braces;
- 1 dozen Thermometers;
- 1 dozen Wire Hair Brushes;
- 10 gallons Olive Oil;
- 10 gallons Caster Oil;
- 10 gallons Neat Foot Oil;
- 10 gallons Alcohol;
- 10 gallons Turpentine.

ALSO ON HAND:

- Our usual Stock of Cough Mixtures, Pain Killers, Liniments, Pills, Ointments, &c., &c.

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- 100 lbs. Dulce, very nice and fresh;
- 1 box Castle Soap;
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Assessors Notice.

HAVING received the Warrant of Assessment for the Parish of Sackville, Notice is hereby given that all persons liable to be rated are requested to bring into the Assessors, within thirty days from date, true Statements of their property and income liable to be assessed. The Valuation List will be posted in the Post Office on the twenty-first day of April next for the inspection of rate-payers. The Secretary of each School District of the Parish is requested to hand in a list according to each of all persons liable to be assessed for District School purposes.

WM. MILLNER, Assessors.

J. C. HARPER, Assessors.

Sackville, March 7th, 1878.

New Stove and Tin Shop.

THE Subscriber would intimate to the people of Sackville and vicinity that he has arranged with the Proprietors of the Colonial Foundry for the

RETAIL TRADE OF THEIR

STOVES,

And has now removed to his new Store, near Alex. Gray's house, Sackville, where he is prepared to furnish Stoves of nearly all description. Also,

STOVE PIPE and TIN WARE

OF ALL KINDS.

Persons wanting anything in this line, it will be to their advantage to call and inspect my samples before purchasing elsewhere. All JOB WORK will be promptly attended to, and charges moderate.

Country Produce taken in exchange for Stoves and work, for which the highest prices will be paid.

HARVEY PHINNEY.

Sackville, Jan. 8th, 1878.

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WE HAVE RE-STOCKED ALL OUR

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Also, 4 Packages containing a large Assortment of Buttons, Coat Binding, Hercules Braids, Combs, Needles, &c.

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A FURTHER CALL of two and one-half per cent. on the Capital Stock of the Company was duly made by the Directors, at a meeting held on the 4th day of April, instant, payable on or before the 10th day of MAY next, to the Treasurer, or at the Bank of Montreal, in Moncton or St. John, or to William Patrick, Manager.

E. B. CHANDLER, Jr., Treasurer.

Peticodiac, April 5, 1878.—51

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And he moved with a tender grace;

And a smile like the sweep of an angel's wing

Played over his fair young face.

ANTISTOP.

"I bring," he said, and the editor bowed,

"For he loved the sweet young thing;

"I bring," he murmured, "a poet's song,

A lay of the balmy spring."

CLIMAX.

Then the editor gathered his cross-cut saw,

And the nail grab, all the same;

The big slide hammer, the long crow bar,

And the club with the terrible name.

CATASTROPHE.

He saved him in two, and he fastened him

out.

He tore out each quivering lung;

He pinned him up to the sanctum wall,

So scattered and yet so young.

One of the Highest Mountains.

From Scientific American.

According to recent geographical

surveys, it seems that the Aconcagua

Peak is the loftiest of the Andes

range, and the highest in America.

It is 100 miles east of Valparaiso,

and nearly in latitude 32° 30' south.

Its actual height is not accurately

known, but the measurements made

by M. Pissis and other noted sci-

entists make it reasonably certain that

the elevation is between 22,400 and

29,900 feet above the waters of the sea.

The French explorer made it

22,422, or four miles and 1,502 feet

over, which would be 998 feet higher

than the snow