Morning Chronicle,

AND COMMERCIAL AND SHIPPING GAZETTE.

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For Sale or To Let.

TO LET.

THEN W SHOP in Shaw's Build INGS, adjoining that occupied by Mr. Shaw. Apply to
LANGLOIS & SHAW,
Notaries.
Quebec, 28th April, 1855.

TO BE LET.

THE well known stand, long occupied by MARTIN RAY, as a TOBACCONIST, Ship-Chandlery and Grocery Store.

A tempting chance for a dealer in Snuff and Tobacco.

The Store in the rear is one of the best in the City, and well adapted for a Snuff Manufactory on a large scale—water power could be supplied from the Water Works. Also, a first rate Stable and Coach-house.

A lease of the whole would be given for a term of years, to a good Tenant. Apply on the premises to
JOHN FISHER.
Quebec, 23rd April, 1855.

FOR SALE.

A WELL FINISHED HOUSE, with Hangard, situated in St. Dominique Street, St. Roche, near Mr. PETERS, well adapted for a family. Conditions liberal. Apply to the undersigned, Proprietor, on the premises.
B. DASTOU.
Quebec, April 21, 1855. u

FOR SALE.

THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY, well known as "SIMMONS" at LAKE BEAUPORT, most pleasantly situated, containing 120 Acres, of which 35 are clear, with the Dwelling House and Barns, being a favorite resort in summer.
J. GREAVES CLAPHAM, N. P.
Quebec. April 14, 1855.

TO BE LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE forming corner of Clapham Terrace, St. Lewis Road. Apply to
JOHN PATERSON,
Arthur Street.
Quebec. 7th April, 1855.

Offices & Stores to Let.

THE well known Premises occupied by the subscribers, at the OCEAN STEAMSHIPS WHARVES.
—ALSO,—
Their OFFICES in St. Peter Street.
JOHN ANDERSON & CO.,
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 27th April, 1855.

For Sale or To Let.

A FARM, situate on the RIVER BECANCOUR, in the Township of STANFOLD, at a short distance from the Railroad Station. For Particulars, apply (postage free) to
DR. JOS. PAINCHAUD,
Quebec.
March 29th, 1855.

FOR SALE,

THAT VERY DESIRABLE PROPERTY, on the ST. LEWIS ROAD, called "ELM GROVE," the late residence of Mr. A. H. YOUNG. A large part of the purchase money may remain on the property if required. Apply at the office of Messrs.
A. PATERSON, YOUNG & CO.
Quebec, 30th March, 1855.

TO LET,

NUMBERS 3 and 4, MOUNT CARMEL TERRACE, CAPE, newl painted and papered, with gas fittings, &c. &c.
N. H. BOWEN,
Arthur Street.
Quebec, 22nd Marhc, 1855.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.

ON the ST. LEWIS ROAD opposite SPENCER WOOD.
On the St. Foy Road opposite HOLLAND HOUSE,
—AND—
On the Holland Road.
In Free and Common Soccage—TERMS OF PAYMENT EASY. Apply to
ROBERT CASSELS.
Quebec, 7th March, 1855.

TO LET AT BEAUPORT.

A LARGE and Commodious DWELLING HOUSE, with Stabling, &c. Apply to JNO. RACEY, Jr.
Quebec, 10th March, 1855. u

TO LET,

FROM FIRST OF MAY NEXT,

THE TWO STORY CUT STONE HOUSE, in ST. VALLIER STREET, adjoining Mr. BISSET'S residence, and occupied by Mr. GIBSON for the last six years. The house is well adapted for a large family. For conditions apply to MR. BISSET, on the premises.
Quebec, 3rd Febv., 1855. u

For Sale or to Let.

THE PREMISES lately occupied by Mr. MCCORD, as a SHIP-BUILDING YARD, —well adapted for a LUMBER YARD, or any other Establishment requiring a large space of ground.—Apply to
JOHN MUNN.
Quebec, 20th Febv., 1855.

FOR SALE.

BUILDING LOTS, containing from 1 to 7 ACRES OF LAND, fronting on the St. Lewis, St. Foy and Thornhill Roads.

The above Lots are within a mile-and-a-half of Quebec, and held in Free and Common Soccage. Apply to
ROBT. MITCHELL,
Arthur Street.
Quebec, 10th Febv., 1855.

Office to Let

IN the OLD CUSTOM HOUSE BUILDING, GILLESPIES' WHARF.—Apply to
PHILIP V ROBIN.
Quebec, 6th Febv., 1855.

FOR SALE.

FOUR FARMS, of 90 ARPENTS each, with Extensive Clearances, situate in the First Range of the SEIGNIORY of BOURG LOUIS, being Lots Nos. 19, 20, 24 and 28, on the Road leading to the River St. Ann.—Apply to
P. A. SHAW, N.P.,
Proprietor.
Quebec, 9th Febv., 1855.

Building Sites for Sale.

THAT VALUABLE LOT OF GROUND fronting St. Denis Street, Cape, 62 x 80 feet, togetherwith TWO FOUNDATIONS in Cut Stone, raised to the Parlor flat. Foundations for the Stables, Coach Houses, and Division Walls are also laid.—Apply to
H. S. ANDERSON,
Or WESTON HUNT.
Quebec, Feb. 27, 1855.

TO LET.

THREE WHARVES, suitable for Coal. Apply to
CHS. JOBIN & SONS.
Point Levi, 24th Ap 1855. 1mp

FOR SALE.

A FARM containing 60 ACRES OF LAND 40 CLEAR and UNDER CULTIVATION with COTTAGE, HOUSE and BARN, situated near LAKE BEAUPORT. For information apply to
C. W. GOLDING,
on the premises.
Quebec, 13th Febv., 1854.

REMOVED.

THE undersigned has REMOVED his OFFICE to SHAW'S BUILDINGS, Foot of MOUNTAIN HILL, opposite to Messrs CHINIC, SIMARD, METHOT & Co.'s STORE.
JOHN YOUNG,
ADVOCATE.
Quebec, 2nd, Feby. 1855. 12m-p

C. W. JONES,

Commission Merchant,

Broker and General Agent.
OFFICE,—ARTHUR STREET, opposite the EXCHANGE.
Quebec, 3rd May, 1855.

STORAGE.

STORAGE to be had in Bonded and Free Stores.
RYAN BROTHERS & CO.
Quebec, 3rd May, 1855.

DACALLAM, informs his customers, that he has retired from the TAILORING BUSINESS, and he desires to thank them for their liberal support.

D. A. C. requests that amounts due to him may be paid without delay at his Store in St. Peter Street, opposite the Quebec Bank.
Quebec, 3rd May, 1855.

D. MACPHIE,

GENERAL

Commission Merchant,

OFFICE,—2, ST. JAMES STREET.
Quebec, 2nd May, 1855. 12

STORAGE.

STORAGE for all descriptions of Goods received on REASONABLE TERMS.
S. H. LEVALLEE & CO.,
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 1st May, 1865.

Paterson's Grand Lottery.

PARTIES wishing to purchase TICKETS will please call quickly as the list is nearly filled up. 500 TICKETS ONLY REMAINING. Notice will be given when it is to take place.
JAMES PATERSON.
Quebec, 1st May, 1855.

J. LANE & Co,

LUMBER AND COMMISSION BROKERS
Corner of Crown and Prince Edward Streets, St. Roche.
Quebec, 26th April, 1855.

S. H. LEVALLEE & CO.,

General Commission Agents,

Forwarders & Brokers,

QUEBEC.

OFFICE, St. Peter Street, opposite Messrs. G. B. SYMES & Co.'s Office.
Quebec, 23rd April, 1855.

W. & J. McKAY,

PAINTERS, &c.,

FIRST HOUSE OUTSIDE PALACE GATE.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED [direct from PARIS an assortment of PAPER HANGINGS, to which they invite the particular attention of their Customers and the public generally.

They consist of DRAWING ROOM in WHITE and TINTED GROUNDS and GOLD, DINING ROOM, LIBRARY, PARLOUR, &c., in velvet and Gold, various Colours, BED ROOM in every variety, HALL and VESTIBULE Paper in Mosaic Designs, Marbles, Granites and Wainscott, and an assortment of beautiful PANNELLINGS and DECORATIONS, a Class of PAPER HANGINGS now introduced for the first time into the City.

Some of those DESIGNS are copies from the celebrated European FRESCOES, some are original and were awarded the large Gold Medal at the WORLD'S FAIR in LONDON, they are all of the highest order of Artistic excellence, and, being quite new to this Market, *the public are respectfully invited to call and examine them before making other purchases.*

The above, with a very large assortment of English and American Papers, of an almost endless variety of Patterns and Colours, and at Prices from 5d. upwards, make up a STOCK which for EXTENT, RICHNESS, and VARIETY cannot be equalled in this City.

W. & J. McK. have also on hand a great variety of TRANSPARENT WINDOW SHADES, ORNAMENTAL WIRE BLINDS, FIRE SCREENS, &c., a complete assortment of ARTISTS' MATERIALS, GILDERS and GRAINERS TOOLS, PAINTERS' BRUSHES, and all the various COLOURS, OILS, &c., used by the HOUSE PAINTERS.
Quebec, 21st April, 1855.

Ship's Boats.

THE undersigned has constantly on hand, SHIPS BOATS, of all sizes.
DEPOT—OLIVER'S WHARF.
Apply to J. B. DUTIL.
Quebec, 10th March, 1855. 7m

Messrs. LEMOINE & CIMON,

BEG to call the attention of the Trade and the public in general, that they have entered into partnership and have leased from the 1st May next, those large and commodious Stores fronting St Peter Street, No. 19, and Sault-au-Matelot Street, No. 27, at present occupied on St. Peter Street by Mr. H. Benjamin, jr., and on Sault-au-Matelot Street by Mr. Robert Middleton; where they intend carrying on business as

General & Commission

MERCHANTS,

A UCTIONEERS & BROKERS

From the long experience of both in the Trade, and from the fact of Mr. LEMOINE having been for several years as Manager in Messrs. G. & H. Grasson's Establishment, they hope to be able to give every satisfaction, even to the most scrupulous.

They will be prepared to make reasonable advances if required upon all Goods left in their charge, and will use their utmost exertions to make ready sales either at AUCTION or otherwise.

DRY GOODS

being the Chief Department that they would wish to confine themselves to—still they will give their attention to any other description of Goods left in their charge.

They hope by strict attention to business, and by making prompt payment upon all occasions, to meet with that encouragement they will be justly entitled to
L. D. LEMOINE,
F. X. CIMON.
Quebec, 20th Febv., 1855. 3m

TOURANGEAU VILLE.

THIS VALUABLE PROPERTY, situated near St. Foy's Toll Gate, and adjoining the property of JOHN THOMPSON, Esquire, is to be CONCEDED in BUILDING LOTS of 40 by 60 Feet, French measure. Apply to
MICHEL TESSIER,
Notary.
Quebec, 28th April, 1855. 12

MUSIC AND GERMAN.

(18, GEORGE'S STREET, GRAND BATTERY.)

MISS VOLKMANN begs the amateurs of MUSIC and the GERMAN LANGUAGE, to pay attention to the instruction of this kind of art, in the most proper style, for the ensuing summer season.
Quebec, April 20, 1855 1m

Brough & Macdonald,

Commission

LUMBER MERCHANTS,

WEST TROY, N. Y.,

(Office, South of the Upper Ferry.)

REFERENCES:
DANIEL MCGIE, Esq., Quebec,
Messrs. OSBORN, TURNBULL & Co., N. York
WM. WORKMAN, Esq., Montreal.
J. G. SIMS, Esq., "
January 26th, 1855. 12m

HERRING'S PATENT.

WORLD'S FAIR PREMIUM SAFES.

THE Undersigned has just received an assortment of HERRING'S PATENT SAFES.—They are well known to be the best article in the market.
DANIEL MCGIE,
St. Andrew's Wharf.
Quebec, 2nd Nov., 1854

INSURANCE.

WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT.

Capital, - - - - - - £100,000.

HOME OFFICE,—TORONTO.

FIRE INSURANCE can be effected with this Company, at the Office of
JOHN LAIRD,
AGENT FOR QUEBEC,
St. Lawrence Chambers, St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 5th May, 1855. 6 3aw

OFFICE OF THE *Orient Mutual Marine* Insurance Company.

New-York, 30th March, 1855.

IN compliance with the requirements of the Charter of this Company, the following Statement is published, showing the result of its first year's business.

Total amount of Premiums received from 1st March, 1854, to 28th February, 1855, both inclusive, $927,479 66

Earned Premiums during the year as above $576,250 78
Less Return Premiums 53,903 91 $522 346 87

Losses, including $26,000 of claims, ascertained but not yet due, $361,412 11
Re-insurance, 16,060 95
Expenses, loss of Interest, and Bonus of 5 per cent. on subscription notes, 63,946 71 $441,419 77

Profit, $80,927 10

Assets 28th February, 1855.

Cash in Bank, 13,855 00
Loans on call, against collateral Securities, 58,950 00
Bills Receivable—viz.:
Premium Notes, $253,765 27
Subscription Notes in advance of Premiums, 450,102 64 $703,867 91

Uncollected Premiums, and Claims due the Company, 13,571 97

$790,244 96

In view of the above results, the Board of Trustees have this day resolved that a Script Dividend of *Fifteen per cent.* be declared on the net amount of earned premiums, for which certificates will be issued on and after the 14th of May next.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES IRVING, Secretary.

—Trustees :—

John L. Aspinwall,	George E. Kunhardt,
John Auchincloss,	Charles Lamson,
James Brown,	Alex. M. Lawrence.
N. D. Carlile,	Arthur Leavy,
George Christ,	Mortimer Livingston,
Francis Cottenet,	W. A. Platenius,
Eugene Dutilh,	Frederick W. Read,
Robert Emmet, Jr.	P. A. H. Renauld,
Frederick G. Foster,	Thomas Rigney,
Joseph Gaillard, Jr.	C. H. Sand,
Moses H. Grinnell,	Edward F Sanderson,
John H. Hicks,	F. A. Schumaker,
J. Woodward Haven,	Cornelius E. Sutton,
Richard Irvin,	John S. Williams.
John B. Kitching,	William S. Wilson.
G. Henry Koop,	

C. W. FABER, President.
ALFRED OGDEN, Vice-President.
CHARLES IRVING, Secretary.

Quebec Agency,

ST. LAWRENCE CHAMBERS,
ST. PETER STREET,

A. McLIMONT.

OCEAN, MARINE AND INLAND NAVIGATION RISKS taken at REASONABLE RATES.
Quebec, April 19, 1855. 3m

THE COLONIAL *Life Assurance Com'p.*

HEAD OFFICE,
EDINBURGH, No. 5, GEORGE STREET.

Capital, One Million Sterling.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE DIRECTORS of the COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY request attention to the advantage of joining the Company before the close of the Books for the present year on 25th May, with reference to

The Second Division of Profits.

The Fund to be divided will be derived from the Profits which arise between 1854 and 1859, and those persons who effect Assurances at this time will secure an advantage at that division over later entrance equivalent to one year's bonus.

The Company's Income is upwards of SIXTY FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING per annum, and its accumulated Funds are invested at favorable rates of interest, partly in the Colonies and partly in Great Britain.

From the wide basis on which the Company has been established, from the extensive field of business which it is cultivating, and from the success which has attended its operations, the Directors look forward to large Profits available to Policy-Holders, and they do not think they over-estimate the advantages of the Company, in stating that no office affords so many facilities, and at the same time holds out the prospect of so many advantages to assurers.

The First Investigation and Division of Profits took place as at 25th May, 1854, and the Addition to Policies was at the rate of £2 per cent per annum of Reversionary Bonus. Thus the Bonus added to a Policy for £1000, granted in 1847, now amounts to £160.

Further information will be supplied at the Company's Offices and Agencies.
By order of the Directors,
A. DAVIDSON PARKER,
Manager for Canada.

CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE MONTREAL,
46, GREAT ST. JAMES STREET,

The Hon. PETER MCGILL, President of the Bank of Montreal, Chairman,
The Hon. Justice MCCORD,
The Hon. A. N. MORIN,
BENJAMIN H. LEMOINE, Cashier of La Banque du Peuple,
JOHN O. MOFFATT, Merchant,
HENRY STARNES, Esq., Merchant,
Medical Adviser.....George W. Campbell, M. D
Legal Advisers.....Rose & Monk, Q. C.
Manager.....A. Davidson Parker.

QUEBEC.
OFFICE ST. JAMES STREET.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT:
Hon. WILLIAM WALKER, Chairman.

James Dean, Esq.	Rev. John Cook, D. D.
John Thomson, Esq.	G. H. Simard, Esq.

Medical Advisers—Jas. Douglas, M. D., and J. Morrin, M. D.
Legal Adviser—Hon. F. W. Primrose, Q. C.
A. J. MAXHAM,
Agent and Secy. to Board.
Quebec, 24th April, 1855. 2m

GEORGE RAILTON,

Ship Broker & General Agent,

ST. PETER STREET,
QUEBEC.
Quebec, 17th Febv., 1855.

INSURANCE.

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THROUGH LINE,

HOLCOMB & HENDERSON,
(Successors to McPherson, Crane & Co.)
KINGSTON, TORONTO, HAMILTON, AND PORT STANLEY;

HENDERSON & HOLCOMB,
MONTREAL & QUEBEC.

THE following are the Subscribers' STOCK ARRANGEMENTS for the ensuing Navigation Season:—

LAKE ONTARIO LINE.
First Class Steamers

GEORGE MOFFATT, CAPT. TWITCHELL.
HURON, " STALKER.
BRITANNIA, " CUMMING.
WESTERN MILLER, " MCGRATH.
COLONIST, " SUGHRUE.
SCOTLAND, " F. PATTERSON.
BRANTFORD, " DAVIS.

To Ply as Regular Traders

BETWEEN MONTREAL, TORONTO, AND MILTON, & INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

THE BRANTFORD

TO CALL REGULARLY AT ST. CATHERINES AND NIAGARA.

LAKE ERIE LINE.
THE STEAMER REINDEER,
Capt. GEO. PATTERSON.

To ply as regular Trader between MONTREAL and PORT STANLEY, calling at DOVER and other INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

RIVER LINE.
The Powerful Tug Steamer PORCUPINE, AND SIX FIRST CLASS BARGES,

To ply between QUEBEC, MONTREAL and KINGSTON; the following SCHOONERS running in connection on the LAKES, viz.:—
"GOVERNOR,"
"CALIFORNIA,"
"PREMIER."

For freight, or further particulars, apply as above.
HENDERSON & HOLCOMB,
Glackemeye's Buildings.
Quebec, 23rd April, 1855. 2m

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Through Line

HOOKER, JAQUES & CO.,
QUEBEC & MONTREAL;
HOOKER, PRIDHAM & CO.,
KINGSTON, TORONTO AND HAMILTON.

THE following are the Subscribers' STOCK ARRANGEMENTS for the ensuing Navigation Season:—

TO PLY ON THE LAKES.
First Class Steamers

ST. LAWRENCE.	CAPTAIN	BEATIE,
LORD ELGIN,	"	YOUNG,
ENGLAND,	"	HANNAY,
HIBERNIA,	"	MOUT,
FREE TRADER,	"	SAGE,
OTTAWA,	"	MCGRATH.

RIVER LINE.
The Powerful Tug Steamer GARTSHORE, and EIGHT FIRST CLASS BARGES,

To ply between QUEBEC, MONTREAL, and KINGSTON.

For Freight or further particulars apply to
HOOKER, JAQUES & CO.
OFFICE—ST. ANTOINE STREET, near LANE, GIBB & Co.'s STORE.
N.B.—HOOKER, JAQUES & CO., will NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DEBTS contracted in their name, unless under a written order from their office
Quebec, 2nd May, 1855.

[ship]

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THE undersigned having been named TREASURER for the Monies now collecting in Quebec, intended to form portion of the PATRIOTIC FUND, GIVES NOTICE that he will Transmit to the Authorities in England through the medium of His Excellency the Governor General, all sums of money which may be remitted to him for that object, and that RECEIPTS will be granted to any parties who may make such deposits in his hands.
(signed.) E. P. TACHE',
R. G.
R. G. OFFICE,
Quebec, 13th March, 1855

[ship]

EMIGRATION.

PARTIES desirous of BRINGING OUT their Friends from the UNITED KINGDOM, can do so on application to the undersigned, who will also furnish DRAFTS FOR £1 UPWARDS, payable in any part of the United Kingdom. All particulars may be had on applications, if by letter post-paid.
A. C. BUCHANAN,
Chief Agent.
Emigration Department,
Quebec, 19th September, 1854.

FOR SALE.

[ship]

THE Seagoing Steamer TADOUSAC, of 72 Horse Power, substantially built of the best materials, and nearly new, having only commenced running in August last.

Length of Keel,	108 feet.
Breadth of Beam,	21 do
Hold,	9 do
Burthen in Tons,	260 tons O. M.

Can be seen at Day's Slip, Point Levi. For further particulars, apply to
GEO. BURNS SYMES & CO.
Quebec, Feb. 27, 1855. u

[fruit basket]

Horticultural Establishment,

FRANKLYN SPENCER-WOOD GRANGE.

GREENHOUSE and FLOWER GARDEN PLANTS, BOUQUETS, FRUITS and VEGETABLES—FOR SALE.

P.S.—☞ The Premises will be OPEN every day, Sundays excepted.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned, on the grounds, or to THOS. MCCONNELL, Lower Town Market, where all Orders will be punctually attended to.
PETER LOWE,
Horticulturist and Market Gardener.
Quebec, 2nd May, 1855. 6mp

THE BAZAAR advertised to be held on the 24th and 25th instant, in AID of the BUILDING FUND of the NEW CHAPEL, St. Lewis Road, is POSTPONED until the FIRST WEEK of JUNE, then to be held, BY THE KIND PERMISSION OF HER EXCELLENCY LADY HEAD, in the grounds of SPENCER WOOD.

Persons willing to contribute to this undertaking will please send their contributions to any of the undermentioned Ladies:

Mrs. BURSTALL	Mrs. MOUNTAIN,
" E. BURSTALL,	" H. LEMESURIER,
The Misses HINCKS,	" RHODES,
Mrs. IRVINE,	" WALKER,

Quebec, 19th April, 1855.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

Corporation of Quebec.

Water Works Department.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all Persons in receipt of Water from the City Water Works, MUST PAY THE SIX MONTHS RATE DUE FROM THE 1ST MAY TO 31ST OCTOBER next, into the Office of the CITY TREASURER, before the termination of the present month.

The supply of Water will be stopped from all persons who neglect to obey this notice on the 21st inst.

By order,
W. SHORDICHE,
Manager.
Quebec, 4th May, 1855.

ROAD SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY HALL, QUEBEC, 2nd April, 1855.

IN CONSEQUENCE of the TRENCHING on MOUNTAIN STREET, PRESCOTT GATE will be CLOSED until further orders.
By order,
JOS. HAMEL,
Road Surveyor.

BOUDOIR PIANOS.

THREE SPLENDID ROSEWOOD, 6½ and 7 Octave Instruments, for Sale CHEAP, to close consignments.
—ALSO,—
Several SECOND HAND PIANOS.

The above will be sold a BARGAIN, as the Subscriber is going to England on business, in May.
H. OWEN,
John Street.
Quebec, 16th April, 1855.

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LEWINE,
HATTERS AND FURRIERS,
No. 11 Fabrique Street,
OPPOSITE THE JESUITS' BARRACKS
UPPER TOWN, QUEBEC.
Febraury 25, 1853.

Quebec & Lake Superior Mining Association.

QUEBEC, 19th April, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the SHARES belonging to the STOCKHOLDERS in this Company, who are in arrears for the calls due and payable to first September last will be SOLD by AUCTION, at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, COMMERCIAL CHAMBERS, St Peter Street, on TUESDAY, the 22nd MAY next, at ELEVEN o'clock, A.M.
By order,
SAMUEL NEWTON,
Secretary.

QUEBEC AND LAKE SUPERIOR MINING ASSOCIATION.

THE Shareholders of this Company are hereby notified that TWO Instalments are called in payable at the Office of the Company in Quebec as follows, viz:—
90. per Share payable 1st July, 1855.
90. per Share payable 1st October, 1855.
By order,
SAMUEL NEWTON,
Secretary.
Quebec, 19th April, 1855.

PARTNERSHIP.

FROM and after the 1st May next, the undersigned, under the firm of "CHARLES JOBIN & SONS," will carry on business as SHIPBUILDERS and also as Receivers, Shippers and Cullers of Timber, at the Cove held by them at Point Levi, adjoining the lower Ferry, opposite the City of Quebec, and known as the "St. Lawrence Cove." They will also be prepared to Saw up Timber into any Scantlings required, at the Saw-Mill in the Cove, and they solicit the patronage of the public.
CHARLES JOBIN,
CHARLES JOBIN, Jr.
FLAVIEN JOBIN,
PIERRE JOBIN.
Point Levi, 24th April, 1855. 1m

PARTNERSHIP FORMED.

THE Undersigned begs to return his sincere thanks to his friends and the public in general for the liberal encouragement he has received, and has the honor to inform them that having associated himself with his brother, JOSEPH E. DEFOY, his business will be continued in the same premises and in the same lines heretofore, under the name and firm of FRS. DEFOY & FRERE, from the first May next, and hopes for a continuance of the same patronage.
FRANS. DEFOY.
Quebec, 20th April, 1855.

Mount Hermon Cemetery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that for the future NO ORDERS for INTERMENT will be received at the Cemetery till ALL the CHARGES HAVE BEEN PAID.
HENRY S. SCOTT,
Secretary
Quebec, 12th April, 1855.

Yamaska Pottery & Brick Works.

THE Subscriber having been appointed Agent for the above Works, is prepared to receive orders for Bricks in any quantity.

After the opening of the navigation he will have constantly on hand for sale a general assortment of Brownware, consisting of BUTTER CROCKS, BREAD PANS, MILK DISHES, LIQUOR JARS, GARDEN POTS, FANCY VASES, &c. &c., warranted equal to English manufacture.
—ALSO—
Oven, Ridge, Pan, and Draining Tiles—the latter highly recommended by the Board of Agriculture.
JAMES J. LOWNDES.
Quebec, 11th April, 1855. 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that no "Survey" will be recognized nor "Claim" for Loss or Damage admitted under any Policy issued through the Agency of the subscriber by the NEW YORK MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANIES, without such Survey be held after 24 hours notice is served at the Office of CAPTAIN C. L. ARMSTRONG, Agent to the New York Board of Underwriters, in Quebec.
THEODORE HART,
For "Sun," "Mercantile," "Commercial," "Atlas" and "Astor" Companies of N.Y.
April 13th, 1855.

THE undersigned having leased the extensive premises known as LEE'S COVE and LUMBER YARD fronting on Crown and Prince Edward Streets, St. Roche, are prepared to make ADVANCES on all descriptions of lumber entrusted to their charge, and hope by strict attention to business, and their long experience in the trade, to merit a share of public patronage.

On the opening of the navigation they will have for sale all descriptions of BUILDING MATERIALS, and will also attend to the SAWING of SCANTLING of all dimensions.

Parties purchasing building materials will be allowed to prepare them on the premises, free of charge.
JOHN LANE & CO.
Quebec, 26th April, 1855.

Custom House & Ship Broker.

THE undersigned begs to announce that he has commenced business on his own account as a CUSTOM HOUSE and SHIP BROKER, and hopes from his thorough acquaintance with the trade, derived during an experience of eleven years' service in two of the first establishments in the city, combined with prompt and diligent attention, to secure the confidence of the Mercantile community generally.
JOHN MACDOUGALL.
Quebec, 17th Janv., 1855. u

FOUNDRY.

THE SUBSCRIBER, (lately Mr. Bisset's Foreman moulder,) having fitted up as a FOUNDRY the building known as Fiset's Mill, in ST. JOSEPH STREET, ST. ROCH'S, is prepared to do all kinds of CASTINGS in brass and iron with which he may be favored.

Old cast iron or brass bought, or taken in exchange for castings. All kinds of small castings generally used on hand for sale.
ALEX. LEARMONTH.
Quebec, 11th April, 1855.

NEW GOODS.

FOR SALE.

A PORTRAIT of the late BISHOP MCDONALD, of Kingston.
Paintings, Engravings, &c.
—AND TO ARRIVE:—
An assortment of Looking Glass Plates.
JOHN SMITH,
Carver & Gilder,
No. 25, John Street, without.
Quebec, 5th May, 1855. 1m

Liverpool Soap.

THE Subscribers expect by some of the first Ships, a quantity of Superior LIVERPOOL SOAP.
RYAN, BROTHERS & CO.
Quebec 5th, May, 1855.

FOR SALE

BY the subscribers' and expected from NEW YORK, at the first open navigation:
About 2½ Tons Manilla Rope,
" 2½ " Tarred do.
50 Barrels Tar,
50 Barrels Pitch,
50 Barrels Spirits of Turpentine,
150 Barrels Rosin.
Alcohol, Triple refined Camphene, and Imperial Burning Fluid 80 and 95.
FUNCH, MEINCKE & CO.
Quebec, 4th May, 1855.

DORION & FRERE,

Will continue to Sell their Large Stock of

Dry Goods

at reduced prices until the arrival of the

SPRING FLEET,

Queber, 21st April, 1855.

COMMERCIAL HOUSE.

New Goods!

FIRST SPRING IMPORTATION.

Just Received, ex "Oriental," via Boston & Grand Trunk Railway.

51 Packages of British and Foreign Fancy Dry Goods.

THESE GOODS, all of the newest styles and selected personally by the Subscriber, are now ready for inspection, and will be found worthy of attention, more particularly the
BONNETS, PARASOLS AND RIBBONS,
of which an immense Stock has arrived.
☞ The lowest price marked in plain figures on every article.
NO SECOND PRICE.
PATRICK O'NEILL,
Buade Street.
Quebec, April 14, 1855.

The Subscribers Offer for Sale:

TWO GANGS STANDING and RUNNING RIGGING, (LEMON'S MANUFACTURE,) suited for vessels of 1000 TONS,
Tarred Rope, from 8 inches downwards.
Manilla " assorted sizes,
Sail Twine,
Seal "
English Oakum,
Stockholm Tar,
Black Varnish,
Black Paint, in ½ cwt. Kegs,
Genuine White Lead, in 1 cwt. Kegs,
1 Anchor, 37 cwt.
S. & J. BROWN,
Quebec, 17th April, 1854.

CUT STONE.

FOR SALE, about 900 Feet first rate CUT STONE, now lying at DESCHAMBAULT, will be sold cheap.
ALSO—Two WINDOWS for a large shop.
Apply to
C. M. DEFOY,
Notary.
Quebec, 28th April, 1855

JUST RECEIVED

Per G. T. Railroad, and for Sale by the Subscriber:—

120 BOXES AMERICAN CHEESE,
150 Tubs Lard,
300 Boxes Raisins,
50 Do. Jamaica Coffee,
4 Bbls. Tallow,
H. TURCOTTE.
Quebec, 30th April, 1855.

Havana Segars.

50,000 LA Londres, } Superior quality.
10,000 Ambrosia, }
6,000 Aetorica, }
25,000 Segarettas. }

Just imported and for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by FUNCH, MEINCKE & CO.
Shaw's Buildings.
Quebec, 26th April, 1855.

JUST RECEIVED

—And for Sale by the Subscribers:—

102 DOZENS 2 Hoop PAILS,
127 Do. 3 do do.
25 Nest's Wash Tubs.
S. H. LEVALLEE & CO.
Quebec, 25th April, 1855.

ON SALE.

HHDS. AND QR.-CASKS BOILED AND RAW OIL.
Qr.-Casks Spirits Turpentine.
Paints,—White, Black, Green, and Spanish Brown.
Charcoal Tin F C & F X.
Coke do F C.
—ALSO,—
100 Boxes Canada Plates [slightly damaged.]
By GIBB & ROSS.
Quebec, 13th April, 1855.

PIG IRON

In Store, and for Sale by the Subscribers:

100 TONS N° 1, GARTSHEIRIE.
LEMESURIER, TILSTONE & CO.
Quebec, 20th March, 1855.

FOR SALE,

TWO GANGS OF RIGGING suitable for a vessel of 1,000 Tons. Apply to
ALLAN GILMOUR & CO.
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 13th March, 1855.

FOR SALE,

10 BALES SUPERIOR SAIL CANVASS, assorted No. 1 to 6.
L. & C. TETU & CO.
Quebec, 27th March, 1855. 2m 3aw

WINES

— For Sale by the Subscribers: —

CHAMPAGNE—"Ruinart's", in baskets of 1 dozen.
CLARET—Chateaux Lafitte, and Chateau Margaux, in cases of 1 dozen.
Pemartin's Sherry, and Blackburn's Madeira, in wood and bottle.
LEMESURIER, TILSTONE & CO.
Quebec, 20th March, 1855.

DRY PINE BOARDS.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale, 3000 very DRY PINE BOARDS.
P. ALLARD,
King Street, St. Roche.
Quebec, 26th March, 1855.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS:

125 BARRELS PRIME BEEF.
A. & W. PARKE.
Quebec, 12th Sept. 1854. India Wharf.

NEW GOODS.

FURNITURE SALES.

THOMAS BICKELL,

AUCTIONEER,

RETURNS thanks to his friends and Patrons for the Patronage he has received since he commenced business as AUCTIONEER and BROKER, and begs leave to state that he is now ready to attend to

Out-Door Sales of Furniture Merchandise, &c.

Any orders left at his EARTHENWARE STORE, ST. JOHN STREET, will be promptly attended to
THOMAS BICKELL,
A. & B.
Quebec, 8th March, 1855. 3m

For Sale by the Subscriber.

1800 PIECES ROOM PAPER,
2000 do. do., at low prices,
10 Bales Salmon Twine,
20 do Seal do.
5 do Bagging Linen, 4-4,
4 do Parcelling do
4 do Osnaburgh Bagging
4000 Bags (2 bushels),
2000 Biscuit Bags,
J. B. FRECHETTE,
No. 8, Sous-le-Fort St., Lower Town.
Quebec, 15th Febv., 1854.

FOR SALE.

500 HALF-CHESTS, Souchong, Hyson, Young Hyson and Twankay TEAS,
200 Boxes Tobacco, pds. 8's and 10's,
16 Hhds. "Arnauld's" Brandy, } in
10 Pkgs. Islay & Glenforth Whiskey, } bond.
180 Cases Central Vineyard Brandy,
7 Hhds and 23 qr.-Casks Vinegar,
3 Casks Rape Seed Oil,
55 Packages White Paint,
50 Barrels No. 1, Herrings,
150 Dozen Sewn Hemp, and Jute Bed Cords,
300 Packages, Muscatel and Bunch Raisins,
60 Do. Figs, Lemons, &c.
ROBT. MITCHELL,
Arthur Street.
Quebec, 5th Febv., 1855.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS

100 COILS CORDAGE, from 9½ to 2 in. Spunyarn, Housline, Marline, and Hambroline, (Lemon's).
Tarred and Manilla Rope of all sizes, Canadian manufacture.
A. & W. PARKE.
India Wharf.
Quebec, 1st Febv., 1855.

ELECTRO PLATED WARE.

JUST RECEIVED per Steamer via Portland, several SUPERIOR 24 and 28 inch TRAYS, and a Beautiful Set of DINNER SPOONS and FORKS, and Dessert, &c., they have been selected by Mr. SIMON LEVY, and will be guaranteed of the best quality.

Persons wishing for goods in Mr. L.'s line will please give their orders in writing to the subscriber, within the next TEN DAYS, to prevent delay
H. OWEN,
30½, John Street, without.
Quebec, 7th Febv., 1855.

FOR SALE.

CANVASS,
CORDAGE,
OSNABURGH,
SQUARE TAMARAC,
WHITE PINE,
OAK,
ELM.
T. C. LEE,
Exchange Buildings.
Quebec, 8th July, 1854.

PAINT.

LANDING ex "Lochlibo."—PAINT in Kegs and Tins. For Sale by
LEMESURIER, TILSTONE & CO.
Quebec, 17th June, 1854

CORDAGE.

TARRED CORDAGE ex "Tottenham," from Cork. For Sale by
LEMESURIER, TILSTONE & CO.
Quebec, 17th June, 1854.

For Sale To Arrive.

225 TONS Superior English COALS.
AND
57 Tons LIVERPOOL SALT, ex Bark "British Princess."
Apply to A. & W. PARKE.
Quebec 12th Sept. 1854. India Wharf.

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10 HHDS. RYNBENDES PINE APPLE BRAND. For Sale by
RYAN. BROTHERS & CO.
Quebec, 14th Oct., 1854.

THE Subscribers are receiving ex "Britannia," from Liverpool:
20 Casks Bass's Pale Ale, 3 doz., quarts,
10 Do. do. do. pints,
ALSO,
50

New Advertisements this day.

Address to Capt. Tom.—T. Drew & others.
London Hat Warehouse—J. Henderson & Co.
Booms for Sale—W. Hamilton.
Plum Trees &c.—Cockburn & Brown.
Spars—J. Flanagan.
Liverpool & London Ins. Co.—Ryan, Bros. & Co
Lecture in the Church of the Holy Trinity.
High Wines—A. M. Forbes.
Situation as Organist Waeted.
Removal—J. J. Saurin.
Notice to Consignees—E. Burstal.
Notice—J. Tibbits
Sale of Bankrupt Stock—LeMoine & Cimon
Sale of Water Casks—F. H. Hall.
Do. Ornaments do.
Sale of Dry Goods—G. & H. Gibsone.
Do. Hats, do.
Do. Teas, &c.—A. J. Maxham.
Public Sale by order of Circuit Court.

QUEBEC, MAY 21, 1855.

☞ SEE FOURTH PAGE.

Two interesting questions still remain to be settled amid the crowd of Acts already passed, and Bills destined to be strangled by the approaching close of the present Session of Parliament. We mean the re-organization of the Legislative Council and the determination of the Government about the future site of the Legislature. Whatever might be the consequences of changing the existing state of circumstances with regard to either question, it is quite certain that no great harm can accrue from leaving the Council for a time, constituted as it is; and that much inconvenience and expense will be avoided by keeping the Government for the present at Quebec. The trouble and risk alone of moving the public documents from one end of the Province to the other, afford sufficient cause for remaining quiet till a permanent abode shall be determined on and prepared. To defend the Legislative Council against crude constitution mongers, and to prevent as much as possible the rash alienation of the public resources for the maintenance of religious administrations, were two of the few political questions which we openly professed to undertake. Time has certainly served to soften down the operation of sequestrating the Clergy Reserves, and the prudent firmness of the present Ministry in carrying out the Legislative enactments which were deemed unavoidable for the peace of the Country, has done much to soothe the bitterest opponents of secularization. There is even less occasion for violent change and rash haste in dealing with the Legislative Council. It was by no means wonderful that this branch of the Legislature should feel discouraged and degraded by the treatment which it received in recording its voice against perambulating Parliaments, or in having its majorities swamped by reckless additions to its numbers. And it has of late begun to raise its head,—as we have repeatedly had cause to notice during the current Session,—and to manifest a quite respectable species of energy which the Assembly might do well to imitate.—Much had been promised by the late Ministry and the present, and too much has been attempted for one Session in speculative measures. A constitution for an Upper Chamber is a matter which requires more time for discussion than can be assigned to it during the few last days of the Session. If the Hon. Members are expected to commit suicide, they should at least be allowed time to do so with due decency and deliberation. If they must fall at the base of Pompey's statue, give them time to wrap their cloaks with dignity around them. The measure which has just passed through the Lower House is a great improvement on the crude and sweeping changes at first proposed. But it has been hastily adopted; by postponement and consideration, the whole may be duly matured, and in the meantime the Council can jog on pretty well as it is. Objection has reasonably been taken to the proposed frequent walking out and walking in of Honorables every two years. The title will be rankly spread over the country. To do away with the biennial change, and to be satisfied with a quadrennial exit, would give more stability the organization of the Council, and this period would only then assimilate with the legalised duration of the Assembly. We hope the Call of the House, will this day, be fully attended to, and that the Honorable members will deal with the question, not merely as a personal measure, but one by which the welfare of succeeding generations may be seriously affected, and the constitutional character of the Legislature and the Government of this free and loyal country compromised for ever.

PARLIAMENTARY.

On Friday, the Report of the Central Board of health was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Murney, from the Select Committee on the Megantic Election Petitions made the following Report:—

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
COMMITTEE ROOM,
16th May, 1855.

The Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the County of Megantic, beg leave to report the following Resolutions as their final determination:

1°. Resolved—That the time required by the Statute, to be given by the Returning Officer, between the day of nomination and the first day of polling, was not so given in the County of Megantic, but in the opinion of the Committee, evidence was not adduced to show that the said election for the said County of Megantic, was affected by such non-compliance on the part of the Returning Officer with the direction of the Statute.

2°. Resolved—That in the opinion of this Committee, the allegations in the Petitions, of bribery, corruption, and treating on the part of the sitting member, are not sufficiently proved to avoid the election.

3°. Resolved, That William Rhodes, Esqr., the sitting member for the said County of Megantic was duly elected at the last election for the said County.

4°. That neither the Petitions, nor the defence of the sitting member, are frivolous or vexatious.

The whole nevertheless humbly submitted.

(Signed) EDMUND MURNEY,
Chairman.

The order of the day for the House again in Committee of Supply, being read:

Hon. Mr. Cayley moved, that the Speaker do leave the Chair.

Mr. McKenzie moved in amendment, that it be resolved, that the best interests of Upper and Lower Canada, would be promoted by an immediate repeal or dissolution of the political or Legislative Union now subsisting between these sections of the Province of Canada.—Yeas 20. Nays 54.

Hon. Mr. Cayley moved that the bill to amend the Act amending the Act granting a Civil List to Her Majesty, by increasing the salaries of certain Judicial and other officers therein mentioned; and to fix those of certain other public officers, be read a second time.

Mr. Laberge moved in amendment, that the bill be read a second time this day three months. Yeas 24, nays 43.

Notice being taken that the Hon. Mr. Cayley, Hon. Mr. Spence, Hon. Mr. Attorney General Drummond, Hon. Mr. Lemieux, Mr. Solicitor General Ross, Mr. Solicitor General Smith, Hon. Sir Allan N. Macnab, Hon. Mr. Cartier, Hon. Mr. Attorney General Macdonald, and the Hon. Mr. Cauchon have a direct pecuniary interest in this question, their votes cannot be allowed.

Hon. Mr. Cayley was heard in his place; and stated that he looked upon this Bill as a general measure, appropriating a Salary for the office, and not for the individual; and that he claimed the privilege of voting.

Mr. Mackenzie moved that the vote of the Hon. Mr. Cayley be disallowed; yeas 23, nays 40.

Similar divisions were arrived at in the other cases.

Notice having been taken that the Bill was not in accordance with the Resolutions in the Committee of the Whole on which it was founded, no Resolution having passed for augmenting the salary of the Admiralty Judge,

On motion of the Hon. Mrt Cayley, the main motion was amended, by the Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill being discharged; and the Bill withdrawn.

Hon. Mr. Cayley then introduced a Bill to amend the Act amending the Act granting a Civil List to Her Majesty, by increasing the salaries of certain Judicial and other Functionaries and Officers therein mentioned, and to fix those of certain other Public Officers; second reading to day, and to be the first order of the day.

On Saturday afternoon, a Message came down from the Governor General, enclosing the following despatches from Downing St.:

WAR DEPARTMENT, March 31, 1855.

(Copy.)

SIR,—I am directed by Lord Panmure to request that you will intimate to Secretary Sir Geo. Grey, that his Lordship has reason to believe that it would tend very much to facilitate enlistment under the Foreign Enlistment Act if Her Majesty's Government were enabled to hold out to the officers and men a promise of settling them hereafter on lands in a British colony.

His Lordship is aware that the control over the waste lands of the Crown in the colonies has been surrendered generally to the local Legislatures; but he has been informed that a large tract of country in Upper Canada, lying between the Ottawa River and the Georgian Bay on Lake Huron, and extending from the countries fronting on Lake Ontario, to Lake Nipissing and the French River, comprising an area of about 11½ millions of acres is about to be opened up for colonization.

One million of acres would suffice to enable Her Majesty's Government to offer ample settlement terms to such foreign legionaries according to some such scale as the following, viz:—

50 acres to each private; 100 acres to each non-commissioned officer; 200 to each officer; 500 to a few superior officers.

From the loyal and patriotic sentiments expressed by the inhabitants of Canada generally in reference to the present war, and from the best information he can obtain, Lord Panmure has every reason to believe that a ready spirit of co-operation may be expected from the Canadian Legislature in any matter falling within its authority. The additional surrender of a tract of country of about one million acres, or of an equivalent in separate allotments for the purpose of enabling Her Majesty's Government to offer the highly coveted boon of land in the British Colonies to the officers and men of the Foreign Legion, would be an important inducement to the men to enlist, while his Lordship hopes it would furnish the means of ultimately supplying the colony with a class of German emigrants of a very valuable character. He would suggest to Sir Geo. Grey that the Governor General should be instructed to make an application to the Provincial Legislature on the subject.

I have, &c.,
FREDERICK PEEL.

No. 1.

DOWNING STREET, April 13, 1855.

SIR,—In connection with my despatch No. 16 of this date, namely the military defence of Canada, I wish to consult you on the following subject:—

You are aware that Her Majesty's Government are endeavoring to enlist soldiers in some foreign countries to serve in the present war, and that an act of Parliament has been passed to confer the necessary powers. It would afford a considerable inducement to many to join the standard, if, in addition to present pay, they could be offered a location on Crown Lands in some of the Colonies. And it would be an inducement of peculiar value because attractive chiefly to that class which it is most desirable to enlist, men of steady habits and honorable character.

There is perhaps no colony where men of this class would more willingly find a home than Canada, and none which so extensively possesses the means of satisfying such a demand. But Her Majesty's Government have, as you are aware, no power to make an offer of this kind.

It is, therefore, proposed to the Canadian Legislature and Government, on whose sympathy with them in the present struggle the people of the United Kingdom have such strong ground to rely, to take into consideration the means of assisting Her Majesty's Government in this project.

It is an additional reason to induce me to make this suggestion that experience has shewn that settlers of this class form often a very valuable accession to the population of a new country not only for the purposes of industry, but for those also of defence.

I have, &c.,
GREY.

Governor Sir Edmund W. Head, Bart.

Mr. Papin moved the printing of the petition of the Censitaires of Vercheres against the employment of Mr. Archambault as Seigniorial Commissioner, till he had cleared himself of the charges brought against him, as Returning Officer and Postmaster. The government opposed the motion but said that Mr. Archambault should clear himself before proceeding with the valuation.

His Excellency the Governor General, on Saturday afternoon, went down in state to the Legislative Council Chamber, and assented to 84 bills passed by Parliament since the recess. His Excellency was saluted when he entered and left the building by a Guard of Honor from the 16th Regiment, drawn up in front of the Court House, and by the Artillery from Durham Terrace. We shall to morrow publish a list of the Acts sanctioned.

The Balt ic's mail arrived here yesterday morning.

The sultry air of Saturday was exchanged for boisterous, cool east wind yesterday. It blew a perfect gale throughout the day, and there was a perpetual cloud of dust in the streets.

FIRE ON THE RAILWAY.—Passengers by the Richmond Railway inform us that the Station House at Stanfold narrowly escaped destruction by fire on Friday morning. The fire was supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Mr. Lay, the station master, is said to have contributed much by his exertions towards the saving of the building.

LAKE SUPERIOR MINING ASSOCIATION.—A sale of shares in this stock, now in active demand, will take place at the Company's Office, Commercial Chambers, at 11 o'clock, to-morrow forenoon.

☞ Mr. Flanagan, offers for sale at his establishment, at Cape Cove, a large and superior lot of Spars, received by him last week. See advertisement.

SALE OF BROWN-WARE.—A general assortment of Brown-ware will be sold by auction at the Stores of Mr. J. J. Lowndes, Buteau's Wharf THIS MORNING at TEN o'clock.—See advertisement.

By Telegraph.

[Reported for the Morning Chronicle.]

VIA MONTREAL LINE.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP

BALTIC.

Ten days later from Europe.

Third Report.

NEW YORK, May 19.

The forts on the north side of the harbor had taken part in the cannonade, carrying their shots clear over the town into the lines of the allies.

During the first week of the bombardment the English fired about 2,200 tons of shot and 500 tons of powder, so that the total consumption by the allies for the week amounted probably to some 6000 tons of shot and 1500 tons of powder.

The telegraph between London and the Crimea was perfect, except a small portion across the Danube. Despatches reached the British Government in a few hours, but were not generally communicated to the public although, nightly, questions were asked in Parliament as to the news.—Ministers declared that they should exercise due discretion in the publication of the news.

The Vienna negotiations are, of course, at an end.

Lord J Russell had re-appeared in his seat in Parliament, and Drouyn de L'huys had returned to Paris. Lord J. Russell stated that the substance of the negotiations and the protocol would be submitted to Parliament.

The following are the latest despatches from the seat of war:—

A sharp engagement took place on the night of May 1st in the front and left attack. The whole of the Russian Rifle pits were taken, 8 light mortars and 200 prisoners. The whole affair was brilliant for the allies.

PARIS 4th.—It is reported to-day that on May 2nd the besiegers took possession of some very important Russian works of counter approach after a fierce engagement.

On the 3rd, the Russians attempted to take the position, which still remains in the hands of the allies.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 2nd.—Lord Stratford de Redcliffe has returned to Constantinople. Mahemet also is recalled from exile.

Canrobert speaks to his troops of immediate operations. Orders have been received to prepare transports.

Before Sebastopol, May 4.—On Wednesday night the French, under Gen. Pellissier, attacked the advanced works of the Quarantine Bastion, and carried them at the point of the bayonet, taking 12 mortars from the Russians, and establishing himself in the position.

COMMERCIAL.

Imports and Exports at Quebec.

[Compiled for the Morning Chronicle.]

IMPORTS.

May 19.

Per brig Robert Burns, Stewart, from Carlisle—230 tons coals, to order.

Per bark Paragon, Cotter, from Havre—1 case perfumery, 2 cases books, to E R Frechette. 200 cases champagne, to J M Fraser. 1 case wine, to G Deabarats. 30 baskets champagne, to E & W Poston. 20 do do, to J Carruthers & Co. 50 do do, to Tarran & Co. 100 do do, to J Patterson & Co. 5 pkgs goods. 436 baskets champagne. 10 cases books, to J & O Creamazie. 1 case, to Robitaille & Co. 18 pkgs goods, to T H Hardy. 1 case books, to Schneider. 125 baskets champagne, to J Haslett. 500 burr stones, to Chinic, Simard & Co. 400 do do, to C Robertson. 400 baskets champagne, to H J Noad & Co. 8 pks goods, 372 baskets champagne, to order. Remainder of cargo for Montreal.

EXPORTS.

May 19.

Per schr Victoria, Bernier, for Chitican—250 brls flour, 14 do pork, 6 do pease, &c, by P V Robin.

Imports at Quebec per Grand Trunk Railway.

May 18.

192 bxs tea, to J Patterson. 1 bx, to P Sinclair. 20 bales wadding, to A Laurie & Co.

FLOUR.—A correspondent of the N. Y. Tribune makes the following estimate of the number of barrels of flour in the country at the opening of Lake navigation, reckoning five bushels of wheat as equivalent to one barrel of flour: Lake Michigan, 656,000; Lake Erie 300,000; Canada 500,000; total 1,456,000. This affords little prospect for famine. The Tribune adds:

Suppose 456,000 barrels to be absorbed by the destitute points in the interior, and we shall then receive at tide-water one million barrels—enough at the rate of winter consumption, 8000 barrels per day, to last one hundred and twenty-five days, or until the middle of next September. With a favorable prospect of a good crop all over the country, there is not a shadow of reason for any alarm about a short supply.

Several barges are now loading at the Mills of Norcross, Phillips & Co. with sawn lumber for the American market. This is the first shipment from this place.—Three Rivers Inquirer.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA.

MONTREAL, May 10, 1855.

Return of Traffic for the week ending Saturday, the 28th April, 1855.

First Class Passengers, 3935½	.....	$4002 73½
Second do. do. 820½	.....	568 01½
Tons Merchandize, 2549	.....	5853 41
Feet of Lumber, 649,9'4	.....	2139 08
Cords of Firewood, 592	.....	825 82
Mails, &c.	.....	845 89
Total. { Cy.		$14,234 95
		£3558 14 9

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Cy.

1855.—Week ending April 28.—£3558 14 9
1854.—Week ending " 29.—£3690 16 2½
Decrease—£ 131 1 5½

Total receipts for current half year commencing Jan. 1st, up to Cy.
week ending, April 28.... £64 101 19 3
292 Miles open.
(Traffic interrupted by the breaking up of the ice.)

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF QUEBEC

ARRIVED.

May 19.

Bark Paragon, Cottew, 19th April, Havre de Grace, order, general cargo.
— Thomas James, Marshall, 17th do, Gloucester, order, ballast.
— Henry Duncan, Badcock, 20th do, Plymouth, order, ballast.
— Home, Poe, 30th do, Glasgow, —, general cargo, 31 pas.
Ship Yeoman, Calhoun, 18th do, Liverpool, H McBlain & Co, salt.
Ship Sir Harry Smith, Hawa, 13th do, Liverpool, order, salt.
Brig Ann, Miller, 21st do, Dumfries, order, ballast.

May 20th.

Ship City of Manchester, Graybourn, 26th March, Liverpool, R Shaw, 1 cabin pass.
— Robert A Lewis, Vaughan, 17th April, do, order, general cargo, 2 do do.
Bark Plantina, Richards, 16th do, Bristol, do, do. 3 cabin and 7 steerage pass.
— Amazon, Reily, 18th do, Waterford, do, ballast, 7 pass.
— Derwent, Williamson, 5th do, Workington, G B Symes & Co, coal.
— Hampton, Boyle, 3rd do, Greenock, J White, coal and pig iron.
Brig Bowes, Ellwood, 14th do, Workington, order, coal, 8 pass.
— Mary, Thompson, 13th do, Lancaster, Sharples & Co, coal.
Brigte Phoca, Callata, 7th May, St John's, Nfld, J J Lowndes, sugar, molasses and old junk, 1 pass.
— Swordfish, Bryon, 12 days, Halifax, order, molasses & sugar.
Schr Alice Ragens, Laybold, 2d May, Halifax, H J Noad & Co, sugar.

There are about fifteen more arrived that are not boarded. It blew exceedingly hard the whole of yesterday that it was impossible to board them. Among them are the Derwent, Ocean Queen, Sarah Rogers, Symmetry, Premier, Infanta, Port Glasgow, and Lord Sidmouth.

CLEARED.

May 19.

Schr Victoria, Bernier, Chitican. P V Robin.

ENTERED FOR LOADING.

Names.	Tons.	For.	By Whom.	Where
May 19.				
Eliza Mary, 703, London, E Burstall & Co,			O'Brien's	Wharf.
Vivid, 203, Poole, Le Mesurier & Co,			Silbery Cove.	
Amethyst, 1196, Greenock, Gillespies & Co,			Oliver's	Wharf.
Princess Royal. —, Plymouth.		A Gilmour & Co,	Indian	Cove.
Agamemnon, 1163, Liverpool,		do	do	
Belmont, 937, Plymouth,		do	do	

MARITIME EXTRACTS.

LOSS OF THE ODESSA.—We have been favored by Capt. Darling, with the following report of the loss of the bark Odessa, hence last Fall for Limerick:—

The Odessa sailed from Quebec on the 21st November, and, on 6th December, having encountered a gale of wind from S E, ship sprung a leak. The pumps were kept going, but the water continuing to gain on her, we bore up for Gaspé. It soon after came on to blow a heavy gale of wind from S W, and we were obliged to heave the ship to. On the following day, made Anticosti Island, took to the boats, and abandoned the vessel. The chart indicating that a provision post was located at Fox Bay, we proceeded there, and being unable to discover the depot marked, camped in the bush. On the 12th, left for the S E point; during the same night a heavy gale of wind blew from the eastward, driving the long boat ashore among the rocks. The crew took shelter on some shelving rocks which projected from a cliff, and remained there all night The master and mate were twice washed off the rocks but succeeded in reaching them again; the mate's wife was also washed off and, unfortunately, drowned. When daylight came, we saw no prospect of escaping from our perilous situation, for the cliffs surrounded us on every side. The long boat's oars and masts had been washed ashore, and having lashed these together, such of us as were least exhausted, climbed up by the spars, and then hauled our companions up. To our inexpressible regret we were compelled to leave on the cliff the Doctor and one of our men; they had been severely frost-bitten and were unable to travel. They both died shortly after our departure. We were obliged to remain in the bush that night; there was then about 2½ feet of snow on the ground, and we were without the means of lighting a fire. On the morning of the 14th, started for the East Point, and the master, mate, and three men reached there that evening. One man had both his feet frost-bitten, and died in consequence. Every attention was paid the survivors by Mr. Julyan, the Light House Keeper, but being unprovided with medicine of any kind, he had some difficulty in affording relief to the sufferers by the cold and frost.

The Erromanga, from Glasgow, and the Triton, from Marseilles, with general cargoes, and the schr. Messenger, left here last Saturday evening, for Montreal, in tow of the Alliance.

The Maranham, which was stranded at Kamouraska last fall, arrived here yesterday.

The bark Home, from Glasgow, with a general cargo, left here for Montreal on Saturday afternoon, in tow of the North America.

Barque Woodbine, McAllister, from St. John, N. B., for Cardiff, W, put into Portland, 14th, in distress. On the eighth day out, experienced a heavy gale, & sprung a leak, and the crew refused to do duty. A survey is to be held upon her.

New York, May 14—Cleared—Ship Oregon, O'Flaherty, for Quebec.

AWFUL CASE OF SHIPWRECK.—Captain Button, of the bark Clara Windsor, arrived at New York, from Port au Prince, reports that on the outward passage, March 19th, lat 32, long 66 38, a fresh breeze from S S W, saw a wreck to leeward, with two men standing on the bow and waving their hats; hove to and got out a boat, and succeeded in taking them off. The wreck proved to be the schr. John Clark, Captain McKay, hence for Jacmel. The men stated that they were all that were left out of seven who had sailed in the above schooner from New York on the 3rd day of March, bound to Jacmel; that on the 7th, 9 p. m., while under double reefed topsails, wind W S S, a squall struck the schooner from W S W, and throwing on her beam-ends, occupying an hour before they succeeded in cutting away the weather rigging, when the mainmast and foremast went close by the deck and she righted. The hatches were broken and the vessel found full of water —without provisions; the next day they obtained a keg of crackers wet with salt water, a bucket of vinegar, some shark liver oil, and camphean; the latter made them stupid, feeling as if on fire. The fifth day after the catastrophe the captain, mate, steward, and two men died; and they, the two remaining men, had nothing to eat eight days previous to being taken off. Those who died went crazy previous to death. They also state that they saw two different vessels; a fishing schooner that came close to them they could see the man at the helm; the other within what they considered hailing distance, and the vessel hove to and came close up under their lee, and after surveying them put their helm hard up and bore away without offering any assistance. All were living at that time, but it being before daylight, could not make out her name, as the letters were but indistinctly visible; the weather was good, and nothing prevented them from saving all hands. The names of two saved are Robert McKay (captain's son), and Charles Lowell.

[The John Clark, Captain McKay, cleared at this port on the 1st March for Kingston, J., not Jacmel.]—N. Y. Courier.

LOSS OF AN INDIAMAN.—By telegraph from Trieste to London, in anticipation of the overland mail from India and China, advice is received of the loss of ship Living Age (of Boston), Capt Holmes, from Shanghae for New York, on the Pratas Shoal, about 150 miles south east from Hong Kong, and far from any other land. She was laden with teas, &c, valued at upwards of $300,000.

Via B. A. Telegraph Line.

River du Loup, May 19.—Clear and very warm; no wind; 1 inward bark at anchor off here.

L'Islet, May 19.—Clear and beautiful; no wind; 3 inward bound vessels at anchor off St. Jean, Port Joli.

Per Baltic.

[Compiled from the London Shipping Gazette from the 28th April to 4th May inclusive.]

VESSELS SAILED FOR QUEBEC AND MONTREAL.

FOR QUEBEC.

Deal, May 3—Sophia McKenzie, Greenhorn. April 28—St. John, Blyth.

Greenock, May 3—Tay, Heard; Sunbeam, Dow. 1st Home, Muir.

Liverpool, May 4—Cumloden Castle, Thomas. 2—Sarah, Martin. 1—Arthur, Batement. April 30th—Christiana, Muir; Jessie, Jackson. 27—Joanna, Penny; Envoy, Cook.

Dundee, April 30—Rectitude, Duncan.

Sunderland, April 28—Niger, Souter.

Aberdeen, April 28—Undaunted, Scott.

Bristol, May 1—Nicaragua, Marshall.

Hull, May 3—Prince Regent, Martin. 1—Marchioness of Queensbury, Brodrick.

Portsmouth, May 3—Delia, Adey.

Plymouth, May 3—John Rawle.

Shields, May 1—Sovereign, Guthrie, via Rochefort. April 30—Mars, —. 28—Burlington, White, via Rochefort.

Sligo, April 27—Dromahair, Rickard.

Waterford, April 27—Lavinia, Hearn.

Whitehaven, April 30—Henderson, Smith; Wilkinson, Robinson.

Flushing Roads, April 29—John Bartlett, Lamb.

Antwerp, April 30—Milton, Bradford.

Genoa, April 21—Londonderry, Torrance.

Palermo, April 25—Mary Ann, Williams.

Hamburg, April 29—Amalia, Radmann.

Cuxhaven, April 25—Washington, Boysen.

Leghorn, April 20—Welga, Canich.

Constantinople, April 19—Lanarkshire, Sampson.

Charente, April 24—Beacon, Turner.

Grimstad, April 3—Hosten, Falk.

FOR MONTREAL.

Shields, May 1—Hope, Hutchinson.

Bordeaux, April 25—Raven, Godfrey.

Antwerp, April 30—Blucher Fincken, Audri.

CLEARED.

Liverpool, April 30—Scipio, Hill, for Nfld & Quebec.

Gibraltar, April 16—Bacchus, Sergeant; China, Brenan, for Quebec.

ENTERED FOR LOADING.

Liverpool, May 2—Marthine, Neilson, for Montreal.

April 30—Samuel, McLean for Harbor Mason and Quebec. 27—Arethusa, Kirkpatrick, for Montreal.

London, May 2—Neptunus, Aalborg, for Quebec.

RESULTS OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT QUEBEC DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12TH MAY, 1855.

Date.	Mean reading of Barometer for the week.	Temperature. Highest	Lowest	Mean.	Dew point	Wind.	Rain in inches.	Snow in inches.	REMARKS.
May 5	29.482	51°.0	36°.0	43°.5	32°.3	Variable. E. N. E.	....	....	
6	29.482	54°.0	36°.0	45°.0	34°.2	Variable E. by N.	....	....	
7	29.482	51°.0	33°.0	42°.5	34°.2	....	....	....	
8	29.482	50°.5	33°.0	41°.8	34°.2	....	....	....	
9	29.482	51°.0	33°.0	42°.5	33°.9	....	....	....	
10	29.482	50°.5	33°.0	41°.8	33°.9	....	....	....	
11	29.482	51°.0	33°.0	42°.5	33°.9	....	....	....	
12	29.482	50°.5	33°.0	41°.8	33°.9	....	....	....	

Mean reading of Barometer for the week, 30.000.
Mean temperature for the week, 42°.00. Range 000.0.
Rain in inches, 0.000.
Snow in inches, 000.

Aurora observed on the 6th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th.

DIED.

On Saturday morning, the 19th inst., aged 63, Mary Donaldson, a native of Caithness, Scotland, widow of the late Mr. Alexander Fraser.

Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend the funeral, which will leave the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. E. Poston, Stadacona Terrace, this day, (Monday) at 2 o'clock, P. M., for Mount Hermon Cemetery.

We take from the Mayo "Telegraph," April 11th, the following deserved tribute to the memory of one of the Sisters of Mercy who accompanied Miss Nightingale to the Crimea. The deceased lady, beloved and respected by all who knew her, was nearly related to M. A. Higgins, Esq., of this city, and died after her return to Ireland, on account of ill health, from the effects of fever contracted in the Hospitals at Scutari:—

DEATH OF SISTER MARY AUGUSTINE OF THE CONVENT OF MERCY, WESTPORT.—On Saturday, the 7th instant, expired, at the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, Westport, after a short but severe illness, Sister Mary Augustine, a member of that most meritorious order. This deeply lamented young lady was the second daughter of Captain Fitzgerald Higgins, and sister of Colonel Higgins, M. P. for the county. An innate piety and love of virtue, cherished by an exemplary and pious mother, had marked the deceased from her earliest childhood. She soon forsook the open path to the enjoyments and pleasures of this world, and early consecrated herself to religion and the service of the poor. The grief of the public in Westport surpasses, if possible, the deep affliction of the pious sisterhood. The melancholy event was made the subject of most touching and salutary instruction at each of the Masses on Easter Sunday; and the interment on Monday last, in the Convent grounds, was a scene which none that saw can ever forget. Animated by a holy zeal, the deceased was one of the three devoted ladies whom the Convent of Mercy in Westport supplied for the arduous service of ministering to the sick and wounded in the Crimea.

QUEBEC, May 17th, 1855.

WE, the undersigned, on behalf of the Passengers by the Ship "ORIENTAL," desire to express our unqualified satisfaction and approval of the accommodation and provisions of the Ship with our best wishes for her further success. Our voyage, upon the whole, has been pleasant and prosperous, which may be attributed under Divine Providence, to the caution, skill, and vigilance of our highly esteemed and worthy Captain.

As an expression of our feeling we have presented him a Silver Cup.

If we have any friends leaving the "Old Country," we shall most certainly, in our private communications, recommend them to come over with our worthy friend Captain H. TOM, in the good Ship "ORIENTAL"

Thos Drew, Mrs. T. Drew,
J. W. Walters, Mrs. Steer,
John Drew, Mrs John Drew,
E. Gold, Mrs. Isaac.
Thomas Harris,
S. Tucker.

LECTURE.

THE LECTURE on "THE LAST ACTS AND WORDS OF OUR BLESSED LORD IN CONNEXION WITH HIS ASCENSION," will (D.V.) be delivered THIS EVENING, (Monday,) in the CHAPEL OF THE HOLY TRINITY, at HALF-PAST SEVEN o'clock.

Quebec, May 21, 1855.

ORGANIST.

A PERSON fully competent to act as ORGANIST and CONDUCT a CHOIR is desirous of obtaining a situation in that capacity, in a Catholic Church. Please address "VERITAS," Post Office, Quebec.

Quebec, 21st May, 1855. 2p

REMOVAL.

J. J. SAURIN has REMOVED his CARRIAGE FACTORY to No. 20 PALACE STREET, opposite the Hotel-Dieu.

Quebec, 21st May, 1855. 10

REMOVAL.

MRS. BROWN begs respectfully to remind the Ladies of Quebec, that she continues to give INSTRUCTION in ENGLISH and FRENCH. Terms 8 Dollars per Quarter, payable in advance, No. 11, St. ANGELE Street, in rear of the Methodist Church.

Quebec, 21st May, 1855. 6-3aw

HIGH WINES, in Quarter Casks,
For Sale by
A. MACKENZIE FORBES,
Grocerier Broker,
St. François Xavier Street.
Montreal, May 21st, 1855. u

For Sale by the Subscriber:
5000 @ 6000 FEET of BOOMS lying at LAMPSON'S COVE.
WM. HAMILTON.
Quebec, 21st May, 1855.

PLUM TREES, &c.

JUST received from England, 1000 LARGE PLUM TREES, of the finest sorts, in excellent condition.

—ALSO,—

A few bushels of the celebrated "FLUKE KIDNEY" POTATOES.

COCKBURN & BROWN,
Nursery and Seedsmen,
68, Great St. James Street.
Montreal, May 21st, 1855. 3

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES per Barque "FERGUS," A. Edmonds, master, will please pass their Entries without delay.

EDWARD BURSTALL & CO.
Quebec, 21st May, 1855.

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER "B. F. TIBBITS," Capt MURPHY, master, having been thoroughly repaired during the Winter, is prepared to TOW Rafts and Vessels between this Port and Montreal, and about the Harbour, during the Season.

For further particulars, apply to
JAMES TIBBITS, Owner,
at Montreal, to JANES & MORGAN, Agents.
Quebec, 21st May, 1855.

Liverpool & London
INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, - - £2,000,000 Stg.

THE undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT FIRE RISKS, on *Moderate Terms*.

RYAN, BROTHERS & CO.
Quebec, 21st May. 1855. u

London Hat Warehouse,

BUADE STREET.

J. HENDERSON & CO.

HAVE received by Spring Ships the remainder of their assortment of

HATS.

ELLWOOD & SON'S Celebrated London VENTILATING HAT.

French Felts, Drab, Grey and Black.

From PARIS they have received an elegant assortment of Novelties for Boys and Children in Felt and Satin.

Panama, Leghorn and Straw Hats of all colors and Shapes, comprising the largest assortment ever offered to their customers, and will be sold at very Low Prices.

Quebec, 21st May, 1855.

SPARS! SPARS!! SPARS!!!

Just Received, at Cape Cove.

5,000 FRESH cut SPRUCE SPARS, from 5 to 16 inches, lengths in proportion to the girths, selected expressly for this market, and which the Undersigned will be prepared to sell wholesale and retail, in lots to suit purchasers, on most favorable terms.

N. B.—Ship Masters and others desiring to purchase will do well to inspect this lot before purchasing elsewhere, as it comprises more than half of all the Spruce Spars got out for this market this year.

Red Pine Spars, Masts, &c.

A well assorted Stock, of all lengths and sizes, on hand and for sale cheap.

ALL ORDERS left at Mr. John McDougall's, Brokers' Office, St. Peter Street, opposite the Bank of B. N. America, or with the Undersigned at Cape Cove, will receive immediate and careful attention.

Spars purchased from the Undersigned will be delivered alongside of ships or booms, as may be required, at the shortest notice and without extra charge.

JOHN FLANAGAN,
Cape Cove, (adjoining the Toll-Gate.)
Quebec, 21st May, 1855. 6mp

WATER LIME.

100 BARRELS BEST OSWEGO WATER LIME, for sale by
JOHN ANDERSON & CO.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. 2-a-w 1m

INDIAN CORN

For Sale by
WALKER & BERRY,
Arthur Street.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. 6

NOW LANDING EX BARGE.

2000 BARRELS Choice Brands Superfine and Extra Flour.
Also 300 do Middlings, and for sale by
GIBB & ROSS.
Quebec, May 19, 1855.

London Pickles and Sauces,

No. Landing ex "Steadfast":

AN Assortment of SUPERIOR PICKLES and SAUCES, Feats, Prize Medal Exhibition, 1851.

—AND SHORTLY EXPECTED,—

Brandy, in Hhds., Qr-Casks and Cases,
Gin, "Pine Apple Brand", in Hhds. & Cases.
Champagne, Cordon bleu and Fleur de Sillery,
Currants, in Caroteels and Barrels,
Barcelona Nuts,
Superior White, Black and Red Zine Paint.

RYAN, BROTHERS & CO.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855.

WHITBREAD'S
London Porter and Ale.

A FRESH SUPPLY just received, in PINTS and QUARTS, 6 doz. and 3 doz. Cases.

HENRY CHAPMAN & CO.
Sole Agents for Canada.
Montreal, 19th May, 1855. u

NOTICE.

ALL persons having CLAIMS against the estate of the late Mrs. JOHN HUMMEL, deceased, are requested to fyle the same duly attested with the undersigned, and those indebted to pay the amount without delay.

D. MACPHERSON, Notary,
Peter Street.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855.

ROB. NEILL,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,
Opposite to Shaw's Buildings,
NOTRE DAME STREET,

CHRONOMETERS

CAREFULLY REPAIRED & ACCURATELY RATED.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS and Watches of every construction Repaired.

—ALSO—

A general assortment of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, Jewellery, Nautical Instruments, Books on Navigation, Masonic Clothing and Jewels, &c., &c.

N.B.—Every Chronometer and Instrument left at this Establishment is INSURED against Loss by Fire.

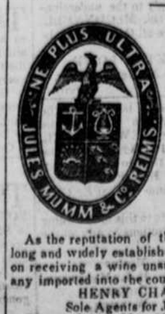
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. 6m

PARIS EXHIBITION.

MERCHANTS and Gentlemen visiting Europe are requested to bear in mind the CANADIAN REGISTER kept at 158 NEW BOND STREET, LONDON.—It was originated by Messrs. STOVEL & BAINES, for the purpose of facilitating the intercourse of Canadians while in England and for a depository for Canadian papers,—amongst which will be found the following:—Quebec *Chronicle*, Montreal *Gazette* Montreal *Pilot*, Toronto *Globe*, and Hamilton *Spectator*.

JOSEPH STOVEL,
28 Bay Street, Toronto.
May 19th 1855

MUMM'S
Cabinet & Verzenay Champagnes.



THE undersigned having been been appointed by JULES MUMM & CO., of Rheims, their SOLE AGENTS for the disposal in Canada of their CELEBRATED WINES, are now prepared to Forward Supplies, Bonded or Duty Paid, to Merchants in any part of the Province, and on advantageous terms.

As the reputation of this Brand has been so long and widely established, purchasers may rely on receiving a wine unsurpassed in quality by any imported into the country.

HENRY CHA

AUCTION SALES.
BY A. J. MAXHAM.

MORNING SALE OF BROWNWARE.

By Auction will be sold at the stores of JAMES J. LOWNDES, Bureau's Wharf, on MONDAY next :—

A General assortment of Brownware, consisting of Jars, Milk Bowls, Crocks, Pans, Ginger Beer Bottles, Flower Pots, &c., now landing ex schr "Perseverance." from the Yamaska Pottery.

Sale at TEN o'clock,
A. J. MAXHAM.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. A. & B.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF FINE NEW TEAS, BRIGHT PORT RICO SUGAR, WHITE BASTARDS, COFFEE, TOBACCO, HOLLANDS, &c, &c.

Will be offered by Auction on MONDAY next the 21st instant, at WALTER C. HENEDRSON'S STORES, at TWO o'clock, P. M. :—

500 PACKAGES very choice and costly TEAS, selected with great care, consisting of Old and Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial, Hyson Twankay, Oolong, Souchong, and Congou.

50 Hhds very bright Port Rico Sugar,
50 Brls Bastards, do,
50 do Roasted Coffee,

With a general assortment of other new goods as detailed in hand-bills, to all of which W. C. H would request the particular attention of his friends, customers, and the trade in general.

—ALSO EXPECTED IN TIME,—

15 Hhds DeKuyper's Geneva.
10 do Brandy "Amlet Vineyard,"
50 Cases do do,
30 M Havana Cigars.

A. J. MAXHAM,
Quebec, 15th May, 1855. A. & B.

By Auction, will be sold, on MONDAY the 21st instant, at the Stores of Messrs. ROBERT MITCHELL, ARTHUR STREET, at TWO o'clock P. M. :—

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT of KIPS, Cordovan, Goat Skins, Shoe Thread, Lastings, Cashmere, Buff Jeans, (Canton Flannels, or Swans Down) &c , &c. Particulars in Hand-bills.

A. J.MAXHAM,
Quebec, 18th May, 1855. A. & B.

By Auction will be sold on WEDNESDAY the 23rd May, at the QUEBEC EXCHANGE, at 11 o'clock :—

THE ship "NEW BRUNSWICK,' of Dublin, 902 tons register, William Errrington, master, wrecked at Trinity Bay, last fall.

—ALSO,—

The cargo of the ship "New Brnnswick," viz :

50 pcs Oak containing 3,431 feet,
50 do Elm " 1,759 "
399 do White Pine " 25,628 "
3,645 Pipe staves " 1 @ 3 inches,
9,014 I O W D do,
2,199 Spruce Deals 1st 2nd and 3rd qualities,
3,189 Pine do 1st and 2nd do,

A. J. MAXHAM,
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. A. & B.

UNDERWRITERS' SALE.

By Auction, will be sold. on WEDNESDAY the 23rd instant, at the stores of Messrs. MASSON, THIBAUDEAU & CO., the following landed in a damaged state in 1854, from on board the "TORONTO," Ballantine, master, from Liverpool, and re-shipped 31st October, 1854, per steamship "CANADIAN," from Liverpool to Portland :—

M. M. T. C. Q. § 886 340 BS. COTTON YARN part of bale

888	110	do	do
891	230	do	do
894	250	do	do

Sale at TWELVE o'clock.
A. J. MAXHAM.
Quebec, 19th May. 1855. A. & B.

Particulars of Sale at
J. PATERSON'S,
ON THE 23RD MAY.

Sale of Teas, Sugars, Coffee, &c.

By Auction will be sold, on WEDNESDAY next, 23rd inst., at the Stores of Mr. JOHN PATTERSON, Arthur Street :—

500 PACKAGES FRESH TEAS, usual varieties.
100 Bbls. White Bastard Sugar,
24 Tierces Loaf Sugar, 10 lb. loaves,
50 Bags Laguayra Coffee,
20 Bbls. Roasted do.
100 Cases Hydraulic Pressed Candles, in Fancy Cases,
100 Cases assorted Pickles,
50 Bags Black Pepper,
50 Bags Sicily and Languedoc Almonds,
150 Boxes Smyrna Raisins,
25 Hhds. and Qr.-Casks Bordeaux Vinegar
200 Boxes Starch, Leschez. Oswego, Colman's and Glenfield,
75 Boxes Honey Dew Tobacco,
75 Boxes Sweet Chocolate,
50 Kegs Ground Ginger,
20 Bbls. Jamaica do.
150 Cases Champagne Brandy,
750 Boxes Window Glass, assorted sizes,
20 Hhds Double Boiled Linseed Oil,
15 Bbls. Bleached Elephant Oil,
5 Chests Madras Indigo, in lots,
3 Cases Eau de Cologne,
50 Kegs Bi-Carb. Soda,
50 Bales Cotton Wick,
6 Bales Cotton Twine,
40 Boxes Rose, Almond and Variegated Soap,
20 Dozen Flavoring Extracts,
5 Cases Scotch Confectionary and Marmalade, and a variety of other goods :

ALSO, IF ARRIVED IN TIME :

100 Hhds. Prime Muscovado Sugar,

Sale at TWO o'clock.
A. J. MAXHAM,
Quebec, 21st May, 1855. A. & B.

Extensive Sale of Teas Coffee, Brandy, Tobacco Raisins, Liverpool Soap, &c.

By uction will be sold at the New STORES of Mr A. H. TURCOTTE, St. Peter Street, on TUESDAY next, the 22nd instant,—

400 CHESTS and HALF CHESTS Extra Fine Fresh Teas, consisting of Hyson, Twankay, Gunpowder, Souchong, and Congo.
125 Bags Port Rico Coffee, Green and Roasted,
50 do Jamaica do do do
75 do St. Dominique do do do
25 do Java, do do do
500 Boxes Liverpool Soap,
200 do Tobacco, Honey-Dew and Cavendish,
a30 Tierces Fine Leaf Tobacco, Favorite Brands,
150 Boxes Raisins,
50 brls Washing Soda,
15 do Baking do,
125 Boxs Glenfield Starch,
100 do Oswego do,
200 do Blue do,
200 Doz. Brooms various qualities,
20 Brls. Copperas,
D'Keuyper's Gin, in Casks and Cases,
Brandy do do,
Whiskey and Spirits in puncheons,
Vinegar, Barley, Rice, Pepper, Cloves, Allspice, Cheese, Lemon Soda Biscuit, Hems, Lard, Blacking, &c., &c.

Sale at TWO o'clock,
A. J. MAXHAM,
Quebec, 18th May, 1855. A. & B.

Cash Advances,

THE undersigned will make CASH ADVANCES on the SHIPMENTS OF TIMBER, DEALS, FLOUR or WHEAT consigned to their friends in Liverpool.

FUNCH, MEINCKE & Co.
Shaw's Buildings.
Quebec, 9th May, 1855.

NOTICE.
HARRIS, BRESSLER & CO.,

RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT the public attention to their SELECT STOCK of

HATS, CAPS, &c.,

the Latest and the Most Fashionable Style,—of which they had the honor to supply HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOV. GENERAL and LADY HEAD.

QUEBEC,—FABRIQUE STREET.
9th May, 1855. 2½m

Private Boarding House.

THE Subscriber having leased the extensive and well finished premises over Mr, BENJAMIN'S Dry Goods Store, Upper-Town Market Place, will be prepared, from the 1st of May next, to receive BOARDERS and Travellers—The rooms are large and airy, and every attention will be paid to the comfort of patrons

M. MELROSE.

Wanted, a Good Cook, for the above establishment.
Quebec, April 23rd, 1855.

AUCTION SALES.
BY G. & H. GIBSONE.
DRY GOODS.

By Auction, at the SUBSCRIBERS' STORES THIS DAY, (MONDAY,) 21st instant, at TWO o'clock precisely,—

Without reserve :—

AN Extensive Assortment of SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, comprising :

Shirtings, Cashans, Prints,
Muslins, DeLaines, Silks,
Coatings, Moleskins, Drabbets,
Russel Cords, Gambroons,
Silk and Pongee Handkerchiefs.

And a great variety of Fancy Goods.

G. & H. GIBSONE,
Quebec, 21st May, 1855. A. & B.

By Auction, at the Subscribers' Stores, on TUESDAY next, the 22nd MAY. Sale at TWO o'clock precisely

The whole positively WITHOUT RESERVE,

— TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS : —

40 CASES SILK and SATIN HATS, of Montreal, English and American Manufacture,
25 Cases Wool, Fur and Stuff Hats,
Tea, Leghorn Hats, Cloth Caps, &c.

G. & H. GIBSONE.
Quebec, 21st May. 1855. A. & B.

BY THOS. BICKELL.

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS, SHOP-KEEPERS, &c.

By Auction will be sold at the Subscriber's Stores, Jail Hill, this SATURDAY, the 19th May and following Evenings at SEVEN o'clock :—

A large Consignment of new and Seasonable DRY GOODS in lots to suit purchasers, to consist of Delaines, Printed Muslins, Alapacha's Lusters, Circassian Cloths, Muslin Robes, Shawls, Bonnets, Parasols, H'kffs., Gloves, Stockings, Cloths, Cassimeres, Shirts, Umbrellas, &c., &c., &c.

THOS. BICKELL,
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. A. & B.

IMPORTANT SALE OF
NEW CROP TEAS.
The Canada Tea Company

WILL SELL,

By Public Auction,
IN MONTREAL,
ON FRIDAY, 8TH JUNE,
6524 *Packages,*
CHOICE GREEN AND BLACK
TEAS,

CROP, 1854-1855,

CARGO of the "ARISTIDES," CAPT. BARCLAY, from SHANGHAE, now in Port.

TERMS :—6 months Credit.

Catalogues will be prepared and circulated. Samples may be examined the day previous.

Sale at TEN o'clock, A.M., precisely.

—AND,—

Immediately following, will be offered, for account of

Messrs. D. Torrance & Co.,

A large assortment of SUGARS, WINES and newly Imported GROCERIES.

Particulars in a future advertisement.
Montreal, 18th May, 1855.

For Sale by the Subscriber :
100 KEGS SUPERIOR ROSE SNUFF.
G. & H. GIBSONE.
Quebec, 11th May, 1855. 18

THOS. ANDREWS,
No. 3, ST. JOHN ST., Within,

Plumber, Gasfitter, Sheet Iron, Tin and Copper Worker;

RESPECTFULLY begs to inform his Customers and the Public at large, that he is enabled to execute, with the utmost efficiency and dispatch and upon the LOWEST TERMS, every description of Work in all the Branches of his Trade. His STOCK comprises WATER CLOSETS, on the Newest and most Approved Principles ; LIFT & FORCE PUMPS ; SHEET LEAD of any Weight ; also LEAD PIPES of ¼ in., ⅜ in., ½ in., 1 in., 1¼ in., 1½ in., 2 in. and 2½ inches of any weight or quantity ; and will either FIT UP, parties requiring him to do so, (or furnish any party or parties engaged in the business, with all materials in his line, FOR CASH.) Also a large assortment of CHANDELIERS LUSTRES, BRACKETS, PILLARS, &c., &c., which he will also dispose of, and put up with neatness, at the lowest possible prices.

The above mentioned are exclusive of a great variety expected by the Ships *Caledonia, Brittania, Toronto,* and others Also, with the above mentioned materials, always on hand and for Sale, the latest and most improved SCREW COCKS to stand any amount of pressure.

Quebec, 7th May, 1855. 3m 2or3aw

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having OPENED a GENERAL IRON WORKING ESTABLISHMENT in JOSEPH ARCHER'S Esq., PREMISES, ST. ROCHS. Corner of ST. FRANCIS and ST. ROCHS STREETS, is prepared to do ALL KINDS of IRON AND SHIPPING WORK, with which he may be favored.

Old Iron and Brass purchased.
THOMAS WHITTY,
Corner of St. Francis & St. Rochs Streets.
Quebec 5th May, 1855.

ON SALE,

IRON SAFE DOORS. Warranted,
Iron Bedsteads, Plain and Fancy.
THOMAS WHITTY,
Corner of St. Francis & St. Rochs Sts.

MADE TO ORDER,

IRON PALASADINGS, any Pattern.
Iron Railings, Plain and Ornamental, for Gardens, &c.
Large Beams and Scales, Warranted, for weighing 1 Ton and upwards, of Iron or other heavy Goods.
THOMAS WHITTY.
Corner of St. Francis & St Rochs Sts.
Quebec, 5th May, 1855.

Chas. Leaycraft Gethings,
ADVOCATE, &c.,
Office :—Quebec Bank Building,
ST. PETER STREET, Lower Town,
Or at Residence : ST. DENIS ST., Cape, U. Town.
Quebec, 10th May, 1855. 4m-p

HANS HAGENS,
SHIP BROKER.

OFFICE,—Ryan's Buildings, No 37, St. Peter Street, formerly occupied by Funch, Meincke & Co.

Quebec, 9th May, 1855. 2m

DAVID ROSS,
DIAMOND HARBOUR,
QUEBEC,

HAS on hand a large quantity of BOOTS and SHOES of all descriptions ; also LEATHER & FINDING for Shoemakers, as CHEAP as any other Leather Store in this City.

Quebec, 10th May, 1855. u

M. A. HEARN,
ADVOCATE,
25½, ST. PETER STREET,
☞Opposite the Commercial Chambers.
Quebec, 9th May, 1855.

JOHN SMITH,
CARVER & GILDER,
Looking Glass & Picture Frame Maker,
25, *ST. JOHN STREET, (without.)*
Quebec, 5th May, 1855. 6m

AUCTION SALES
BY LEMOINE & CIMON.

UNDERWRITERS' SALE.

By Auction will be sold, at the Stores of Messrs. JOHN HENDERSON & CO, Upper Town, on MONDAY morning next, the 21st instant, for account of the underwriters :—

J. H. & Co., Q. 1 3 4 5 6 7 8 9. } 8 CRATES of SILK HATS landed in a damaged state from on board the ship "Toronto," Ballantine, master, from Liverpool.

J. H. & Co., Q. 1 — One Case do ; per Ship "Toronto" Ballantine, master, from Liverpool.

Sale at ELEVEN o'clock precisely.

LEMOINE & CIMON,
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. A. & P.

Bankrupt Stock.

By Auction, will be sold, at the Subscribers' Store, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY next, the 22nd and 23rd instant,

POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE :

AN Extensive and Valuable Retail Stock of SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, comprising :
Cloths, Cassimers, Doeskins,
Cotton, Linen, Silk Goods,
Coburgs, Cahmere and Orleans,
Trimmings, Small Wares, and a great variety of other articles

By order of the Trustees,

Sale punctually at TWO o'clock.

LEMOINE & CIMON,
Quebec, 21st May, 1855. A. & B.

By Auction, THIS (Monday,) and FOLLOWING EVENINGS, at the Stores of MADAME L. G. PITON, BRIDGE STREET, St. Roch :—

FANCY WAX WORK ORNAMENTS, Wicker Baskets and Cradles, China and other Ornaments, &c., &c.

Sale at SEVEN o'clock each evening.

F. H. HALL,
Quebec, 21st May, 1855. A. & B.

By Auction, on TUESDAY next, the 22nd inst., at the Subscriber's Stores, next to the EXAMINING WAREHOUSE :

A LOT of EMPTY WATER CASKS.

Sale at ONE o'clock.

F. H. HALL,
Quebec, May 21, 1855. A. & B.

TO SHIP-BUILDERS AND OTHERS.

By Auction, on TUESDAY the 22nd instant, at the Subscriber's Store, LEAYCRAFT'S BUILDINGS, next the Customs' Examining Warehouse, the following viz :—

DOUBLE and Treble Purchase Blocks for mastings, Dead Eyes and smaller Blocks, 3 Anvils, 2 Vices, 2 pair large Bellows, 1 Winch Treenail Machine, Smith's Tongs and Tools of various descriptions, 1 yard Bell, 3 stoves, Ship Wheel, Pitch Pots, Iron Bands and Knees, Chains, Suckers, Augers, Ring, Eye and other Bolts different sizes, Flat and round Bar Iron, Scrap Iron, and all the requisites for Ship-Builder's and Repairers Yard.

—ALSO,—

Pit and Mill Saws, lot of Staples, Kitchen Range, Cooking Stoves, a Consignment of Sherbrooke Pails and Tubs, a lot of Crockery Demijons, and sundry other articles.

—ALSO,—

At half-past THREE o'clock precisely a very superior Family Carriage, Patent Axles. Lamps, &c., for one or two Horses, built by Mr. Gingras.

Sale at TWO o'clock P. M.

F. H. HALL,
Quebec 18th May, 1855. A. & B.

Public Sale by order of the Circuit Court.

WILL be sold on TUESDAY the 22nd May inst.. at the hour of TEN o'clock in the forenoon, at the SHIP-YARD of FORTIN & Co., at HARE POINT,—the FRAME OF A VESSEL, measuring about 800 tons, a WINDLASS, sixty KNEES and a lot of TIMBER of different kinds and dimensions.

ALBERT ANGERS,
Bailiff Superior Court.
Quebec, 21st May, 1855.

Government Sale.

By Auction will be sold, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst., in the ROYAL ENGINEER YARD, St. Lewis Gate, & LOWER PARK, St. John's Gate :

A QUANTITY of UNSERVICEABLE STORES, consisting of Bushel Iron, Gun Wheels, Great Coats, Artillery Clothing, Fur Caps, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

About 8 Cwt. of Stone Colored Paint, various Iron and Copper Tools, Iron Ovens, Ash Staves, &c. &c.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock precisely in the Engineer Yard, St. Lewis Gate.

Conditions—CASH on delivery.

B. COLE,
Quebec, 15th May, 1855. A. & B.

Wanted for the London House,
No. 6, St. John Street,

A MILLINER to attend to the LADY'S DEPARTMENT,—will be required to speak the English and French Languages, and to understand the business perfectly.

J. & E. BARROW.
Quebec, 18th May, 1855. 4

WANTED,—A GARDENER.
L. T. MACPHERSON.
St. Peter St., 16th May, 1855. 6

WANTED, by a young, unencumbered Woman, a SITUATION as HOUSE-MAID or COOK. Best of references can be produced. Apply at the office of this paper.
Quebec, 12th May, 1855. u

WANTED,

ONE or TWO APPRENTICES to the DRUG business. Enquire at the Office of this Paper.
Quebec, 21st April, 1855

A FEW BOARDERS can be accommodated in the MONTREAL HOUSE, No. 44, St. John Street, within.
Quebec, 14th May, 1855. 6

THREE or FOUR GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with BOARD, at No. 10, PRINCE STREET, St. Rochs, on REASONABLE TERMS.
Quebec. 25th April, 1855.

STORAGE to be had on the INDIA WHARF. Apply to
A. & W. PARKE.
Quebec, 8th May, 1855.

Perfumery, Brushes, &c.

THE Subscribers beg to inform the public that they have JUST RECEIVED a very choice assortment of HAIR BRUSHES ; TORTOISE-SHELL BACK, DRESSING and other COMBS ; likewise a supply of PERFUMERY, ENGLISH CHEMICALS, &c., &c.

J. MUSSON & CO.
Quebec, 10th May, 1855 u

LEECHES.

JUST RECEIVED, a Fresh supply of FINE HEALTHY SWEDISH LEECHES.

J. MUSSON & CO.
Quebec, 10th May, 1855. u

New Grocery
And Ship Chandlery Store,
No. 16 St. Peter Street.

(SUCCESSORS TO MR. HANS HAGENS.)

THE Subscribers having purchased the business of Mr. HANS HAGENS, beg to notify their friends and the public that they will CONTINUE THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on by him, in the same premises, No. 16 St. Peter Street, and they hope by strict attention, and a thorough knowledge of the business, to merit a share of public patronage.

HOLFELDT & McDONAGH.
Quebec, 8th May, 1855

W. D. DUPONT,
Ship & Insurance Broker
AND
COMMISSION MERCHNAT,
74 *BEAVER STREET,*
New-York.

REFERENCES :

T. B. SATTERTHWAITE, Esq., Prest. N. York Mutual Insurance Co., New York.
LEWIS GREGORY, Esq., Prest. Globe Mutual Insurance Co , New York.
28th April, 1855. 4 law

FOR PLYMOUTH DIRECT,
To Sail on or about the 4th day of June.

THE Favourite Ship "BELMONT" can accommodate a few Families in Gbt of Poop Also, a few Cabin Passengers. Apply to CAPTAIN GILPEN, at Indian Cove, or ALLAN GILMOUR & CO.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855.

FOR
Whitehall, Burlington, St. Johns Sorel or Three Rivers.

THE "WHITEHALL FORWARDING COMPANY" will TAKE FREIGHT for the above Ports by their BARGES, now at LEAYCRAFT'S WHARF. Apply to
A. JOSEPH & CO.,
Napoleon Wharf.
Quebec, 19th May, 1855. 2

FOR CHARTER.

TWO SCHOONERS of 200 and 300 tons each, will accept a freight either to Upper or Lower Ports. For particulars apply to S. H. LEVALLEE & CO., St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 18th May, 1855.

For Charter.

To any safe Port in Great Britain or Ireland.

THE Bark "FAVOURITE," Captain John DUNN, 400 tons Register, is ready to receive cargo and to proceed to sea with al despatch. Apply to
C. & J. SHARPLES & CO.,
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 9th May, 1855.

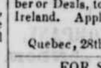
FOR SALE OR CHARTER.

A SHIP, about 1400 tons O.M., to class 7 years.
A do 1027 " "
6 years, both built under special inspection of Lloyd's Surveyor. Apply to
ANDERSON & PARADIS,
Commercial Chambers.
Quebec, 4th May, 1855.

FOR CHARTER.

THE A. 1. brig "PREMIER" 189 tons Register, Capt. WILLIAM DUNN, will accept a charter for any safe port in Great Britain or Ireland. For particulars apply to
GEO. BURNS SYMES & CO.
Quebec, 4th May, 1855. u

WANTED TO CHARTER.



A VESSEL of about 300 Tons Register, to load Timber and Deals for Adelaide, South Australia. Apply to
ALLAN GILMOUR & CO.
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 3rd May, 1855.

FOR CHARTER.

THE Barque FALCON, 382 Tons, Captain LOWDY, now at this Port, will accept a Charter for Timber or Deals, to any safe Port in Great Britain or Ireland. Apply to
C. W. WILSON & Co.
Quebec, 28th April, 1855.

FOR SALE OR CHARTER.

THE Brig "NESTOR," 206 Tons Register, now undergoing thorough repairs in the undersigned's Ship-Yard, St. Roch, and will be ready for sea at first open water. She will accept a Charter for any of the Lower Ports, or any safe Port in the United Kingdom. Apply to
JOHN LEMELIN, Jr.,
Bridge Street, St. Rochs.
Quebec, 16th April, 1855.

FOR CHARTER.

THE First Class Ship, "HAIDEE," of Liverpool, 713 Tons, Captain MCLEOD, will accept a Charter for any Safe Port in Britain. This Vessel is now in Port, and will be ready to receive Cargo first open water, and, being a fast sailer, would be very suitable for carrying Troops.
Apply to
ALLAN GILMOUR & CO.,
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, April 14, 1855.

FOR SALE.

A SHIP of 500 Tons, now building in the undersigned's Ship-Yard Hare Point, under LLOYD'S inspection to Class A 1 7 years, and will be launched first open water.—Apply to
T. C. LEE.
Quebec, 20th Feby., 1855.

QUARANTINE STATION.

THE GROSSE ISLE STEAMER will leave the QUEEN'S WHARF every TUESDAY and SATURDAY, at ELEVEN o'clock, A M. No person allowed to Land at the Quarantine Station, without a Pass from this office.

A. C. BUCHANAN,
Chief Agent.
GOVT. EMIGRATION DEPARTMENT.
Quebec, 11th May. 1854.

Montreal Steamers.

THE "QUEBEC," RUDOLPE, Master, each MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY ;
The "JOHN MUNN," CRAWFORD, Master, each TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, from the NAPOLEON WHARF, at FIVE o'clock, P.M., for MONTREAL, calling only at THREE RIVERS.

ROBERT SHAW,
Quebec, 8th May, 1855. 6 Agent.

NEW ROUTE TO THE FAR WEST!

1855.

PERSONS going to the FAR WEST are informed that a NEW, CHEAP AND EXPEDITIOUS ROUTE to the Western States and to the Lake Superior Country, by first class Steamers and Railway, has been opened up this season and is now in successful operation.

Passengers proceed by steamer from Quebec to Toronto, and from thence by the ONTARIO, SIMCOE and HURON RAILWAY to Collingwood, on Lake Huron—where first class Steamers will be in readiness to convey them to any Port on Lake Michigan or Lake Superior.

Arrangements have been made for the punctual despatch of the Steamers on this route and for the forwarding of Freight without detention.

A. BRUNEL,
Supt. O. S. & H. R. R.
Toronto, 17th May, 1855.

TOWING.

THE Steamer "ST. LOUIS," is now ready to undertake the TOWING of RAFTS and to MOVE VESSELS, at Very Low Rates. The greatest attention will be paid to Orders which may be placed in the hands of the proprietor.

LOUIS POIRE'.
Quebec, 12th May, 1855. 6m

THE New Steamer "JOHN BULL" arrived on FRIDAY last, from Montreal, where she has been fitted, at Mr. GEORGE BROACH'S EAGLE FOUNDRY, with a New Engine of 50 horse power. Being well adapted for the TOWING SERVICE, her proprietor is ready to EXECUTE ALL ORDERS with which he may be favoured for TOWING VESSELS of every description, between GREEN ISLAND and the PORT OF MONTREAL. He avails himself of this opportunity to offer his sincere thanks to the Quebec Merchants in the Export Trade, to the Captains and builders of Ships for the encouragement with which they have favored him during the past 17 years, and hopes, by punctuality to merit a share of their patronage.

The Steamer known as the "PILOT," which has also lately undergone considerable repairs, is likewise at the disposal of those who require her services.

J. B. BEAULIEU.
Point Levi, 14th May, 1855. 6m

Duncan MacPherson

HAS REMOVED to the STORE ADJOINING his former Establishment, and lately occupied by Messrs. LOUIS BILODEAU & Co.
Quebec, 12th May, 1855. 2m 3aw

41 Packages of NEW DRY GOODS.

JAMES HEWITT & Co.,

HAVE just received per SPRING FLEET, 41 PACKAGES of

New Fancy & Staple Goods,

which, owing to the depressed state of European Markets, have BEEN BOUGHT VERY CHEAP, and WILL BE SOLD MUCH UNDER ORDINARY PRICES.

150 Pieces Mousseline de Laine, from	5½d.
100 " Blk. & C'd'd Coburg Cloths, "	8½d.
400 Printed Muslin Dresses, at	2s. 6d.
300 Do do do, French Patterns, from	6s. 3d.
100 Pieces 36 inch. White Long Cloth Shirting,	4½d.

—ALSO—

A large and choice selection of Shawls, Scarfs, New Dress Goods, Bonnets, Ribbons, Parasols, French Flowers, Laces, Hosiery, Gloves, Linen, Damasks, Towellings, and every description of HOUSEHOLD FAMILY GOODS

ALL UNDER ORDINARY PRICES

JAS. HEWITT & CO.,
38, John Street.
Quebec, 10 h May, 1855.

Landing ex "Britannia" and "Toronto."

800 BOXES SOAP, CASEY,
50 Bbls. Washing Soda,
10 Hh'ds do do.
15 Bbls. Baking Soda,
25 " Caperas,
100 Bags Patna Rice, 1st quality,

For Sale by
H. TURCOTTE.
St. Peter Street, Lower Town.
Quebec, 8th May, 1855.

LANDING ex "Britannia" :
1000 BOXES Casey's Crown Brand LIVERPOOL SOAP.
LANE, GIBB & CO.
Quebec, 8th May, 1855.

THE Subscriber having LEASED the WHARF and STORES, for some years past occupied by Messrs. C. E. LEVEY & Co., ST. JAMES STREET ; he offers to RECEIVE, STORE and DELIVER GOODS of all descriptions on MODERATE TERMS.

He also offers WHARFAGE for Ships of any burthen, for loading or unloading, as also a very advantageous berth for discharging Coals without hoisting higher than the hatchways.

HENRY ATKINSON, JUNIOR,
Office on the Wharf.
Quebec, 11th May 1855.

BOOT AND SHOE WAREHOUSE,
John Street,
(CORNER OF URSULE STREET.)
COLLINS & NORTHMORE

RESPECTFULLY intimate to the inhabitants of Quebec and its vicinity, that they have leased the above premises, where they will be prepared to execute all orders in their line, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

THEY OFFER FOR SALE A CHOICE AND VARIED STOCK OF

Ladies & Gentlemens Boots & Shoes of the Last et Fashion,

embracing patterns and workmanship not to be surpassed.

J. C. having been engaged as an experienced foreman who has had the charge of the practical part of an extensive business for many years, and having other facilities which enable them to purchase materials at the best and cheapest markets, they flatter themselves that they will be able to give entire satisfaction to those who may favor them with their orders.

N. B.—As all lasts used at this establishment are manufactured by themselves, Ladies and Gentlemen difficult to fit, can have them made for the express purpose.

Quebec, 9th May, 1855.

Quebec Hydraulic Cement.

THE undersigned having purchased the Patent for the Manufacture of the above Cement, from Mr. PIERRE GAUVREAU, offer for sale TEN THOUSAND BARRELS CEMENT known as the "QUEBEC HYDRAULIC CEMENT."

CHINIC, SIMARD & METHOT.
Quebec, 12th May, 1855. 1m

JANES & MORGAN,
Forwarding & Commission Agents.

THE undersigned having completed their arrangements as Agents for a DAILY LINE OF STEAMERS, between MONTREAL and QUEBEC, are prepared to forward every description of goods from Upper Canada or United States that may be consigned to them, and VICE VERSA.

W. D. B. JANES,
R. J. MORGAN.
Montreal, 1st May, 1855.

St. Lawrence Hotel,
No. 60, St. Peter Street.

MRS. HAMMOND respectfully informs her Friends and the Public that she is prepared to receive BOARDERS or TRAVELLERS Breakfast ready at all times by the arrival of the Montreal Boats. Every attention will be paid to those favoring her with their custom. Other Meals will be prepared when required on their leaving the city.

Quebec, 10th May, 1855.

VICTORIA HOTEL,
QUEBEC,

Adjoining the terminus of the Quebec and Richmond Railway.

THIS Extensive and Elegant Hotel is now open for the reception of Travellers, who will find every comfort and accommodation on the MOST REASONABLE TERMS.

MEALS are served in time to suit the convenience of passengers arriving or departing by the Cars.

JOHN AUGHTON,
Proprietor.
Point Levi, 26th April, 1855.

JAMES MARTIN,—Surgeon,

HAS REMOVED to No. 7, GARDEN STREET.—LEWIS STREET.
Quebec, 5th May, 1855. 1m

QUEBEC BANK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a DIVIDEND of THREE AND A HALF PER CENT. has this day been Declared on the amount of the PAID UP CAPITAL STOCK for the current half-year, payable on or after the FIRST JUNE next.

The Transfer Book will be closed from the 16th May to 4th June.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the BANK, on MONDAY, the 4th JUNE next, at ELEVEN o'clock, when a statement of the affairs of the Corporation will be submitted, and when the ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing twelve months will take place.

By order of the Board
C. GETHINGS,
Cashier.
QUEBEC BANK, 30th April, 1855.

TO GARDENERS.

THORNBURN'S IMPROVED GIANT ASPARAGUS SEED.—This is the best species of Asparagus, being of uncommon excellence and is particularly recommended as the best to suit this climate.

For Sale by
JOSEPH BOWLES,
Upper-Town Market Place.
Quebec, 26th April, 1855.

Painted Pails.

THE Undersigned will receive a supply of PAINTED PAILS, of superior quality, on Opening of Navigation.

FRASER, WYATT & CO.
Quebec, April 21, 1855

RUSSIAN CORDAGE FOR SALE.

118 COILS, Superior quality, assorted sizes.

THOS. FRASER,
India Wharf.
Quebec, April 20, 1855. 1m

FOR SALE.

3,000 PINE BOARDS, 12 feet in length, of superior quality and well conditioned. Apply to
E. GINGRAS,
St. Ursule Street.
Quebec, 28th April, 1855.

For Sale by the Subscribers:

MARTELL'S BRANDY, in half pipes, pale and dark at New York prices.
Samples can be seen at the office of
S. H. LEVALLEE & CO.,
St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 10th May, 1855.

NEW HAT & FUR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 66, JOHN STREET, Upper Town.

A. SIMPSON & CO.,
IMPORTERS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers, and Manufacturers,

A. S. & CO., HAVING purchased at a GREAT SACRIFICE FOR CASH, the ENTIRE STOCK of the late Mr. F. X. FOISY, and receiving daily from the BEST HOUSES in ENGLAND, FRANCE AND UNITED STATES, (with whom they have made permanent arrangements,) supplies of the most SUPERB STYLISH & FASHIONABLE ARTICLES in the HAT and FUR LINE, solicit with confidence, public attention to their SPRING ASSORTMENT of GENTLEMEN'S SATIN, SILK, BEAVER, & FELT HATS.

LADIES' RIDING and YOUTH'S HATS, of various Styles,
Children's FANCY HATS.
Naval, Military, and Sporting Caps,
Boy's Caps, assorted sizes and patterns, &c.

In further invititing attention to the advantages possessed by them at their outset in business, A. S. & Co., beg to refer to the LONG EXPERIENCE of their Mr. A. SIMPSON in one of the principal Hat and Fur Establishments of the City, as a guarantee that JUDGMENT and TASTE will be exercised in the SELECTION and MANUFACTURE, and the "GETTING UP" of their GOODS,—and determined in doing business to adhere strictly to

AN UNDEVIATING CASH PRINCIPLE.

A. S. & Co, feel confident that whilst the QUALITY and STYLE of their HATS, CAPS, and other articles will be found to be EQUAL IF NOT SUPERIOR to those of any other House in the Trade,—their PRICES will be CONSIDERABLY LOWER.

A. S. & Co., also invite attention, particularly of STRANGERS staying in RUSSELL'S and other Hotels in this City, to their Handsome Collection of INDIAN CURIOSITIES.

Quebec, 30th April, 1855. 2m

NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.
M. McAVOY,
Merchant Tailor and Draper.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing the Citizens of Quebec, and its vicinity, that he has JUST OPENED a NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT,

AT No. 26, ST. JOHN STREET,
formerly occupied by MR. J. ROBERGE,

Where he is prepared to EXECUTE ALL ORDERS in his line of business. He will k-ep on hand every description of goods suitable for all kinds of Garments such as Coats, Cloaks, Vests, Pantaloons, &c., which he will make up in the latest style of either ENGLISH, FRENCH, or AMERICAN FASHION, and warranted to fit in every particular. By paying strict attention to his business he hopes to be able to merit a liberal share of the patronage of the City and surrounding country.

M. McAVOY.
Quebec, 4th May, 1855. 3m

DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers are now receiving, VIA PORTLAND and BOSTON, and expect per first arrivals at this Port, their usual large Importations of

Spring and Summer Goods,

which will of course comprise the CHOICEST and MOST EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT in this Market. The SILK, SHAWL, MANTLE, CLOTH, and CASSIMERE, and various other DEPARTMENTS, will be unusually well supplied, and owing to the tight

PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT.

[Reported for the Morning Chronicle.]

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Monday, May 14.

CONCILIATION COURTS.

Mr. McKENZIE moved the second reading of the bill to establish Conciliation Courts in Upper Canada. On two former occasions he had introduced the bill. Once it had been thrown out the second reading, and the second time, after carrying it by a good majority through that reading, the lawyers in the House rallied, and threw it out in committee of the whole, which rose without reporting, and he had not even the satisfaction of seeing the names of those voting against it recorded. The object was if possible, to keep the people out of the law courts, with their enormous expenses. It was no new principle, but had been in force these many years in Denmark and France.

Attorney General McDONALD opposed the bill, and moved it should be read a second time that day three months. All that was sought to be gained by that bill could be obtained now much more easily by arbitration in Upper Canada. Some slight alteration in the law of arbitration would render it almost perfect, and but for the length of the session and the burthen of other business brought before Parliament, he would have introduced a bill on the subject. Courts of this nature should be like arbitration, quite voluntary. The provisions of this bill amounted to a denial of justice, for every man had a right to appeal to the Courts of law to obtain justice if he chose—this bill said he should not do so except at a disadvantage, unless he first tried the conciliation Court. The certainty respecting the law and the mode of its administration was almost better than good laws themselves, for men at least know how to conduct their affairs according to law. But these conciliation courts would destroy that certainty.

Mr. BROWN thought there was much truth in the remarks which had fallen from the Attorney General; but, perhaps, if a second reading were taken and the bill referred to a select committee, it might be so altered as to make a more perfect system of arbitration.

Attorney General McDONALD said they could do nothing of that sort with this bill. The system of arbitration was, as he said, now almost perfect. Any two men having a dispute, could refer it to a third party, whose decision would be binding, and might, by a simple motion, without the formalities or expenses of a suit, be made a rule of one of the Superior Courts and executed by it. A simple verbal reference or one written in the most informal manner was sufficient between individuals. Of course, between Corporations such references must be in writing with their seal attached. What was wanted to perfect the system was, reference by the Courts of matters in dispute to parties versed in such affairs, instead of as now, referring them to juries quite ignorant of them—such as a case concerning commercial transactions to a jury of farmers, or agricultural matters to town-bred jurors.

Hon. Mr. CAMERON said he believed there was no more fruitful source of litigation and expense than these attempts at Arbitration Courts—They had once a fair trial in Upper Canada. The act which provided for the appointment of boundary line Commissioners to decide questions respecting disputed boundary lines, had created such a system. It had been found most expensive to work it, even when legal men were not employed. In one case the costs rose as high as £5.00. At last there was a general outcry for it's repeal: it was repealed, and no one has ever thought of reviving it. This was a fair trial of the system, showing it was not possible to work it.

Mr. LORANGER said the Courts of Conciliation in France, were Courts presided over by lawyers of standing, not such as those proposed by the hon. member. The reference to their decision was purely voluntary, and their decision not in any way binding. If, as a lawyer, he resided in Upper Canada, and desired to promote expensive litigation, he was sure he could not promote it more effectually than by aiding to pass this bill. Besides the endless trouble always attending such arbitrations, this bill was so utterly unworkable in its details that it would promote suits, not repress them.

REPORTING DEBATES.

The adoption of the Report of the Select Committee, appointed to inquire into the propriety of procuring reports of the debates of the House, and the best means of doing so, being moved.

Mr. LORANGER moved in amendment that the reports should be taken *verbatim*, and corrected and cut down by the several speakers. He went on to complain that the newspaper reports were got up by party men for party papers. They were right enough to do so, perhaps, but those who had no party organ at their command never had their views properly laid before their constituents.

Mr. FERRES was of the opinion, on the whole that the report should be adopted. He believed some such course was necessary. For some years past there had been no honest debate in that House. (Cries of ho! oh!) He would say no honest debates reported. (Oh! oh!) To change his expression—no honest reporting of the debates of that House for the newspapers. When he reported some years ago, and afterwards when he had reporters in his employ, he had endeavored always to give a faithful report, to convey to readers a faithful idea of the debates and instructed his reporters to do so. The Globe's reports, as far as he had examined them, were the most correct of any—faithful enough perhaps, but the others were anything but faithful. It was only a short time since that the gallant premier had been grossly misrepresented by one of the reporters, and made to say, concerning the last change of ministers, that there was no principle in it—a most unfair distortion of language—which did the Government no small injury at the time. He hoped the report would be adopted, and the power left in the hands of the Government to employ a staff of reporters in the recess for the coming session.

Mr. SANBORN thought an objectionable feature in the report was, that it was proposed to put the reporting and printing in the same hands. Now, as reporters were not generally capitalists, who could undertake the printing, this was dealing unfairly with them.

Mr. BROWN said in order to insure correctness and speedy execution the responsibility must not be divided else the blame would be constantly shifted between the reporters and printers it was necessary that the whole business should be in the same hands. His own opinion was this new plan of reporting was not wanted. He believed that the reports at present published by the newspapers was all that were required. It was quite true no doubt that now the speeches on both sides were not given at equal length, because the newspapers could not find room for them, and those speeches not agreeing with the views of the paper publishing were most cut down. Where there was a long debate of two or three nights, it was not desirable to report at length. No one would wade through them. He believed that the length of the parliamentary reports in the "Globe" had done it an injury because the public did not desire to read them at that length. Waile however the reports were cut down, he did not believe that any hon. members were dishonestly mis-represented.

Mr. FERRES.—Yes I have been.

Mr. BROWN.—It was all very well for hon members to talk of verbatim reports and to deride the reporters, but most members were much more indebted to the reporters, than the reporters to them. Few would like to see their speeches in print after they had been reported verbatim.

Mr. McKENZIE.—I would.

Mr. BROWN.—Well I can tell the hon. gentleman he would be astonished at the amount of trash he talked (Laughter.) Col. Prince was perhaps one of the most correct speakers they ever had in that House—and in consequence of some complaints of that hon. member about the reporters, one of them named Sheppard had reported one of his speeches verbatim, and nothing could have shown up the hon. gentleman in a more ridiculous light. A ten hours' debate would fill about fifty columns of the "Globe" if reported verbatim. Now who, he asked, would wade through that. It would be too voluminous even for convenient reference. As for the reporters themselves, he had necessarily been brought much in contact with them, and he believed a more honorable upright set of men were not to be found any where than among them. He knew no preporter of first-rate standing would tolerate any interference with his reports by even the proprietors of journals for whom he worked. At Quebec the circulation of the newspapers was necessarily small, the English population was not large, and the French not the best patrons of newspapers—consequently they could not afford to keep up the large staff required, such as was maintained by the Toronto and Montreal papers. When they got to Toronto they would find that the newspapers would give them the reports full enough. Now an additional reason for shortening them was that they were old news before they reached the West The telegraph had anticipated the result. If the speeches of one party were not found at length in one paper they would be in another, and so all parties would be heard through their respective organs. He thought therefore that the better plan would be to leave the reporting as now to private competition. However the House decided to have the reporting done at the public expense, he was satisfied that the mode proposed by the Committee after a careful consideration of the question was the best that could be adopted.

Hon. Mr. SPENCE concurred with much that had fallen from the hon. member for Lambton and other members. He could not agree with the remarks of the hon. member for Missisquoi. He did not believe that the reports were dishonestly got up. On the contrary, he was happy to bear witness to their general accuracy. The reporting conferred a favor on members by not reporting all they said. He believed, with the hon. member for Lambton, that this reporting should be left open to competition like any other business. He would move that the further consideration of the report should be postponed for three months.

Mr. FERRES knew this was an excellent opportunity to make a little bankum capital, and that most hon. members desired to be on good terms with the reporters and the press generally. He thought the speeches of hon. members on the subject hardly accorded with their private conversations. For his part, he was so much in the habit of dealing frankly with all subjects, and speaking his mind openly on all occasions, that he could not help doing so now. He might limit the downright dishonesty to one reporter—though none of the reports were correct—but one had purposely misrepresented him, and he had proved it. He continued to speak against the present reports, and in favor of the new scheme.

Mr. BELLINGHAM said, admitting all that was said by the member for Missisquoi, the dishonesty of one reporter was no reason for condemning the whole. The body of reporters would themselves condemn any one who disgraced their calling. He was much struck with what had fallen from the honorable member for Lambton, who was perhaps the most competent authority on this point in the House. What effect would the new system have in an economical point of view? Would it tend to strain unnecessary talking, or would it not on the contrary rather promote it? He thought the better plan was to leave it as now to newspaper competition.

Mr. LORANGER said it was very well for the Postmaster General and the member for Lambton to deny the scheme of having careful reports prepared, for they had special organs of their own through which they would make themselves heard by their constituents. But other members who were not so fortunate should have the same opportunity. They did not come there to talk to each other alone or to the galleries, but to the country. In the States, in New Brunswick, and in Great Britain, they had official reports. Why not here in Canada? Surely they heard enough eloquence in that House to render the debates worth reporting and preserving; and members who were not reported by party newspapers ought to have some opportunity of sending what they did say before their constituents. The English reports might be fair enough; he had nothing to say about them; but all the French speeches, except one party, were cut down, if not absolutely distorted.

Mr. PATRICK would support the report if he thought it would serve to curtail the speeches instead of increasing them. That would be a benefit to the country. But believing this plan of reporting would have the opposite effect, he should oppose it. He had his patience sufficiently taxed in the House by listening to speeches, without taxing his own pocket or that of the country for reporting and printing them.

After some farther discussion, the House divided on Mr. Spence's motion.

Yeas, 41; nays, 15.

After transacting some farther business the House adjourned.

IMPERIAL DESPATCH ON COLONIAL DEFENCES.

(No. 16.)

DOWNING STREET, 13th April, 1855.

SIR,—Her Majesty's Government have long had under their consideration the necessity of establishing a clear understanding with the Government of Canada on the subject of the measures mutually to be taken for the Military Defence of the Province and the subsidiary arrangements requisite to that end.

2. Although Canada is happily remote from the direct influence of those hostilities in which the country is at present engaged, it becomes now, even more necessary than before, that the available military resources of the empire in general, and the purposes to which they are applicable, should be fully ascertained.

3. Relying on the loyalty and patriotism of the inhabitants of Canada, no less than in their rapid advance in all that constitutes the strength of a community, Her Majesty's Government have not scrupled to reduce the military force stationed in the Colony in time of peace much below the amount which in former times had been thought advisable. And the result of the measures thus taken has hitherto fully justified their confidence. The course of events of recent years has more and more fully developed the settlement of the Canadian people to the institutions under which they live; the gratifying proofs which have so lately been acknowledged by me of the deep interst which they take in the success of the arms of Great Britain and her Allies in the present contest, have been strongly felt by all classes throughout these Kingdoms; and it is with a feeling of deep satisfaction that we are enabled to congratulate ourselves on the union thus cemented between communities so far severed by local position, but joined by the ties of common freedom and of loyal attachment to one Sovereign.

4. Her Majesty's Government propose to make no change in the principle of the relations now subsisting between this country and the Province as regards its military defence. The Imperial Government will remain charged as before with the supply and maintenance of military force for the defence of Canada, as of every other part of Her Majesty's dominions, in the event of its being menaced by foreign arms. They propose also to continue to maintain the force now existing in Canada, or whatever force may be strictly required for the military occupation of the few posts of first-class importance, so as to form a nucleus for the defence of the Province.

5. For all beyond this they propose to rely on the loyalty and military spirit of the Province itself. They are fully aware that if the contingency, now happily remote, should ever occur of an invasion of Canada by foreign arms, the most valuable aid to the reinforcement of troops which could be supplied from this country would be afforded by the courage and numbers of an organized militia, such as her great population might now enable her to supply; and they are equally persuaded that if the tranquility of the community should be menaced from within, the necessary force for the maintenance of order, both civil and military, if the latter should be required, will be best provided by the Province herself.

6. With respect to the lands now held by the British Government for military purposes, much correspondence has at different times taken place between this Department and the Colonial Government; and I was in hopes to have received before this time a report from the Province, which Lord Elgin was requested to furnish, classifying these lands in such a manner as might enable Her Majesty's Government to arrive at some positive decision as to their ultimate disposal. Although this report has not yet been received, I have, within the last few days, been placed in possession of a printed "Report of the Commissioners appointed to investigate and report upon the best means of reorganizing the militia of Canada," which goes far to supply the deficiency. Having consulted the Home authorities in more immediate charge of these lands, I believe that the information in the possession of Her Majesty's Government is already nearly sufficient to settle the details of the plan when an agreement has been established as to its outlines.

7. These ordnance lands are by no means all of them Crown Reserves; but, as I find noticed in the documents before me, many of them have been purchased at considerable cost to the Imperial Treasury.

8. It is not, however, the intention of Her Majesty's Government to make any distinction between reserves and purchased lands. They wish to deal with the entire property solely with a view to the permanent interests of the Province.

9. With this view, it appears to them that the ordnance lands at Quebec, Montreal and Kingston should be retained for purposes of defence in the hands of the Imperial Government. There may perhaps be portions of these lands not required for present or future military use, in which case these may be the subject of future arrangement; but of this I cannot, with the information as yet before me, speak with certainty.

10. There is a second class of lands not situated at these ports, and which will not be permanently occupied by her Majesty's troops; but which, in the opinion of military judges, will be of importance for the defence of the Province, in case of invasion. On some of these considerable sums have been expended with this view. Lands of this class it is proposed to make over to the Canadian Government for occupation and present use, but with a stipulation that they shall be kept available for military purposes, together with any buildings really requisite for similar purposes, in case they should be required at any future time for the defence of Canada.

11. There is lastly a third class, comprising lands which it is not important to retain for military purposes. These it is proposed to make over at once, and unconditionally, to the Canadian Government.

12. Should your Government think proper to devote the funds which may arise from their sale or other use to internal defences, as proposed in the report to which I have referred, Her Majesty's Government would regard such an appropriation of these funds with much satisfaction, but they do not wish to impose it as a condition of the transfer.

13. I have already said that Her Majesty's Government are now in possession of materials which may go a long way towards enabling them to effect this classification; but it would be more satisfactory if they had your assistance in such a manner as you may yourself, with the advice of your Executive Council, suggest towards the settlement of the details.

14. Whenever final instructions on this subject are conveyed, pending questions touching the disposal of military stores may also be arranged.

15. It is necessary to add, that any surrender of these lands by Her Majesty's Government must of course be subject to existing arrangements respecting them; such as those entered into, in some few instances, with pensioners for their locations.

I have, &c.,
(Signed,)
G. GREY.

NAMES OF JUDGES AT MONTREAL SINCE THE CONQUEST.—The following list may be of interest to many. It is authentic:—

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. ANNO.

1	Mr. Justice Adam Mabane } Francois Monier }	1767
2	" "	1769
3	" " John Fraser	1770
4	" " John Martielhe	
5	" " Peter Levius, Doctor of Laws	1776
6	" " William Owen	
7	" " Gabriel Elzear Taschereau	1776
8	" " Hertel de Rouville	1777
9	" " Edward Southouse	1777
10	" " Simon Sanguinet	1789
11	" " Pierre Panet	1793
12	" " John Antoine Panet	1794

COURT OF KING'S BENCH.

13	Mr. Justice James Walker } Pierre Louis Panet }	1794
14	" "	
15	" " James Monk, Chief Justice	1795
16	" " Isaac Ogden	1796
17	" " Arthur Davidson	1800
18	" " James Reid [and appointed Chief Justice in 1825.]	1807
19	" " Louis Charles Foucher	1812
20	" " George Pyke	1820
21	" " Norman F. Uniacke	1825
22	" " Jean Roch Rolland [and appointed Chief Justice in 1847]	1830
23	" " Samuel Gale	1834
24	" " Michael O'Sullivan, Chief Justice	1839
25	" " Joseph Remi Vallieres de St. Real, Chief Justice	1842
26	" " Charles D. Day	1842
27	" " James Smith	1847
28	" " Elzear Bedard	1848

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

29	Mr. Justice Jean Roch Rolland	1849
30	" " Thomas C. Aylwin	1848
31	Mr. Chief Justice Louis H. Lafontaine [since Sir L. H. Lafontaine, Bart.]	1853

SUPERIOR COURT.

32	Mr. Justice George Vanfelson	1849
33	" " Charles Joseph Elzear Mondelet	1849

(Montreal Gazette.)

THE CZARS OF RUSSIA.—The following is a list of the Czars and the dates of their ascending the throne of Russia:

John II	A. D. 1446
Demetrius, (murdered)	1501
Basil V	1504
John IV	1534
Theodore I	1584
Robise Godonneve	1598
Theodore II	1605
Demetrius II (murdered)	1605
Chousky	1606
Michael Fredrowitz	1613
Alexis	1645
Theodore III	1676
Peter I, the Great	1682
Catherine I	1725
Peter II	1727
Anne (a nun)	1730
John V (murdered)	1740
Elizabeth	1741
Peter III (murdered)	1762
Catharine II	1762
Paul I (murdered)	1796
Alexander I	1801
Nicholas	1825
Alexander II	1855

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Quebec, 24th March, 1855. 3m

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25	0 19 7	1 19 2
30	1 1 9	2 3 6
35	1 4 11	2 9 10
40	1 9 2	2 18 4
45	1 14 10	3 9 8
50	2 2 6	4 5 0
55	2 12 9	5 5 6
60	3 6 8	6 13 4

(MUTUAL.)

Extract from Table with Participation in Profits, after Seven Yearly Payments.

Age.		Annual Premium. £ s. d.	Half-Yearly Premium. £ s. d.	Quarterly Premium. £ s. d.
Years.	Months.			
30	0	2 7 3	1 4 2	0 12 3
	3	2 7 6	1 4 4	0 12 4
	6	2 7 10	1 4 6	0 12 5
	9	2 8 2	1 4 8	0 12 6
40	0	3 3 0	1 12 3	0 16 5
	3	3 3 6	1 12 6	0 16 7
	6	3 4 1	1 12 10	0 16 9
	9	3 4 7	1 13 1	0 16 10

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Age next Birth	Day.	Annual Payment. £ s. d.	Half Yearly. £ s. d.	Quarterly. £ s. d.
20	"	£1 8 6	£ 14 8	£ 7 6
21	"	1 9 3	15 1	7 8
22	"	1 9 11	15 5	7 10
23	"	1 10 7	15 9	8 0
24	"	1 11 3	16 1	8 2
25	"	1 12 0	16 6	8 4
26	"	1 12 10	16 11	8 7
27	"	1 13 8	17 4	8 9
28	"	1 14 5	17 9	8 11
29	"	1 15 5	18 3	9 3
30	"	1 16 7	18 10	9 7
31	"	1 17 7	19 4	9 10
32	"	1 18 8	19 11	10 1
33	"	1 19 9	1 0 6	10 4
34	"	2 0 11	1 1 1	10 9
35	"	2 2 2	1 1 9	11 0
36	"	2 3 6	1 2 5	11 4
37	"	2 4 10	1 3 1	11 9
38	"	2 6 4	1 3 10	12 1
39	"	2 7 11	1 4 8	12 6
40	"	2 9 7	1 5 7	12 11
41	"	2 11 4	1 6 5	13 5
42	"	2 13 0	1 7 4	13 10
43	"	2 14 10	1 9 3	14 4
44	"	2 16 9	1 9 3	14 10
45	"	2 18 8	1 10 3	15 4
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49	"	3 8 1	1 15 1	17 9
50	"	3 10 9	1 16 5	18 6
51	"	3 13 7	1 17 11	19 3
52	"	3 16 3	1 19 4	19 11
53	"	3 19 6	2 1 0	1 0 7
54	"	4 2 9	2 2 8	1 1 7
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56	"	4 10 0	2 6 4	1 3 6
57	"	4 14 0	2 8 5	1 4 7
58	"	4 18 1	2 10 6	1 5 7
59	"	5 2 6	2 12 10	1 6 9
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30	3 6 8	2 15 6	2 9 7
35	4 7 0	3 8 8	2 19 0
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