

CLUBBING LIST.

We present below some of the best known and most read of the periodicals and papers of the day, at quite a saving, combined with the Journal. The first column of figures indicates the regular price of the periodicals, the second their price with the Journal, free of postage.

Table listing various publications with their prices, including Harper's Magazine, Weekly, Bazar, Young People, etc.

The river at Montreal is a few inches higher than ever before this season of the year. A flood is feared when the ice moves. The ice bridges are still used.

It is expected that the Dominion Parliament will close their session about Easter. Business is being dispatched rapidly and the House is in no mood to listen to long speeches.

There were 55,625 cattle shipped from Canada to England in 1883, and 114,352 sheep. The value of the trade is estimated at \$8,352,349.

Latest advices from Sudan show that Gen. Gordon is still in possession of Khartoum. Armed boats on the river have so far protected the town.

Quiet has been restored at Cincinnati. It is estimated that 75 persons were killed and 150 wounded.

It is reported that the General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway has given notice to all classes of employees of that Company of a reduction of wages.

The Quebec Legislature on Monday, Hon. J. G. Robertson presented return of special warrants since July last to 22d March, amounting to \$182,621.50.

Mr. Fraucher de St. Maurice moved the address in reply to the speech from the throne, and Mr. Poupart seconded it.

Ministerial explanations were made by Hon. Mr. Tallon. Mr. Mercier then continued the debate on the address, speaking up to recess, after which he continued his remarks, being followed by Hon. Mr. Tallon and Mr. Joly.

The Speaker presented a message from the Legislative Council transmitting a copy of an address of condolence with Her Majesty the Queen on the death of Prince Leopold, which was agreed to by the Assembly.

We have received a copy of L. Citeja American, a paper printed in alternate columns of French and English, the one being an exact translation of the other, devoted to Education, Literature, Reform and Progress, published at Minneapolis, Minn., by Dr. J. N. Cadieux.

The great riot in Cincinnati, resulting in the death of forty to fifty outright and a large number wounded, is the outgrowth of bad legislation and corruption. It is reported that some dozen or more murderers were confined in the jail, and that there was a failure of justice in any and all attempts to punish the criminal classes.

The public accounts for the past fiscal year, as well as the statements for the ensuing year, will be laid before you. In taking into consideration the important question of the finances of the province, I trust you will bear in mind that in order to establish the equilibrium between our receipts and expenditures a system of the strictest economy and retrenchment must be applied to the various branches of the public service, and I am satisfied that your patriotism will lead you to second the efforts of my government to attain this end.

I am convinced that in the discussion of the serious questions submitted to you and in the performance of your important duties you will display all the zeal and devotedness within your power, as well as that spirit of loyalty towards Her Gracious Majesty for which the people of this country have always been distinguished, and that under the protection of your laws you will assure to our province a happy and prosperous future.

On returning to the assembly chamber Hon. Mr. Tallon proposed the usual formal motions. On motion of Mr. Tallon, seconded by Mr. Robertson, it was resolved that the speech from the throne be taken into consideration Monday. Mr. Mercer drew attention to the ministerial changes since last session. The ministry, he said, had been completely changed except two members, while a change had also taken place in the speakership. It was necessary and according to precedent that these explanations should be made before the reply to the speech from the throne was presented. Mr. Joly took similar ground, and in reply Mr. Lynch said there could be no possible objections. The explanations would be given on Monday.

Mr. Mercer asked for a return of special warrants since the 20th June last; also for a list of persons who had expended since that session. Mr. Robertson said that he hoped to bring these down on Monday and the public accounts Tuesday.

The event of the day in the Legislative Assembly was the speech of Hon. Mr. Lynch in announcing to the house the death of Prince Leopold. Though the news was only communicated to the hon. gentlemen after the motion for adjournment had been made, the Commissioner of Crown Lands made a most feeling, impressive and eloquent speech. Mr. Lynch is always known to be a man of words, and his effort on this occasion was one of the ablest he ever made. He spoke somewhat briefly, but with very great feeling, and his appeal to the sympathies of the members of the house for Her Majesty the Queen met with a silent but unmistakable response from the whole assembly. His references to the effect which the cruel blow must have upon the Queen's declining years, and to the recent visit of the Prince to Canada were well directed, touching and telling. Messrs. Mercer and Tallon followed in a similar strain.

Death of Prince Leopold. Prince Leopold, the Duke of Albany, Queen Victoria's youngest son, died suddenly at 2 a. m., on the 28th, alt., at Cannes, the French watering place, whether he went for his health.

The Queen was informed of her son's death at Windsor castle in the afternoon. She was deeply affected, she bore up under the blow as well as could be expected. The curfew bell of the castle was tolled at 7.30 p. m. It is already announced that neither the Queen nor Princess Beatrice will attend the wedding of Princess Victoria of Hesse. The Duchess of Albany is at Claremont. The Prince of Wales was visiting the Earl of Soton and received news of the Alntrre race-course. He returned at once to London.

Mr. Gladstone is much affected by the Duke's death. Earl Granville, foreign secretary, announced the death in the House of Lords and expressed his deep sorrow at the announcement. He did not move an adjournment, but saying he would follow the precedent which had been established by both houses, gave notice that he would move an address of condolence to the Queen and the Duchess. The Earl of Carnarvon, leader of the opposition, expressed profound grief. The Marquis of Hartington, war secretary, announced the death in the Commons, and gave notice that on Monday he would move an address of condolence.

Gen. Cowell, master of the Queen's household, has gone to Cannes after the Duke's body, which will be embalmed and taken to England. The body will be buried at Frogmore. A late dispatch says the cause of the Duke's death was effusion of blood into the stomach and lungs. There were no unusual premonitions, but the symptoms had long been present. He was subject to occasional attacks of internal hemorrhage. He had arranged to leave Cannes on Monday last. In consequence of the Duke's death the marriages of the Princess Victoria of Hesse and Prince Louis of Battenberg and the Princess Elizabeth and Prince of Anhalt, have been postponed.

The War in Sudan. CAIRO, March 27.—The rumor prevails that El Mahdi has been urging General Gordon to give up Khartoum and the control of the Sudan to him on condition that he shall guarantee to heretofore protect Christian missionaries and merchants and all traders throughout the country. It is further reported that General Gordon has practically consented to such a plan, though the British Government officials deny any knowledge of the matter.

THE ARABS UNITED. STAMKIM, March 27.—The forces under Gen. Graham commenced the advance on the rebel position, Tamahneh at five o'clock this morning, but met with no serious opposition until half-past seven o'clock, when a brisk fire was opened upon the British troops by the rebels who were strongly entrenched behind newly erected stone walls. The cavalry and mounted infantry were ordered to charge on the rebel and with the aid of a few shells sent over into the rebel camp the mounted force quickly fled, much to the surprise of the British troops, who expected a stubborn resistance. The British troops burned the village and destroyed the surrounding works. General Graham will probably return to Suakim to-night, as it is thought this latest rout of the forces under Osman Digma will dispel the delusion of the sheiks as to Osman Digma receiving divine aid and virtually ends the campaign in this section of the Sudan. No casualties are reported among the British troops.

RIOTING IN CINCINNATI. CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 29.—The excitement over the Berner case has continued in serious riot. Yesterday afternoon the rioters, who are organized by the name of the "Free Men," not only hung Berner, but the other prisoners in the jail charged with murder. Berner, in spite of the clearest evidence, was brought in guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. Several of the jurors have been mobbed since the trial and leaving their homes they were taken to the jail and carried off to the threats of the mob. The authorities determined to take every precaution to protect the prisoners. Berner was quietly brought before Judge Matthews at two o'clock in the afternoon and sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty years—the full limit of the law—and was immediately taken to Columbus.

TEN THOUSAND PERSONS gathered at the Mass Hall in response to a call by reputable citizens to take the streets this evening. Most of them could not get inside the building. When the meeting adjourned the people by a common impulse moved down Twelfth street, where shouts began to be uttered "TO THE JAIL!" and the crowd moved bodily in that direction and began an attack on the front door. At 9:40 p. m. the riot alarm was sounded. The police, upon arriving in the vicinity of the jail, commanded the crowd to move on and not to obey, fired, but as no one obeyed, they fired in return, and a shot or two was fired from the jail, but the crowd refused to move. At 11 p. m. the report came from the jail that the crowd had broken inside. They had previously broken into a blacksmith shop and had taken all the tools and forging tongs. There was apparently no resistance to the mob, and on the other hand, no violence was offered to persons by the mob.

THE MILITIA WERE CALLED OUT, and the first regiment, Ohio National Guard, entered the jail at half-past eleven p. m., having been marched through the front entrance of the Court House, and thence through a tunnel into the jail where the mob was thronging. The police inside the jail arrested some of the first members of the mob that entered, but this soon became impracticable. It now appears that Berner, after he was sentenced, was disguised, placed in a buggy, and driven to Linwood, where he got aboard the Morrow accommodation train and proceeded to wait at the arrival of the necessary train for his removal to the penitentiary. When it became known that Berner was at Linwood, a crowd gathered and made a rush for Berner. He ran through the car and escaped, but was recaptured, and is now lodged in the penitentiary. The rioters were not in the jail, they attempted to take Johnson, one of the members of the Taylor family out of his cell, but the battering ram could not be used in the narrow corridor, and the police drove back the assailants before the door was forced.

SATURDAY'S FIGHTING. 10 a. m.—Some heavy saw beams used last night to batter open the doors of the jail were carried within serving for props to secure all the evening the police and soldiers' residence had been nearly broken apart about them; even the large heating stoves are wrecked. Turney McHugh's wife and children passed a night of terror, the mob crying out "Take out the woman and children, we are going to set fire!" Late this evening the police and soldiers are busy under Sheriff Hawkins' directions barricading the streets in every direction at a distance of a hundred yards from the jail. Large transfer wagons are returned, and building material, wood, stone and iron from the neighborhood are appropriated. The riot is daily. There is no organized mob, but it is known the mob spirit has grown by degrees. It was not the result of a settled plan. Circulars have been distributed to-day calling for the organization of a vigilance committee of three hundred for each ward.

THE COURT HOUSE ATTACKED. 9 p. m.—Sheriff Hawkins had protected every approach except the court house front. An immense crowd gathered there. The large plate glass windows were smashed in by boulders. This will give an entrance to the jail through the tunnel, but only to a small number at a time. Midnight.—Such a night of blood as this had not been darkened the history of Cincinnati. It is impossible to ascertain the true situation. Men have been killed several squares from the scene of the riot. One man was shot at Fountain Square, six squares from the Court House. The fire was started by rolling in.

BARRELS OF COAL OIL and setting it on fire, and keeping everybody out. Captain Desmond entered to subdue the flames and was instantly killed. The flames went their own way. The mob would not let the firemen use the engines. The structure, which cost a quarter of a million, slowly burned. The loss is irreparable in the valuable records.

The situation at Cincinnati last night (Sunday) was very threatening. During the day the mayor and leading citizens took measures to organize for the protection of life and property, the

governor ordered all the militia companies of Ohio to report for duty at the scene of riot, and the city was practically under martial law. All good citizens were warned to keep their homes, and a third night riotous outbreak was looked for from the rioters who object that murderers are not hanged, and then provoke general bloodshed. The mob, which gathered Friday and Saturday nights, raged again in considerable numbers, but several attempted outbreaks were checked, and at 3 o'clock it was hoped that the serious trouble was at an end. The militia fired on the crowd in one case, doing considerable execution, and in another the police did efficient service.

THE RIOT THOUGHT TO BE OVER. A dispatch received at 3:20 o'clock this morning (Monday), said that the presence of the large body of troops has brought the riot to an end. The widest communit sees that it would be folly to attempt to cope with the hordes, and a third night riotous outbreak was looked for from the rioters who object that murderers are not hanged, and then provoke general bloodshed. The mob, which gathered Friday and Saturday nights, raged again in considerable numbers, but several attempted outbreaks were checked, and at 3 o'clock it was hoped that the serious trouble was at an end. The militia fired on the crowd in one case, doing considerable execution, and in another the police did efficient service.

Every one has been made happy this afternoon by the announcement of the intention of the government to prorogue before Easter. It came about in this way: When the orders of the day were called Mr. Blake said it would be for the convenience of both parties if the government would indicate the measure they proposed to propose with adding the bill of the franchise bill of those before the house would involve any time in consideration. Sir John replied that in consequence of a general desire on the part of members to bring the session to a close after a twelve weeks' sitting, the government had decided to drop the franchise bill for a year, and that, with the exception of a couple of minor measures from the Senate, a few amendments to the license act and the resolutions respecting the Railway subsidy to Quebec there would be no business to submit to the house other than that on the order paper, an amendment which met with hearty applause on both sides. Mr. Blake then suggested that an effort should be made to put through the unopposed notices of motion, stating that a part of the evening might be allotted to that work. "Suppose we say now," said the premier, and without further parley the notices of motion were rushed through without a word of debate, and the order paper reduced about one-half.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA BILL. The British Columbia settlement bill was read a third time this evening after some further discussion by the members from that province of the terms on which the Esquimaux-Nanaimo Railway is to be built. Mr. Homer moved the six months' hoist to the bill and the division showed the unshaken support of the rank and file of the vote standing 29 yeas to 121 nays.

THE WASHINGTON TREATY AND RECIPROCALITY. On the motion to go into committee of supply this evening, Davies submitted another amendment on behalf of his party, declaring that steps should be taken at once by the government to secure a renewal of the fishery clauses of the Washington Treaty which expire on July 1st, 1885, and on the commission to arrange the terms of a new treaty Canada should be represented by a Canadian. His speech was moderate in tone and not unduly prolonged. He dwelt on the importance of the American Market to the Canadian fishermen, the advantages that had resulted from the existing treaty, and the desirability of avoiding international complications that may arise if the old order of things is restored out of the trespasses of American fishermen within three miles from shore limitation. The amendment of Mr. Davies has served a most good purpose. It has completely diverted the attention of the members from the aspersions cast upon him in the past by the liberal party, as that same party is to-day willing to go on bended knees as a supplicant to the United States for a continuance of the privileges obtained by the premier under the Washington Treaty. As Mr. Hackett, who made an admirable reply to Mr. Davies, pointed out, no condemnation was too severe to be passed upon Sir John by the liberal party in 1872. In that year Mr. Mackenzie referred to the treaty as a national wrong and degradation. Mr. Mills declared that it would destroy the hopes and blast forever the prospects of this country, and Mr. Anglin was not satisfied to barter away our fisheries for any such paltry price. Yet these same men, by their acts to-night, proclaimed that they are willing to appeal as supplicants to Washington, to take the risk of national humiliation, in order to obtain an extension of those clauses of the Washington Treaty they so unhesitatingly condemned twelve years ago. It is most unfortunate for many reasons that Mr. Davies should have brought forward his resolution at this time. Nothing can be gained by forcing the government to take immediate and premature action. The government is known to favor reciprocity of trade with the United States and to desire a renewal of the fishery clauses of the Washington Treaty, but it ought to have been left to their discretion to select the time and manner of seeking that consummation through the British Government. At present we can expect nothing but a snub from the United States. The division was taken shortly before midnight and resulted in the rejection of Mr. Davies' amendment by a vote of 60 yeas to 105 nays.

OTTAWA, March 27.—The Speaker announced that a vacancy having occurred in the electoral district of Xolot, that public opinion in favor of the sitting member, Mr. Methel, he had issued his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out a new writ for an election in said electoral district. On motion of Sir Chas. Tupper, the bill for giving effect to an agreement mentioned between the governments of the Dominion and that of Nova Scotia was read a second time, passed through committee and read a third time.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Costigan the second reading of the bill for the prevention of adulteration of food and drugs was carried. After recess, on motion of Sir Chas. Tupper the House went into committee on the bill respecting the arrangement with British Columbia. In committee Sir Chas. Tupper moved an amendment to the effect that until a settlement of the boundary question the Province of British Columbia should have jurisdiction over all the territory shown in the map issued by Mr. Joseph Trutch. This was reported with amendment. On motion of Sir Leonard Tilley to go into committee of supply, Mr.

OTTAWA, March 28. The supplementary estimates for the current fiscal year were presented this evening. The amount asked for is \$1,763,027, of which \$614,316 is chargeable to capital, \$999,419 to income and \$149,291 is for unexpended items.

IMMIGRATION. The annual report of the Minister of Agriculture contains definite returns of the immigration into Canada in the calendar year 1883. The number who have reported themselves as intending to settle in the country has been:—

Table showing immigration statistics for 1883, including Settlers, 1877-1883, and the increase since 1880.

THE INCREASE SINCE 1880 IS VERY remarkable, reaching 95,000 persons, or nearly three hundred per cent. Of the 206,898 immigrant passengers and settlers who entered Canada last year only 45,966 came by the St. Lawrence, more than one hundred thousand entering at Suspension Bridge and other inland points, and 24,987 entering through the customs with settlers' effects. Still the immigrant travel by the way of the St. Lawrence has greatly increased in recent years, as in 1877 it had diminished to 7,743, or only one-sixth of the number who arrived by this route last year.

THE WAR IN THE SUDAN. LONDON, March 30.—It is reported that on the 16th inst. General Gordon made a sortie from Khartoum with 3000 men, two guns and a squadron of Bashi bazook cavalry, accompanied by three steamers in the river. The rebels were encountered near Haliyeh and the enemy's cavalry charged. Sixty of the Bashi-bazooks and put them to flight, causing a panic among the infantry, who also fled in great disorder. General Gordon returned to Khartoum. Notwithstanding this check he declares that Khartoum is quite safe.

CAROL, March 30.—A rumor is current that General Gordon surrendered Khartoum some days ago to a Sheikh representing El Mahdi, and that three days afterward he and his Secretary, Col. Stewart, were arrested and imprisoned. The Vice Consuls of France, Greece and Austria were not molested but they were forbidden to leave the town. Mrs. Evelyn Baring has sent a communication to the Government of Berlin, insisting that he ascertain the true position of Gen. Gordon. On hearing the rebels Gen. Gordon drew up his troops in the form of a square, in which they were kept until attacked by the enemy, when the Egyptians turned and fled. Two hundred of them were slaughtered and three guns were lost. There are enough provisions at Khartoum to enable the town to hold out until winter.

MUNICIPAL. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Standard, at the house of W. T. Knight, Smith's Mills, on MONDAY, April 7, 1884, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of revising the Voters List and the transaction of general business. W. T. KNIGHT, Sec'y-Treas. Standard, April 1, 1884.

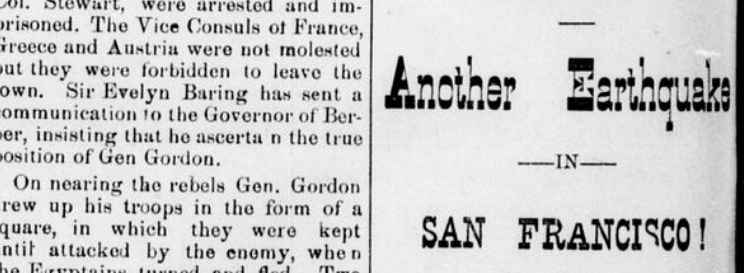
FURNISHING GOODS of all kinds and descriptions, at the lowest prices. A part of the public patronage respectfully solicited. Hearse furnished on application. Orders may be left at H. S. Hunter's Harness Shop, or at the Court House, Standard Place, Standard, April 1, 1884. H. S. HUNTER & CO.

FARMERS NOTICE. ALL those wanting MILK PANS of any size, shape or kind, can get them on short notice, by leaving their orders at the following:— ROCK ISLAND TIN SHOP, Where all kinds of work is done satisfactorily. Also, you will find the lot of PLOWS AND CULTIVATORS Which I will sell at a reasonable price. REPAIRS of all kinds kept constantly on hand. JOHN PAUL, Rock Island, April 1, 1884.

NEW REPAIR SHOP. I HAVE LEASED the Shop over the Bay to do all kinds of repairing on Threshing Machines, Plows, Cultivators, Wagons, &c., at low prices. Those requiring anything in the way of repairs can get a first-class job done at reasonable prices. THOMAS LLOYD, Rock Island, April 1, 1884.

ERASTUS P. BALL, Veterinary Surgeon. Graduate of the Montreal Veterinary College. Office at Lee Farm, Rock Island, Que. Telephone and United States Post Office address, Derby Line, Vermont. April 2, 1884. With reference to the above, having graduated after a successful three year course of study at the Montreal Veterinary College, I intend practicing here, providing I receive sufficient encouragement. I will at all times be prepared to visit and attend to patients at home or at a distance. I will also give advice and prescriptions when called and any is required. In connection with my office, I have a comfortable stable, where both horses and cattle can be boarded and treated without trouble to themselves. I intend making a specialty of cattle diseases, devoting all my time to the study and duties of my profession, trusting that by merit the patronage and confidence of the public, from whom I request a trial whenever they may have occasion to Veterinary services. ERASTUS P. BALL, 9444 Veterinary Surgeon.

STAND FROM --UNDER!! Another Earthquake --IN-- SAN FRANCISCO! --AND-- We May Have One Here!



MONTREAL MARKETS. Montreal, April 2, 1884. Flour—Superior Extra... 5 50/65 55 Extra Superior... 5 30/65 35 Fancy... 0 00/00 00 Spring Extra... 4 80/64 50 Superfine... 0 00/04 15 Strong Bakers'... 5 25/65 50 Middlings... 3 45/63 60 Wheat—Canada red winter... 1 12/12 12 Canada white winter... 1 16/10 12 Oatmeal per bushel... 0 00/00 00 Cornmeal... 0 00/00 00 Oats... 5 75/60 60 Barley do... 55/65 65 Tallow—London per lb... 7 00/63 63 Eggs—fresh per doz... 25/26 26 Assies pots per 100 lbs... 4 50/40 40 Eggs—fresh per 100... 0 00/00 00 Sheep live weight per lb... 0 00/00 00 Pork mess per lb... 21 00/21 50 Hacks city cured per lb... 14 15/15 15 Lard in tins and pigs per lb... 12 12/12 12 Butter—In tierces per lb... 0 00/00 00 Potatoes per bag... 0 00/00 00 Hay per 100 bundles... \$7 50/69 69 Straw... 4 00/60 60 Beans do... 0 00/00 00 Peas (white)... 0 00/00 00 (colored)... 0 00/00 00 Salt (coarse)... 0 00/00 00 (fine)... 0 00/00 00 Cattle live weight, per lb... 5 60/63 63 Beef prime mess br... 00 00/00 00 Hops... 20 20/20 20 Butter—Townships choice new... 18 20/18 18 fair to good dairies... 00 00/00 00 Western Dairy choice new... 17 18/18 18 medium... 00 00/00 00 Creamery fresh from... 25 25/25 25 fine... 00 00/00 00 Cheese—New per lb... 11 13/13 13 Skins... 00 00/00 00

T. & C. O'Rourke WILL CONTINUE THE TAILORING BUSINESS At the Old Stand just the same, and judging from the number of Cases arriving from New York, Boston and Montreal, the season's trade will outstrip any former year's. Their selections in Ready-Made Clothing Suitable for all ages, cannot be equalled in Vermont. Their Custom-Made WHITE SHIRTS sell like hot cakes. Also, French Cambric Shirts for Boys, Youths and Men, with extra Collars, and the BEST \$2.50 SHOE In the country, Button, or Lace and Hook. The latest English and American Stiff & Soft Hats, for all ages. And then if you want something right for style, made to order, either from Scotch Tweed, Bannockburn, Halifax, French Waxed, Broadcloth, Dorking, Or any style of goods usually found in a first-class establishment, call at Corner of Maple Avenue. First-class Silk Faced Worsteds Over Coats, only \$14. Warranted, only \$12. T. & C. O'Rourke, Merchant Tailors. Rock Island, April 1, 1884.

FARM FOR SALE. THE UNDERSIGNED will sell good land, consisting of 125 acres of good land, situated about 1 1/2 miles West of Rockford Corner on the Standard road. Said land is in good condition, cuts about 60 tons of hay, has 600 sugar maples, well fenced and watered, and has three good barns, a comfortable house, outbuildings, &c., with running water at the buildings. P. CILLEY, 94 Barnston, April 1, 1884.

WANTED! A PARTNER with some capital in a well established and good paying business. Also, want to hire a young, reliable man. Inquire of L. C. BATES, Rock Island, March 18, 1884. 92w3

The Stanstead Journal.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Assessors & Mass. Valley Railroad

LEAVE STANSTEAD. Going North and South, 5 55 a.m. ...

Religious Meetings.

Methodist—(Rev. Mr. Pitcher) Sunday services, Stanstead, 10:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m. ...

Post Offices.

The Post Offices at Stanstead, Rock Island and Derby Line, have daily mails from Boston and Montreal and all intermediate points.

Oriental Lodge, L.O.O.F.

Derby Line, Vt. Meetings every Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Frontier Encampment, No. 13, I.O.O.F.

Derby Line, Vt. Meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7 P.M.

Masonic Hall, Stanstead, O. G. M. Lodge.

No. 5, F. & A. M. Regular communication Tuesday, April 8, 1884.

Parties having binding they wish to get done through this office, are requested to forward the same as soon as practicable.

March came in like a lion and went out like an icelberg.

But little sugar has yet been made, the weather being unfavorable.

Tuesday was a day when it was not safe to pick up packages or kick old hats.

There was a small cyclone on Sunday with cold enough for February.

Mr. H. H. McGuffay has sold his house near Baldwin's Mill to Mr. Calvin Clark.

There will be a meeting to institute a Public Library of the three villages at Foster's Chapel, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Postponed—the social of Thursday night, by the ladies of the Methodist Church.

Rev. Mr. Brainard of Sherbrooke is expected to preach at the Congregational Church at Rock Island, next Sabbath, April 6th, morning and evening.

We would call attention to the card of Mr. E. P. Ball, who has just graduated from the Montreal Veterinary College with honors.

At the final examination of Bishops College Medical examinations, C. D. Ball and J. F. Gore, of Stanstead, passed with first class honors.

The annual public meeting of convocation of Bishops College for conferring degrees in medicine will be held in Montreal on Thursday.

Mrs. H. G. Pierce, Stanstead, has a pair matched steer calves 12 months old, weighing 776 lbs. each.

Mr. C. B. Jenkins has the new variety of early potatoes known as "Lee's Favorite," which is said to be the very earliest and best potato in the market.

P. Ryan shipped from this station a car load of fat cattle for the Montreal or English market, on Saturday last.

D. A. Mansur one pair for which were paid \$220; Jas. G. Ayer a pair for \$200; H. C. Hill a pair for \$195; Wm. Doloff a pair for \$180.

The Express and Standard, of Newport, in speaking of licensing the sale of liquors in Stanstead, says that the number granted this year are the least in number for forty years.

Mr. P. Farrell, formerly a conductor on the Stanstead Branch, met with a serious accident at Stanstead Junction, yesterday (Tuesday).

There will be a Sabbath school concert held in the Congregational church

A CARD.—Mr. S. J. Bartlett and family desire this publicly to return their sincere thanks to their neighbors for their successful efforts in saving property on the morning of Tuesday last week.

Magog.—We are glad to hear that plans are mature for forming a branch of the W. C. T. U., in this place, and sincerely wish the movement success.

The "sugar social" held in the vestry of the Congregational church, under the auspices of the Good Templars, was well attended.

The thanks of the society are due for two dollars sent them, by the same generous friend who donated a like sum to the W. C. T. U.

Mr. M. F. Bullard who has been for some weeks confined to his bed is beginning to convalesce.

Mrs. Middleton, President of the "Province of Quebec Women's Christian Temperance Union," addressed a large meeting in the Academy, on Tuesday evening, the 25th ult.

On motion of Commissioner Genou, seconded by Commissioner Morrill, Commissioner Shurtleff was appointed Chairman of the Board.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read and confirmed, the Petitions of H. G. Ayer, G. W. Allen, and Archibald Wilson, for Hotel Licenses were considered.

The Ladies Aid Society held a very pleasant maple juice festival at M. V. Chamberlin's on the 28th ult.

At the Opera House in Napa, Cal. the other evening, over half a bushel of peanut shells were swept up after the performance was over.

Civil marriage in South Africa is a brief and matter-of-fact ceremony.

It is rumored that a Cuban filibustering expedition is being fitted out at Key West, and that the U. S. Government authorities are looking after the fellows.

Congressman McCord of Iowa has in mind a scheme for amending the Constitution, which he proposes to submit soon.

The United States Supreme Court has decided that a national bank is not responsible for certificates of stock fraudulently issued by one of its officers.

It is reported that 15,000 discontented miners in Pennsylvania are ready to strike for more pay.

Bismarck proposes to retire from the Prussian ministry, and that Von Puttkamer will succeed him as premier.

A severe gale along the New England coast has done considerable damage to shipping, several wrecks being reported.

A revolutionary printing office has been discovered at Kieff and seven persons arrested on a charge of being connected with the office.

Two sons of Mr. John Leeson, aged 12 and 14 years, of Erie, Ont., were drowned on the 30th in a pond on their father's farm.

Mrs. W. H. Mills committed suicide at Halifax on the 30th by twisting a sailor's lanyard around her neck and strangling herself to death.

A loan of \$25,000 asked by the city corporation of Kingston, Ont., has been taken by the Bank of British North America at 5 per cent. on seven days' call.

The steamship "San Marcos," from New York for Galveston, with 185 passengers, principally German immigrants, is ashore sixteen miles west of Galveston, Texas.

It is stated that the German Emperor has consented to the retirement of Bismarck from the Prussian ministry, and that Von Puttkamer will succeed him as premier.

here, next Sunday evening April 6th. The public generally are invited to attend.

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The "sugar social" held in the vestry of the Congregational church, under the auspices of the Good Templars, was well attended.

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Magazines.

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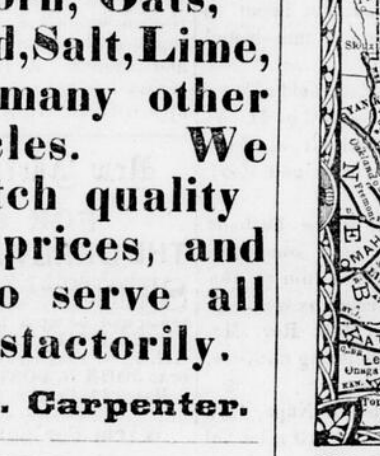
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