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Steamship Notices.

ALLAN LINE.



Have a Contract with the Government of Canada for the conveyance of the CANADIAN and UNITED STATES MAILS

1880 WINTER ARRANGEMENTS. 1880.

This Company's Lines are composed of the undernoted First-class, Full-powered Clyde-built, Double-Engine, Iron Steamships:—

	Tons.	
Parisian	5400	Building
Sardinian	4100	Capt. J. E. Dutton
Polynesian	4100	Capt. R. Brown
Sarmatian	4000	Capt. A. D. Aird
Circassian	3800	Capt. Jas. Wylie
Moravian	3650	Capt. John Graham
Peruvian	3600	Lt. W. H. Smith, R.N.R
Nova Scotian	3300	Capt. W. Richardson
Hibernian	3200	Lt. F. Archer, R.N.R.
Caspian	3200	Capt. M. Trocks
Austrian	2700	Capt. R. S. Watts.
Nestorian	2700	Capt. J. G. Stephen.
Prussian	3000	Capt. Jos. Ritchie.
Scandinavian	3000	Capt. Hugh Wylie.
Manitoban	3150	Capt. McDougall.
Canadian	2800	Capt. C. J. Menzies
Phœnician	2800	Capt. James Scott
Waldensian	2600	Capt. Legallais.
Corinthian	2400	Capt. R. Barrett.
Lucerne	2800	Capt. Kerr.
Acadian	1500	Capt. Cabel.
Newfoundland	1350	Capt. Mylins
Buenos Ayres	4200	Capt. Neil McLean.

THE STEAMERS OF THE

Liverpool Mail Line

Sailing from Liverpool every THURSDAY, and from Halifax every SATURDAY calling at Lough Foyle to receive on board and land Mails and Passengers to and from Ireland and Scotland) are intended to be despatched

FROM HALIFAX.

Moravian	Saturday, Jan. 31
Caspian	Saturday, Feb. 7
Circassian	Saturday, Feb. 14
Sarmatian	Saturday, Feb. 21
Peruvian	Saturday, Feb. 28
Hibernian	Saturday, Mar. 6
Sardinian	Saturday, Mar. 13

RATES OF PASSAGE FROM MONTREAL.

Cabin, according to accommodation	$67, $77 and $87
Intermediate	$45 00
Steerage	$31 00

The S.S. "Newfoundland" will leave Halifax for St. Johns, N. F., on February 3rd and February 17, connecting with "Sarmatian" from Liverpool 22nd January, and "Hibernian" from Liverpool 5th February.

RATES OF PASSAGE BETWEEN HALIFAX AND ST. JOHNS:

Cabin ....$20 00 | Steerage $6 00

An experienced Surgeon carried on each Vessel. Berths not secured until paid for.

Through Bills Lading granted in Liverpool, and at Continental Ports, to all points in Canada, and the Western States.

For Freight or other particulars, apply In Quebec to ALLANS, RAE & Co.; in Havre to JOHN M. CURRIE, 21 Quai d'Orleans; in Paris to ALEXANDER HUNTER, 7 Rue Scribe; in Antwerp to AUG. SCHMITZ & Co., or RICHARD BERNS; in Rotterdam to RUYS & Co.; in Hamburg to C. HUGO; in Bordeaux to JAMES MOSS & Co.; in Bremen to HEIRN RUPPEL & SONS; in Belfast to CHARLEY & MALCOLM; in London to MONTGOMERIE & WORKMAN, 17 Gracechurch Street; in Glasgow to JAMES & ALEX. ALLAN 70 Great Clyde Street; in Liverpool to ALLAN BROTHERS, James Street; in Chicago to ALLAN & Co., 72 La Salle Street; in New York to LEVE & ALDEN, 271 Broadway.

H. & A. ALLAN,
Corner of Youville and Common Streets
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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND MPORTERS.

WINTER STEAMSHIP SERVICE VIA PORTLAND, IN CONNECTION WITH THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY COMPANY OF CANADA.

The Dominion S.S. Co. | The Canada Shipping Co.
DOMINION LINE. | BEAVER LINE.

Will perform a Weekly Service between Liverpool and Portland during the ensuing Winter, with the following first-class Clyde-built Steamships, leaving Liverpool on Thursdays and Portland on Fridays in each week.—

DOMINION LINE.	Tons.	BEAVER LINE.	Tons.
Mississippi	2,250	Lake Nepigon	2,200
Quebec	2,650	Lake Champlain	2,200
Dominion	3,200	Lake Winnipeg	3,300

Appointed Sailings,

PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL.

DOMINION LINE.	BEAVER LINE.
QUEBEC, January 23rd	LAKE NEPIGON, January 30th
DOMINION, February 6th	LAKE WINNIPEG, February 13th
BROOKLYN, February 20th	LAKE CHAMPLAIN, February 27th

These Steamships are all of large carrying capacity, will insure at the lowest rates, and have superior accommodation for passengers.

Through Bills of Lading issued by all Grand Trunk Railway Agents in Canada.

Apply in Liverpool to
FLINN, MAIN & MONTGOMERY, Dominion Line;
H. J. SELKIRK, Manager Canada Shipping Co., Beaver Line;
And in Montreal to
DAVID TORRANCE & CO., Exchange Court, Agents Dominion Steamship Co.
And
THOMPSON, MURRAY & CO., 1 Custom House Square, Agents Canada Shipping Co.
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DOMINION LINE OF STEAMSHIPS



Running in connection with the **Grand Trunk Railway of Canada.**

	Tons		Tons.
Ontario	3,200	Quebec	2,650
Mississippi	2,250	Borussia	2,150
Teutonia	2,700	Brooklyn	3,500
St. Louis	2,000	Montreal	3,200
Dominion	3,200	(Building.)	
Texas	2,350	Toronto	3,200

DATE OF SAILING.

Steamers will sail as follows:—

FROM PORTLAND.

DOMINION .... 5th February
BROOKLYN .... 20th February
QUEBEC .... 5th March

RATES OF PASSAGE FOR WINTER MONTHS.

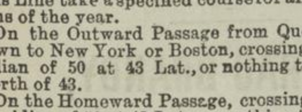
CABIN.—Montreal to Liverpool, $50; Return, $90.

Pre paid Steerage Tickets issued at the lowest rates.

Through Tickets can be had at all the principal Grand Trunk Railway Ticket Offices in Canada, and Through Bills of Lading are granted to and from all parts of Canada.

For Freight or Passage, apply, in London, to Bowring, Jamieson & Co., 17 East India Avenue; in Liverpool, to Flinn, Main & Montgomery, 24 James Street; in Quebec, to W. M. Macpherson; at all Grand Trunk Railway Offices; or to

DAVID TORRANCE & CO.,
Exchange Court.
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CUNARD LINE.

NOTICE.—With the view of diminishing the chances of collision, the Steamers of this Line take a specified course for all seasons of the year.

On the Outward Passage from Queenstown to New York or Boston, crossing Meridian of 50 at 43 Lat., or nothing to the North of 43.

On the Homeward Passage, crossing the Meridian of 50 at 42 Lat., or nothing to the North of 42.

The Cunard Steamship Company (Limited) between NEW YORK and LIVERPOOL calling at CORK HARBOR

FROM PIER 40 N. R. NEW YORK.

PARTHIA	Wednesday, Feb. 4
SCYTHIA	Wednesday, Feb. 11
ABYSSINIA	Wednesday, Feb. 18
BOTHNIA	Wednesday, Feb. 25
GALLIA	Wednesday, Mar. 3
PARTHIA	Wednesday, March 10
ALGERIA	Wednesday, March 17
HECLA	Wednesday, March 24
ABYSSINIA	Wednesday, March 31
SCYTHIA	Wednesday, April 7

*No Steerage.

And every following Wednesday from New York.

RATES OF PASSAGE.—$60, $80 and $100 gold, according to accommodation.

Tickets to Paris, $15, gold, additional.

Return tickets on favorable terms.

Steerage at very low rates. Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all other parts of Europe at lowest rates.

Through Bills of Lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other Ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean Ports.

For Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling Green.

CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent,
Or to THOS. WILSON,
58 St. Francois Xavier Street.
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WHITE STAR LINE.

Calling at Cork Harbour, Ireland, CARRYING BRITISH AND AMERICAN MAILS.



PROVIDED WITH EVERY MODERN IMPROVEMENT.

Sailing between NEW YORK and LIVERPOOL, via Queenstown, are appointed to leave as follows:—

BALTIC	Thursday, Nov. 27 at 2.30. p.m.
CELTIC	Saturday, Dec. 6, at 11 30. a.m
BRITANNIC	Saturday, Dec. 13, at 5.00 a.m.
ADRIATIC	Thursday, Dec. 18, at 9.00 a.m.
GERMANIC	Saturday, Dec. 27, at 2.00 p.m.
BALTIC	Thursday, Jan. 1, at 7.00 a.m.
CELTIC	Saturday, Jan. 10, at 2.00 p.m.
BRITANNIC	Saturday, Jan. 17, at 9.00 a.m.
ADRIATIC	Thursday, Jan. 22, at 1.00 p.m.
GERMANIC	Saturday, Jan. 31, at 7.30 a.m.
BALTIC	Thursday, Feb. 5, at Noon.
CELTIC	Saturday, Feb. 14, at 7.30 a.m.
REPUBLIC	Saturday, Feb. 21, at 1.30 p.m.
ADRIATIC	Thursday, Feb. 26, at 5.30 a.m.

SALOON PASSAGE.

Special Rate, $60, return $110, (for winter months) from New York to Liverpool,

New York to Liverpool and Queenstown $80 and $100 gold. Return Tickets, $145 and $175 gold. Tickets to London, $7, and to Paris, $20, gold, additional. Children between one and twelve years, half-price. Infants free. Servants, $50.

These Steamers do not carry Cattle, Sheep or Pigs.

STEERAGE PASSAGE.

From Montreal to Liverpool, London, Londonderry, Queenstown, Glasgow, Belfast, Bristol, Cardiff; or to Montreal from above places, $31.00.

Passengers taking the "White Star Steamers," as a rule, arrive in London in 9½ days from New York.

Passengers booked, via Liverpool, to all parts of Europe at moderate rates.

For further information and passage, apply to R. J. CORTIS, Agent, 37 Broadway, New York. Or to

B. J. COGHLIN,
SOLE AGENT,
26 St. Sulpice street, Montreal.
January 6 4

INMAN LINE

ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS

TO QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL



City of Montreal, Thurs., Jan 29, 6.30 a.m
City of Richmond ....Sat., Feb. 7, 2.00 p.m
City of Chester....Thurs., Feb. 12, 6 30 a.m
City of New York, Thurs., Feb. 19, noon.
City of Brussels, Sat., Feb. 28, 7.00 a.m
City of Montreal, Thurs., Mar. 4, 11 30 a.m

SALOON PASSAGES—$60, $80 and $100 Gold.

ROUND TRIP—$110, $135 and $160 Gold. Tickets to London, $7; and to Paris, $15 and $20 additional, according to route selected.

STEERAGE (including Railroad Fare between Montreal and New York) $31.00

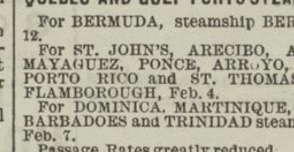
For Freight or Passage, apply at the Company's Offices, 31 and 33 Broadway, New York.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent.

In Montreal, to COX & GREEN,
13 and 15 Hospital street,
Where plans can be seen and Berths secured.

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QUEBEC AND GULF PORTS STEAMSHIP CO'Y

For BERMUDA, steamship BERMUDA, Feb. 12.

For ST. JOHN'S, ARECIBO, AGUADILLA, MAYAGUEZ, PONCE, ARROYO, HUMACAO, PORTO RICO and ST. THOMAS, steamship FLAMBOROUGH, Feb. 4.

For DOMINICA, MARTINIQUE, ST. LUCIA, BARBADOES and TRINIDAD steamer CANIMA Feb. 7.

Passage Rates greatly reduced.

For freight, passage and insurance, apply to
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29 Broadway, New York.
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The Subscriber makes a specialty of UPRIGHT PIANOS, of which he has a large assortment, at all prices.

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Have just received, by last Steamer, a Case of SECURED NOVELTIES in

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SUITABLE FOR THE PRESENT SEASON.

Which are now open for inspection.
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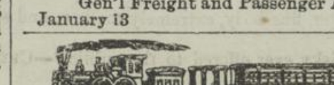
On and after MONDAY, JANUARY 12, Trains will leave HOCHELAGA DEPOT as follows:—

	A.M.	P.M.
Express Trains for Hull at	9.30 and	4.30
Arrive at Hull at	2.00 p.m. and	9.00
" Aylmer at	2.35 p.m. and	9.35
	A.M.	P.M.
Express Trains from Aylmer at	8.15 &	3.35
" " Hull at	9.20 &	4.20
Arrive at Hochelaga at	1.15 p.m. and	8.50
Train for St. Jerome at		5.00 P.M.
Train from St. Jerome at		7.00 A.M.

Trains leave Mile-End Station ten minutes later.

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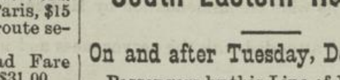
CHANGE OF TIME.

Commencing MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd, Trains will be run on this Division, as follows;—

	MAIL.	MIXED.
	Daily, (Sundays excepted).	
LEAVE		
Montreal	2.15 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Three Rivers	6.25 p.m.	4.15 a.m.
ARRIVE		
Quebec	9.25 p.m.	9.00 a.m
LEAVE RETURNING.		
Quebec	9 30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.
Three Rivers	12.45 p.m.	4.00 a.m.
ARRIVE		
Montreal	4.10 p.m.	9.50 a.m.

STARNES, LEVE & ALDEN, Ticket Agents, 202 St. James street and 158 Notre Dame street, Montreal.

J. T. PRINCE, Genl. Pass. Agent.
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Montreal and Boston Air Line AND South Eastern Railroads.

On and after Tuesday, December 23,

Passengers by this Line of Railway go by Train from Bonaventure Station without change of Cars.

Trains leave Bonaventure Station for points in the Eastern Townships and New England at 5 p.m. Afternoon Train has Pullman Sleeping Car attached.

LAKE MEMPHREMAGOG.

Leave Montreal from Bonaventure Station as above, for Newport, Lake Memphremagog, at 5 p.m. Returning, leave Newport at 3.55 a.m., arriving in Montreal at 10 a.m.

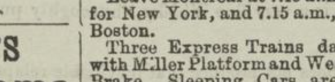
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Leave Montreal at 7.15 a.m. and 3.15 p.m. for New York, and 7.15 a.m., and 6 p.m. for Boston.

Three Express Trains daily, equipped with Miller Platform and Westinghouse Air Brake. Sleeping Cars are attached to Night Trains between Montreal and Boston and Springfield, and New York via Troy and Parlor Cars to Day Express between Montreal and Boston.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTREAL.

7.15 a.m., Day Express for Boston, via Lowell or Fitchburg, also for New York via Springfield or Troy.

For Waterloo, 7.15 a.m.

For Waterloo and Magog, 3.15 p.m.

3.15 p.m., Night Express for New York, via Troy, arrive New York 6.45 a.m. next morning.

6 p.m Night Express for Boston via Lowell, and New York via Springfield,

GOING NORTH.

Day Express leaves Boston, via Lowell at 8.00 a.m., via Fitchburgh 8.00 a.m., Troy at 7.40 a.m., arriving in Montreal at 9.20 p.m.

Night Express leaves Boston at 5.35 p.m., via Lowell, and 6 p.m., via Fitchburgh, and New York at 3 p.m., via Springfield, arriving in Montreal 8.55 a.m.

Night Express leaves New York via Troy at 7 p.m., arriving in Montreal 10 a.m.

For Tickets and Freight Rates, apply at Central Vermont Railroad Office, 136 St. James Street.

New York Office, 417 Broadway.
Boston Office, 260 Washington street.
Wm. F. SMITH, Passenger Agent.
S. W. CUMMINGS, Genl. Passenger Agent. J. W. HOBART, General Supt.
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3.15 p.m.—Night Express — Wagner's Elegant Sleeping Car runs through to New York without change. This Train makes close connection at Troy and Albany with Sleeping Car Train for Boston, arriving at 9.20 a.m.

New York Through Mails and Express carried via this line.

Information given and Tickets sold at all Grand Trunk Railway Offices, and at the Company's Office,

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

Montreal, February 3.

—The Allan's steamship "Newfoundland" sailed from Halifax, for St. Johns, at noon to-day.

—A writ of attachment has been issued against E. Vannier, Mr. F. X. Cochue, assignee; and a demand of assignment made upon A. P. Macdonald, contractor.

—The Customs returns of Belleville, for January, compare as follows with those of the same month of the preceding year: Imports, 1880, value, $13,976; duty, $2,957.23. 1879—Value, $11,263; duty, $2,755.64. Exports, 1880, $13,976; 1879, $2,405, showing an increase of $11,351.

—The annual meeting of shareholders of the Canada Cotton Manufacturing Company was held at the Company's mills, at Cornwall, yesterday. The statements submitted have been the most satisfactory since the mill commenced operations. The Directors' report was unanimously adopted, and the following Directors elected:—Edward Mackay, President; D. McInnes, Vice-President and Managing-Director; Geo. Stephen, Gilbert Scott, W. M. Ramsay, E. Kewin and John Turnbull.

—The total value of all goods shipped from Boston for the week ending Jan 30 was $1,358,642, of which $59,980 represented re-exports, and $93,483 goods in transitu. Compared with the corresponding week and period of the last two years the showing is as follows:—

	1880.	1879.	1878.
Week ending Jan. 30	$ 1,358,642	$ 1,120,864	$ 1,373,380
Prev. reported	4,213,693	2,138,732	3,565,312
Total	$ 5,572,335	$ 3,859,596	$ 4,938,692
Increase this year		1,712,739	633,643

—The total imports at New York for the week were $684,618 above those of last week. The dry-goods were $1,058,244 less and the general merchandise was $1,742,862 more. The following table enables comparisons to be made with totals at corresponding periods in previous years:—

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Dry Goods	$ 1,504,920	$ 1,372,987	$ 2,839,546
General mdse.	2,793,655	4,891,733	8,913,706
Tot'l for week	$ 4,298,575	$ 6,264,720	$11,753,252
Prev. reported	16,332,091	11,447,715	24,068,959
Since Jan. 1	$20,630,666	$17,712,435	$35,822,211

FINANCIAL.

Sterling Exchange is quiet, the amount of business done being very small; 60-day bills between banks are quoted at 8½ and over the counter at 8¾; in New York the posted rates are lower at $4.82½ for 60 days and $4.84½ for demand. Currency drafts on New York are firm at 1-16 @ ⅛ prem. Money continues quiet at about 5 per cent. on call and 6 on time. There is a moderate demand for commercial paper, which is discounted at 7 per cent. for good lines and up to 8 per cent. for less known names. On the Stock Exchange business to-day was dull; Bank of Montreal opened ¼ lower at 137, and closed at 136¾; Ontario is inactive at 70¾ bid 71½ asked, and People's firm with buyers at 60, sellers asking 65; holders' views as to the value of Molsons have advanced and 80 is now wanted; Toronto is enquired for at 121½ and Jacques Cartier is quiet at 58½ @ 59½; Merchants is steady at 88 and Eastern Townships at 98; Union is wanted at 67 holders] ask 71, and Commerce is firmer at 115½; for Intercolonial Coal Co. 11 is bid and 15 asked; there is some little enquiry for cotton mill stocks, 20 is offered for Canada Cotton Co. and 105, ex dividend, for Montreal Cotton Co.; Montreal Loan and Mortgage Co. is firmer at 98 bid 100 asked, and City Gas quiet at 116 @ 117; Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co. is weaker at 37½ and Montreal Telegraph, which opened ¾ lower, at 90½, closed stronger at 90¾. Dominion Telegraph Co. is offered at 63 but without leading to business. The sales were:—

MORNING BOARD.

Bank of Montreal	5, 10 @ 137
	1, 9, 5, 5, 10, 5, 20, 15 @ 136¾
Merchants	1 @ 88
Eastern Townships	24 @ 98
Montreal Telegraph	25, 25, 50, 25 @ 90½
	25 @ 90¾
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co.	35, 25, 25 @ 37½
	65 @ 37¾
City Gas Co.	3 @ 116

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Bank of Montreal	5 @ 136¾
Merchants	17, 3, 2 @ 88
Commerce	14 @ 115½
Montreal Telegraph	45, 25, 25 @ 90¾

At New York the Stock Market was stronger. The changes during the day were as follows:—

	Cl'g Prev. Day.	Op'g.	1.30	Cl'g
West. Union	104⅝	104¾	...	104¾
Lake Shore	104⅝	104⅜	...	104⅞
Pacific Mail	38⅝	39	...	38⅞
Erie	48⅜	48¾	...	48¾
Do. pfd	...	73¼	...	...
Erie 2nd	90½	90¼	...	91
Ohio & Miss	31⅜	...	...	31⅛
Nor-West	90⅝	90⅝	...	90⅞
Do. pfd	...	...	...	104¾
St. Paul	78½	78½	...	78¾
Do. pfd	...	...	...	102⅞
Mich. Central	91¾	92	...	92
Jersey Central	82⅛	81⅞	...	82½
N. Y. Central	130½	130⅝	...	...
Del. Lack & West	86¼	86⅛	...	86½
Del. & Hudson	75⅞	76	...	...
St Joseph	40⅜	40½	..	40⅞
Do. pfd	71¼	...	...	71½
Rock Island	...	...	...	...
C. C. & I. C	23½	...	...	23½
C. C. C. & I	...	...	...	...
St. L. K. & N	46⅛	46¼	...	46⅞
Do. pfd	...	71⅛	...	...
Union Pacific	92¾	92¾	...	93½
A. & P. Tel	...	...	...	...
Man. Elv	51¼	...	...	51½
Reading	...	...	...	...
Kansas & T	...	47½	...	...
Canada Southern	...	...	...	...
C. St. Paul & M.	...	...	...	...
Kan. Pac	...	...	...	...
St. L. & St. F.	...	...	...	...
Iron M	...	...	...	...
L. & N.	...	...	...	...
Q. Silver	...	...	...	...
Do. pfd	...	...	...	...
Exchange	483½	482	...	482½
Money	5	...	...	6

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

Breadstuffs in England were dull and lower, the Liverpool quotations showing a falling off in Wheat of 1d @ 2d per cental, and Corn also declined ½d @ 1d. In Chicago Wheat opened ½ lower at $1.22 for March delivery and closed at $1 21⅜, a decline since yesterday of 1⅛c. The Chicago provision market was also weak. Pork fell 22½c, and Lard 7½c @ 10c.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

The Customs receipts at the Port of Montreal during January were $359,914.42, against $356,389.29 in January 1879, an increase of $3,525.13. Since the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1st, the amounts compare as follows:—

	1878-9.	1879-80.
Jan. receipts	$ 356,389.29	$ 359,914 42
Prev. 6 m'ths	1,902,784.71	2,378,392.27
	$2,259,174.00	$2,748,186.69
Increase		$489,012.69

INSURANCE NEWS.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE.

The 20th annual statement of this Company is creditable in the highest degree to its managers. The assets now amount to nearly $38,000,000, and the surplus shows a large increase, footing up $7,515,907.75. The Equitable paid in 1879 nearly $2,500,000 for death losses and endowments, and returned almost as much more to policy holders as dividends, annuities, &c. It closed the year without a single death loss contested—a remarkable fact. The large increase in its business is doubtless due in part to the rule which makes its policies incontestable after three years. The Equitable advertises its readiness to loan money on real estate at 6 per cent., without cost to the borrower for the usual fees for examining titles.—*N.Y. Journal of Commerce.*

MONTREAL STOCK LIST.

Montreal, February 3.

STOCKS.	Value of Shares.	Last Hf-y'rly Dividend	Sellers. p. cent.	Buyers p. cent.
Bank of Montreal	$200	6 p.c	137¼	136¾
Ontario Bank	40	3 p.c	71½	70¾
Bank of B. N. America	£50	2½ p.c	......	......
Consolidated	$100	......	......	......
Banque du Peuple	50	2 p.c	65	60
Molsons' Bank	50	3 p.c	80	......
Bank of Toronto	100	3½ p.c	......	121
Bank Jac. Cartier	25	2½ p.c	59½	58½
Merchants' Bank	100	3 p.c	88½	88
East'n Townships Bank	50	3½ p.c	......	......
Quebec Bank	100	3½ p.c	......	......
Banque Nationale	50	3½ p.c	......	......
Union Bank	100	4 p.c	......	......
Mechanics' Bank	50	......	......	......
Can. Bank of Commerce	50	4 p.c	115¾	115½
Metropolitan Bank	100	......	......	......
Dominion Bank	50	4 p.c	......	......
Bank of Hamilton	100	4 p.c	......	......
Maritime Bank	100	......	......	......
Exchange Bank	100	......	50	30
Ville Marie	100	......	......	......
Standard Bank	50	3 p.c	......	......
Federal Bank	100	3½ p.c	......	......
Imperial	100	4 p.c	......	......
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Intercolonial Coal Co.	100	......	15	11
Huron Copper Bay Co.	4	......	......	......
Montreal Telegraph Co.	40	4 p.c	91	90½
Dominion Telegraph Co.	50	2 p.c	......	......
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co	100	2½ p.c	37¾	37
City Passenger R.R.	50	......	84	81
City Gas Co.	40	5 p.c	117	116
Merchants' Exchange	100	3 p.c	......	......
Cie. Pret et C'dit Foncier	......	4 p.c	......	......
Quebec Fire Assurance	100	5 p.c	......	......
Montreal Invest. Ass'n.	......	......	......	......
Canada Cotton Co.	100	......	......	20
Graphic Printing Co.	......	......	......	......
Mont. Warehousing Co.	......	......	......	......
North Am. Car Co.	100	5 p.c	......	......
Mont. Loan & Mortg Co.	50	3½ p.c	......	......
Montreal Build'g Ass'n.	50	8 p.c	......	......
Sealing and Fishing	......	......	......	......
Academy of Music	100	......	......	......
Royal Canadian Ins. Co.	100	......	45	42
Can. Landed Credit Co.	100	4½ p.c	......	......
Globe Printing Co.	500	......	......	......
Dominion Stock 6 p.c.	......	......	......	......
Dominion Stock 5 p.c.	......	......	......	......
Dominion Bonds	......	......	......	......
Dom. Tel. 6 p.c. stg Bds	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb 6 p.c. stg	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 6 p.c. cy	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 5 p.c. stg	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 5 p.c. cy	......	......	......	......
Mtl. Harbor 6½ p.c. Bds	......	......	......	......
Mtl. Harbor 6 p.c. Bds	......	......	......	......
G.T.R. 7 p.c. stg. Bonds	......	......	......	......
C. & St. L. R. 6 p.c. Bonds	......	......	......	......
do 8 p.c. cy. do	......	......	......	......
Montreal 6 p.c. Bonds	......	......	......	......
Montreal W. W. Bonds	......	......	......	......
Montreal 7 p.c. Stock	......	......	......	......
Montreal 6 p.c. Stock	......	......	......	......
EXCHANGE.				
Bank, 60 days	......	......	......	......
N. Y. Gold Drafts	......	......	......	......
Sterling Ex. in N.Y.	......	......	......	......

MACDOUGALL & DAVIDSON,
Stock Brokers

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

QUEBEC.

NEW MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.—Dugal & Amiot, Quebec, February 14; P Bayeur, of Berthier, at Sorel, February 12; D E Jones *et al*, Montreal, February 4; F Crepault, Quebec, February 12; A Toupin, of Longue Pointe, at Montreal, February 12; H Gagnon & Co, Quebec, February 12; W H Laroche, Quebec, February 14; W Lawes, Montreal, February 12; J Perrault, Montreal, February 11; Day & Co., Montreal, February 11; J Stryde, Montreal, February 13; R Pincombe, Quebec, February 12; Hamilton & Papineau, Montreal, February 13; J Dubord, of Sault au Recollet, at Montreal, February 12.

WRITS OF ATTACHMENT ISSUED.—Against—A R Bell, Montreal; A Toupin, Longue Pointe; J Holiday, Montreal.

ASSIGNEES APPOINTED.— A Germain, Sorel, to D Marcoux; A Lionais, Montreal, to S C Wilscam; L Z Jonas, Perce, to F LeBrun; D Lortie, Quebec, to A F Banfield; John Taylor, Montreal, to D Carignan, St Henri; Alex Moffatt, Montreal, to A Bresler; L Dupuy, Montreal, to A Mayer; L A Globensky, Montreal, to Payton & Co and George Daveluy; J C Dansereau, Montreal, to J Courtemanche.

DIVIDENDS PAYABLE.—C M Desislets, Montreal, February 16; The Baylis-Wilkes Manufacturing Co, Montreal, February 16; Guay & Co, Quebec, February 18; A Roy & Co, Montreal, February 17; H J Theall, Montreal, February 16; A F Adams, Sherbrooke, February 16.

DEEDS OF COMPOSITION AND DISCHARGE PREPARED.—D Marcoux, with A Germain, Sorel; J Courtemanche, Chambly, with J C Dansereau, Montreal; F LeBrun, with L Z Joncas, Perce; H L Gittleson, Morin Flats, with A Bourbonniere, Montreal; D Carignan, St Henri, with John Taylor, Montreal; N Lajeunesse, Sault au Recollet, with C O Perrault, Montreal, D Shaw, with A Moffatt, Montreal.

APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.—J Sorel, Capelton, March 10; E Lachance, Levis, March 5; J Poupart, Montreal, March 10; H W French & Co, Quebec, March 3; L Desloges, Montreal, March 1; S Poitras, l'Epiphanie, March 12; H Martel and G Boisvert, Sorel, March 1; G W Batchelder and E M Copland, Sorel, March 1.

FINANCIAL MATTERS IN LONDON.

London, January 31.

This week's *Economist* says: "The rate of discount for bank bills, sixty days to three months, is 1½ per cent, and for trade bills, sixty days to three months, it is unchanged (2 to 3 per cent.) On the Stock Exchange the dealings were extensive and the course of prices continued upward. Foreign stocks, home railways and miscellaneous securities have almost all advanced. In Canadian railways speculation is rampant. Telegraphs, mines, iron, coal and water companies, all attracted increased attention. Foreign government securities advanced, the newer Continental issues being most in request. Prussian new 4 per cent consols realized 99, a considerable rise on the first quoted price in this market. Hungarian, Austrian and Italian attracted many purchasers. Russian were also in request. Argentine, Mexican and Venezuela bonds have risen largely. There is great strength visible in all colonial railway securities. Canadian are especially buoyant. The volume of the speculation in Grand Trunk stocks has been enormous. It is stated that large amounts have been taken up during the present settlement, and at the present price of 23 Grand Trunk ordinary has risen upward of 8 since December. At this time last year this stock could have been bought for about 6. Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway of Canada bonds are 4 higher on the week, and St. John and Maine shares 3½. Among United State railways, Atlantic and Great Western have been most in demand, and first mortgage bonds advanced 5. Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio consolidated mortgage bonds are 7 higher, Erie shares 2 and Pennsylvania 1, but New York Central shares relapsed 2.

LUMBERING IN THE WEST.

The Chicago *Tribune* says:—"The impassable state of the country roads interferes with trade in the interior, but considerable lumber is moving to points where stocks need to be replenished for the spring trade. The reports from the pine regions are discouraging to loggers, except from the northern peninsula of Michigan, where the roads are in excellent condition for hauling and banking logs. In the lumber district across the lake work is nearly suspended in consequence of the absence of snow. Considerable work is being done on the east shore by artificial means, which, of course, increase the cost of the logs, and all the contractors are not provided with the facilities for getting out stock. It is estimated that not more than 25 per cent. of the log crop that east-shore lumbermen first calculated on securing has been obtained, and only about two months of the season remains in which to get the rest. It is reported that camps in the Saginaw district have been abandoned after men and teams have lain idle for weeks waiting for snow enough to enable them to begin work."

RAILWAYS.

—The New York *Tribune* reports that the conflict between the Atchison, Topeka, Santa-Fe and the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Companies has been brought to an end by a satisfactory agreement between the two Companies to continue ten years. The Denver and Rio Grande is given the Leadville route.

CANADA SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

The first mortgage seven per cent. bonds of this Company, and the second and other debts of the Company, were, by some arrangement, consolidated in one new mortgage debt at three per cent. interest, guaranteed by the New York Central. Holders of the first mortgage bonds who did not consent to take the new three per cents. will be interested in a decision by Mr. Justice Wallace, on a suit of Mr. W. H. Gebhard, in the United States Circuit Court, to the effect that the attempt to compel the bondholders to accept the new contract in place of the old, by an Act of the Canadian Parliament, is contrary to the fundamental principles of law, and the plaintiff is entitled to recover on his original contract the seven per cent. interest.—*N.Y. Journal of Commerce.*

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

—A despatch from Denver says the Gunnison country is developing extraordinary richness in minerals. Prospectors are flocking thither, and capitalists are taking a large interest. It is said the discoveries exceed anything hitherto found in Colorado.

THE STREET MARKETS.

Montreal, February 3.

Business was not active this morning, the attendance of buyers being interfered with to a great extent by the heavy snowstorm. The large quantity of frozen beef offering was again one of the principal features of the market, hind quarters selling at $4.50 @ $5, and fore quarters at $3 @ $4 per 100 lbs. Good dressed hogs sold at $6.25 @ $6.50, but for inferior lots that had been through the thaw much lower prices were accepted. Fresh eggs were scarce, selling at 25c @ 30c per dozen. The small amount of print butter offering caused a better enquiry for roll, which sold at 20c @ 22c. Fruit and Vegetables are quiet and unchanged. We quote prices as follows:—

GRAIN AND FLOUR.—Oats, 70c @ 75c per bag; Barley, 60c @ 65c per bushel; Peas, 80c @ 90c; Buckwheat, 45c @ 50c; Flour, $3.10 @ $3.40 per 100 lbs; Buckwheat Flour, $1.60 @ $1.75; Oatmeal, $2.20 @ $2 40; Cornmeal, $1.40 @ $1.50; Moulie, $1.10 @ $1.20; Bran, 70c @ 75c.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.— Potatoes, 45c @ 50c per bag; Carrots, Turnips, and Beets, 30c @ 40c per bushel; Onions, $1.75 @ $2.00 per barrel; Parsnips, 50c per bushel; Celery, 25c @ 30c per dozen heads; Cabbages, 15c @ 30c per dozen; Artichokes, 75c per bushel. Apples—Winter, $2.00 @ $3; good fall, $1 @ $1.25 per barrel; Cranberries, $9 @ $10 per barrel; Oranges, $6 @ $6.50 per case; Lemons, $7 @ $9 per case; Malaga Grapes, $7 @ $7.50 per keg; California Pears, $4 per box.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 8c @ 9c per lb; Geese, 6c @ 7c; Chickens, 7c @ 9c; Ducks, 7c @ 9c.

MEAT—Beef—Forequarters, $3 @ $4 per 100 lbs; hind-quarters, $4 50 @ $5 00; Dressed Hogs, $6 25 @ $6 50.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Tub Butter, 17c @ 22c; Prints, 22c @ 30c. Cheese, 13c @ 15c. Eggs, packed, 17c @ 19c; new laid, 25c @ 30c.

FISH—Haddock and Cod, 5c @ 7c per lb; Halibut, 15c @ 17c per lb; Smelts, 10c; Sturgeon, 10c; Salmon, 25c; Lobsters, 9c @ 10c per lb; Fresh Herrings, 20c @ 25c per dozen; Tommycods, 20c per peck.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

ELORA, February 3.—The Elora monthly fair was held here to-day, and was well attended. Beef sold at from 3½c @ 4c per pound; over 1,000 head of cattle have been brought in this section to be delivered in May from 5c @ 6c per pound.

CORN EXCHANGE REPORT.

Tuesday, February 3.

Wheat in Chicago declined ½c.

BEERBOHM'S ADVICES—Floating Cargoes—Wheat, very inactive. Corn, steady. Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Wheat, neglected; no business doing; do Corn, rather quieter. Medium Chicago or Milwaukee Wheat, off coast, 49s. California Wheat, off coast, 51s. Mixed American Corn, for prompt shipment, 25s. California Wheat on passage, just shipped, 50s; nearly due, 50s 6d. No 2 Chicago Spring Wheat for shipment this month and next, 48s 6d @ 49s. Liverpool Wheat and Corn, spot, inactive; do California and Club Wheat, 10s 9d @ 11s 3d; do Red Winter and White Michigan do, 10s 11d @ 11s; do Red American Spring do, 9s 11d @ 10s 5d. American Extra State Flour, London and Liverpool, 49s. On passage for the Continent: Wheat, 370,000 qrs; Corn, 370,000 qrs. Liverpool Exchange, 1.30 p.m. Bacon, S R, 37s 6d; Beef, Prime Mess, 80s; Prime Western Lard, 39s 9d.

FLOUR.—Market continues very dull, no demand; prices almost nominal; inside figures are obtained with difficulty for smallest jobbing parcels.

Superior Extra	$6 15	@ 6 20
Extra Superfine	6 00	@ 0 00
Fancy	0 00	@ 0 00
Spring Extra	5 80	@ 5 85
Superfine	5 55	@ 5 60
Strong Bakers'	6 10	@ 6 40
Fine	5 25	@ 5 35
Middlings	4 40	@ 4 50
Pollards	0 00	@ 0 00
Ontario Bags	2 80	@ 2 90
City Bags (delivered)	3 25	@ 0 00

BARLEY—Nominal.

OATMEAL—Ontario, $4.70 @ $4.75.

RYE—Nominal.

OATS—31c @ 32c.

PEAS—77c per 66 lbs.

CORNMEAL—$2.90 @ $3.00.

CORN—About 70c duty paid.

CANADA WHEAT—Spring Wheat, nominal at $1.32 @ $1.35.

BUTTER—Western, 15c. @ 20c.; Brockville and Morrisburg, 17c. @ 21c.; Eastern Townships, 20c. @ 22c. Creameries, 26c @ 28c.

CHEESE — 13c. @ 14c., according to make.

LARD—10c. @ 11½c. for tubs and pails.

PORK—Mess, $17.00 @ $17.50.

HAMS—11c. @ 12½c.

BACON—8½c. @ 10c.

ASHES—Pots, about $4.00 @ $4.10 per 100 lbs.

DRESSED HOGS—$5.80 @ $6.00.

SEEDS — Clover, $4.15 @ $4.30 per bushel.

FREIGHTS *via* Portland—Heavy Grain, 7s; Ashes, Pots, 47s 6d, Pearls, 57s 6d; Flour, 3s 6d per brl.

NEW YORK, February 3, 12.15 p m — Wheat, quiet; Chicago, $1 33 @ $1 35; Milwaukee, $1 36 @ $1 37. Corn, quiet; No 2, 62c. Oats, quiet. Receipts — Wheat, 13,000 bushels; Corn, 34,000 bush; Oats, 2,000 bushels; Rye, 4,000 bushels; Barley, 2,400 bushels.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3. — Wheat — Receipts, 16,000 bushels; shipments, 14,000 do. 9 30 a m.—Opens at $1 22 for March. 11 42 a m.—$1 20⅝ for February; $1 22 for March. Corn—Receipts, 189,000 bushels; shipments, 101,000 do. 9 32 a. m.—Opens at 42⅛c for May. 11 18 a. m.—37c @ 38⅛c for cash. Oats—Receipts, 21,000 bushels; shipments, 19,000 do. 11 48 a m—32¼c for February; 32⅛c for March. Barley—Receipts, 13,000 bushels; shipments, 8,000 bush. 9.32 a.m—Pork—Opens at $12 60 for March. 11.38 a m—$12 35 for February; $12 55 for March. 9.35 a. m.—Lard—Opens at $7 50 asked for March. 11 38 a m—$7 35 asked for February; $7 45 for March; $7 55 for April.

Stocks in store—Wheat, 8,691,011 bushels; Corn, 4,487,615 do; Oats, 1,111,471 do; Rye, 273,040 do; Barley, 734,414

MILWAUKEE, February 3rd.—Wheat, receipts, 12,000 bush; shipments, 1,000 bush. 9.34 a.m—Opens at $1.21½ for March. 11.38 a.m—$1.19½ for February; $1.20⅝ for March.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE—Feb. 3.

	G.T.R.	Q.M.O. & O.	S.E.R.
Wheat, bush	2,800	......	......
Peas, bush	400	400	......
Oats, bush	......	500	......
Flour, brls	1,689	......	......
Oatmeal, brls	100	8	......
Ashes, brls	27	......	......
Butter	423	50	......
Tallow	2	......	......
Leather, rolls	57	56	......
D Hogs	111	8	......
Tobacco	3	......	......
Hides	......	24	......

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL:—	Feb 2, 5.00 p.m. s. d.		s. d.	Feb. 3, 5.00 p.m s. d.		s. d.
Flour	9 6	@	12 0	9 6	@	12 0
Spring Wheat	10 0		10 8	10 0		10 7
Red Winter	10 3		11 0	10 2		10 10
White Winter	10 0		10 11	10 0		10 9
Club	10 10		11 3	10 8		11 1
Corn (new	5 4½		5 5	5 4		0 0
Do. (old)	00 0		00 0	0 0		00 0
Barley	5 3		00 0	5 3		00 0
Oats	6 0		00 0	6 0		00 0
Peas	6 9		00 0	6 9		00 0
Pork	60 0		00 0	60 0		00 0
Lard	39 6		00 0	40 0		00 0
Bacon	36 0		37 6	36 0		37 6
Tallow	36 6		00 0	36 6		00 0
Beef	82 0		00 0	82 0		00 0
Cheese	73 0		00 0	73 0		00 0

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE HERALD.

EUROPEAN.

LONDON, February 3.

MONETARY—11 30 a m — Consols, 98 3-16; 4½'s, 111; 5's, 105⅝; Erie, 49⅝; Ill. C, 108.

5 p m — Consols, 98¼; 4½'s, 111; 5's, 105⅝; Erie, 49⅝; Ill. C, 108.

LIVERPOOL, February 3.

COTTON — Firm; Uplands, 7 3-16d; Orleans, 7 5-16d.

UNITED STATES.

CHICAGO, February 3.

GRAIN—9 30 a m — Wheat — $1 22 March

9 32 a m—Wheat, $1 21⅞ March. Corn, 42⅛c May

9 49 a m—Wheat, $1 20 Feb; $1 21⅞ @ $1 21½ March. Corn, 41⅞c May; 41⅞c June; 42⅛c July

10 15 a m—Wheat, $1 20 Feb; $1 21⅞ March. Corn, 37c Feb; 37⅛c March; 41⅞c May

10 45 a m—Wheat, $1 20¼ Feb; $1 21⅞ March

11 10 a m—Wheat, $1 20⅝ Feb; $1 21⅞ March

11 42 a m—Wheat, $1 20⅝ Feb; $1 22 March. Corn, 42c May

11 56 a m—Wheat, $1 20⅞ Feb; $1 22½ March; $1 20½ cash; No 3, $1 05; rejected, 89c @ 90c. Corn, 42c @ 42¼ May; 42c June; 42⅛c July

1 04 p m—Wheat, $1 20⅝ Feb; $1 21⅞ March; $1 22½ @ $1 22⅞ April. Corn, 37c Feb; 37⅛c March; 41⅞c May; 41⅞c June; 42⅛c July

2 14 p m—Wheat, $1 20¼ Feb; $1 21¼ @ $1 21⅜ March

2 47 p m—Wheat, $1 21⅜ March. Corn, 41⅞c @ 42c May

3 02 p m—Wheat, $1 21½ March

3 25 p m—Wheat, $1 21⅜ March.

PORK—9 32 a m—$12 60 March

10 07 a m—$12 32½ Feb; $12 52½ Mch; $12 70 April

10 48 a m—$12 25 Feb; sales, $12 45; now $12 47½ bid March; $12 67½ April

11 38 a m—$12 35 Feb; $12 55 March; $12 72½ April

1 04 p m—$12 32½ Feb; $12 55 asked March; $12 70 @ $12 72½ April

2 46 p m—$12 25 Feb; $12 45 March; $12 62½ @ $12 65 April

3 22 p m—$12 22½ Feb; $12 42½ March; $12 60 April

LARD—9 35 a m—$7 50 asked March

10 15 a m—$7 30 Feb; $7 42½ March; $7 52½ April

10 48 a m—$7 37½ asked Feb; $7 40 @ $7 42½ March; $7 52½ @ $7 55 April

11 38 a m—$7 35 asked Feb; $7 45 Mch; $7 55 April

1 04 p m—$7 35 Feb; $7 47½ asked March; $7 57½ asked April

2 47 p m—$7 42½ March; $7 52½ April

HOGS—Closing, light grades, $4 45 @ $4 75; mixed packers', $4 40 @ $4 75; heavy shipping, $4 50 @ $4 75.

NEW YORK, February 3.

GRAIN—11 a m—Wheat, No 2 Red, sales, early at $1 47; now $1 46½ bid Mch; No 1 White, sales at $1 44 March

12 10 pm—Wheat, call, No 2 Red, $1 43¾ @ $1 44¼ Feb; 8,000 $1 47 March; $1 48½ @ $1 49½ April. Corn, call, str, 57½ @ 59c Feb; No 2, 58½c @ 60c Feb; 55½ @ 57c March; 8,000, 54c May

12 15 p m—Wheat, quiet; Chicago, $1 33 @ $1 35; Milwaukee, $1 36 @ $1 37. Corn, quiet; No 2, 62c

1 45 p m—Wheat, call, No 2 Red, $1 44½ @ $1 45 Feb; $1 47½ @ $1 52 March; 8,000, $1 49 April. Corn, call, No 2, 56½c @ 57c March; 53c @ 54½c May

2 10 p m—Wheat, quiet; sales, 300,000 No 2 Red, $1 44½ @ $1 45 cash; $1 45 @ $1 47½ March. Corn, quiet; sales, 30,000 No 2 at 61½c

4 15 p m—Wheat, call, No 2 Red, 8,000, $1 44½ Feb; 8,000, $1 47½ March; $1 49 @ 1 49½ April. Corn, call, str, 60c asked Feb; No 2, 58½c @ 60c Feb; 56½c @ 57½c March; 53½c @ 54c May

PORK—1 55 p m—New, $13 10 Feb; $13 10 March; $13 15 April

LARD—1 55 p m—New, $7 85 Feb; $7 90 March; $8 00 April

MILWAUKEE, February 3.

GRAIN—9 34 a m—Wheat, $1 21½ March; receipts, 12,000 bush; shipments, 1,000 do.

3 30 p m—Wheat—Hard, $1 21¼; No 1, $1 20½; No 2, $1 19½ cash and February; $1 20⅝ for March; $1 21⅞ April; No 3, $1 06½.

TOLEDO, February 3.

GRAIN—12 noon —Wheat, dull; No 2 Red, $1 30⅞ March; $1 35⅞ May. Corn, No 2, 40c @ 40½c Feb; 44c @ 44½c March. Oats, nominal.

DETROIT, February 3.

GRAIN—12 35 p m—Wheat, dull and heavy; White, $1 23 bid cash; $1 24½ February; $1 28¼ bid March; $1 31½ bid April; $1 32 bid May.

BOSTON, February 2. — FLOUR—There is not much trade. We quote Supers at $5 @ $5 25 per bbl, with very little doing; common extras at sell $5 50 @ $6; and Wisconsin and Minnesota Spring wheats range from $5 75 @ $7 25, the latter price for fancy bakers' brands. Winter wheat flours range from $6 50 @ $7 for Ohio and Michigan; $6 75 @ $7 25 for Indiana; St Louis at $7 25 @ $7 75; Illinois at $7 @ $7 75; winter wheat patents at $7 @ $8 75 for common to choice; fancy spring wheat patents at $7 50 @ $9 per bbl.

OATS—The demand continues light, and the market is quiet at 49½c @ 51c per bush for No 2 and 1 whites; 52c @ 55c for choice extra whites. The low grades are dull at 47½c @ 48½c for No. 2 mixed and No. 3 white.

BUTTER—Prices are unsettled and the demand light. We quote fine Western creameries at 30c @ 33c; good do at 28c @ 29c; Western ladle-packed at 17c @ 22c for common to good, and there are lots of selected butter put up in this way that sell considerable and are worth about as much as good creameries. Choice lots of New York and Vermont butter sell at 26c @ 28c; straight dairies at 21c @ 24c for choice, and 19c @ 21c for good; common butter sells at 12c @ 17c.

CHEESE—There is no change in the market and prices are firm at 14c @ 14½c per lb for the best factory cheese; 13c @ 13½c for good do, and common to fair at 11½c @ 12½c.

EGGS—The supply is ample and we quote fresh Eastern and near-by 21c @ 23c; Southern at 18c @ 20c; Western at 16c @ 18c.

POULTRY—We quote Western turkeys at 12c @ 13c, and what few Northern come sell for 14c @ 15c. Northern chickens sell at 14c @ 15c and Western at 9c @ 12c, if in good order. There are not many geese received, and but few are wanted; we quote at 6c @ 9c, and ducks sell at 9c @ 11c.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes are quiet and for wholesale lots prices range from 50c @ 53c for Eastern Rose and Prolifics, with now and then a fancy lot of Rose as high as 55c. Northern stock sells at 50c for Prolifics and Rose, Jacksons are dull at 40c @ 43c, Onions are firm at $3 75 per bbl.

APPLES AND CRANBERRIES—There is no change to note, and we quote No 1 Apples at $2 50 @ $2 75, per bbl. Cranberries sell at $6 50 @ $8 50 per bbl, but the demand is light.

HAY AND STRAW—The market is steady. We quote common hay at $13 @ $14 per ton; medium at $15 @ $16, and prime at $16 @ $17 per ton, the latter price for a fancy lot. Straw at $23 for rye, and $11 per ton for oat.—*Advertiser.*

IMPORTS.

GRAND TRUNK WEST.

Bank of Toronto 400 bush wheat; J & R Esdaile 1,200 do; Order Bank Toronto 800 do; Ontario Bank 400 do; Bank of Ottawa 400 bush peas; Bank of Toronto 260 brls flour; Howland & Son 200 do; J E Hunsicker 445 do; Order Molsons Bank 120 do; D Robertson 100 do; Merchants Bank 100 do; W F Johnson 100 do; Order Standard Bank 100 do; Order G W Strange 200 bags do; Thos Fuller & co 203 bags do 12 brls do; T W Raphael 12 do 200 bags do; D Robertson & co 100 brls oatmeal; Order Can Bank of Commerce 3 brls ashes; Tees C & W 1 do; J Dougall & co 34 do; McKay Bros 2 do; Merchants Bank 3 do; Gnaedinger Sons & co 2 do; H Dobell & co 4 do; J E Hunsicker 2 do; Z Lapierre 1 do; Seybold Sons & co 1 do; K & Cookson 1 do; Order Can Bank 3 do; Geo Wait 325 do; Vipond & McBride 7 do; J A Mathewson 2 do; Tees C & W 1 do; DeSola Bros & co 5 do; T Shaw 2 do; Fuller & S 12 do; J G Wurtele 62 do; J Hamilton 7 do; A W Hood & Son 2 brls tallow; Beardman & co 46 rolls leather; Cassils S & co 9 do; Benny Macpherson 2 do; Pagels & F 3 hhds tobo; Order Bank of Hamilton 111 dressed hogs; Rosenheim Bros 1 cs; Douglass McN 1 box 15 brls 3 csks; J L Cassidy 9 csks 1 bx; A Darling 1 bx; J Watson & co 1 do; W & D Yuile 1 brl; H Morgan co & 4 bdls; Frothingham & W 26 pcs castings; H J Shaw 1 bar iron.

Q. M. O. & O. RAILWAY.

Hochelaga—A G McBean 500 bushels barley; E Benoit 9 bags oatmeal; H Griffith 8 do; Jos Cadotte 290 bags tommycods; Capt Jodoin 8 cords wood; Jos Levesque 8 do; J L Lord & cie 8 do; R Graham 8 do; E Papineau 8 do; J E Lareau 1 car hay; H Beliveau 1 pkg poultry: Bell & Simpson 1 do; Mathewson & Patton 1 barrel ashes; G Lafortune 16 kegs butter; H Beliveau 10 do; S Hunter 2 do; Bell, Simpson & co 12 do; J A Stevenson 15 rolls leather; Cassils, Stimson & co 29 do; J A Stevenson 9 do; G Barry 3 do; M Hawkins 8 g s hides; M Rich 16 do; C Childs 4,000 last blocks; W & F P Currie 30 boxes tin plates 100 do 49 boxes Canada plates 300 do; G Marche 1 head live stock.

Mile End—Bank of Ottawa 400 bushels peas; J Renaud 12 bushels oats; C Racette 8 cords wood; D Sleath 40 do; J Armstrong 8 kegs butter; J B Marien 2 do; Montreal College 1 car lumber; M Quintal 14 head live stock; H Joly 3 do; J Robert 2 do; J Armstrong 1 dressed hog; J B Morrin 2 do.

ROUSES POINT.

Beard & co 5 cars coal; McKay Bros 1 pkg; M Davis 12 cs; J Hope & co 37 pkgs; T Turgeon 3 cs; J Donnelly & co 1 cs; Ewing & co 1 do; R A Alloway 1 hf brl; M Davis 2 cs; F R Cole 2 cs 1 brl; McLean S & co 12 cs; Hodgson S & co 1 do; H A Nelson 1 do; Belding P & co 3 brls 3 bles; Hartlaub S & co 5 cs; B A Boas 4 do; J E Doyle 8 do; H M Comdet 1 do, C Abbe & G V 1 do; Ross & H 2 do; T Turgeon 3 do; L Gnaedinger S & co 6 do; J Hope & co 182 pkgs; H A Nelson 21 cs; J Osborne & co 500 bxs; Kingan & K 123 pkgs; W McGregor 140 do; Rosenheim Bros 1 cs; Belding P & co 2 brls; J Johnson & co 2 cs; S Greenshields & co 1 do; J Coristine & co 1 do; H A Nelson & co 34 bles 1 pkg; J Hope & co 332 pkgs; W McGregor 82 do; Kingan & K 122 do; C C Snowdon 1 cs; T Turgeon 1 do; Silverman & B 1 do; J Walker 7 do.

GRAND TRUNK EAST.

R & Lightbound 108 hf-chests; J Hope & co 404 do; H Chapman & co 120 do; E Lauzon 5 bxs; L W Smith 3 brls 1 bx; J Vernier 5 bxs; J Sinton 1 do; McLaren & co 2 bdls; McDougall & L 20 kegs 6 csks.

VERMONT JUNCTION.

L Larrivee 11 bxs; F Clements 5 do; P Dalbe 1 cs; R Forsaith 12 pcs iron; Sterling, McC & co 1 cs; A D Percheron 9 tcs.

TELEGRAPH OFFICES

List of Offices from Point Levis to Cap Rosier, with distances:—

From		To	Miles.
Point Levis	to	L'Islet	47
L'Islet	to	Kamouraska	29
Kamouraska	to	Riviere du Loup	35
Riviere du Loup	to	Trois Pistoles	27
Trois Pistoles	to	Rimouski	39
Rimouski	to	Father Point	8
Father Point	to	St. Flavie	15
St. Flavie	to	Grand Metis	7
Grand Metis	to	Matane	30
Matane	to	St. Felicite	12
St. Felicite	to	Cap Chatte Light	31
Cap Chatte Light	to	Cap Chatte	3
Cap Chatte Town	to	St An'es d's M'nts	9
St Annes des Monts	to	Martin River	17
Martin River	to	Mont Louis	22
Mont Louis	to	River Madeline	20
River Madeline	to	Grand Vallee	9
Grand Vallee	to	Chlorodorme	15
Chlorodorme	to	Grand Etang	9
Grand Etang	to	Fox River	21
Fox River	to	Griffin's Cove	7
Griffin's Cove	to	Cap Rosier	8
NEWFOUNDLAND AND NOVA SCOTIA DISTANCES			Nautical Miles
Cape Rosier (Que)	to	Channel Office, (Cape Ray (Nfld)	330
Channel Office	to	Cape Race (Nfld)	440
Cape Race (Nfld)	to	St. John (Nfld)	100
St Johns (Nfld)	to	Halifax (N.S.	72

MARINE INTELLIGENCE

HALIFAX, February 3—The steamer Newfoundland sailed at noon to-day for St Johns, Nfld.

ST JOHN, N B, February 3—In May last the barque Brothers Pride, of this port, was abandoned at sea on a voyage from Cardenas to New York with a cargo of melado. The shippers of the cargo had $38,000, and the owners of the vessel, A L Palmer, D J McLaghlin and C A Palmer, $32,000 insurance on the vessel, freight and advances. The insurance companies suspected wrong-doing, and refused to pay the insurance on the Melado. It is now alleged that the vessel was scuttled at sea; that the cargo did not consist of Melado, but of some unknown valueless mixture, and that it was a put up job to defraud the insurance companies. Treadwell Cleveland, a New York lawyer, came here and caused the arrest of Captain William H Tower, master of the Brothers Pride and to-day Tower was arraigned at the Police Court on a charge of scuttling the vessel. Henry C Thomas, the boatswain who made the original information against Captain Tower for destroying the vessel, was taken into custody, the Magistrate saying that as Thomas admitted he had bored the augur holes in the vessel, he required looking after. Captain Tower denies the charge. The Magistrate offered to release Tower on $10,000 and Thomas on $50,000 bail, but neither could find security in the amounts.

A severe snow-storm is prevailing to-day. The steamer Falmouth, from Boston, due this afternoon, is waiting at Eastport for the weather to clear up.

FOREIGN PORTS.

NEW YORK, February 3.—Arrived—City of Richmond, from Liverpool.

WILMINGTON, N.C., February 3 — During a fierce gale this morning, the barquentine Resolute was driven almost on to the breakers at Bald Head Bar, and now lies in a precarious condition, with all her anchors down and the seas breaking over her. A revenue cutter has gone to her assistance.

THE CAPTURE OF A SPIRIT.—A letter appeared in the *Times* the other day from Sir George Sitwell and Mr. Von Buch, F. C. S., giving account of the manner in which they captured a "spirit" at a spiritualistic seance, held at the rooms of the British National Association of Spiritualists, in great Russell-street. The writers of this letter say:—

We were assured that the seances were the most genuine in England, and under strict test conditions. On our first visit, the medium being tied by one of us, no manifestations followed. At the second visit (January 2) one of us again tied the medium, but under the directions of the chairman connected with the institution. A "spirit" soon appeared, which we were told was "Marie," a dead child twelve years of age. She was dressed in white, her face covered with a veil, and her arms and feet bare. We were surprised to distinguish the appearance of a corset under the robes, and her voice and appearance gave us the idea that it was the medium herself—Mrs. Corner. On the third visit, we were accompanied by Mr. Fell, editor of a scientific journal, with his wife. The "spirit Marie" again appeared and rendered our suspicions almost certain by the sound of undressing within the curtain and by the "unspiritual" levity of her conversation. One of us by a sudden rush intercepted "the spirit" while another dashed into the curtains, and, drawing them aside, displayed the medium's empty chair with the knot slipped, her dress, stockings, boots and other discarded garments. All present, except the officials, thanked us for exposing the deception.

THE COMING SESSION.—The *Times* says:—A great deal may happen during the session, alike in Afghanistan, in Turkey, in South Africa, and in Parliament itself, to affect materially the view of the country will take of our recent policy. It may be adverse to the Ministry, or it may be favourable; but both the course of affairs and the course of debate may introduce new prospects into the situation. One topic connected with foreign and Imperial policy is likely, however, to play a very great part in the session, and in its results. The cost of our policy during the last three years must now be summed up, and a distinct provision for it must be made. The process cannot be a pleasant one, but it is too soon to surmise its probable results. The Budget, however, for the first time for some years, must become a cardinal point in the history of the session. It will influence materially the judgment of the country respecting the general capacity of the Ministry, and it may indirectly affect the view which is taken of our whole Imperial position. Indian finance, and the general relations of India to this country, must be considered in connection with it; and we may expect that vital questions of political and financial policy will arise for decision. It will, however, be after all refreshing to be thus brought back to the healthy atmosphere of practical business, and to be relieved from the barren excitement of mere electioneering partisanship. Mr. Chamberlain, indeed, anticipates that the next session "will probably be one long series of electoral tactics." But the grave questions just mentioned can hardly be thus dealt with; and, even if the present Parliament should not finally decide them, the debates of the session must serve to bring them fully and definitely before the judgment of the country.

FATHER IS GETTING WELL.

My daughters say, "How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters." He is getting well after his long suffering from a disease declared incurable, and we are so glad that he used your Bitters.—A lady of Rochester, N.Y.

NOTICE.

MR. G. A. McGREGOR, of Hudson, P.Q., is autnorized to receive subscriptions to our Daily and Weekly Editions.

JAMES STEWART,
Managing Director.

Montreal Herald.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 4

APPOINTMENTS.

Montreal Saw Works—Annual General Meeting, at 387 St. Paul street, at 3 p.m.
The Canadian Securities Co—Annual Meeting at 151 St. James street, at 4 p.m.
Assembly Hall—Anniversary Ball of the Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY JOHN J. ARNTON.
Real Estate—At his rooms, at 11 and 11.30 a.m.

NEWS SUMMARY

DOMINION.

THE losses by fire for the month of January in London were $2,450.

HON. T. N. GIBBS is spoken of in connection with the Lieut.-Governorship of Ontario.

THE health authorities of London, Ont., have begun flushing the sewers with water from the reservoir.

IN the last act of "As You Like It," at the Grand Opera House, Toronto, Neilson wore $30,000 worth of diamonds.

MESSRS. FERRIS and Boulter, M.P.P.'s, were in Belleville yesterday attending the meeting of the Grand Junction R. R. shareholders.

THE Dominion Bank Note Company of Ottawa have leased the large building on Sparks street, formerly occupied by Garland, Mutchmore & Co.

A NUMBER of old uniforms given by the Colonel of the 37th Battalion have been made over to the Toronto Boy's Home, for which it is also proposed to erect a new building.

THE Mayor of Ottawa has sent a cablegram to the Lord Mayor of Dublin, requesting him to draw on him for £200 sterling, expressing the hope that he would be able to advise him to draw again for a similar amount.

IT having been stated that coal-oil of an explosive character was being sold in Ottawa, the Inland Revenue Inspector has visited every shop where coal-oil was sold and collected samples. It was found that in the majority of cases they would not stand the fire test.

A DEPUTATION of workingmen at Ottawa has waited upon Messrs. James Carruthers and C. J. Whellams, of Rapid City, to ascertain the advantages offered by the North-West to mechanics and other classes of labourers. Mr. Whellams explained that emigrants to the North-West should mainly consist of the farmer of capital and the capitalist. Any mechanic who had a small amount of means to keep him some months after his arrival, and took up land, would be able to find work to occupy the time he was not engaged on his farm.

UNITED STATES.

THE ss. "Arizona," from Liverpool, has arrived at New York.

A GENTLEMAN in Hartford, who fell five weeks ago, has been relieved of a whole lead pencil, which had been completely imbedded in his chest.

EX-GOVERNOR TILDEN denies the report that he is to be married to a Pennsylvania lady, and says, unfortunately, he never had the pleasure of knowing of the existence of any such lady.

THE Irish Relief Fund in Dublin acknowledge the receipt thus far of $25,000 from America. Over $30,000 more is now in the hands of the Treasurers of various cities and will be transmitted without delay.

THE New York *Times'* Scranton special says Miss Rauck, whom Tilden is about to marry, is a sister of J. M. C. Rauck, a prominent member of the Scranten bar, a young lady of unusual brilliancy and mental culture.

A FORT BUFORD despatch reports that, on January 28th, the Uncpapa Band captured a herd of ponies near Glendive, belonging to the Gros Ventres. The latter attacked the Uncpapas, killing fifteen Indians and recapturing the stock.

ON the 27th ult. the Utes attacked a supply train with ammunition and rations for Major Morrow, thirty miles north-east of Palomas. Forty men guarding the train were repulsed with heavy loss. Two soldiers were wounded and one scout killed.

JOHN E. WHEELOCK, an American citizen residing at the gold mines of Carotel, State of Guayana, Venezeula, claims $50,000 damages for arrest and cruel treatment on a fictitious charge of robbery. The President of Guayana promises punishment of the offenders.

A PAPER implicates a Southern Senator in the ruin of one of the young women clerks of the Treasury Department. It is reported that a woman employed in the Department has been discovered enticing associates to houses of ill-fame to be introduced to Congressmen.

THE New York *Sun* says the judgment of $103,000 recovered recently against Rhomberg & Co., Iowa distillers, was compromised by Secretary Sherman within a week for $50,000, although the judgment could have been easily collected, and the Government's expenses in the trial were $25,000.

A WASHINGTON special to the New York *Tribune* says Sherman stated: "The assertion that I have promised offers to secure delegates is absolutely false. A few treasury officers have taken an interest in my nomination, but others favour Grant, especially in Virginia and North Carolina."

THE New York *World* says it is reported that a Democratic Congressman is about to introduce in the House a joint resolution re-affirming the Monroe doctrine and directing the President to notify De Lesseps that any attempt to construct a canal across the Isthmus, excepting under American protection, must be given up.

IN the House of Representatives of Maine an order has been passed that the Committee on the alleged bribery of members proceed at once with the investigation. The Judiciary Committee have been instructed to inquire into an amendment of the Constitution that the suffrage be limited to those able to read and write English.

THE U. S. Treasury circular gives notice of proposals for a sale to Government of $11,000,000 six per cent. bonds of 1880 and 1881, or five per cents. of 1881, to be received at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of New York until noon on Wednesday, 11th instant, at which time the bids will be opened and afterwards declared. The bonds thus purchased will be applied to the Sinking Fund.

IN Baltimore active canvassing for the Irish Relief Fund is proceeding. Some contributors object to having the funds diverted to the purposes of political agitation. John Dillon, in behalf of Mr. Parnell, wrote from Rochester asking that the Baltimore funds be forwarded to Drexel, Morgan & Co., and denouncing the Mansion House Relief Committee. The Baltimore Committee replied that it had already arranged for the proper distribution of the Baltimore contributions.

IT has been learned from a source considered reliable that the report of the Investigating Committee of the Indian Commission finds that all the charges against Commissioner Hoyt, regarding the Arizona Mining scheme, were untrue; that Edward Knapp Hoyt's agent in the affair turns out to be his own son, and that the affidavit against Hart, the agent at the San Carlos Agency, was not transmitted to the Department of Justice until after Gen. Fisk had brought his charges against Hoyt. The report, it is said, will only deal with the charges against Hoyt in regard to the Arizona Mining matter.

ON Friday two companies under Captains Rucker and Hooker attacked Victoria's band, five miles north of Palomas, Colorado, and drove them from a ford. One Indian scout was killed and three soldiers wounded. In the night Victoria crossed the Rio Grande. On Sunday General Morrow discovered a trail and marched thirty-five miles in pursuit. On Sunday he was but a few hours behind Victoria. Measures have been taken to prevent his escape through San Nicholas and San Augusta passes. General Wallace intends, if Victoria is captured, to have him and his band arraigned for murder.

BEFORE the Washington Ways and Means Committee H. V. Poor, editor of the *Railway Manual*, estimated that 7,000 miles of railroad would be built in 1880 if needed, 1,600,000 tons of steel rails would be needed for old and new roads combined, which was double the capacity of the American works whether producing iron or steel rails. He said that, unless by a reduction of the duty the rails can be had from foreign sources, a vast extent of the railways now projected will remain in abeyance indefinitely. Mr. Poor maintained that if there had been no American production of steel rails the competition among the English manufacturers and among themselves would have kept prices just as low.

GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

THE health of Lord Beaconsfield is re-established.

THE Duchess of Marlborough's Irish Relief Fund Committee has found that the reported cases of starvation in the neighbourhood of Parsontown were untrue.

AN experimental test with a 38-ton gun, similar to that which exploded on the "Thunderer," proved that the explosion was caused by firing a double charge.

MR. PLIMSOLL, member of the British House of Commons, addressing his constituents, referred to the loss caused by shifting cargoes. The remedy which he intended to bring before Parliament was the loading of grain in sacks.

THE New York *Herald's* Dublin special says Parnell's unwarranted attack on the Mansion House Committee is regarded as utterly inexcusable and causes great consternation among his friends. It is believed the excitement of his American tour has proved too great a mental strain and that he is becoming insane.

FOREIGN.

THE famous Apache Chief Pancho Lazeres has been killed in Sonara, Mexico.

MOST of the Liberal members of the Bulgarian Assembly have been re-elected. Prince Alexander may again dissolve the Assembly.

A ROME correspondent asserts that the condition of the Pope's health is unsatisfactory, owing to the worry and anxiety to which he has recently been subjected.

A COLOGNE despatch asserts that Count de St. Valier has gone from Berlin to Paris to communicate with M. DeFreycinet on the proposed increase of the German army.

A VIENNA despatch says strange reports about the Czar's mental condition are circulated. It is reported he is quite insane at times, and at others has wild fits of exhilaration.

THE French Government appears resolved to proceed against the Legitimist Benevolent Societies which distribute certificates for relief bearing the Bourbon arms, surmounted by a royal crown.

STEPS are being taken to form a Company to work the newly-discovered oil wells in the Hanover petroleum region. Present bores are yielding an average interest of 22 per cent. upon capital against 19 in America.

THE St. Petersburg *Herald*, referring to the supposed intention of Persia, under British inspirations, to seize Herat, says—"The step would be hostile to Russian interests. Russia certainly will not retire before a small Asiatic State incited by a foreign power." The *Herald* points out that England is not in a position to defend Persia against Russia.

A SAN DIEGO despatch says Governor Castrijohn, of the Mexican Province of Fuontera, Lower California, has called out the militia, and placed the Province under Martial Law. The cause of his action is a revolution started by Marquez at Lapaz. It is reported that Marquez will be driven out of Lapaz by the Federal troops, and is making his way up the Peninsula with a handful of followers.

FRANCE.

French affairs are just now full of interest. It is impossible to regard without curiosity the merely personal struggle among the leading politicians, especially when we remember how it has for a back ground the rivalries of the three Monarchical parties, and the different classes of Republicans, and when we remember, also, how often political contests in that country come to a bloody arbitrament. Indirectly, Europe has a great concern even in these contests; but its concern is still more direct in the military preparations and military spirit which seem to have become once more very pronounced among Frenchmen, and must be looked at in their relation to the augmented armaments of Germany. In a more peaceful, but still very important sphere, the fiscal policy of the country commands attention. The telegrams which appear from day to day professing to inform us on that subject are somewhat contradictory, and, even apart from the contradiction, not very luminous. We believe, however, it is possible to state the truth in few words. The leaders of what we may call the Ministerial or Republican party are in principle Free-traders. But they do not propose any violent changes. They resist the efforts of the Protectionists to augment the tariff, and especially to do away with the reciprocity treaties. Speaking for them, M. Tirard has recommended adhesion to the existing tariff, but then he has bestowed warm praises on the reform of 1860—that is to say, the reduction of the duties in the tariff—by those reciprocal treaties, which have given rise to what is called the conventional tariff. He has declared that, in his opinion, agriculture could not be benefited by prohibitory duties; but could be aided only by measures tending to its improvement as an art, and has taken his stand upon the position that, in competition with other nations, France could, on the whole, hold her own without artificial assistance from legislation. Whether this view of the case will be adopted, we do not venture to predict; for the Ministerial authority is not so established in the French Republic as to create the *prima facie* assurance of success which belongs to Ministerial measures in England and in Canada. We are sorry to observe indications of uneasiness in France as to the aspect of the British Government towards the Republic. Two incidents have given occasion to this, we believe, perfectly groundless feeling. One is that the Duchess of Edinburgh, though she has been into several well-known Bonapartist houses, did not call on Mad. Grevy, the wife of the President; excusing herself by alleging the illness of her mother. It is not at all probable, however, that the Russian Duchess regulates her conduct, or has it regulated, by the wishes of any political authority in England. The other is the Queen's order or request to Sir Evelyn Wood to accompany the Empress Eugenie on her somewhat Quixotic visit to Zululand. But this, again, can be considered only as a personal attention to an old friend in deep distress; for, assuredly, no Bonapartist political object can be served by a forlorn Empress being honourably accompanied in a sad, and perhaps, we may not unreasonably add, her foolish mission. The last matter of consequence which, being transacted in France, is of world-wide consequence, is their treatment by the Chambers of the religious question. The present Government is anti-clerical; but, though they have carried their measures with respect to education in the Senate, it has been by such small majorities as to make it doubtful, in the present condition of parties there, whether the Bill can go through intact. In the meantime they have abolished, or are about to abolish, army chaplaincies; but we do not understand the full significance of this movement, as the chaplain's duty may, perhaps, be otherwise provided for. A great fight will undoubtedly occur before long on the question of permitting divorce in France, in which, again, the clerical and anti-clerical forces will be arrayed against each other. Dumas junior has just brought out a book on this subject, which may be looked on as a trumpet-blast inviting the enemies to join in the combat.

THE SUGAR DUTIES IN THE UNITED STATES.

There is a long examination going on before a Committee of Congress upon the question of the sugar duties, and a great variety of interests have been represented. The refiners, who follow one method; the refiners, who follow another; the importers; the molasses boilers; the representatives of the Louisiana planters; were all there. One interest alone has so far been conspicuously absent—it is that of the people who use the sugar. Yet a few words from Mr. Havemeyer, a great sugar refiner, who contended that the duties should not be changed in a certain direction, as proposed, would seem to indicate that this interest would have something important to say, if it became, as Carlyle terms it, articulate. "The consumption," said Mr. Havemeyer, "I think, is based on the cheapness of the article. In Great Britain, "where there is no duty on sugar, *and* "*where sugar costs the consumer only* "*about half what it costs here, the annual* "*consumption is sixty-three pounds per* "*head.*" In the sitting, of which we have the report before us, only one other person, either among witnesses or Committeemen, had any notion that the sugar-eaters in the United States have rights which the Legislature is bound to regard. One of the Louisianian witnesses complained that the planters were not as well off as formerly, when the duties on imported sugars were much lower than at present, because labour was now carried on on a different system from that which prevailed under slavery. Thereupon Mr. Morrison asked "whether he "meant to say that, because Louisiana "had been deprived of cheap labour, "the people at large should be taxed to "equalize it?" With these two exceptions, everybody seemed to think that the best proof that could be alleged in favour of his own particular theory, was evidence that his plan would make sugar cost more in some way or other to those who used it, for the benefit of the persons whom he represented. All were apparently alike indifferent to Mr. Havemeyer's theory, that, to make sugar dear was to shorten the consumption, of course by preventing it from being eaten by those who could not afford to pay a high price for a large quantity.

CURIOUS WILL CASE.—A Mr. Lewis, some years ago, dying a reputed bachelor in New York, left $1,800,000 to the Government to be used in liquidating the National debt. It is said now that no rich man can die in the United States without having his will contested. The deceased Lewis was not an exception to the rule. Jane Hastings, forty years old, and ugly, came forward as his widow, and opposed the admission of his will to probate. She produced a marriage certificate signed by a Mr. Fish, J.P. of Hoboken, which was witnessed by Bradford, known to the police as a broken-down gambler, and by George Browne. The latter gentleman, however, not being like Sir Boyle Roche's bird, able to be in two places at once, was, nevertheless, certainly locked up in the Tombs in New York throughout the day, when he also witnessed the certificate of marriage given at Hoboken. He was never afterwards out of prison, where, in fact, he died. Bradford being still alive appeared in Court on the will case; swore to his signature to the marriage; and to the identity of the widow. The present phase of the affair exhibits poor widow Mrs. Lewis, Mr. Bradford and five other persons, male and female, grinning through gaol bars, or out on heavy bail, charged with conspiracy.

A BISHOP'S HARD WORK.—We remember the time when the post of a Bishop of the Church of England was popularly regarded as very much of a sinecure. If that was ever true to any extent, it has ceased to be so, if we may judge from the records of a single year of the work of one member of the Episcopal Bench. The year was not exceptionally heavy, yet there were 89 sermons delivered in the course of it, there were 63 confirmation services held, 23 openings of new churches, 40 speeches at public meetings, and 152 other addresses of various kinds. Fifty clergymen were ordained, 46 committee meetings attended, 474 interviews granted, 6,744 letters received, and in reply to some of these the Bishop wrote with his own hand 4,529, or an average of 14 or 15 for every week day in the year.

GRAND TRUNK EXTENSION.—Through as well as local shippers will have some satisfaction in knowing that connection was made yesterday between the Eastern and Western sections of the Grand Trunk Railway Company's Western road, an engine having been run over the new track, proving the line to be in good condition. The Company's system extends now from Chicago to the Atlantic, and it is intimated that they will be ready to do freight business, at least, over their new line in a few days.

THE SNOW-STORM which we have just had appears to have been general, our telegrams reporting it from all parts of the continent, especially to the eastward, where fears are entertained for the shipping.

THE ENGLISH MAILS.—The snow-drifts on the line are retarding the progress of the English mails, and it is not expected that they will arrive much before nine o'clock this morning.

THE Colorado delegation in Congress and Governor Pitkin have represented to the President the defenceless condition of the frontier settlements of Colorado. The President gave assurances that steps would be taken to protect them promptly in case of emergency.

PARTIES giving the preference to the Weber pianos are invited to examine the beautiful specimens of these greatly prized instruments, both grand square and upright, now on sale at the Weber Rooms, 183 St. James street. Prices very little above other first-class pianos.

DOMINION DETECTIVE AGENCY AND MERCHANTS' POLICE, Offices 214 St. James street, Montreal.—This Agency is now prepared to do all legitimate Detective business entrusted to it by Express, Railroads, or Insurance Companies, and Banks or individuals. *All business strictly confidential.* JNO. FAHEY, Manager. Private residence, 15 Gosford street.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

Mr. O. BRUNEAU, formerly my assistant and collector, is no longer in my employment, and is not authorized to receive money, give receipts, or transact any business whatever in my name.
D. McEACHRAN, Veterinary Surgeon.
January 29 r 24

C. H. WETHEY,
Accountant and Auditor,
Commissioner for Ontario and Quebec,
INSURANCE, INVESTMENT, AND ESTATE AGENT,
44 St. John-street, Montreal.
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NEW PHILADELPHIA SILVER MINING CO.

Capital Stock, $1,500,000 in 150,000 Shares, $10 each.
NON ASSESSABLE.
The undersigned are authorized to dispose of the balance of the Treasury Stock. The MILL is now completed, and active operations are about to commence. The company is now in better condition than at any previous time, with a large amount of RICH ORE ready to reduce. This is the last opportunity that will be afforded to subscribe to Treasury Stock.
SMITHERS & DONALD.
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Any information can be obtained at the company's office, 33 Broad st., N. Y.
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THE LESSON COMMENTARY ON THE INTERNATIONAL LESSONS FOR 1880.
BY REV. J. H. VINCENT, D.D.
Price $1.25
For Sale by
DAWSON BROTHERS,
St. James Street.
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Amusements.

THE ANNIVERSARY BALL
OF THE
Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society
will be held on Wednesday evening, 4th February next, at the
ASSEMBLY HALL,
Cathedral Block, St. Catherine Street.

PRICE OF TICKETS.
For Lady and Gentleman $5 00
For single Lady 2 00
For single Gentleman 3 00
Tickets to be had of
JOHN E. MOSS, 5 Recollet st
L. SILVERMAN, 252 Notre Dame st.
M. M. LESSER, 23 St. Francois Xavier st.
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MENDELSSOHN CHOIR,
ASSISTED BY
Miss Hubbell,
Soprano, of New York,
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The celebrated Pianist, and
Mons. F. Jehin-Prume,
MECHANICS' HALL,
Friday, 6th February,
AT EIGHT P.M.
Tickets $1. All seats reserved.
Plan of Hall at Mr. DeZouche's on Wednesday, 28th instant. 23

New Advertisements.

TO CAPITALISTS.

The advertiser wishes to communicate with some party disposed to invest in a Cotton and Woollen Factory now in operation. Please address "W. L. J.," HERALD Office. c 29

WANTED,

A situation as Commercial Traveller; has a first-class connection among Tinsmiths, Plumbers and Brass Founders, being engaged in the Metal line for upwards of twenty-five years; can give satisfactory reasons for leaving and reference to present employers. Address "C.T." this office.
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WANTED,

By a Young Married Man, (Scotchman,) who has for six years held a responsible position as Assistant Secretary, Cashier, &c., in a leading public Company in Montreal, a situation of a similar nature.
References first-class.
Apply to "A.B.C." HERALD Office.
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FINE OFFICE TO LET
On Second Flat,
HEATED WITH HOT WATER,
LARGE FIRE PROOF VAULT.
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A substantial Stone Store, suitable for storage, with spacious yard in rear, being No. 7 Lemoine street. Rent low.
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Two first-class Stores, perfectly new, in a good locality, on Craig, a few doors East of Bleury. Rent low to a desirable tenant.
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That desirable Shop, No. 247 St. James street, two doors from Morgan's, with extension in rear. Alterations made to suit tenants.
Apply DR. FISHER,
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TO LET—Furnished Residence in the west end of the city, with horses, &c., if desired. Entry in March. Apply to Mr. JAMES BOWE, Mr. A. G. Fowler's, 5 Molsons Bank Buildings. r 23

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That SPLENDID DRY GOODS WAREHOUSE, corner McGill and St. Maurice streets, presently occupied by LEWIS S. BLACK, Esq.
Apply to
W. B. LAMBE,
Advocate,
353 Notre Dame Street.
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TO LET,

Possession immediately if required, in whole or part, the three Floors above the Medical Hall, corner St. James and St. Francois Xavier streets. Adapted for offices or light manufacturing.
—ALSO,—
The extensive Stores and Yard, on Wellington street, extending from Colborne to Shannon street. Apply to
A. MURRAY,
At the Canada Shipping Co'y.
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From 1st May next

The residence with large grounds attached, being No. 476 Sherbrooke street, now occupied by Mr. N. J. McGillivray.
Rent moderate.
Apply to
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The Warehouse lately occupied by Messrs. G. Winks & Co.;
The Warehouse lately occupied by Messrs. Wm. J. McMaster & Co.;
The Warehouse lately occupied by Messrs. Wm. S. Wood & Co.;
Known as the Albert Buildings, and all in thoroughly good condition.
Apply to
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LA BANQUE DU PEUPLE.

Dividend No. 89.

The Stockholders of La Banque du Peuple are hereby notified that a Semi-annual Dividend of
Two (2) Per Cent.
for the last six months has been declared on the Capital Stock, and will be payable at the office of the Bank on and after MONDAY, the 1st MARCH next.
The Transfer Book will be closed from the 15th to the 29th February.
By order of the Board of Directors.
A. A. TROTTIER,
Cashier.
Montreal, January 31, 1880. sw 1M 26

THE SECOND
Annual Grand Exhibition
OF THE
MONTREAL POULTRY, DOG AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.
[COMPETITION OPEN TO THE WORLD]
Will be held at MONTREAL, in
Albert Building, Victoria Square,
On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,
4th, 5th and 6th February, 1880.

TO EXHIBITORS.

All specimens must be delivered at the Exhibition Building before 9 o'clock am., Wednesday, Feb. 4th.
Exhibition will open February 4th, at 3 o'clock p.m.
Specimens may be sent in during the undernoted hours, viz.:—
1 p.m. to 9 p.m. TUESDAY, Feb. 3rd;
7 a.m. to 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY, Feb. 4th, when they will be received by the Secretary and his staff, who will have all necessary arrangements for their reception and immediate classification in the building made a full day beforehand, thereby avoiding any possible confusion.
Exhibitors are requested to send in their stock on Tuesday afternoon or night if possible, and thereby assist the management in their endeavours to avoid all rush or delay on the opening day.
The services of the following high authorities have been secured, and will act as judges:
On Poultry—Mr. Marshall, Charles River, Mass., U.S.
On Dogs—Mr. George Walton, Boston, U.S.
On Pigeons and Pet Stock—Mr. W. B. Likens, Toronto, Ont.
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Exhibition will close Friday, February 6th, at 10 o'clock p.m.
Admission 25c. Children under 12 years, 15c.
J. R. McLAREN, Jr., Secretary,
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Montreal.
January 31 r 26

New Advertisements

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Number of Purchasers served during the week ending Jan. 31, 1880 .... 5 332
Same week last year 5,212
Increase 120

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Number of Purchasers served during the month of Jan., 1880 23,557
Same month last year 20,405
Increase 3,152

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A per centage of our takings this week will be given to the Hervey Institute, which is one of the institutions of this city that there is some pleasure in giving too.

30c Dress Goods, 30c.
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Splendid line of All-wool Cloth, silk finish, worth 45c reduced to 30c per yd.

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Western Division.
THE OPENING OF PARLIAMENT AT OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 12th, 1880.
Return Tickets from all Stations to Hull, will be issued at one Single Fare to all parties attending the Opening of Parliament and ceremonies consequent thereto.
Tickets good to go on 11th and 12th, and return till 16th February inclusive.
C. A. SCOTT,
General Superintendent.
January 4 a 29

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
NOTICE.
SUMMER 1880—SUBURBAN TRAINS
The Local Trains between Montreal and St. Hyacinthe, and St. Annes and Vaudreuil, will run the same as last year; commencing about the 1st May.
Lachine Branch.
The morning and evening trains will run as at present, and additional trains will be run to accommodate families desirous of taking up their residence at Lachine, full particulars of which will be announced in due time.
JOSEPH HICKSON,
General Manager.
February 4 m 29

Grand Trunk Railway.
OLD IRON RAILS FOR SALE.
This Company invites offers for about 8,000 tons of Old Rails, principally of the bridge pattern, and manufactured about the year 1855. Delivery will be made on cars at Riviere-du-Loup, Point Levi (Quebec), Montreal, Toronto, Sarnia, Detroit Junction, or Black Rock, Buffalo, at the two latter places in bond, during the months of June, July and August next.
Offers, stating cash price per ton of 2,240 lbs., to be sent to the undersigned, endorsed "Tender for Old Rails," on or before 14th FEBRUARY, 1880, and from whom further particulars may be obtained.
JOSEPH HICKSON,
General Manager.
Montreal, January, 1880. e wfm 23

North-Western Grand Trunk Ry.
Old Rails for Sale.
This Company offers for sale FIVE THOUSAND TONS of Old Iron Rails, to be delivered in about equal monthly quantities between May and October.
Delivery will be made at any point between Chicago and Port Huron.
Terms: Cash on delivery.
Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to 14th February, at the Company's Office, Montreal.
JOSEPH HICKSON,
President.
The Company's Offices,
Montreal, January 30th, 1880. r 26

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875
Stock of Hardware For Sale.
Tenders will be received by the undersigned until
THE 7TH FEBRUARY NEXT,
for the Stock of Heavy and Shelf Hardware. Stove Fixtures, &c., belonging to the Estate of Gillen & Keith, Belleville amounting, per Inventory, to $7,619.86.
Stock and Inventory can be seen on application to Mr. M. B. ROBLEN, Belleville.
THOS. DARLING,
Assignee.
182 St. James Street,
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The following are a few of the very many favourable notices given regarding the EXCEPTIONAL quality of this Whisky:—

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"May be drunk in safety without fear of a 'something after.' It has gained testimonials such as we have rarely seen."—SUNDAY TIMES.

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TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

QUEBEC

THE HOLMAN BURGLARY.

NEW PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.

ATTACKED BY A RAT.

QUEBEC, February 3.—An "At Home" is announced to take place at Spencer Wood on Saturday afternoon.

All the Local Ministers have arrived in town, and daily meetings of the Cabinet are being held.

The Bar Association are holding almost daily meetings anent the proposed new Bill.

It is anticipated that the new Parliament buildings will be taken possession of by the different Government's offices about the 1st July.

The investigation in the case of young Farrel, for burglarizing the trunk of the Manager of the Holman Opera Co., will terminate to-morrow, and it is expected that the prisoner will be fully committed for trial.

A young man, named Martin, was found dead at his home at Stadacona Village on Saturday.

A fierce snow-storm set in from the east this afternoon.

The cold spell continues.

At the meeting of the Irish Relief Committee last night it was ordered that £1,000 sterling be remitted to-day to the Mansion House Fund. Over $5,400 have been collected here.

Rev. M. M. Fothergill, Rector of St. Peter's Church, is confined to his room with a severe attack of rheumatism contracted while visiting a number of his sick parishioners.

For the better protection of the new Provincial buildings on the Grand Allee it has been suggested to the Government by the City Fire Department that they should construct two cisterns at the corner of Grand Allee and St. Augustin street, the other on the corner of St. Julie and Eustache streets.

Mrs. Dixon, of Little Champlain street, while lying in her bed, having by her side her little child of two years, woke up with the painful sensation of something gnawing at her face. Putting up her hand she caught hold of a huge rat which had its teeth fastened upon her nose. She tried to pull it off, but without avail, until she had sat upright in bed when it fell off. Having given an alarm the people from another room came in and discovered the rat hiding under the pillow of the bed, evidently awaiting its chance of renewing the attack. The rat was killed, and Dr. Henchey called in to dress the partly eaten nose. It is fortunate that the rat did not attack the throat of the child, instead of the mother's nose, as they have been known to eat children while asleep.

A young man returning with three companions from Lorette to this city on Sunday night had two hands and feet so badly frozen that it is feared they may have to be amputated.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau, Minister of Public Works, accompanied by Mr Lesage, his Deputy, and Mr. Cimon contractor, yesterday paid an official visit to the new Provincial Buildings, which will be taken possession of by the various Departments of the Government about the 1st July next.

The non-resident members of the Cabinet will arrive here to-morrow.

Messrs. Gagnon and St. Cyr, M.P.P.'s, are in town.

A severe snow-storm is raging here.

OTTAWA

MUNICIPAL REFORMS.

SMALL-POX DECREASING.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS.

OTTAWA, February 3.—Mr. Onderdonk will leave for British Columbia about the middle of March.

Mr. E. V. Bodwell will leave for British Columbia about the 1st of March.

General Sir Selby Smyth's period of service in Canada terminates in April next.

The members of the staff of the Geological Survey living in Montreal have been notified not to renew the leases of their houses in that city.

The Governor-General and Princess will hardly return to the city until Friday morning.

The rumour that Col. Gzowski had reported in favour of a high level bridge at Coteau has not yet been confirmed.

A soup kitchen is to be started here.

The revenue of the Protestant Hospital has increased by $3,078 this year.

Eighteen hundred tons of iron ore have been shipped from the Hull iron mines during the month of January to Niles, Ohio; 2,500 tons have been shipped since the fall.

At a meeting of the Hull City Council the usual Standing Committees were appointed, and Mayor Leduc gave a statement of the finances of the city. The Mayor and Ald. Graham were empowered to arrange about the settlement of the *tiers saisies* of J. O. Bureau and Le Banque National. A delegation was appointed to go to Quebec about the Circuit Court in the city of Hull.

The *Free Press* says:—"It appears that the movement to reform the City Council is to be pushed to a conclusion. The eight Aldermen, whose right to legislate for the city has been attacked, will be proceeded against on the ground of their unfitness according to the oath administered to them. We may observe in this connection that the parties acting in the matter allege that the oath was not taken in full."

Mrs. Sabourin has been confined in the county gaol.

The number of small-pox cases in the city has been reduced to 28, most of which are convalescent. No new cases have been reported this week.

James McLaren has been elected Mayor of Buckingham.

Professor Crawford is in the city soliciting aid for the new Prairie College. He lectures in the Baptist Church to-night.

"Twelfth Night" was produced at the Grand Opera House to-night by the Neilson company. The attendance was very large notwithstanding a blinding snow-storm which set in this afternoon.

The Supreme Court met at noon for the delivery of judgments. In the case of McLeod and the New Brunswick Railroad the appeal was dismissed without costs, the Court being equally divided. In Reynolds *vs.* Barnet's Banking Company, the appeal was allowed with costs; Justices Strong and Gwynne dissenting. In Mallory *vs.* Kerr *et. al.* the appeal was dismissed with costs; Chief Justice Kerr dissenting. In Fisher *vs.* Anderson the appeal was allowed; the question of costs and form of order in appeal was reserved. The Court adjourned until Wednesday next, when judgment will be given in a number of other cases.

TORONTO

IRISH RELIEF.

CONSCIENCE MONEY.

TORONTO, Ont., February 3.—Mr. Alexander Manning has given $1,000 to the Irish Relief Fund. Subscriptions come in slowly, but those coming in are mostly of a fairly substantial character.

Frank West Rimer, the note lifter now serving four years in penitentiary, was witness to-day in a suit brought by R. H. Gray, official assignee, in contestation of a claim of $2,105 made on the balance of a note by Mr. John Fee against Rimer's estate.

The Custom House authorities have received $4.50, the duty on a small package of goods from England, which was smuggled in by the person sending the money, who signs himself "Conscience."

The semi annual examination of the candidates for registration under the Pharmacy Act is being held at the Western Association Building, on Scott street. There are 68 candidates up for examination, the largest number except on one occasion since the incorporation of the College in 1871. The Board of Examiners will make their report at the general meeting on Thursday.

At the Assizes to-day Wm. Anderson, of the Township of Whitchurch, who recovered $800 at the last Assizes for the seduction of his daughter Abigail by Edward McQuillan, of the same township, recovered $200 more for the keep of the offspring.

The action in which Rimer was called as witness resulted in a verdict for Fee, who will obtain the balance of his note out of the estate, which will now barely pay expenses, and will leave nothing for the creditors.

143 emigrants arrived last month.

KINGSTON

MARKET TOLLS.

REVENUE STATISTICS.

KINGSTON, February 3.—The City Council will send a delegation to Toronto to protest against the passage of the Bill proposing to abolish market tolls.

The exports at Kingston in January, were $24,499. Import duties collected, $12,231. Inland Revenue collections during the some month, $10,065.

The subject of debate at the meeting of the Alma Mater Society of Queen's College, last evening, was "Independence and Canada, is it desirable." After an interesting discussion the question was decided in the negative.

Continued cold weather. The ice-bridge now seems secured. Blustering snow-storm to-day.

GUELPH

THE POULTRY EXHIBITION.

GUELPH, Ont., February 3.—Patterson, who attempted suicide on Saturday night, is not in a dangerous condition, but is pronounced insane.

The exhibition of the Ontario Poultry Association, at present being held here, is the grandest exhibition of birds ever held in the Province. It is attended by many of the prominent breeders. The fowls are now in position, and are ready for the judge, Mr. Todd, of Vermillion, Ohio.

HALIFAX

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

STORMS.

DEPARTURE OF THE VICE-REGAL PARTY.

A HEARTY DEMONSTRATION.

HALIFAX, February 3.—The Secretary of the Agricultural Society having been directed to send a circular to the various Agricultural Societies in Nova Scotia, asking them to name the most suitable place, in order of preference, for future Provincial exhibitions, the majority have expressed their preference for Halifax, Truro being next.

A large quantity of beef and mutton was shipped in the steamer for Newfoundland to-day.

The heaviest snow-storm of this winter has been raging since one o'clock.

At nine o'clock this morning the Imperial and Militia troops began to assemble. The Royal Artillery, Royal Engineers, 101st and 97th Regiments, lined the streets in open order from Government House to North Street Railway Station. The station was beautifully decorated; over the door was a well executed shield bearing the arms of the Dominion. The ceiling of the waiting-room was festooned with red and white bunting; the passage from the main entrance out to the plat form was carpeted with crimson, and screened off with rich foliage plants. The gasaliers were festooned with bright flowers, and pillars and handrails entwined with crimson and white bunting. The windows of the refreshment stand were filled with illuminated panels, and the stand was surmounted by a coronet, the gallery in the station being festooned with flags and strings of the same run across from side to side through the building. About eleven o'clock the Governor-General and Princess entered Governor Archibald's sleigh at the Government House, the guard of honour of the 97th Regiment presenting arms, and the band playing "God Save the Queen." Then a pleasing incident occurred. An old pensioner, who had seen long service in the army, came forward from the crowd at the door, and offering his hand to the Princess, said he had shaken hands with her Royal mother. Her Royal Highness, with a pleasant smile, cordially shook hands with the old fellow, and he stepped back the proudest man in the crowd. The team then drove off through the military lines to the railway station, where the party were received by a guard of honour from the 101st Regiment, and the 1st Halifax Garrison Artillery and the Halifax Field Battery, in the yard north of the station, fired a salute. Some thousands of people had assembled in and around the station. A noticeable feature was the number of old people present, who had thought nothing of waiting an hour in the biting cold, seeming to care nothing for the show and parade but evidencing an intense anxiety to catch a glimpse of the daughter of their Queen. The utmost enthusiasm prevailed as the Vice-Regal train moved slowly off. Three ringing cheers were given by those in the station, caught up by the multitude outside and carried along the military line. Again the Field Battery thundered out a salute, and the Citadel, saluting the battery, answered. A few moments more and the train turned the bend in the road and was out of sight of those at the station. Far up the line, however, the inhabitants turned out to cheer the party.

ST JOHN

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

ST. JOHN, N. B., February 9.—At a public meeting of citizens this afternoon it was decided to ask the Common Council to assess the city $5,600 for Provincial Exhibition purposes. It is proposed to hold the exhibition here in October, and to ask the Local Government to contribute $12,000 or $15,000.

WINNIPEG

BRIDGE BUILDING.

WINNIPEG, February 3.—A public meeting has been called by the Mayor for Friday, the 6th inst., to consider the question of relief for the suffering peasantry of Ireland.

Mr. Speaker McMicken is entertaining the members of the Local Legislature at dinner to-night.

Tenders have been called for, till the 15th of March, for the purchase of $200,000 of debentures of the city of Winnipeg for the construction of a railway and traffic bridge.

J. E. McDonald offers to take the contract for building the bridge since the withdrawal of the Toronto Bridge Company, and will pay five per cent. of the amount as security.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

CURLING.

TORONTO, February 3.—The Toronto Curling Club played at points yesterday for the McPherson Cup, being the seventh annual competition. Mr. Fysh won with a score of 19. The eight highest in the competion, viz., Messrs. Fysh, Riddle, McGow, Huard, Postlethwaite, Right, Walker, and Rev. Dr. Barclay, subsequently played for the Governor-General's Cup.

BELLEVILLE, February 3.—The second rink of the curling contest, Old Country *vs.* Canada, for the Pitceathly Medal was played yesterday evening, and the Canadians security a majority of five shots, the score being: Canada, 23; Old Country, 18.

AQUATICS.

WASHINGTON, February 3.—Soule is here for the purpose of examining the race courses on the Potomac. He says, if Courtney and Hanlan do not come to terms, the latter will probably contest with Riley. There seems to be some doubt of the race taking place here, unless a certain sum is contributed. Several northern cities have expressed their willingness to contribute liberally in order to bring the event to their localities. Among the latest bidders is Geneva, N.Y., which, it is reported, offered to raise $3,000 in addition to the purse.

FIRE REPORT

Specially reported for the MONTREAL HERALD.

NEW YORK, February 3.—The large lime shed of William Brown, on 96th street, was set on fire to-day by the tide, which swept over the lime. Loss, $14,000.

WORCESTER, Mass., February 3.—Fox's mill here was partially burned to-night. Loss, $25,000.

HAYES CITY, Kansas, February 3.—At Wakeeny last night the United States Land Office, and a number of other buildings, were burned. The books belonging to the Land Office were saved. Loss, $30,000. Fire supposed to have been incendiary.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., February 3.—The Southworth paper-mill, West Springfield, was burned to-night. Insurance, $70,000.

Midnight Despatches

GREAT BRITAIN

THE POLITICAL TRIALS,

THE MANSION HOUSE FUND.

THE IRISH SUFFERERS—WORK OR BREAD.

THE QUEEN AND THE OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

DUBLIN, February 3.—The Irish Court of Queen's Bench granted to Davitt, Daly, Killen and Brennan an extension of time to plead, and orders have been given to furnish the accused with copies of their indictments. It is believed their trials will be had in March.

The Mansion House Relief Committee met to-day. It was announced that £205,000 sterling had been received to date, and £17,000 distributed. Replies to the inquiries from the Mayor had been received from thirty Bishops, including three Catholic Archbishops and one Protestant Archbishop, repudiating Parnell's charges of discrimination against the rent defaulters, and expressing entire confidence in the Committee.

At the annual meeting of the Home-Rule League to-day Wm. Shaw disclaimed any pretensions to be considered leader of the Irish people.

At a meeting of the Irish National League it was resolved Michael Davitt should be deputed to wait on the editors of French and other continental newspapers to enlist their support in efforts for the relief of the distress in Ireland.

CLONMEL, Ireland, February 3.—A large number of unemployed people to-day made a demonstration before the Mayor's office demanding work or bread, accompanying their demands with the threat to sack the baker's shops.

The *Standard* says among the measures promised by the Government to be presented at the opening of Parliament is a Bill regarding the distress in Ireland.

LONDON, February 3.—The report that Her Majesty's safety is questioned in her ride from Buckingham Palace to Westminster is looked upon as ridiculous. As regards the streets being lined with troops it would be an innovation, inasmuch as she generally passes down the Mall, thence to the Horse Guards and Whitehall to the Parliament Houses, along which route troops are always posted on such occasions.

Sir Geo. Hamilton Seymour, a retired diplomatist, and Rev. Hy. Meule, a prominent philantropist and clergyman, and the still more prominent sanitarian and discoverer of the dry earth system, are dead.

FRANCE

PARIS FORTIFICATIONS.

PARIS, February 3.—The formidable and extensive system of fortifications, which is intended to make Paris impregnable, may now be said to be completed.

It is rumoured that Mrs. McKay, wife of the Bonanza millionaire, has purchased the title of Marchioness, either in Spain or Italy.

GERMANY

THE BERLIN ARMY BILL.

LONDON, February 3.—A Berlin correspondent reports that Bismarck to-day held a long conference with the Emperor on the Army Bill and new taxes.

AUSTRIA

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES.

VIENNA, February 3.—The Lower House of the Reichsrath has adopted, without amendment, the Government Bill formally placing Bosnia under a Central Common Ministry and Delegations.

RUSSIA

DISAFFECTION OF RUSSIAN OFFICERS.

LONDON, February 3.—A Vienna correspondent says trustworthy accounts represent that the internal condition of Russia is becoming daily more critical. A number of officers, high in command, have been disaffected, while those who were not promoted after the late war with Turkey, have, with few exceptions, join the revolutionists.

CUBA

THE EARTHQUAKES AND INSURRECTION.

HAVANA, February 3.—On the 1st instant another earthquake shock occurred at Candelaria, in the district of Vuelta Abjo. Three oscillations were felt.

The insurgents under Guillermo and Maceo were defeated in several encounters in Arroyo, Blanco, Acholat, and Los Peladeros, their loss being nine killed and eleven prisoners.

WEST INDIES

TERRIBLE HURRICANE.

MADRID, February 3.—A terrible hurricane recently, at the Philippine Islands, caused great damage both on the Islands and to the shipping. Several merchant ships and a Spanish gunboat were wrecked. The latter is reported to have been a total loss with all her crew.

UNITED STATES

PARNELL DENOUNCING THE MANSION HOUSE FUND.

MORMON PROSECUTIONS.

A CAPTAIN SHOOTS HIMSELF AFTER A WRECK.

AN INDIAN FIGHT.

WASHINGTON, February 3.—Mr. Parnell was received to-day by the Emmet Association. He said he regretted the money raised by the Society had been sent to the Mansion House Committee, which had been got up to break down the movement for the reform of the Land Laws. Dr. Antisell and General Obeirne promised that all further collections should be sent to Dretnel, Morgan & Co.

Capt. Pratt, in charge of the training school for Indians at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania, before the House Indian Committee to-day said that last October he brought from the West 140 Indian children, representing eleven tribes, and began instructing them in the rudiments of civilized life. Without exception they readily adapted themselves to the changed modes of life, and displayed unexpected and unusual aptitude in receiving and retaining instruction. Mr. Pratt said he received numerous applications to accept more Indian children at the school, Spotted Tail desiring to send 500 from his tribe. In the spring, it is designed to invite the Committee from Congress to visit the school, to examine its practical workings.

BOSTON, February 3.—A furious north-east snow-storm began at 4 a.m. and continued till 2 p.m., with a prospect of changing to rain; eight inches fell. The trains on all the roads have been more or less delayed.

LONG BRANCH, N.J., February 3.—The oldest inhabitants pronounce the storm which raged to-day as one of the most severe and destructive that ever visited this coast. The wind blew tremendously, carrying away summer houses, pavillions, bath houses, and portions of the piazzas and roofs of nearly all the hotels on the shore. Several marine disasters are reported.

OGDEN, Utah, February 3.—The new Grand Jury empanelled yesterday are mostly Mormons. Judge Hunter directed their attention especially to the law against bigamy, but as there was no accessible record except of bigamous marriages, it is not probable this Grand Jury will be able to find any evidence. Thomas Hepjer, a wealthy Mormon, aged 60, was arrested to-day for bigamy, and will be taken to Salt Lake for trial. He was indicted in November last, but kept out of the way until now.

ATLANTICVILLE, N. J., February 3.—The brig "Augustina" came ashore this morning. Captain Andez and seven men were brought to land by the life-saving crew. The captain was found in his cabin dying, having shot himself when he saw the vessel was lost. The vessel is a total loss.

DENVER, February 3.—There is great excitement over the new discovery of gold near the mouth of the Canon of Platte, only twenty miles from Denver. A specimen of the ore essayed $20,000 per ton. People are flocking to the scene.

DEADWOOD, D.T., February 3.—A Fort Burford special states that the recent attack on the Gros Ventres camp was made by the Sioux who escaped from Spotted Tail and the Pine Ridge Agency. The cause of the attack was the refusal of the Gros Ventres to share the proceeds of their hunting with the Sioux. In the fight the Gros Ventres lost Lone Mill and Old Beaver killed, and Skunk and Long Tail wounded. The Sioux's loss is unknown.

BALTIMORE, February 3.—Henri Say's yacht "Henriette" having repaired her damages, sailed to-day on her voyage along the Southern coast.

LOWELL, Mass., February 3.—Nine societies voted to-night not to parade on St. Patrick's Day, but to hold a coffee party for the suffering poor of Ireland, and have an entertainment for the Orphan Asylum.

NEW YORK, February 3.—There were unfavourable reports to-day regarding the Produce Bank, but the officials said it was perfectly solvent and would continue business. Rumours to that end were caused by a loan of $100,000 made to contractors who had been involved in law suits. It is said the bank is well secured.

PORTSMOUTH, N.H, February 3.—The fishing fleet, for whose safety fears were entertained, are safe.

BROOKLYN, February 3.—There was a high tide and a tremendous gale at Coney Island to-day. Engeman's wooden pier was washed away, also the buildings on the new iron pier, and bathing-houses destroyed. The water is higher than for many years. At last accounts the water was still rising, and more damage is apprehended.

THE AFGHANISTAN REVOLT

LAHORE, February 3.—Mohammed Jan has established a chain of armed posts on the Turkestan and Ghuznee roads, where his officers search the people passing to and from Cabul.

CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS

NEWTON, N.J., February 3.—At Sprout Hill, on Saturday, Wm. Schoonhover and Wm. Marvin, had a duel with axes, during which, Schoonhover's left arm was chopped off, and he nearly bled to death.

PORT HOPE, February 3.—Yesterday a freight engine on the Midland Railroad jumped the track near Midland village. The engineer reversed, and then, with his fireman, jumped. The engineer alighted unhurt, but the fireman had his face badly cut.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., February 3.—William Post, a young man aged 18, was charged in the Police Court to-day with committing rape upon Ellen Skinner, a child of 12. The prosecutor did not appear, but as the Chief of Police asserted that an attempt had been made to compound the felony, the prisoner was remanded until to-morrow.

LONDON, Ont., February 3.—Further details regarding the fire near Clandebye give a strong suspicion that the premises were set on fire. It is pointed out as a suggestive fact that the properties of both Bece and Jackson have lately been destroyed by fires which were plainly of incendiary origin. Both these men are defendants in an important Chancery suit. Jackson's stables were fired the night after a writ of ejectment was served, and on Saturday night Bece's barn containing property involved in a legal dispute was sacrificed, involving a loss to him, beyond the insurance, of $4,000.

NEW YORK, February 3.—A grain elevator of Knapp & McCord capsized into the North River to-day by a high wind 16 men on board were saved. The top of the elevator sank.

GLENWOOD, Iowa, February 3.—Yesterday, in a fight, Ishall Daily struck Clayton McCrary on the head with a single-tree. McCrary after drove home, but died this morning. The skull is not fractured. It was not decided whether death was due to excessive drinking or Daily's blow, which is considered to have been justifiable.

TROY, N. Y., February 3.—Detective Jackson arrived to-night with Kindt, the Sing-Sing convict mentioned in the St. Albans despatch. At the depot the prisoner attempted to escape and knocked Jackson down. Kindt was shot twice by Jackson in the face and behind the ear. Policemen came to Jackson's assistance, and Kindt was secured and taken to the station house, where he lies unconscious.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

From Our Special Correspondent.

Toronto, February 3.

Mr. MURRAY complained that, in his speech upon the Free Grant and Homestead Act, he was represented as having said that the proposed law was a good one, and would contribute to the advancement of the good of the public revenue. What he had said was, that the present law was a good one, as it would, by making settlers take an interest in preserving the timber which would in ordinary course become their own, prevent its destruction by fire and other waste, and consequently contribute to the revenue and general advantage of the Province.

After routine,

Mr. HARDY introduced a Bill to extend the jurisdiction of Division Courts.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL introduced a Bill to abolish the priority of execution creditors; also a Bill to settle collection of taxes in Algoma, Muskoka, and Parry Sound; also a Bill to amend certain particulars as to the law of real property.

Mr. GRAHAM introduced a Bill relating to the Public Offices of Ontario.

The House went into Committee of Supply and passed the following items:—Contingencies for Lieut.-Governor's Office, $950; Executive Council and Attorney-General's Department, $14,470; Department of Education, $20,800; Crown Lands, $44,750; Public Works, $19,172; Treasury, $17,450; Agriculture, $1,400; Public Institutions, $7,450; Secretary's Department, $25,625; Immigration, $1,400.

The House resumed, and, after recess, again went into Committee of Supply and passed the following items:—Legislation, $108,880; Administration of Justice, $287,600; Public Institutions, $498,027, with the exception of School of Agriculture, $23,750, and $5,400 School of Practical Science; Public Buildings, $157,550; Public Works, $32,900.

The House resumed and adjourned at 10.05.

WEATHER REPORT

Montreal, February 3.

TEMPERATURE—In the shade by Standard Thermometer observed by Hearn, Harrison & Co., Opticians and Mathematical Instrument Makers, 242 & 244 Notre Dame Street:—

8 A.M.	1 P.M.	6 P.M.
—1° below	6°	10°
MAX.	MIN.	MEAN.
10°	—6° below	2°

BY STANDARD BAROMETER.

8 A.M.	1 P.M.	6 P.M.
30.27	30.90	29.72

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, *Toronto, February 3, 10.00 a.m.*

Probabilities for the next 24 hours:—Lower Lake Region—Fresh to strong north-easterly to north-westerly winds; cloudy, continued cold weather, with snow, followed by fair weather to-morrow. St. Lawrence—Increasing easterly to northerly winds; cloudy, continued cold weather, with snow. Maritime Provinces — Increasing north-easterly to south-easterly winds; cloudy, milder weather, followed by snow.

A POOR country parson writes to the London *Daily News*: "At this time, when there is an outcry which amounts to a demand for a reduction in tithe, will you allow me to present your readers with my actual income and outgoings for the last year; Income as commuted for 1879, £258 4s. 4d. From this sum, before I can expend a single penny for wife or family I have to spend: Poor rate: £39 15s. 11½d.; income tax, £3 5s. 10d.; inhabited house duty, £1 2s. 6d; land tax, £11 8s.; archdeacon's fees, 10s. 1½d.; Queen Anne's Bounty, 10s. 6d; insurance, £1 3s.; collecting tithe, £2 2s.; total, £59 17s. 11d. This reduces my income to £198 6s. 5d. From this sum I am obliged from my position as a country parson to deduct for Inland revenue—Carriage, £2 2s.; dog, 7s. 6d.; man for horse, 15s.; school rate, £1 4s.; clothing club, £1; ringers at church, £1; total, £9 8s. 6d., further reducing my small income to the sum of £188 17s. 11d. This amount has to meet the expenses for a horse, without which I must resign my living, and indeed a necessity in this country as a means of communication with my parishioners, repairs of vicarage, servants, food, clothing, and furniture for myself and my wife."

THE TRADE OF MONTREAL.

To the Editor of the MONTREAL HERALD.

SIR,—The Grand Trunk Railway of Canada has now, it appears, secured a through route to Chicago, the great emporium of the west. I believe we may look for its opening for traffic in the course of a few weeks.

The people of Montreal seem to me to have lost almost all interest in the trade of the city. Ontario is all alive on the subject of railway communication. Has Montreal nothing to say on this matter? Is the fact that we have a direct railway communication with one of the greatest distributing points on this continent of no moment? Where are the Board of Trade, the Corn Exchange, the City Corporation, or our Local Governments?

Only a few days ago it was announced that a railway track had been laid on the ice across the mighty St. Lawrence to Longueuil. Now, when it is well known that we have a bridge and a railway which gives us *unbroken* connection with the important town of Longueuil, some people could not see what great advantage the *ice railway* was going to confer upon us, yet there was a great gathering of civic, political and railway magnates to inaugurate or float the scheme. Everybody was immensely pleased.

It occurs to me that the Chicago business is well nigh as important as that of Longueuil, and the person or company that has given Montreal a Chicago connection is assuredly as worthy of some public recognition as the gentlemen who merely got a train across the river.

Yours, &c.,
COMMERCE.

Montreal, February 3, 1880.

CHURCH DEBTS.

To the Editor of the MONTREAL HERALD.

SIR,—Mr. Carsley has thought fit to add to his notoriety, or for some other reason, to publish a list of Protestant churches and their supposed debts. This may be very entertaining matter for the perusal of the public at large; but what right has he, or any one, to expose the encumbrances of churches, or other private corporations, to the public gaze? I say private corporations, for a church is a private body quoad the outside public, as much so as is a mercantile establishment; and not until such corporation has become insolvent, has any outside person a right to enquire into, and expose publicly, its pecuniary affairs.

If Mr. Carsley's object is to inaugurate a plan, having for its object the extinguishment of the debts of the churches, after having made his own "pile," no one could reasonably object to that as a "consummation devoutly to be wished for," however much a less ostentatious mode of dealing with the subject might be preferred.

In any event, Mr. Carsley is, without doubt, guilty of a breach of good manners, and an impertinence; and I am very much mistaken if the Protestant community, whose sensibilities he has so wantonly outraged, do not indicate its resentment in a way that he will feel most sensibly, viz., by bestowing its patronage in other quarters.

Yours, &c.,
HENRY LYMAN.

Montreal, February 3, 1880.

THE MAYORALTY.

To the Editor of the MONTREAL HERALD.

DEAR SIR,—In order to save trouble to my friends who, I hear, are bringing my name forward for the Mayoralty, I wish it to be understood, at once, that I decline the honour of the candidature for the present, as I consider that, after the present term of office of the present incumbent is over, this honourable charge is due, according to custom, to an English-speaking fellow-citizen.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH DUHAMEL.

Montreal, February 3, 1880.

AT a meeting in Memphis $700 was subscribed to the Irish Relief Fund.

THE U. S. Consul at Geneva reports large importations of anthracite coal into Switzerland from the United States. American stoves find a ready sale.

THE assignment yesterday of the Arbeiter Bund Benevolent Association of Workingmen, of Cincinnatti, which number over four hundred, creates much excitement among the German population.

MARRIAGES.

In this city, on the 3rd of February, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. W. McRobie, by the Rev. R. Campbell, Mr. Henry F. Lunan, of Sorel, to Elizabeth M Ellicot, only daughter of John Ellicott, Esq., of this city.

DEATHS.

In New York city, on the 27th January, after a short illness, of pneumonia, Mr. George Beresford, late of Montreal, aged 52 years.

At No. 81 Redpath street, on Tuesday, 3rd of February, Peter Robertson, Esq., aged 62 years.

Funeral will take place on Thursday, the 5th instant, at 2.30 p.m. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. u

At 34 McGill College Avenue, on the 3rd instant, Annie Maria, only daughter of the late George Hagar, aged 31 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter. m

THE

Montreal Investment & Building COMPANY.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the office of the Company, No. 229 St. James Street, at THREE o'clock on

Thursday, the 12th day of February, Instant,

for the Election of Directors and transaction of business generally.

W. A. MERRY, Secretary.

Montreal, Feb. 2nd, 1880 mwf 12F 27

LA BANQUE DU PEUPLE.

NOTICE.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Stockholders of La Banque du Peuple will be held at the Office of the Bank, St. James street, on

Monday, the 1st of March Next,

AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.,

in conformity with the 16th and 17th clauses of the Act Incorporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A. A. TROTTIER, Cashier.

Montreal, January 31, 1880. sw 1M 26

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Meetings.

MONTREAL SAW WORKS.

The Annual General Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, 287 ST. PAUL STREET,

ON WEDNESDAY, 4TH FEBRUARY NEXT.

At 3 P.M.

ALF. RUDOLF, Secretary.

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The Canadian Securities Company, (LIMITED.)

The ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company, for the Election of Directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 151 St. James street, Montreal, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of February next, at 4 o'clock p.m.

T. W. RITCHIE, Managing Director.

Montreal, 31st January, 1880. m 26

NOTICE

THE

Royal Canadian Insurance Coy.

The ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held on

THURSDAY, THE FIFTH OF FEBRUARY NEXT,

in the Company's Office, No. 160 St. James Street, at

Two o'clock in the afternoon,

for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report, for the Election of Directors and other purposes.

A resolution will be proposed to adjourn said meeting until Thursday, the Fourth day of March next, at the same hour and place.

The Transfer Books will be closed from this day until the Fifth of February inclusive; and in case said meeting be adjourned, the Transfer Books will remain closed until the Fourth day of March next inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ARTHUR GAGNON, Secretary.

Office of THE ROYAL CANADIAN INSURANCE CO., Montreal, 21st January, 1880. 5F 17

THE

Merchants' Marine Insurance Co. OF CANADA.

NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN that a Dividend of

Five (5) Per Cent,

on the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Company has been declared for the year ending 31st December, 1879, and that the same will be payable on and after the SIXTH (6) day of MARCH, 1880, at the office of the Company.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th day of February, to the 9th day of March, both days inclusive.

Further notice is hereby given, that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the said MERCHANTS MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA will be held at the Head Offices of the Company, 53 and 55 St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal, on TUESDAY the NINTH (9th) day of MARCH, 1880 instant, at TWELVE o'clock noon, for the reception of the Annual Report, the Election of Directors, and for other business.

J. K. OSWALD, General Manager.

Montreal, 31st January, 1880. 9M 26

THE

Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company will be held at the Company's Office, on

Monday, the 9th of February Next,

At ONE o'clock p. m., in conformity with the Fourth Clause of the Act of Incorporation of the Company.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 23rd instant to the 9th of February next, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

J. N. BEAUDRY, Secretary.

Montreal, 20th January, 1880. 16

V. Hudon Cotton Mills Co.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the V. HUDON COTTON MILLS COMPANY will be held at the Mill, Hochelaga, on

Wednesday, 11th Feb'y Next,

At TWO o'clock, p.m., for the reception of the Annual Report, the Election of Directors and the transaction of general business.

By order of the Board,

F. C. CHARBONNEAU, Sec.-Treasurer.

Montreal, 31st January, 1880. 26

THE SHEDDEN COMPANY. (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Shedden Company (Limited,) will be held at the Head Office of the Company, 18 St. Peter street, Montreal, on WEDNESDAY, the ELEVENTH day of FEBRUARY, 1880, at three o'clock p.m., for the election of Directors for the current year, and the transaction of general business.

HUGH PATON, Manager and Secretary.

Montreal, 28th January, 1880. 11F 24

NOTICE.

The Ottawa River Navigation Co.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the

Annual General Meeting

of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at their Offices, 13 BONAVENTURE STREET, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF FEBRUARY,

At 10 A.M.,

for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

By order of the Directors.

EDWARD SCOTT, Secretary.

January 31 m 27

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the

GRAPHIC COMPANY

will be held at the Head Office of the Company, Western Chambers, No. 22 St. John Street, in the City of Montreal,

On Thursday, the 19th day of February next,

At THREE o'clock in the afternoon,

For the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of general business.

ALEX. F. RIDDELL, Secretary

Montreal, January 31, 1880. d 26

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CHARLES F. SMITHERS, Esq., General Manager Bank of Montreal.
The Hon. THOMAS RYAN, Senator.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE CO'Y.

1.—*Funds as at 31st December, 1878.*

Paid-up Capital	£350,000 Stg.
Fire Reserve Fund	794,577 "
Premium Reserve	305,065 "
Balance of Profit and Loss Account	57,048 "
Life Accumulation	£2,852,567 "
Annuity Funds	300,080 "

2.—*Revenue for the Year, 1878.*

From Fire Department: Fire Premiums & Interest	£976,160 "
From Life Department: Life Premiums and Interest £438,737; Interest &c., on An'uity F'nds.. 12,040	£450,777 "
Total Revenue	£1,426,937 "
or,	$6,944,426 73

WILLIAM EWING, Inspector.
GEORGE N. AHERN, Sub-Inspector.

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THIS MORNING.

SUPERIOR FIRST-CLASS CUT-STONE MODERN RESIDENCE,

406 Sherbrooke Street

The Subscriber, instructed by HENRY N. MIDDLETON, Esq., who is leaving Canada, will sell on

WEDNESDAY, 4TH FEBRUARY,

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Permits as usual.

Sale at ELEVEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

☞ The Furniture, &c., will be sold 17th and 18th February instant. 21

THIS MORNING.

THE CUT-STONE FRONT HOUSE

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Will be sold at my rooms on

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Sale at Half-past ELEVEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

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SPLENDID MODEL FARM

AND COUNTRY RESIDENCE,

Near Montreal, By Auction.

The subscriber is instructed by WILLIAM STEPHEN, Esq., who is leaving Montreal, to sell on THURSDAY, 5th FEBRUARY, his well-known model farm at POINTE AUX TREMBLES, about 90 Arpents, including 10 Arpents between the highway and the River St. Lawrence, beautifully situated, in the highest state of cultivation, self-drained, abundantly supplied with water for all purposes, and newly fenced from front to rear. The house is very substantial, has been remodelled, and fitted up with the conveniences of a first-class city residence. The splendid barns, the stables, and numerous outbuildings, are of the most superior description.

TERMS—One half cash; balance in equal annual instalments at SIX per cent interest.

The farm can be seen at any time.

Sale at my rooms at ELEVEN o'clock.

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Substantial Brick Terrace

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The Subscriber will sell at his Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th FEBRUARY, the first-class, good-paying block of solid BRICK HOUSES, 8 dwellings, with Stone foundations and Mansard roofs, Nos. 426 to 433½ Richmond street, near the Square; on elevated ground and probably the best terrace in the district; good depth of lot. Splendidly adapted for the erection of another terrace of Cottages in rear, as per plan. Offers a very good investment.

Sale at Half-past TEN o'clock.

27 JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

LICITATION

Will be sold, by authority of Justice, to the highest and last bidder, by Public Auction, at the rooms of J. J. Arnton, Esq, Auctioneer, No. 91 St. James street, Montreal, on THURSDAY, the TWELFTH day of FEBRUARY next (1880), at ELEVEN o'clock in the forenoon, the following immoveable properties belonging to the successions of the late Joseph Doutre, Esquire, senior, and Dame Adelaide Giroux, his wife, both deceased, in their lifetime of the Town and District of Beauharnois, to wit:—

1st. A lot of land or emplacement, situate and lying in the City of Montreal, being the North-west two-thirds of the lot known and designated on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of the Saint James Ward, under number eight hundred and five (No. 805), with a two-storey stone house containing four tenements, bearing Nos. 72, 72½, 74 and 74½ of Saint Andre street, and outbuildings thereon erected.

2nd. A lot of land or emplacement, situate and being in the said City of Montreal, known and described on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of the Saint Lawrence Ward, as number one hundred and thirty-eight (No. 138), with a two-storey brick encased house, containing three tenements, bearing together No. 8 of Evans street, and outbuildings thereon erected.

3rd. A lot of land or emplacement, situate, lying and being in the incorporated Village of Saint Jean Baptiste, County of Hochelaga, known and described on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of the said incorporated Village of Saint Jean Baptiste, as number two hundred and thirty-eight (No. 238), with a two-storey brick encased house, containing two tenements bearing together No. 209 Saint Dominique street, and outbuildings thereon erected.

Conditions and all information obtained on application to the said auctioneer, or to the undersigned.

J. B. DOUTRE, Advocate, One of the Test. Executors.
E. L'ARCHEVEQUE, Notary, No. 111 Notre Dame Street, Montreal.
JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

Montreal, 13th December, 1879. 298

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LOCAL NEWS.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.—Before Mr. Dugas, J.S.P.—Adelard Charpentier, convicted of larceny, was sentenced yesterday morning to six months imprisonment.

COTE ST. ANTOINE.—Mr. J. K. Ward, lumber merchant, has been unanimously elected Mayor of Cote St. Antoine, and Mr. Dunlop, re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

A CURIOUS HIDING PLACE.—The Deputy High-Constable has found a portion of the stolen jewellery belonging to Clara Gervais along with some documents in a pile of snow in rear of her house.

THE MAYORALTY.—A statement having gone abroad that Mr. Duhamel intended to offer himself for the Mayoralty, that gentlemen has forwarded a disclaimer, which will be found in another column.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE LITERARY SOCIETY.—The regular fortnightly meeting will be held this evening, in the Long Room, Mechanics' Institute. Debate—"Imperial Federation or Independence."

ACCIDENT TO MR. COURSOL.—While passing along the street yesterday morning, Mr. Coursol, M.P., fell and sustained such injuries as to necessitate his being conveyed home in a sleigh. A rumour was abroad that the hon. gentleman had broken his leg. This is exaggerated.

CAUGHT IN THE NET.—A butcher, named Laurent Pigeon, was some time ago fined $40; but the police found it difficult to capture their man until Monday when he went to listen to the debates of the City Council, and was recognized. He was liberated on payment of the fine.

RECORDER'S COURT.—Mr. C. A Dugas presided again in this Court yesterday. Antoine Pauze, coachman, charged with being drunk, was remanded; William John O'Brien, charged with loitering, was discharged, as was Godfrie Dechene, who was in custody on a warrant for willful damage.

POLICE COURT. — Yesterday morning Patrick Stewart, the cap snatching thief, was arraigned and committed to the Queen's Bench on two indictments. Louis Landry, for the larceny of Clara Gervais' jewellery, was also committed to the Queen's Bench for trial.

IN TOWN.—Windsor Hotel—T R Coates, Buffalo; E Silverman, Milwaukee; H Macgregor, Japan; Hon J H Pope, Mrs Pope, Cookshire; W B Ives and wife, Sherbrooke; J G Fleming, E G Bannerman, England; A A Hathaway, Milwaukee.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.—The Board of Outdoor Relief acknowledges, with thanks, the following donations: G. H. H., $1:10; A Friend, cast-off clothing......The Superintendent of the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge acknowledges, with thanks, a lot of felt hats and bonnets for the inmates, from Mr. Thomas Harrison.

THE VICE-REGAL VISIT.—In honour of the visit of H. E. the Governor-General and H.R.H. the Princess Louise this afternoon, Mr. Kirkham, the station master at the Bonaventure depot, is putting forth all his energies to decorate the platform with flags and evergreens. The Victoria Rifles are expected to form a guard of honour on the occasion.

PENITENTIARY STATISTICS.—During the year 1879, there were sentenced by the undermentioned Courts, in the city, and conveyed to the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, the following prisoners: Court of Queen's Bench (Crown side), 63; Court of General Sessions of the Peace, 12; Court of Special Sessions, 32 and 33 Vic., cap. 35, 56; total, 131.

THE BUTCHERS AGAIN.—At the Recorder's Court, yesterday, Victor Mallette, St. Catherine street; Louis Hibbert, Bonaventure and Canning streets; Edwin T. Buss, 19 Beaver Hall Hill; Patrick Coleman, Lagauchetiere street; John Coleman, 109 Colborne street, were each fined $40 or two months, for selling meat without license in private stalls.

STATEMENT OF OUT-DOOR RELIEF given at the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge for week ending 31st January, 1880:—The number of families relieved was 178, of which 31 were English and descendants; 9 Irish; 3 Scotch; 50 French; 34 Germans; 12 Norwegians, Swedes and Danes; 14 Italians; 35 Nationality uncertain.—Total, 178. Sixty-one quarter-cords of wood were given

THE ANNUAL IRISH BALL, which comes off on Monday evening, February 9th, at the St. Lawrence Hall, promises to be a great event, as everything has been done by the Committee to insure the greatest success ever attained. The orchestra, which is one of the finest in the city, is now busy rehearsing all the newest dance music. We understand but a limited number of tickets remain, which can be had, on application, from the Committee; Mr. Wm. Wilson, Chairman; J. J, Milloy, Treasurer; or D. McEntyre, jr., Secretary.

DETAINED.— Isidore Marechal, apprehended at St. Albans by High Constable Bissonnette, for the Lewis, Black & Co., silk robbery, but who refused to return to Canada, has been recognized by Detective Jackson, of Sing Sing Prison, as George Kindt, an escaped convict from there five years ago. He left on the ten o'clock train this morning, with an officer for New York. He has three years and seven months to serve, this being his second escape from there, the first being in 1871. He recognized the officer and was visibly depressed.

A SAD STORY.—Two boys were taken to the Central station, yesterday, under very unhappy circumstances. Their names are Edouard Bruno 11, and Joseph Bruno, 9, and the poor woman who accompanied them said she had cared for the lads for some time, but was unable to do so longer. The mother was dead and the father, a drunken fellow, had left them without a home, to the mercy of the world. The boys, who were very intelligent in appearance, were sent to an institution to be taken care of until the police can enquire into the case.

THE DOMINION DETECTIVE AGENCY AND MERCHANTS' POLICE.—An agency under the above title has been organized in Montreal under the management of Mr. John Fahey. The antecedents of this gentleman as a detective are well-known, indeed so much so that it is almost unnecessary to say more than that he is at the head of the new venture to secure its success, and as economy is to be the ruling feature there is an additional incentive to our merchants for placing delicate and intricate matters in their hands. To say that everything will be treated in a confidential manner is also unnecessary.

THE MONTREAL POULTRY, DOG AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION open their annual show to-day, in Winks' Buildings. The number of entries exceed those of former years by some 200 entries, and altogether number over 1,000, including bears, deer, dogs, poultry, pigeons, canaries, and very many other kinds of pet animals. The Committee have worked with a will to make the exhibition a success, and at a late hour last night everything was in so forward a state that there would appear that nothing now was wanting, many valuable specimens having already arrived. The Governor-General and the Princess Louise are expected to pay a visit to the show during their stay in the city. Parents and guardians would do well to take their young friends to view the collection, for their is nothing more desirable than to inculcate a love for dumb animals in the juvenile population.

RELICS OF ZULULAND.—We have had the opportunity of inspecting some relics and curiosities brought from Zululand, South Africa, by the brother of Mr. Chas. Clapham, of this city, who has just returned from England. His brother, who has collected these, was a resident in Cape Town, and one amongst the first who was drafted for active service in the Colonial regiments and sent to the front, prior to the arrival of the Imperial troops. The curiosities are interesting, consisting of assegais, pipes, wristlets of beads, such as are worn around different parts of the body, chief's headgear, with feathers, &c., as also a piece of mealie, with stalk attached, brought by one of the mounted escort from the field where the Prince Imperial fell. Mr. Clapham has also several well-taken photographs of the Zulu warriors, both male and female, taken from life, showing the enormous build of these natives and their ferocious appearance in their native habiliments, &c.

A SENTENCE has just been pronounced by the Civil Tribunal of Paris which will, no doubt, affect the business of French matrimonial agents. The circumstances were as follows: At the age of 67 Gen. Baron de Junica, who had long been a widower, retired from the service, and shortly afterward, through the medium of Mme. Moreau and Mme. Starck, was placed in communication with Mme. Pre-Reginer, having first of all signed an engagement to hand over 5 per cent. of the dowry to the house of Moreau & Starck. The nuptial ceremony was duly preformed, and the sum of 8,000 francs was paid in bills. Unfortunately, the match turned out badly. Both parties declared that they had been deceived. The lady found that she had married an invalid, and the Baron found that his wife, instead of having a dowry, was deeply in debt. The consequence was that when the bills came due the Baron refused to pay; and hence an action on the part of the matrimonial agents. The Court, putting aside the question of the dowry, which never existed, found for the defendant on the ground that to assimilate marriage to a pure commercial operation, in which an intermediary agent is inspired by the spirit of lucre and speculation, is to degrade it. Under these circumstances, the Court declared the bills null.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Present—Chief Justice Sir A. A. DORION, Hons. Justices MONK, RAMSAY, TESSIER, and CROSS.

LEDUC VS. THE WESTERN INSURANCE CO—Judgment confirmed.

KANE VS. RACINE—Judgment reversed.

CHRISTIN VS. VALOIS ET AL—Judgment confirmed.

SAUVE VS. DENIS VEROUNEAU—Judgment confirmed.

OWENS VS. UNION BANK—Judgment confirmed.

GAREAU VS. DESEVE — Judgment confirmed.

LORNE VS. MOLSONS BANK—Judgment confirmed.

CANADA MUTUAL CO. VS. O'BRIEN—Judgment confirmed.

GRENIER VS. CITY OF MONTREAL—Judgment reversed.

KILGOUR VS. HARVEY & LOGAN—Judgment confirmed.

KOLFE VS. THE CORPORATION OF STOKE—Judgment confirmed.

SUPERIOR COURT

Before Mr. Justice PAPINEAU.

CONTINUATION OF THE MENZIES-EVANS LIBEL CASE.

The case was continued yesterday morning.

Mr. EDWARD EVANS was examined, the efforts of the defendant's counsel being directed to extract from him something that could be construed as an admission that, because certain figures appearing in the abstract of the account rendered did not appear in the cash book, the statements made by Mr. Fraser against the plaintiff were true. Considerable ingenuity was displayed by the defendant's counsel in forcing from the witness a kind of admission to this effect. The witness insisted upon answering the questions so as, while admitting that the cash book did not contain all the transactions, nevertheless that the books together contained a true rendering of the administration of the estate.

In cross-examination he was asked whether the items mentioned by the counsel should appear in the cash book. He replied that they certainly should not. Many of the items could not be found in the cash book under any circumstances, and if they did appear would be wholly wrong.

Mr. MENZIES was examined and cross-examined at length, as to how much he had received during the eight years from 1871 to 1879. In his letter to the papers he had said that he had received less than $900. When questioned as to the correctness of this statement, he said that during the eight years he had only received $762, but that since then he had received some $1,200.

Mr. MOORE was then put in the box. He said he had been a member of the firm of Moore & Co.

Mr. LAFLAMME—Some books were left in your possession after the failure of the firm. Have you ever had those books in your possession?

Mr. MOORE—A difficulty arose between Mr. Menzies and myself, and Mr. James Court took the books to arbitrate between us. Afterwards they went into the office of Mr. Fulton.

Mr. LAFLAMME—Was there a cheque book left in your possession? A. No.

Q. All the books were handed over? A. Yes, but I was absent at the time.

Q. Who took the books away? A. They were taken away by Mr. Menzies, or by his order.

Q. They were first delivered over to Mr. Menzies? A. Yes.

After a few further questions as to dates the Court took recess.

After Recess, Mr. JOHN FAIR, examined by Mr. Laflamme, taking the "A" fyle to be the total loss of the late Hugh Fraser, is there anything to justify the amounts mentioned as $14,528 in schedule "D?" A. This purports to be cash paid by the estate to the other parties, Buchanan, Leckie & Co. included.

Q. Is there anything which would justify it as cash paid? A. I do not see it.

Q. Did you ever see a statement in this manner to comprise joint accounts? A. I have never seen a statement prepared in this way. It would have been clearer to show the amounts as paid. The item of $14,000 does not appear to have been received by Buchanan, Leckie & Co. by their books. I have had long experience in accounts. The amount $144.55, as appearing in the books of Buchanan, Leckie & Co., should have been shown in the balance-sheet.

By Mr. BUTLER—The page quoted in my examination-in-chief is not the only part of Buchanan & Leckie's books I have examined; there are two in connection with Hugh Fraser.

Q. Does the account include any items before Hugh Fraser's death, May, 1870? A. These accounts have been running for some time, and the date given was when these were closed.

Q. So that you could not tell how the joint accounts stood at the death of Hugh Fraser? A. No.

Q. Would it not be desirable for his executors, when being discharged from their trust, to be able to show the disposal of the accounts found in the inventory of the estate?

Mr. LAFLAMME objected to the question as illegal.

The Court allowed the question.

Witness—It would certainly be desirable. The exhibit "A. 5" corresponds with the books of Buchanan, Leckie & Co. in some respects, but not in the main.

By Mr. LAFLAMME—From the statements made, do the actual amounts appear as cash paid in the cash book? A. They do not, only as taken in the abstract.

Mr. LAFLAMME—Is that a correct way of keeping books? A. I would prefer entering the items as I stated before.

Mr. BUTLER—Asked to be allowed to put his client in the box and to give his oath that he did not receive this money.

Mr. LAFLAMME objected and the Court sustained the objection.

The argument of counsel will take place on the 11th inst.

BAIN VS. THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

Mr. MONK asked that the case be postponed as Mr. Barnard, his partner, was in England, and was more acquainted with the merits. It was an important suit, in fact a test case.

Mr. ROY, City Attorney, opposed the motion, and the Court ordered the case to proceed.

Mr. MONK said that the ground of action was the illegality of the Council in forcing payments for permanent sidewalks in front of the plaintiff's property. The Finance and Road Committee's and Council's resolutions were also vague, and did not state in detail how much work was to be done and paid for. Again, it was a very serious question as to whether the assessment rolls have been legally made.

Mr. HUNTER, examined, said he was the attorney for Mrs. Phillips. Three-fourths of her property was vacant, and one-fourth built on. The sidewalks laid down had not benefited the property in any way, in fact, as there was no revenue derived from the vacant portion, the heavy tax for sidewalk improvement was very hard and unjust.

Mr. ROY raised an objection to this kind of evidence, contending it had nothing to do with the case.

Witness—A By-law was passed levying a tax for new sidewalk improvements on all proprietors, and on all properties irrespective of the extent of frontage, or the benefits to accrue to such properties from such improvements. All proprietors were served alike, and the benefits to accrue to the several properties had nothing whatever to do with the justice of the tax where the improvement was for general benefit and use.

Mr. MONK contended that he was justified in showing that the property of Mrs. Phillips, like many others, had been unjustly taxed, and that no special benefit had accrued from the improvements made by the Corporation, for which payment was demanded. The system was American.

The Court sustained the objection of Mr. Roy.

Witness (continuing)—The permanent sidewalk opposite Mrs. Phillips' property is for the use of the whole city. There were good sound wooden walks there before the permanent sidewalks were laid down. Nothing was allowed in the bills received for the value of the wooden walks when they were tore up. The streets on which the permanent sidewalks were laid down were selected as being more generally used by the public as thoroughfares, thus making the improvement one for the use of the general public. Thought the present system of taxation unfair and unjust.

By Mr. ROY—Frequently pass over the wooden sidewalks laid round the Phillips' property and found them sound. Think it was an improvement to the whole city to lay the flag sidewalks.

Case continued until this morning.

MR. JUSTICE JOHNSON.

LEROUX VS. THE MERCHANTS' MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA. — The plaintiff, in July, 1877, insured a cargo of pease from Vaudreuil to Montreal by the barge "Union," and also some hay (but the hay is not in question now), and got from the defendants a policy or a certificate of the contract, subject to the conditions appearing on it. He alleges that 1,092 minots were damaged during the voyage, and he brings his action to get that amount less $65 realised by the sale of the damaged pease. The defendants plead as a condition of the contract what would hardly seem to be the subject of any special condition, but rather an essential of the contract, that the risk did not attach until the commencement of the voyage, or until after the completion of the loading, and that the accident, in fact, occurred before that, and that the barge was not seaworthy when she left Vaudreuil. Hereupon commences a battle of witnesses; 10 for the plaintiff, and 10 for the defendant. The very first witness for the plaintiff, in my opinion, proves the defendant's case. The barge was leaky, but more than usual with such craft before commencing to load. Shortly after, and while loading, she sprung a leak at the wharf, and was run ashore on a mud bank to stop it. The plaintiff's answers to the defendants' pleas are not satisfactory. He does not meet the plain averment of the plea, except by a sort of argument. He says when the leak was just perceived—without telling us when—means were taken to stop it, but unsuccessfully; that they did all they could with the means at their disposal on the spot, and they thought it better to go on to Montreal. Yes, all this may be right and fair from the plaintiff's point of view. He might, if he liked, go on to Montreal in a leaky barge with half the pease in a poultice; but he could not do this at the risk of the defendants. That was not their contract with him. I don't discuss Derosier's evidence, or the anonymous letter, but on the main points of the case, I am with the defendants. There is some hard swearing and much contradiction in plaintiff's evidence, but it is clear that this was not a peril insured against. Action dismissed with costs.

MURRAY VS. BICKERDIKE; and MURRAY VS. HEAD.—The plaintiff in those two cases is the master of the steamship "Colina," and he sues to recover the freight for a large number of horned cattle, sheep, and pigs laden on his ship by the defendants for conveyance from Montreal to Glasgow, and he alleges a tremendous list of exemptions from liability stipulated in the bills of lading, which were not furnished till afterwards. The pleadings and evidence are the same in both cases; and the plaintiff puts his case on the ground that the exemptions in the contract entitle him to freight, delivery or no delivery; and, undoubtedly, they do upon the face of the bill of lading; even though he alleges the fact of the loss of the cattle during a great storm at sea, by *force majeure*. The plea of the defendant, in my opinion, raises merely one point. It says the plaintiff did not perform his part of the contract, which was to deliver the cattle safely at the port of destination; that, in fact, they were not delivered; but were jettisoned in mid ocean, which it further says, not only deprived the plaintiff of a right to the freight, but gave the defendant a right to contribution on a general average. I say this seems to me to raise only one point. The defendant plainly says: "You threw my cattle into the sea, and I have a right of contribution which I can urge against the owners." There is no express denial of the averments as to the excepted risks, or anything else in the declaration. These facts are therefore admitted, and must have their effect, unless the defendant on his part can allege and show something to avoid the conclusion otherwise arising from them. What is it, then, he says:—"He merely says the cattle were thrown overboard, and he has acquired thereby a right of contribution on a general average. It is, therefore, quite immaterial and useless to enquire whether they were properly or unnecessarily jettisoned. The defendant himself tells us he has a right to contribution arising from the fact of the jettison. Therefore be must pay freight. Nothing is plainer on general principles than the liability of the freighter under such circumstances; and the reason cannot be given better than in the words of Pothier. "Il y a quelques cas," says Pothier (Charter party, sec. 3, art. IV.), "ou le fret est du en entier, quoique les marchandises n'aient pas parvenu a leur destination. Le premier cas est celui auxquel elles ont ete jetees a la mer pour le salut commun, l'appreteur a qui ces marchandises appartiennent devant etre en ce cas indemnise de la perte des dites marchandises par tous les interesses a la conservation du navire, il en doit le fret. S'il n'est pas juste que le jet ayant ete fait pour le salut commun, il porte seul la perte de ses marchandises, par la meme raison, il n'est pas juste que le locateur du vaisseau perde le fret." Our own Code reproduces this rule at art. 2,450. Then it was said in argument that the master could not bring the action in his own name, when the bill of lading has been signed by another. This point is not presented by the pleadings, and I do not decide it. But the plaintiff's allegation is that the master made this contract through his agents. That may be true or not; but it is nowhere expressly denied as the law requires before it need be proved. There is a general protestation and a general denial, but that is all. The law says that every fact *that is not expressly denied* (not denied in the general mass, but by itself), is held to be admitted. The judgment will therefore be for the plaintiff for the amount demanded; but as the contribution is of course not asked here against the master, but only averred, and it was mentioned by Mr. Kerr that it was asked in another case, any rights of the defendant may have to a *pro rata* reduction will be reserved to him. The judgment is the same in both cases.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

Mr. Justice JETTE.

Yesterday, in this Court, Mr. J. L. Morris presented a petition on behalf of T. O'Brien, an insolvent, that he be allowed to manage his estate, pleading the litigation to this matter, or in default thereof, that he be granted an allowance for the maintenance of his family. In support of the petition counsel stated that, as far back as the 28th of June last, a writ of attachment issued against Mr. O'Brien, since which time the assignee had been in possession of the estate depriving the insolvent of any means of supporting his family and refusing any allowance to enable him to do so; and in fact that Mr. O'Brien was compelled to borrow provisions to prevent his family from starving. Mr. Morris further stated that while his client was actually in the street, without a cent, the assignee had been provided with funds out of the insolvent estate, amounting to upwards of $500, with which he carried on the war against the insolvent; that it had been found that the insolvent's estate showed a surplus of over $400,000, and that judgment had been rendered in his favour, which had been taken to a higher Court. Mr. Morris urged that this was a matter of the utmost importance to every business man; that the same means might be taken against any insolvent. The petition was held over until the 5th instant.

GARIBALDI MARRIED.

THE OLD HERO'S CURIOUS MATRIMONIAL HISTORY.

The civil marriage which has just taken place at Caprera, as announced by yesterday's cable despatches, between Gen. Garibaldi and Donna Francesca, was doubtless regarded by the old veteran himself as superfluous ceremony. His relations with Anita, the South American woman, who bore him two sons and a daughter, and with Francesca, up to the time of this marriage, were not what the world calls legitmate, and there is no reason to suppose that Garibaldi has of late grown sensitive to public opinion. The purpose of the marriage is to make his two children by Francesca his legitimate heirs in order to secure for them the inheritance of the sum voted to him by the Italian Parliament; otherwise, this money would have gone to the child of his former wife, Countess Basmondi, who was his heir-in-law, but not his child. The old hero's curious matrimonial history has been told so often that it can hardly have been forgotten that he deserted the Countess immediately after the marriage, on her confession that she should soon become a mother. A young officer named Confrimi was the father of the child afterward born to her. Of Garibaldi's children by Anita, Menotti, the eldest, is in the Italian Parliament; Ricciotti, who fought for the French in 1870, and is said to have captured the only stand of colours taken from the Germans, is in Australia, sheep-raising; Teresita is the wife of Colonel Canzio, lately arrested at Genoa for taking part in an irridenta demonstration and was sent to prison for a year. Francesca was formerly Mme. Canzio's nurse, and her two children, who are now Garibaldi's lawful heirs, are named Manlio and Clelia.

A TEST FOR SHEEP-WORRYING DOGS.—The following is from the report of the district veterinary surgeons in Wurtemburg: In February of 1874, a dog attacked a flock of sheep and killed eleven. The shepherd reported the circumstances to Veterinary Surgeon Osterstag, who soon after discovered a dog which, from its general appearance and muddy condition, he suspected to be the culprit. He accordingly resolved to test his suspicions by giving it an emetic, the effect of which was to bring up some flesh and ear, corresponding to that of one of the sheep which had been partially devoured. Another dog was also suspected, and to this was applied the same treatment, but the creature only vomited food of an entirely different character. In the law Court the owner of the first dog had to pay for the whole of the worried sheep.

A MAGNIFICENT Catholic Church has been dedicated at Sarnia by the Right Rev. John Walsh, D.D., Bishop of London. His Lordship preached to an immense audience.

EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE.

OUR PARIS LETTER.

THE YEAR—ITS PREDECESSOR—ITS PROSPECTS—TROUBLOUS TIMES AHEAD—SOCIALISM ONLY SLUMBERING—"HORRIDUS HIEMS"—DISPOSING OF THE DEAD—APPARATUS FOR FISHERMEN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Paris, January 12, 1880.

The year that went out a few days ago, at midnight, has taken with it the cordial detestation of every one in this country, a detestation shared by nearly the whole of Europe. A cold wet spring, with the additional infliction of a few sharp frosts, just when the persistent inundations had left so much of France in a state of morass; a cold, rainy, sunless summer; a short, rainy autumn; a winter that set in unprecedentedly early, and that has afflicted us with the severest cold known in this part of the world for a century past—a plentiful lack of the necessaries of life, destitution, misery; crime on a scale surpassing the dismal records of preceding years—political discontent, disquiet, and frequent mutterings of the storm to come—such are some of the titles of 1879 to the aversion with which it is so generally regarded by the people of this region.

Will the New Year be a more favourable one? We must wait for a twelvemonth before attempting to answer that question!

That there is trouble ahead in the political world is, alas! not doubtful. The "new strata," so successfully flattered by M. Gambetta, are astonished and indignant that the Government they have set up on the ruins of the Empire is simply a continuation, with a new set of men, of the social *regime*, with its inequalities of the good things of life, which they fancied they had done away with on upsetting the Empire. From their point of view, the revolution has been betrayed by its leaders, who have simply stepped into the shoes of their predecessors in office. The malcontents have among them several men of fully as much ability as the present rulers; and it hardly requires the power of divination to foresee that these men will ere long possess themselves of the reins of Government, to the same temptation of feathering their own individual nests and those of their personal friends; that they will be, in turn, overthrown by a still more noisy and hungry set of demagogues; and that, at length, some new "Saviour of Society" will be called to prevent the Kilkenny cats from absolutely and utterly devouring one another.

The renewed attempt on the life of the young King and Queen of Spain is but another evidence of the masses under social arrangements which result in the ignorance and poverty of the greatest number. That all over Europe great numbers of men, women, and even children are found to imagine that assassination can help the world to the improved personal conditions which are really what is needed, only show the density of the ignorance that has to be dispelled before the improved social conditions, thus blindly sought after, can be accomplished.

As for this metropolis, at this present writing, the great subject of interest and anxiety is the sudden and rapid thaw that has succeeded to our long and bitter frost. The streets are well nigh impracticable; the mud and slush being ankle deep. The frozen surface of the Seine is being broken up by explosions of dynamite, in the hope of freeing the channel and saving the bridges, before the expected rush of water from its affluents, all of which, receiving the vast volumes of water resulting from the melting of the snow, are rising with alarming rapidity. All the bridges of this capital are being carefully watched, night and day, so great is the apprehension felt for their safety. As a curious illustration of the unpreparedness of Paris for meeting the difficulty of a fall of snow, which would be thought nothing of in countries where snow is the order of the day through one-half of the year, it may be mentioned that the city engineers have had the handsome stone parapets, which border the Seine in its course through this town, knocked down at stated intervals, in order to facilitate the "dumping" into the river of the great cart-loads of snow that are being conveyed to the stream from all parts of the town; the long lines of thirty or forty great ugly tumbrels, laden with snow, going through the town, one behind the other, at snail's pace, and interrupting the circulation, abused by the drivers of all other vehicles, being one of odd spectacles furnished by the detestable weather from which we have been suffering.

The victims of the present horrible winter are unusually numerous. Centenarians are dying by twos and threes; and clear work seems to be making of the comparatively youthful people whose ages run from fifty to ninety. Among those who are threatened are Prince Bismarck, whose health seems decidedly to be giving way, the Empress of Russia, and Dr. Richard Wagner, whose life was despaired of at last advices, and for whom the most charitable wish that can be wished him at this season of "good wishes," is that the peace of his last moments may not be disturbed by any cacophonous echoes of "the music of the future!"

The Italians seem to be taking the lead in the invention of processes for preventing the decomposition of bodies, as decidedly as the Americans are doing in the application of electricity to the wants of social life. Besides the eminent chemists of Milan and other Italian towns, who have invented ways of fossilising flesh, the various organs of a body and even a body entire, a new explorer in this curious field, Prof. Angelo Motta, of Cremona, has just received, from King Umberto, the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, and a handsome sum of money in aid of his researches for the invention of a chemical process by which he turns human bodies, flowers, or other objects into *metals*. Whether the skilful Professor can turn them into gold and silver, does not appear, the Royal *largesse* of money, in aid of his invention, would seem to imply the contrary, so that one would like to know what are the metals which he thus succeeds in producing. As half a dozen international exhibitions are on the world's carpet (to say nothing of the artistic and special exhibitions about to open at Berlin, Dusseldorff and other places), the world and his wife will doubtless soon be enabled to judge for themselves of the results of the curious process referred to.

The exhibition of fishing tackle and everything connected with fishing, which is to open in Berlin, under the auspices of the handsome and genial Crown Prince, on the 30th April, promises to be one of great interest. There will be a liberal bestowal of gold and silver medals, awarded by an international jury. A dissatisfied observer of the course of earthly things complains that the sole gain acquired by the world during the last year is the establishment of *cafes chantants*, in which local theatres do their best to emulate the famous *diva* of the Alcazar and Eldorado of Paris, in the half-savage capitals of Servia, Roumania and Montenegro!—a gloomy view of the results of the bringing of people of all nationalities to the centre of civilization by the great Exhibition of last year, which ignores the opening, at the Trocadero, as a memento of the grand gathering alluded to, of a new Museum of plaster-casts that will contribute a valuable element to the study of art at different periods. It will be divided into six rooms; the first of which is devoted to Assyria, Egypt (first dynasty), Greece (Aeginetan period), and types of French statuary from the end of the eleventh century to the middle of the twelfth; the second room will contain types of Greek sculpture after the Hieratic period and of the thirteenth century in France; the third, Græco-Roman types of the decadences and French of the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries; the fourth and fifth rooms will be reserved for the Renaissance in France and Italy, the end of that period, and the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries; the sixth room will contain fragments of sculptured ornaments, applied to architecture, taken from French monuments of the twelfth and thirteenth centuries of all schools.

Meantime, while thus treasuring up the reminiscences of the art of other days, the enlightened administrators of the present hour have just banished to the garrets of the Palais-Bourbon all the busts of the Kings of France which were in the Hall of Archives of the Parliamentary Palace of this city. Oddly enough, these historical busts, which M. Gambetta and his friends appear to consider dangerous to the public peace, are being replaced by a number of flags that waved on the triumphant barricades of 1848! At the same time, Madame Thiers, whose devotion to her husband's memory is well-known, has, after repeated efforts, succeeded in regaining possession of M. Vibert's picture, "The Apotheosis of M. Thiers," which had hitherto been hung in the Palais-Bourbon, and which she has now had hung definitively in the Gallery of the Luxembourg, where it will serve to "point a moral," if not to "adorn a tale," until some new turn of the political wheel in this classic home of unstable preferences shall have consigned this reminiscence of an enthusiasm, already on its decline, to an exile similar to that just inflicted on the busts of the Sovereigns now lodged among the spiders and cobwebs under the roof of the French Chamber.

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CHAPTER XXXV.

BACKSLIDINGS

As the days grew shorter and the night frosts began to give tone to the atmosphere, Colonel Bonamy gradually improved in strength under the care of Roxy. He was very lame and walked with difficulty, leaning on the arm of his daughter-in-law. They would go down between the Lombardy poplars, through the iron gate, through the open commons to the river-bank, where he would stare awhile in vacant fashion on the broad water and then petulantly demand to be taken back to the house. His faculties were evidently weakened; when he wanted his hat he would demand his boots, and he called his watch his knife. Nouns, proper and common, were hopelessly mixed in his mind; he almost never called anything by the right name, though he seemed generally to keep some sort of hold to the initial sounds. By some sort of quick sympathy Roxy was able to guess at his meaning and he always preferred to have her with him.

Amanda held toward her sister-in-law an air of patronizing toleration. Colonel Bonamy liked Roxy, in a selfish way, as the best nurse of all; but he could not endure that she should give Bobo a part of her kindness. So for the most part she taught the lad in another room for a short half-hour each day, getting scolded by her father-in-law on her return.

"Now, Roly, I know what you've been doing," he would say, with a querulous paralytic lisp. "You've been trying to teach little Bubble Ham. But you can't teach him. He won't learn a shingle liver. No he blubbers in his head. Give me a goggle of fresh wash; I'm thirsty. Don't go away again."

But Roxy's chief trouble was not Amanda nor the colonel, but Mark. For sisters-in-law and fathers-in-law and mothers-in-law, despite all stale jokes about them, chiefly trouble a body as the ailments of somebody else to do—through the sympathies. Real troubles are nearer of kin. More and more Roxy saw Mark drifting utterly away from all the missionary enthusiasms that gave significance to life in her eyes. At first this showed itself only in a total absorption in the large law business which had suddenly fallen into his hands. He knew that the eyes of Court, clients and lawyers were on him, questioning whether he would or could take his father's place, should the senior remain disabled. He knew that the public was wondering whether he or the energetic and able Don Barlow, who had lately come down from the eastern end of the county, would lead the bar. The pursuits in which he now engaged were more congenial to his nature than preaching, and he took them up again with eagerness. Law business gave a delightful play to his active mental faculties; the conflict of the Court-room stirred his combativeness, and victory pleased his ambitious vanity.

He threw himself with fiery impetuosity into the half prepared cases of his father, and carried them through to success; he more than held his own against young Barlow, and new business began to come to him freely. He was not a man to be insensible to this sudden opening of a prospect of wealth and reputation.

Luther might not have been an iconoclast, if he had not began by being a monk; and Mark might have reached an average piety, if he had not striven for more. He had been held by external influence at a self-sacrifice foreign to his temper, and the reaction was rapid and dangerous. In three weeks after the Texas mission was given up, Roxy could see that all talking and thinking about religious matters grew irksome to him. He declined all requests to preach on the ground that he was overworked, and it was evident that even his license to preach would soon become hateful.

Those who had before admired his zeal lamented his backsliding. The severe ordeal of the Methodist confessional he shrank from. He might have talked platitudes in class-meeting; but hypocrisy of that sort he did not like, and so he stayed away, consulting his own comfort in this, as he did in everything. When he went to church he did not sit any more among the great lights in the amen corner, but drifted gradually back until he found a seat aft the box stove, which held a central place in the church, and was a sort of landmark dividing the sheep from the goats. On many Sundays he was so tired that he could not go to church at all; he wanted to rest and keep his father company in absence of Roxy. But, for the most part, on such occasions, he walked up and down in the warmish winter sunshine, and in colder weather watched the grinding cakes of floating ice in the river, while he planned his business. When Roxy was well out of sight, he even wrote a little now and then on unfinished pleadings. The thoughtful Amanda generally contrived to let Roxy know that Mark had been writing,—such interest do we take in another's happiness.

Roxy was surprised at finding that marriage had not increased, but lessened her influence over Mark. A wife is something so different from a sweetheart! There is no poetic halo about a wife; she is one of the commonest of commonplaces, like one of those everyday forces of nature to which one submits when one pleases or when one must, but which one never scruples to evade when one wishes to and can! The interest of a sweetheart in your welfare is something flattering; your wife's interest is a matter of course,—an interest *ex officio*. It is an act of the highest grace to yield to the entreaty of a sweetheart; the beseeching of a wife seems more like a behest; it is to be resisted, according to the maxim that vigilance is the lowest market price of liberty.

Mark respected Roxy's enthusiasm. But he was tired of the strain on his easy disposition. He could not live at a moral concert-pitch, and every attempt to bring him back to the old way of feeling and thinking only irritated him, and deepened his resolution to brook no further restraint. He was not sure that he did not owe himself certain compensations for what he had suffered in the past.

The prospect of his soon inheriting his father's property had increased his importance in the town, and the state of being important is not disagreeable to the self-love of any man. Mark's old visions of political ascendancy again dominated over him, and he beat all his energies to satisfy his ambition. He was young and full of vigorous life,—rich, as the country went,—popular, and with a great capacity for enjoyment. It is easy for such a man not to be religious after the fashion of thirty years ago.

To add to the embarassment of Roxy's situation, her sensitive father would not cross the Bonamy threshold, and it was not often that she could get away to see him, and then it was only to take a scolding for her folly in "wearing herself out" with taking care of Colonel Bonamy, and teaching Bobo. "An imbecile and an idiot!" Adams thundered.

Mark was often absent, while attending to business on other parts of the judicial circuit, and Roxy felt, with terror, when he returned, how far away, the one from the other, they were drifting. Mark's pleasure-loving disposition had revived with increased power since his long self-restraint. He was the leader of every party in wit and buoyant spirits, and to be leader was to be happy. He was happier away from home, where he was petted and admired, than he was at home, where he was under condemnation.

Roxy's temper did not stand the strain very well. Her's was a character noble in the direction of action, and self-sacrifice for an object. But the higher nobility of patient endurance of suffering, inevitable and apparently useless, she had not yet learned. Against Mark's neglect of her advice, his carelessness for her society, and the general disappointment and inactivity of her life, she rebelled bitterly. Only a high-spirited woman can undertake such a life as Roxy proposed, and no high-mettled woman can brook neglect. She had too much elevation to enjoy the only life that offered itself to her. She had not yet, at least, elevation enough to accept with peace and patience what she could not avoid. A young person full of energy is apt to beat against the impenetrable and insurmountable walls of fate. After awhile, one learns that this beating wounds the one who beats and flutters, but affects not a jot the walls. Then the imprisoned yields, it may be with a cheerful make the-best-of-it, it may be with a sullen and sulky despair, it may be with a querulous and hopeless longing. Roxy had yet to find out that she could not beat down the wall.

The opportunities for Mark's ambition came to him rapidly. The death of the member from Luzerne County left a vacancy in the Legislature; a new election was ordered, and the Whigs, seeing a chance to seize once more a representation which they had not held since Mark's previous election, nominated him again for the place. The canvass was short and vigorous, and Mark won the election. He was just two weeks in the Legislature,—a leader in all the boisterous fun that members of the Legislature find so necessary for recreation. Until this time, Mark had so far preserved his Methodism that he did not drink spirits or gamble; but when he came back, Roxy felt sure that this line also had been past.

A collision of some kind with the severe discipline of the old-fashioned Methodism was not to be avoided by any one taking Mark's road. His prominence would only serve to insure his not being overlooked. Roxy awaited this inevitable collision with hope and fear. It might startle Mark into some kind of recoil from the downward tendency of his present course of greedy ambition and lazy self-indulgence; but it might break all the restraints that held him. For the moral restraints of habit are but so many lines at which one stops—with every line obliterated there are fewer checks in the way of the impetuous man. Unhappily, the first collision was on one of those restrictions so often insisted upon by religionists, with a stress in inverse ratio to their importance. Mark went to a circus. A man in that time might be a miser, he might be dishonest in a mild way, he might be censorious and a backbiter from a pious stand-point, he might put the biggest apples on the top of the barrel or the little potatoes in the bottom of the bag, and the church could not reach him. But let him once see a man ride on two bare-back horses, and jump through a hoop! That was a tangible apostasy, sure to bring ecclesiastical penalties.

Brave old ironside forefathers! Blessings on you for chopping old Charles Stuart's head off and planting Plymouth Rock! You freed us from the Middle Ages; for which, thanks. But you straightway bound upon us your own severe prejudices, and they have come down to us from all hands. The most dominant influence in this English speaking world of ours to-day, is not that of Shakspeare, but of the men who hated him and his play-house. The Puritan preachers, the brave cobblers and tinkers whom the seventeenth century stuck in the stocks and prison houses, and the fervent Wesleyan village blacksmiths and Yorkshire farmers of the eighteenth century, are yet masters of the nineteenth. To this day we take our most innocent amusements in a guilty and apologetic fashion, bowing to the venerable prejudice, and saying: "By your leave, sir."

Mark was called before the Church, with other like offenders. His pride was wounded, and he would fain have thrown up his membership, but that he could not quite resist the entreaties of Roxy. As it was, he surrendered his license to preach, and expressed his sorrow that he had offended, and solemnly promised not to go to a circus again; not a hard promise surely.

But though Mark had apologized, he was now entirely estranged from the influences of the Church. For discipline may save the credit of the Church, at the expense of destroying the offender. It seems never to have occurred to people that it is sometimes the business of a Church to suffer, the just for the unjust.

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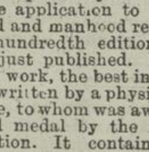
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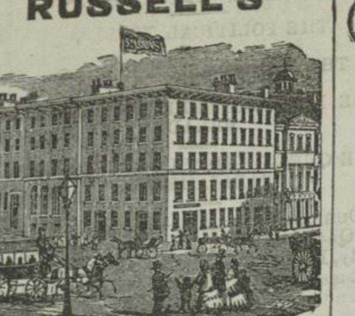
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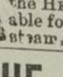
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Delivery A.M.	Delivery P.M.	MAIL.	Closing A.M.	Closing P.M.
		Ontario and W. Prov's		
8&8 10	2 45	a) Ottawa by Railway..	8 15	8 00
8&8 40	......	a) Provinces of Ontario, Manitoba & B. Columbia	8 15	8 00
......	......	Ottawa River Route up to Carillon...........	......	......
		Quebec & Maritime Prov's		
8 00	......	Quebec, Three Rivers, Berthier & Sorel, by Q.M.O.&O. Railway....	......	1 05
8 00	....	b) Quebec by G. T. R'y..	......	8 00
8 00	......	b) Eastern Townships, Three Rivers, Arthabaska and Riviere du Loup R.R...........	......	8 00
......	2 45	Occidental Rail'y Main Line to Ottawa......	8 00	......
10 00	......	Occidental R.R. St. Jerome and St. Lin Branches.............	......	4 0
11 3	......	St. Remi and Hemmingford R.R..........	......	2 00
8 00	12 45	St. Hyacinthe, Sherbrooke, &c............	6 00	2.30&8
8 00	......	Acton and Sorel Rail'y..	......	8 00
10 00	......	St. Johns, Stanbridge & St. Armand Station..	6 00	......
10 00	......	St. Johns, Vermont Junction Shefford Railway	......	2 15
10 00	......	South Eastern Railway..............	......	2 45
8 00	......	b) New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and P.E.I ..	......	8 0
......	......	Newfoundland, forwarded daily on Halifax, whence despatch is by the Packet leaving Halifax on the 10th & 24th January...........	......	8 00
		Local Mails.		
11 30	......	Beauharnois Route......	6 00	......
11 30	......	Boucherville, Contrecœur Varennes and Vercheres	......	1 45
10 00	......	Cote St. Paul............	6 00	......
11 30	5 30	Tannery West..........	6 00	2 00
......	6 30	Cote St. Antoine and Notre Dame de Grace..	......	12 45
11 30	......	St. Cunegonde	6 00	......
11 30	......	Huntingdon.............	6 00	2 00
10 00	5 3	Lachine	6 00	2 00
10 30	......	Longueuil	6 00	1 45
10 00	......	St. Lambert.............	......	2 30
10 00	......	Laprairie................	......	2 30
10 00	......	Pont Viau, Sault-au Recollet, &c	......	3 30
8 00	......	Terrebonne and St. Vincent.....................	......	1 05
8 30	2 3 &6	Point St. Charles......	8 00	1 15&5
......	1 30	St. Laurent, St. Martin and St. Eustache..	7 00	......
11 00	...	North Shore Land Route to Bout de L'Isle......	...	2 30
9 00	5 30	Hochelaga	8 00	2 50&5
		United States.		
8 & 1	......	Boston and New England States, except Maine.............	6 00	5 15
8 10& 10 45	......	New York and Southern States................	6 00	15& 5 15
8 00	12 30	Island Pond, Portland and Maine...........	....	2 30&8
8&8 40	......	a) Western and Pacific States	8 15	8 00
		Great Britain.		
		By Canadian Line (Thursday)	......	7
		Do. (Germany) Thursday.....	......	7 00
		By Cunard on Mondays......	......	7 00
		Supplem'tary. See P.O. weekly notice	......	2 15
		By Packet from N. York for England, Wednesdays........	......	2 15
		By Hamburg American Packet to Germany, Wednesday..........	......	2 15
		West Indies.		
		Letters, &c., prepared in New York are forwarded daily on New York, whence mails are despatched............	......	......
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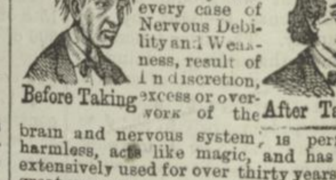
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