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Arrivals and Departures of Mails at Montreal.

MAILS.	DUE.	CLOSE.
Quebec by Steamboat		4.30 p m
Quebec by Railroad	7.00 a m	7.00 p m
North Shore Land Route	8.00 a m	1.30 p m
Sorel, Three Rivers, &c, by str	7.00 a m	4.30 p m
Canada West Day Train..[1]	10.45 p m	7.00 a m
Canada West Night Train..[2]	11.40 a m	7.00 p m
Laurairie	9.45 a m	2.30 p m
St. Johns, C.E., Napierville and Clarenceville	9.45 a m	7.45 a m 2.30 p m
New York, Boston, Buffalo, Troy, &c	9.45 a m 11.00 p m	2.30 p m
St. Hyacinthe, Melbourne and Island Pond,.....[3]	7.00 a m 1.45 p m	5.20 a m 1.15 p m
Portland.....[4]	1.45 p m	7.00 p m
Chateauguay, Beauharnois and Huntingdon	6.30 p m 9.15 a m	6.00 a m
Lachine	6.15 p m	2.00 p m
St. Remi, Hemmingford & Plattsburg	10.45 a m	2.00 p m
Chambly	11.00 a m	5.20 a m 2.15 p m
Longueuil	10.30 a m	2.00 p m
Contrecoeur, Varennes and Vercheres		2.00 p m
St. Laurent, St. Eustache, St. Scholastique, &c	6.30 a m	7.00 a m
Ste. Rose, Ste. Therese, & Ste. Jerome	2.00 p m	7.00 a m
Rigaud, Carillon, Grenville and Way Offices to Ottawa	6.00 p m	6.00 a m
Terrebonne, New Glasgow	5.00 p m	7.00 a m
St. Johns, N.B., Halifax, & P.E. Island, via Portland, every Wednesday and Saturday	7.00 a m	7.00 p m
Ditto fortnightly from Boston		2.00 p m
Sault Ste. Marie, &c., *via* Toronto, every Tuesday		7.00 p m

Registered letters must be posted 15 minutes before the closing of each Mail.
All the above Mails are daily, except Sunday.

[1] Conductor's Bag open till 7.40 A.M.
[2] do do 7.40 P.M.
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HOUSES.

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A FURNISHED HOUSE of six, or eight apartments, until the first of May next, or longer, for which a liberal rent, and a responsible tenant can be had, on application to Mr. Snow, Furniture and General Auctioneer, St. Francois Xavier Street,
November 3. 262

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CRATHERN & CAVERHILL,
Nun's Block, St. Paul Street.
Novem oer 2. 261

TWO three-story first-class HOUSES TO LET on Berry Street, near Viger Square. Rent moderate.
Apply to
A. LUSIGNAN,
No. 31 Berry Street.
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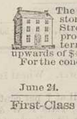
TO LET,
A neat self-contained HOUSE, in Amherst Street. Six Rooms with capital Cellar, Garret and Outbuildings. For a respectable tenant it will be put into first rate order. Apply to
EDW. GOFF PENNY,
Herald Office.
October 10. 241

Wanted to Rent, from 1st May next,
A good detached HOUSE, with a Garden; the vicinity of Sherbrooke street preferred. Apply to the Office of this paper.
September 30. 233

TO LET,
From now to 1st of May next, TWO HOUSES on Richmond Square. Rent $300 and $190 for the letter.
Apply to
HENRY JACKSON,
2 Cornwall Terrace.
October 4. 236



House For Sale.
The undersigned offers for sale a three-story BRICK HOUSE, No. 24 Dubord Street, facing the Cattle Market. This property will be sold on very easy terms. It will now yield a rental o upwards of $40 per month.
For the conditions address
JOS. SIMARD, Esq., N.P.,
No. 235 Laguachetiere Street.
June 24. 199

First-Class Residence at a very low Rent

TO LET,—A first-class new three-story Brick House, containing 12 rooms, with all modern conveniences. Ten minutes walk from the Court House Rent £45 to a desirable tenant only.
Apply at the Herald Office.
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TO LET.
The first-class HOUSE No. 1 Calender Place, Mountain Street, now occupied by James Johnston, Esq. To be seen between 2 and 4 o'clock.
Apply to
D. McINTYRE,
43 St. Peter Street.
Feb uruary 2. 27

TO LET,
A splendid STORE, situate on the corner of Lemoine and McGill Streets, No. 63. Possession immediately.—Apply at the store, or to Messrs. Labelle & Labelle, Advocates, No. 43 Little St. James Street.
June 3.

TO LET,
A first-class VILLA RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, No. 25 Drummond Street, above Sherbrooke Street. The house is in perfect order, and the situation for health and beauty unsurpassed. The Outbuildings are large and commodious.
—ALSO,—
A COTTAGE, 17 Comrade Street. Stabling for two horses. Rent low to 1st May.
C. TUGGEY,
61 Great St. James Street.
October 2. 234

TO LET.
A WORKSHOP in rear of the subscriber's premises.
W.M. SPIERPOINT,
No. 2 Victoria Block.
August 31. 193

TO LET.
A first-class OFFICE, fronting on St. Francois Xavier Street.
May 13. 113

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE:

Booth's Old Tom : 150 cases
Kinahan's L. L. Whisky : 50 cases of this fine old Irish Whisky
Guinness & Co.s Extra Stout : 600 cases, quarts, pints and Imperial pints
Waters & Williams' Quinine Wine : 150 cases
Bernard's Ginger Wine : 200 cases
Seltzer Water : 75 hampers, quarts and pints
Crosse & Blackwell's assorted Goods : 181 casks and cases Pickles, Sauces, Potted Meats, &c., &c.
ISLAY DEW—John McGaan's Pure "Caol Ila" Islay Whisky, in hhds, qr-casks and cases
ALEX. McGIBBON,
Italian Warehouse, 69 Great St. James Street, and Notre Dame Street.
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HERRINGS.

200 firkins Lochfine
200 half-do do
50 cases Ling
Extra Labrador, in bls and half-brls
ALEX. McGIBBON.
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West End Raisins
Valentia Raisins
Layer and M R Raisins
Sultana Raisins
Currants
Turkey Figs
Almeria Grapes
Malaga Grapes
Jordan Almonds
Walnuts
Filberts
S S Almonds
French Plums
In Jars, Tins, and Kegs.
ENGLISH FILBERTS : 25 baskets
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A SERMON BY THE REV. ANDREW PATTON,
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Or Thanksgiving Day Thoughts, preached in in St. Andrew's Church, Montreal, on the 18th of October.
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INDIGO, SPICES, ALUM, COPPERAS, EPSOM SALTS, &c
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WINN & HOLLAND,
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October 9 240

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INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1855

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In Bottles and Tins at 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. each.
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THIS perfectly white and delicately clean granulated preparation possesses remarkable effervescent qualities, which far surpasses the ordinary Seidlitz Powder in its COOLING, REFRESHING, and MILD APERIENT properties, as well as in flavour as a saline draught. It is particularly well adapted for women and young children, on account of its most agreeable flavour and mild effect.
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PILLS OF HYPOPHOSPHITE OF QUININE.
PILLS OF HYPOPHOSPHITE OF MENGANESE.

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CHARLES WRIGHT,
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ESTABLISHED 1860.
Orders, payable in England, carefully shipped.
Price lists on application.
October 6. 6m s 238

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Kearsley's Original Widow Welch's Female Pills,

LONG celebrated for their peculiar virtues, are strongly recommended as a safe and valuable Medicine in removing obstructions and relieving other inconveniences to which the female frame is liable, especially those which at an early period of life frequently arise from want of exercise and general debility of the system. Purchasers should see that each Box is surrounded by a Government paper, and has C. KEARSLEY printed on the Government Stamp. Price 2s. 9d. per Box. May be had of all Chemists throughout the World.
Also Bilious Headaches and Liver Complaints cured by SAGER'S TASTELESS ANTIBILIOUS POWDERS, price 13½d. per Packet.
Both Medicines may be had of
J. SAGER & SON, 150, Oxford Street, London.
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THE healthiest, best, and most delicious Aliment for Breakfast known since 1825; defies all honest competition, unadulterated, highly nutritious, and pure. Sold in 4 lb. Packets.
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CAMOMILE PILLS

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Sold in bottles at 1s 1½d, 2s 9d, and 11s each, by Chemists, Druggists and Storekeepers in all parts of the world.
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SAUCE---LEA & PERRINS'

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

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Only good Sauce May, 1851.
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Applicable to *every* VARIETY OF DISH.

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THIS OLD-ESTABLISHED COMPANY continues to INSURE AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE on terms as favourable as the nature o the risk will allow. During a business of over Forty Years in Canada, it has aimed to secure the public confidence by the prompt and liberal settlement of every Fair Claim.
ROBERT WOOD,
AGENT, MONTREAL,
Attorney for Canada.
September 5. 3m 211

HARTFORD
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All Losses will be promptly and liberally adjusted in this City.
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Amongst other great advantages offered by this Company to Assurers are—
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H. L. ROUTH,
AGENT.
July 19. 170

THE COLONIAL
LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

HEAD OFFICE:
EDINBURGH & MONTREAL,
19 GREAT ST. JAMES STREET.
MANAGER FOR CANADA.....W. M. RAMSAY
INSPECTOR OF AGENCIES.....RICHARD BULL.

ALL information on the subject of LIFE ASSURANCE will be given here or at any of he Agencies.
W. M. RAMSAY,
Manager.
April 13.

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Insurance & Investment Company
OF MONTREAL.

Authorized Capital.....$2,000,000
Subscribed Capital.....400,000

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The Company is now prepared to issue Policies of Guarantee of Fidelity of Employees.
August 26. (37) 203

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON
Fire and Life Insurance Company.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000 STERLING.
Established in 1836 --- Empowered by Special Acts of Parliament.

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	1859.
The Capital	£188,707 0 0
The Reserve Fund	215,311 11 11
The Life Fund	649,702 8 5
The Fire Re-Insurance Fund	159,586 3 0
	£1,213,317 34

Increased in 1860 to	
The Capital	£188,902 0 0
The Reserve Fund	215,146 11 11
The Life Fund	707,786 7 3
Fire Re-Insurance Fund	146,992 2 10
	£1,258,826 2 0 Stg.
Or	$6,290,130 52

SWINTON BOULT,
Secretary to the Company.
All applications for FIRE INSURANCE to be made at the Canada Branch Office, Place d'Armes, Montreal.
G. F. C. SMITH,
Resident Secretary.
September 19

INSURANCE.

LIFE AND GUARANTEE
ASSURANCE.

The European Assurance Society,

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Life Policy-holders in this Society can avail themselves of the Society's Suretyship to a proportionate amount at any time—FREE OF EXPENSE.
All Premiums received in Canada invested in the Province.
EDWARD RAWLINGS,
Secretary.
September 1. (1y 5) 208

MARINE ASSURANCE.
BRITISH AMERICA
ASSURANCE COMPANY.

INCORPORATED 1833.

THE Subscriber is prepared, as usual, to GRANT INSURANCES ON VESSELS AND MERCHANDISE ON THE INLAND WATERS OF AMERICA.
M. H. GAULT,
AGENT,
St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal
November 1. (197) 200

BRITISH AMERICA
ASSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE ASSURANCE.

THE Subscriber continues to grant INSURANCE AGAINST FIRE, on ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF PROPERTY at MODERATE RATES OF PREMIUM.
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St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal
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OF LONDON.
ESTABLISHED IN 1782.

THIS COMPANY having invested, in conformity with the Provincial Act, ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS for the SPECIAL SECURITY of POLICY HOLDERS IN CANADA, is prepared to accept RISKS on DWELLINGS, HOUSES, Household Goods and Furniture, and General Merchandize, at the lowest current Rates.
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AGENTS FOR CANADA.
February 2. 27

FOR SALE.

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CHOICE GROCERIES,

CONSISTING OF

500 packages CHOICE TEAS, Greens and Blacks, direct from Shanghai, per Barque Guiding Star.
And from Cross & Blackwell, by the City of Hamilton, from London,
ONE HUNDRED PACKAGES,
Containing PICKLES and SAUCES, o various kinds. Also, POTTED MEATS in great variety, such as Beef, Tongue, Ham, Game, Stratsbourg Potted Meats, Anchovy and Shrimp Pastes

MEATS AND SOUP,

In tins of one and two pounds, such as Beef and Vegetables, Beef a la Mode, Roast Beef, Lamb and Green Pease, Duck and Green Pease. Soups : Mock Turtle, Hare, Boyer, and Gibblet.

—ALSO,—

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200 boxes London LAYER RAISINS
200 do do do
200 half-boxes do
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10 cases CRYSTALIZED FRUITS, in boxes of two and three pounds each
25 cases TART FRUITS and DESSERT FRUITS, such as Raspberries, Strawberries, Green Gage Plums, Red and Black Currants, Pears, Peaches, and Apples

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FROMAGE, RAFINE, FINNAN HADDIES
FRESH BALTIMORE OYSTERS, in kegs and tins
CHOICE DAIRY BUTTER constantly on hand

DUFRESNE & McGARITY,
228 NOTRE DAME STREET.
November 10. 268

WEST END GROCERY.

PRESERVED CANTON GINGER,
In Jars
For Sale by
250 A. WALSH.

LOCHFINE HERRINGS,
In kegs.
For Sale by
250 A. WALSH.

SCOTCH LING,
Finest quality.
For Sale by
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Kegs and Tins.
For Sale by
250 A. WALSH.

SMOKED SALMON,
In prime order.
For Sale by
A. WALSH.
ESTABLISHED 1836.
3 AND 5 ST. ANTOINE STREET
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2000 Half Chests China and Japan Young Hyson Tea
1000 do do U. C. Japan do
500 Chests and Half Chests Hyson Twankay, Souchong and Congou Teas
500 Bags Prime Arracan Rice
200 Brls "New Crop" Currants
20 Chests Madras Indigo
Hhds } "Hennessy's" } Brandies.
Qr-Casks } and
Cases } "Otard, Dupuy & Co's" }
Hhds } "DeKuyper's" Gin
Red and Green Cases }
Puncheons Fine Old Jamaica Rum
Qr-Casks "Woodhouse & Co.'s" L P Madeira.
And, landing ex "Damascus,"
Chests and Half Chests "New Seasons" English Breakfast Souchong and Congou Teas.
FOR SALE BY
HUGH FRASER & CO.,
45 St. Sacrament Street.
November 2. 261

GLENFIELD STARCH.

FIFTY CASES,
FOR SALE BY
I. BUCHANAN & CO.
september 23. 227

FRESH RAISINS.

BOXES and half boxes VALENTIA RAISINS, now landing, and for Sale.
I. BUCHANAN & CO.
July 5. 158

BATH BRICKS.

For Sale: Five hundred Dozen,
NOW LANDING.
I. BUCHANAN & CO.
November 13. 270

LEGAL NOTICES.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the matter of SEBASTIEN LARIVIERE, of Montreal, C. E., an Insolvent.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an assignment of his estate and effects to the undersigned, with whom they are required to fyle their attested claims, with vouchers, within two months from this date.
JOHN WHYTE,
Assignee.
Montreal, Nov. 18, 1865. du 276

PROVINCE OF CANADA, }
District of Montreal. }
SUPERIOR COURT FOR LOWER CANADA,
The twenty-first day of November, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.
Present :
The Honorable Mr. Justice BADGLEY.
No. 369.
Ex parte on the Petition of BENJAMIN HENRY LEMOINE, Esquire, Cashier of "La Banque du Peuple," sole surviving Trustee and Administrator of the Succesion of the late JOSEPH TOUSSAINT DROLLET, in his lifetime, Esquire, Merchant, of the Parish of St. Marc.

THE Court, upon the Petition of the said Benjamin Henry Lemoine, presented this day by his Attornies, Messrs. Dorion & Dorion, doth order that, by a notice in the English and French languages, to be inserted twice in the *Canada Gazette*, and by a notice to be inserted twice a week during two weeks in the English language in the newspaper published in this City of Montreal called *The Montreal Herald*, and in the French language in the newspaper of this City called *Le Pays*, the Creditors of the said Succession be notified and fyle their claims, duly attested, in the Office of the Prothonotary of this Court, in the City of Montreal, within fifteen days from the date of the first insertion of said notice, in order that the sum of two thousand two hundred and seventy-three dollars, eighty-nine cents, deposited before this Court by the said Benjamin Henry Lemoine, may be paid and distributed amongst the Creditors according to their respective rights, and that thereupon the said Benjamin H. Lemoine be discharged from his administration.
(By the Court,)
COFFIN, PAPINEAU & HONEY,
b-4s 281 P. S. C.

PROVINCE OF CANADA, }
DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. }
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, MONTREAL
(No. 286).
IN THE MATTER OF
THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL,
Petitioners for Expropriation in LAGAUCHETIERE STREET WEST;
AND
DAME MARY ROBSON,
Of the City and District of Montreal, Widow of the late JAMES B. SUTHERLAND, deceased, in his lifetime of Montreal, Cooper Proprietor.

IN conformity to the order made in this matter, Public Notice is hereby given that the Petitioners have deposited in the Office of the Prothonotary of the said Court the sum of Eight Thousand Four Hundred and Eighteen Dollars and Twenty Cents, being the price and compensation for the property hereinafter described, acquired by them by forced expropriation, under the Statute 27th and 28th Victoria, chap. 60, to wit :—
"A piece of ground, bounded on the north side "by a street, on the south side by Jacob DeWitt, "on the north-east side by Ste. Margaret Street, "and on the south-west side by the Roman "Catholic Bishop."
And it is ordered that, by a notice to be inserted twice a week during three consecutive weeks in two newspapers of this City of Montreal, the one in English and the other in French, all persons having any claims to or being entitled to the said money, or any part thereof, be notified and required so signify, in writing, his claim or opposition, and fyle the same in the Office of the said Prothonotary within the six days which shall follow the last insertion of the present notice, to be thereafter proceeded with according to law.
GEORGE PYKE,
Deputy P. S. C.
PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE, }
Montreal, 18th November, 1865. } r-tr 277

In the Assignment of A. G. Pare.

A FIRST DIVIDEND shall be payable on and after the 15th of December next, ensuing, at the Office of Messrs. ADOLPHE ROY & CIE, 278 St. Paul Street, and the Creditors who have not fyled nor attested their claims are requested to do so immediately.
N. B.—The Debtors are also requested to pay to Messrs. ADOLPHE ROY & CIE, who have purchased the Books.
ADOLPHE ROY,
J. B. STEVENSON,
Assignees.
Montreal, 24th Nov., 1865. b-ts-281

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore carried on by THOMAS OUTRAM SAUNDERSON, CHARLES EDWARD SAUNDERSON, and JOHN J. BARKER, under the name and firm of SAUNDERSON & BARKER, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on the Thirty-first day of October last, and in future the same business will be carried on by THOMAS OUTRAM SAUNDERSON and CHARLES EDWARD SAUNDERSON, under the name and firm of SAUNDERSON & CO., who will pay and receive all debts due and owing to and from the said dissolved Partnership in the regular course of trade.
Witness our hands at the City of Montreal, this Ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.
(Signed) CHARLES EDWARD SAUNDERSON
" JOHN JOSEPH BARKER.
" THOMAS OUTRAM SAUNDERSON.
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THE undersigned has been, by Notarial *acte* before J. H. Isaacson, N.P., duly appointed Assignee to the ESTATE of A. C. AMARY, Manufacturer of Feathers, and hereby notifies all persons indebted to the said Estate to make immediate payment to him, at his Office, 464 and 466 St. Paul Street.
H. DAVIS,
Of the Firm of Julius Lander & Co.
September 15 220

NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CAPITALISTS.

BY AUTHORITY OF JUSTICE, will be sold to the highest and last bidders, in the office of the undersigned Notaries, No. 24 Little St. James Street, on MONDAY, the FOURTH day of DECEMBER next, at TEN o'clock in the Forenoon,—the valuable Properties hereinafter described, situate in the City of Montreal, depending of the Estate of MR. and MRS. JOSEPH AUGUSTIN CARDINAL, to wit :—
1st. A splendid large Lot of Ground situate in St. Antoine Ward, heretofore the residence of the late Mr. Doctor C. A. Lusignan, containing 83 feet in front on St. Antoine Street by 80 feet in depth, and at the end of the 80 feet 71 x 530 feet, more or less; bounded in front by the said St. Antoine Street, in rear by the representatives of the late Thomas Thain, Esq , on the south-west side by the representatives of the children of the first marriage of the said late Mr. Doctor Lusignan, and on the north-east side partly by a passage and partly by the representatives of Mrs. Rankin,—with a one-story stone house of 61 x 31 feet; brick kitchen in rear, stables, sheds and summer house thereon erected.
2nd. A Lot of Ground situate in the St. Lewis Ward, containing 40 x 144 feet; bounded in front by St. Lawrence Street, in rear by St. Dominique Street, on the north-west side by Mr. Simon McTavish Charles, and the representatives of the late F. X. Racicot, Esq., and on the south-east side by Lous Raymond Pleesis Belaire, Esquire,—with a two-story stone house divided in two tenements on St. Lawrence Street, and sheds thereon erected.
3rd. A Lot of Ground of irregular figure, situate in St. Lewis Ward, on Laguachetiere Street, containing 45 x 44 feet, and at the end of the 44 feet 20 x 20 feet in the northeast line adjoining Wm. Sawyer; bounded in front by said Laguachetiere Street, in rear and on the south-west side by Dame Wilfred Menvier, and on the north-east side by the said Wm. Sawyer,—with a one-story wooden house divided in two tenements, and stables thereon erected.
4th. A Lot of Ground situate in the St. Lawrence Ward, on Dorchester Street, containing 53-4 x 128 on the south-west line, and 132 feet on the north-east line; bounded in front by Dorchester Street, in rear by Jacques Lecompte, on the north-east side by the representatives of the late Alexis St. Arnaut, and on the south-west side by Lots Nos. 5 and 6, hereinafter described, with a one-story wooden house, stables and sheds thereon erected.
5th. A Lot of Ground situate in the St. Lawrence Ward, making the north-east corner of Dorchester and St. Philippe Streets, containing 60 feet and 8 inches in front on Dorchester Street, by 72 feet in depth ; bounded in front by Dorchester Street, in rear by Lot No. 6 hereinafter described; on the north-east side by lot No. 4, hereinbefore described, and on the south-west side by St. Philippe Street,—with two wooden houses and sheds thereon erected.
6th. A Lot of Ground situate in the said St. Lawrence Ward, on St. Philippe Street, containing 48 feet by 69 feet and 8 inches; bounded in front by St. Philippe Street, in rear by Lot No. 4, hereinbefore described; on the north-east side by the rear of Lot No. 5, and on the north-west side by Jacques Lecompte,—with a one-story wooden house divided in two tenements, and sheds thereon erected.
7th. A Lot of Ground situate in the said St. Lawrence Ward, containing 40 x. 100 feet; bounded in front by Dorchester Street, in rear by the heirs McCulloch; on the southwest side by Edouard Soubredit St. Jean, and on the north-east side by Louis Demers,—with one-story wooden house and sheds thereon erected.
For further particulars apply to the undersigned
J. A. LARADIE, N.P.,
J. E. O. LABADIE, N.P.
November 16. r-18 273

Co-Partnership Notice

THE undersigned have entered into CO-PARTNERSHIP as WHOLESALE GROCERS, FLOUR AND PROVISION DEALERS, under the name and firm of J. HUDON & CO., and will carry on their Business from this day in the premises occupied by V. HUDON, Esq., 246 St. Paul Street, and 199 and 201 Commissioners Street.
J. HUDON,
A. S. HAMELIN,
CHS. P. HEBERT.
Montreal, 1st May, 1865. 102

HILL & BURLAND,

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE
Penitentiary Cabinet Warehouse,

HAVE on hand, and are constantly receiving large assortments of FURNITURE, which they will sell low for cash.
They are prepared to take orders for the FURNISHING of HOTELS, PRIVATE RESIDENCES, or PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.
HILL & BURLAND,
Agents for Penitentiary Cabinet Works
April 1.

INFORMATION WANTED

OF ALEXANDER MORTON, native of Tyrone, Ireland, by his Br

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

TO ARRIVE.

Name.	From.	Date.	For.
City Manch'r.	Liverpool	Nov. 11	New York.
Caledonia	Glasgow	Nov. 11	New York.
Allemania	Southampton	Nov. 15	New York.
City Baltim're.	Liverpool	Nov. 15	New York.
Pennsylvania.	Liverpool	Nov. 15	New York.
St Andrew	Liverpool	Nov. 16	New York.
City of Dublin.	Liverpool	Nov. 17	New York.
Hecla	Liverpool	Nov 21	Boston & NY
Bremen	Southampton	Nov. 22	New York.
The Queen	Liverpool	Nov. 22	New York.
City New Y'k.	Liverpool	Nov. 22	New York.
City of Cork.	Liverpool	Nov. 25	New York.
Asia	Liverpool	Nov. 25	Boston.
Helvetia	Liverpool	Nov. 28	New York.

TO DEPART.

City of London	New York	Dec. 2 Liverpool.
Louisiana	New York	Dec. 2 Liverpool.
New York	New York	Dec. 2 Bremen.
Caledonia	New York	Dec 2 Glasgow.
North-American	Portland	Dec. 2 Liverpool.
China	Bos on	Dec. 6 Liverpool.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 2, 1865.

TEMPERATURE

In the shade by Standard Thermometer, observed at C. Hearn's, Optician, 242 Notre Dame Street.

8 A.M.	1 P.M.	6 P.M.
37.2°	39.5°	39.5°

Recorded by Patent Register.

Max.	Min.	Mean.
39.5°	35°	37.5°

Montreal, Dec. 1, 1865.

PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS THIS DAY.

Meeting of the Montreal Curling Club at Noon.
Performances at the Theatre Royal, this evening, at Eight o'clock.

SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE MONTREAL HERALD.

Father Point, Dec. 1.

Weather dirty, been raining all day; snowing now. Wind S.W.

Toronto, Dec. 1.

The barque Marsh, laden with wheat, bound from Toledo to Kingston is ashore seven miles above Port Maitland, and is breaking up. The crew are all saved.

Mr. Swinyard, manager of the Great Western Railroad, returned to Hamilton from England to-day, and was warmly received by the employes of the road.

The United States Government has instituted a suit in chancery against Major G T. Denison respecting his steamboat, the "Rescue." Vice Chancellor Spragge to-day granted an injunction preventing her disposal by Major Denison until next Monday week.

The St. Andrew's Ball last night was a brilliant affair. Judges, lawyers, and merchants were all well represented.

(By Telegraph.)

GENERAL PRESS DESPATCHES.

Cincinnati, Dec. 1.—Judge C. W. Searle, one of the oldest judges in the State, died at Zanesville this morning.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The Consolidation of the Toledo, Peoria and Warsaw Railway Company, and the Mississippi and Wabash Railway Company, was consummated at Peoria to-day by a large majority of the stockholders.

The Western Express train, which left Harrisburg at three o'clock this morning, ran into a coal train at White House, N.J., on the New Jersey Central Railroad, at about 6 o'clock this morning, killing some 7 persons, and wounding from 10 to 12 others.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The Raleigh (N. C.) Standard of Wednesday contains the following: Gov. Holden has received the following telegram from the President, which is laid before the public, for their information:—Washington, Nov. 27.—Hon. W. W Holden, Provisional Governor of N. C.: Accept my thanks for the noble and efficient manner in which you have discharged your duty as Provisional Governor. You will be sustained by the Government. The results of the recent election in North Carolina have greatly damaged the prospects of the State in the restoration of its governmental relations. Should the action and the spirit of the Legislature be in the same direction, it will greatly increase the mischief already done, and might be fatal. It is hoped the action and spirit manifested by the Legislature will be so directed, as rather to repair than increase the difficulties under which the state has already placed herself.

(Signed), Andrew Johnson.
Pres. United States.

New York, Dec. 1.—The Herald's Havana letter of Nov. 22nd, says the authorities called for a loan of one hundred thousand dollars to make the necessary preparations for cholera at Havana.

Portland, Me., Dec. 1.—The S.S. Moravian arrived from New York last night, and will take her mails and sail for Liverpool at three o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

New York, Dec. 1.—The steamer Havana, from Rio Janeiro Nov. 4th, via Bahia, Pernambuco, Para and St. Thomas, arrived this morning.

Holmes Hall, Mass., Nov. 30, via Ward's Hall, Dec. 1.—The British schooner Loyalist, Capt. Nixon, from Wareham for Boston, in ballast, was dragged ashore at 11 o'clock last night, and took fire at 1 o'clock, it is supposed, from the stoves. She will probably be a total loss.

New York, Dec. 1.—The U. S. supply steamer South Carolina arrived at South-west Pass on the Mississippi River on the 21st Nov., having in tow the steamer Catherine, picked up at sea on the 10th Nov., totally disabled.

The Washington special despatch to the Commercial says: Colfax will undoubtedly be re-elected Speaker. The Hon. A. T. Galt, Canadian Finance Minister, and R. S. Scott, ex-member of the Canadian Legislature, whose arrival has been already announced, are endeavoring to negotiate reciprocal tariff duties, and modify trade regulations, to go into effect after the abrogation of the Reciprocity Treaty in March next. This is Mr. Galt's second visit here for the same purpose, he having come in July last, after the adjournment of the Detroit Convention, in which he took a prominent part. As he is one of the leading members to the Canadian Government, he probably speaks from authority, and whatever he and his colleague situate and agree on, or succeed in obtaining, will be acknowledged and recognized by the Government which they represent.

President Johnson's letter to Gov. Holden disappoints those who had hoped he would insist on the admission of Southern members to Congress, as it shows that he will insist on an honest compliance with the terms of his policy.

New York, December 1st.—The Post says: Wall street is more animated to-day, partly because of favourable reports from Washington, and partly from the anticipated ease to the Money market from the disbursement to-day on account of the $18,000,000 of maturing two year five per cent legal tenders. The Stock market opened firm and closed strong. Government stocks are better. Railroad shares are in more active speculation.

Advices have been received here from Rio Janeiro to the 4th of November by the steamer Havana. This is the opening of regular communication with Brazil by a direct steam mail route. It was expected at Rio Janeiro that the war would soon be over. The victories of the Allied forces over the Paraguayan's are deemed decisive. Gold is at par at Rio. There is no further news relative to the movements of the Paraguayans. They had received another repulse at Corrientes.

Professor Agassiz was at last account following the upward course of the Amazon River. He had discovered sixty new species of fish.

The return of the Emperor to Rio will be marked by popular fetes. At the mint a gold medal is to be struck to his honour.

It is expected that there will be a large immigration into Brazil from the United States.

At Rio Grade do Sud the sudden disappearance of Mr. Charles Raysford, an American merchant, has occasioned much comment.

British Intelligence.—We give, in preference to any editorial remarks, some long and interesting extracts upon the late sad affair in Jamaica, which is likely hereafter to excite a great deal of discussion in the Mother Country. On one side are the comments of the *Times*, which of late years has been as good a Nigger hater as Mrs. Stowe's Legree, and on the other the philosophical, thoughtful *Spectator*, and the judicious organ of the Banking and Mercantile classes—the *Economist*. The two latter think the rebellion has been suppressed with indiscriminating cruelty. The *Times* approves of the acts; but not of the despatches describing them—whether because it thinks description were better avoided, or that it should, if afforded, be couched in other language—we do not learn. We also give an article from the *Economist* on the text of a speech from Sir Morton Peto, in which our financial contemporary expresses its conviction of the limitless resources of the United States, and the certainty that they will easily discharge their public debt.

The Commercial Negotiations—Another Appointment.—It is stated that Mr. A. M. Delisle has been appointed one of the commissioners in the trade negotiations projected by the Canadian Government with Brazil, Mexico, &c. The other members of the commission as announced are Messrs. McDougall, Ryan and Dunscomb.

Mr. Galt at Washington.—Some allusion will be found under our telegraphic heading to Mr. Galt's visit to Washington in relation to tariff duties to come into operation after the abrogation of the Reciprocity Treaty!

RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

Yesterday the Harbour Commissioners having concluded their work for the season in the River, and having completed the channel between Montreal and Sorel to the depth of twenty feet at the lowest summer level of the water in the river, invited a number of gentlemen to accompany them on a trip, to make proof of what had been accomplished. Accordingly a number of gentlemen whose names will be found below, assembled yesterday morning on board the "St. Lawrence," one of the steamers belonging to the Harbour Commissioners, and about nine o'clock started on their experimental expedition. We have already explained that, besides the work in Lake St. Peter, which was tested a few days ago, as we recorded ut the time, the Commissioners had found it necessary to remove a number of small bars and shoals, which had obstructed the course of the navigation between Montreal and Sorel. It was to make practical trial of the channel thus completed that the St. Lawrence yesterday went down to the latter place. Before starting a spar was lashed alongside the steamer, of a length to represent a draft of water of twenty feet. With this spar thus lashed the St. Lawrence started at about 9 o'clock and proceeded down the River in charge of Mr. Barnalie, the brother of the Pilot of the same name, who, however, himself has no branch, though he is thoroughly acquainted with the whole river. After the full account we have already given of the improvements in the navigation of the River, we need not go into the details of the various cuttings which have been made above the scene of main operations on the Lake. Most of them are of small extent, and not of great depth, though it would have been useless to dredge out Lake St. Peter, if the River on this side of it had been left with even a single obstruction. It is sufficient to say that the passage was made most successfully, so as to demonstrate beyond a doubt that a twenty foot channel does really exist all the way from Montreal to Quebec. Some little trouble in the pilotage arose from the circumstance that the Trinity House steamer was yesterday employed in taking up the buoys which mark out the channel, so that after reaching Vercheres, the steerage had to be made almost entirely by the bearings of the Light Houses. However the skill of the pilot surmounted this difficulty, and the vessel was safely taken through the channel. At Sorel the spar was removed and she returned to the city. We understand that the Harbour Commissioners intend to take the first vessel which next spring shall be loaded down to 20 feet or its equivalent, through from Montreal to Quebec, as the crucial test of the success of their labours. In the meantime the following certificate signed by the Company, who were yesterday on board of the St. Lawrence, will probably be deemed ample proof of the great fact which has been accomplished:—

"We, the undersigned, hereby certify that "we were present this day in the Steamer St. "Lawrence, when she left the Port of Montreal, "with a spar lashed alongside, adjusted to a "depth of 20 feet; while, at the same time, "there were 11 feet on the flats in Lake St. "Peter, or in the old channel, and 17 feet on "the sill on the lock at the lower entrance of "the Welland Canal, and proceeded from the said Port of Montreal to Sorel without obstruction.

"Montreal, Dec. 1st, 1865.

"John Young,
"Chairman Harbour Commissioners.
"John G. Sims,
"Resident Engineer P. W.
"C. Armstrong,
"Superintendent.
"Edw. Goff Penny,
"*Herald.*
"John Pratt.
"S. Cranwill.
"J. A. Provencher,
"*La Minerve.*
"H. H. Whitney,
"Sec. Harbour Commissioners.
"A. G. Nish,
"Engineer Harbour Commissioners.
"A. M. Rudolph,
"Harbour Master."

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

SUPERIOR COURT.

30th November, 1865.

BADGLEY, J.,—

Mignault vs. Bonar.—The plaintiff in this case had been living in the State of New York with his family, but returned to this country a year or two ago and lived in Montreal. His daughter, aged eighteen, who was perfectly well acquainted with the English language, kept company with a man who one day induced her to accompany him for a sleigh ride. To preserve appearance the lady took her younger brother with her in the sleigh, but the man afterwards sent the boy off to the post-office, and took the girl to the Revd. Mr. Bonar's private residence, and there in the presence of two persons, and there for the purpose, a marriage took place, a license being presented by the husband. The name given to the clergyman was not her real name. There was some doubt whether she signed the register. She said she did not sign it, and she said also that she never had any idea of marrying this man, but that when she got to the Rev. Mr. Bonar's house she was called to stand before the clergyman; that she never made any objection; Rev. Mr. Bonar read something out of a book, and after it was all over she was told that she was married. As soon as the marriage ceremony was over, her husband took her back to her father's house. The ceremony was all that took place, there not having been any consummation of marriage. Now this girl was a minor, and her father had never given any consent to the marriage, and, unfortunately for the clergyman, it was true that he asked no questions about her age, or whether there was any consent. The father now brought an action of damages against the clergyman. This was not the first case of the kind that had come before our Courts. There was the case of Laroque *vs.* Michon (2 L. C. Jurist, 267) which entailed very heavy consequences on a Catholic priest who married a minor of fifteen without the consent of her parents. The judgment of the Superior Court in that case dismissed the action on the ground that the marriage of a minor without the consent of her parents, gave rise to an action of damages. The Court of Appeals overruled this decision, and held that the clergyman had brought himself within the law, although the marriage had not been set aside. In that case, too, there was a dispensation from the Bishop to do away with the necessity of banns, and this dispensation was taken by the priest in good faith. Nevertheless, the Court of Appeals condemned the priest to pay £100 and costs, and it was only in consideration of his being a poor man, a mere missionary, that they made the amount so small. The Court was bound by this judgment in support of the defendant must be condemned to pay damages. There were circumstances, however which would mitigate the amount. In the other case the girl was only fifteen, and must have been perceived to be a minor. In this case the female was a well formed woman, and at the time of the marriage she knew all that was going on, and it was only after the marriage that she said that she was living with her father, and that she was only 18. The ceremony had then been performed; but it was only the civil contract of marriage, not being a Sacrament in the Protestant Church, and the girl had suffered nothing, as there had been no consummation of marriage. The defendant could not escape damages, but taking all the circumstances into consideration, the Court was disposed to go so far in this case as the Court of Appeals had gone in the other, and the defendant would merely be adjudged to pay $100 damages, with full costs of action.

Ex parte Hermine Denis.—This was a case of an Italian who died in Montreal. In the entry of his marriage, of his children's birth, and of his own death, his name was spelt differently. There was now an application to the Court to have the name corrected on the Registers, because he was entitled to certain properties in Italy, and the erroneous spelling might lead to difficulties there As the facts had been proved, the application would be granted.

Court of Appeals.—We learn that Chief Justice Duval is not expected in Montreal this week, being detained at Quebec by illness. The Court of Appeals sat yesterday, the other four Judges being present. In consequence of the absence of the Chief Justice, the argument in the case of Mr. Daoust, M.P.P., was postponed till the first day of next Term.

England and the United States.—The last mail from England brings a further instalment of the correspondence between Earl Russell and Mr. Adams in respect to the claims for compensation for the depredations of the Confederate privateers. The first of this series of despatches is dated Oct. 14th, from Earl Russell to Mr. Adams, in which he directs attention to the terms of the proposition of Her Majesty's Government for the appointment of a Commission, pointing out that such claims were to be enforced as the two powers *shall agree*. There might be many claims that were fair subjects of inquiry before Commissioners: but any proposition to refer claims arising out of the captures made by the Alabama and Shenandoah must receive for answer that "for any acts of Her Majesty's subjects committed out of their jurisdiction, and beyond their control, the Government of Her Majesty are not responsible;" such a reference "not being consistent with any practice usual among civilized nations." Mr. Adams in reply says that henceforward "no proposition of that kind for the settlement of existing difficulties" would be insisted on or submitted to by his Government. With regard to Earl Russell's proposition, Mr. Adams inquires what claims the English Government would be willing to refer to the Commission, Earl Russell replying, says that they will take time to consider. A further despatch follows from Earl Russell in which he again enters at length into the alleged precedents for the present difficulties.

Habeas Corpus in the States.—A Washington despatch says the President is about to restore the privil ges of the writ of Habeas Corpus.

CITY ITEMS.

Two Soldiers Drowned.—Last night about 8 o'clock, as three soldiers and a boatman were crossing from the military wharf to the Island, the boat was upset, and two of the soldiers drowned. Their names were William Good, No. 2 Battery Royal Artillery, and Daniel Nott, 25th Regiment. The third soldier, Michael Reddy, Royal Artillery, was rescued by Constable Lee as he was on the point of sinking. The boatman, named John Matthews, clung to the boat which drifted with the current as far as Molson's wharf where it was picked up. The bodies have not yet been found.

Theatre Royal.—The amateurs of the King's Own Borderers are to give an entertainment at the Theatre Royal this evening, under the patronage of Lt.-Gen. Sir John Michel, K. C. B., for a charitable purpose. A very excellent programme has been provided, including the musical burlesque of Macbeth, and the farce of "Did you ever send your wife to Camberwell?" The house is sure to be crowded.

The Raffle of a Sea-Moss and Shell Basket for the benefit of a blind man, will take place this evening (Saturday,) the 2nd of December, at seven o'clock, at No. 22 Hospital Street, formerly the *Transcript* office. The list is not yet filled up.

Recorder's Court.—There were 16 prisoners, but all were of the usual character.

Police Court.—Two prisoners, brought up on suspicion of petty theft, were remanded.

Attempted Suicide.—On Wednesday evening a stranger cut his throat in a street in London, C. W. He was supposed to be from Vermont. Death did not result immediately.

Erratum.—In our report of the St. Andrew's Banquet in yesterday's issue, we stated that the German Society was represented by G. Bower, Esq., which should have been Henry Drescher, Esq., who is now President of the Society.

Protestant House of Industry and Refuge.—The Rev. Mr. Bonar will preach to the poor in this institution to-morrow at 3 P.M.

There will be Divine Service in St. Gabriel street Church (D. V.) on Sunday the 3rd inst. Sermon in the morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Alex Matthewson, D.D., and in the evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. John Jenkins, D.D.

Knox's Church, Dorchester Street, corner of Mansfield Street.—This neat and elegant structure will be opened (D.V.) to-morrow for public worship. Sermons: in the morning at 11, by the Revd. D. H. McVicar of Coté Street, at 2:45 P. M. by the Revd. John Jones of Cote des Neiges; and in the evening at 7 by the Revd. Albert B. Simpson, of Knox's Church, Hamilton, C.W. The first named gentlemen are well known among us as able and popular preachers,—and from what we have learned of the last named we are assured this gifted and talented young minister will be welcomed and appreciated by his hearers. It is to be hoped that at all these services the Church will be crowded, and that the collections, which are to be made in aid of the building fund, will be liberal, more especially as this is the first appeal of this tried Congregation to the public for assistance.

The Canadian Almanac for 1866. Toronto: W. C. Chewett & Co.—We are indebted to Messrs. Dawson Brothers for a copy of this very excellent almanac. This is the nineteenth year of its publication, and it seems to improve annually. There is a vast amount of information as to the resources, population, revenue and kindred subjects, lists of Post towns, Educational Institution of Canada, her clergy, Governmental Departments and other useful information, which the size and moderate price of the work would seem to render it impossible to give. Only a large circulation could warrant the outlay necessarily incurred in getting up so complete a work as this is designed to be. The present number is enriched with a well-executed view of the new Parliamentary Buildings at Ottawa.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIOE

The sitting of this court opened yesterday morning before A. M. Delisle, Esq., Wm. Workman, J. P., and A. Ermatinger, when the following gentlemen were sworn as Grand Jurors:—

Champion Brown, chairman: Alfred A. Barbier, Jeffery Brock, John Binmore, Campbell Bryson, Louis Blaine, P. E. Barre, Henry Bienvenu, Geo. W. Beattie, Marshall A Buck, Thos. Brown, David Brown, F. X. Huberdeau, Antone David, Benjamin Lamaire, Ebenezer Muir, Wm Bromby, and John Brunner.

A. M. Delisle, Esq., delivered the charge, which referred chiefly to topics adverted to in pervious charges. It referred to the great increase in Montreal of incendiary fires, and the difficulty, almost impossibility, of obtaining a conviction for arson. The qualification for petit jurors to try cases of arson should be higher, and it suggested the relieving of the Insurance Companies of the task of prosecuting, which should be entrusted to an officer to be appointed to inquire into the origin of all fires. This plan was working admirably in Germany and the States. During the last year there had been 106 fires in Montreal, 28 of which were certainly the work of incendiarism, and by adopting the plan indicated so less than $33,000 yearly would be saved in this city. The threatened approach of cholera was a subject respecting which the Corporation should exercise their large powers to the full; and their plea of want of funds would not be accepted should the cholera come and find the city in an unprepared state. He again referred to the necessity of allowing the magistrates to send, upon confession, juvenile offenders to the Reformatory. This class of prisoners was fast increasing, and the city also wanted a place other than the jail to which the vagrant, loose, idle, and disorderly might be sent. There were characters who spent ten months out of the twelve in jail, and had been in the habit of being committed there during the last twenty-two years. His Honour had not a confident hope in the suggestions being immediately attended to, still it was his duty to continue to make them, and of Grand Jurors to listen to the same.

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Alleged Attempt at Assassination by Fenians in Dublin.—Two detectives were fired at in Dublin on the 12th, but not seriously wounded. The would-be assassins, who are supposed to have been Fenians, were not discovered.

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New Brunswick Cabinet.—The St. John *Globe* of the 24th says:—"There is a report current that one of the vacant seats in the Government has been tendered to J. V. Troop, Esq., M. P. P., for the city. The probability is, that Mr. Troop will accept."

Dinner to Mr. T. C. Wallbridge.—A complimentary dinner to Mr. T. C. Wallbridge, member for North Hastings, took place in the village of Madoc on Thursday last. Mr Wallbridge entered into explanations on a local railway question, and defended the course he had pursued.

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THE ENGLISH PRESS ON THE JAMAICA INSURRECTION.

(*From the Times, Nov.* 15.)

The rebellion of the negroes comes very home to the national soul. Though a feeble compared with the Indian Mutiny, it touches our pride more. In the Mutiny the public anxiety very soon concentrated itself on particular groups of suffering and danger. We must put down the Mutiny, and there was an end of it. The wound is healed, and has left no rankle. But Jamaica is our pet institution, and its inhabitants are our spoilt children. We had it always in our eye when we talked to America and all the slaveholding Powers. It seemed to be proved in Jamaica that the negro could become fit for self-government; that he could be a planter, a magistrate, a member of the Legislative Assembly; that he could preach and pray with unction and even eloquence; that he could behave like a gentleman, and even pay taxes. Certainly the outside of things was delightful. There was only one white to about fifty coloured people; only a handful of soldiers; scarce a ship of war ever in port; and within a day's sail a Black Republic. This was the outside, and of the inside little enough was known. Of course the negro's own special friends did not abuse him, and a couple of thousand white families had something better to do than to report an old sore. We were told, indeed, by those whose fate had ever cast them on that shore, that the negro was incurably idle, intractable, insolent, that he needed a strong master, and was incapable of either self-control or gentle management. It was clear that he would have valued his freedom more if he had earned it and had not had it for nothing. But very little of this came out. The clergy, indeed, reported a miserably low morality, gross and grotesque fanaticism, a readiness to follow any leader, love of wild revivals and secret meetings for any purpose. We were all prepared for this, and could not help it. But, at any rate, there was the broad fact that Jamaica was black, free, almost self-governing, quite self-taxing, prosperous, quiet, and happy. Is or could that be the fact? Alas for grand triumphs of humanity, and the improvement of races, and the removal of primeval curses, and the expenditure of twenty millions sterling. Jamaica herself gainsays the fact and belies herself, as we see to-day.

Of course we shall hear a great deal about the strong measures taken to stamp out the flame. We may ourselves wish that the tone of the despatches had been more guarded, but we know that the wish is utterly futile. A man who has seen a gang of treacherous murderers for several days, through rivers, mountains, and morasses, under a burning sun by day, and in pitchy darkness at night, without more than a few minutes sleep now and then, and with his life-blood fresh in his eye, can only write as in a frenzy. A rising of this sort must be crushed at once, and if a few hundred soldiers and volunteers are to do the work of a large army they must make themselves ubiquitous, and must everywhere finish their work thoroughly, leaving nothing to the morrow. Immediate justice is the best mercy in the long run, for to the lawer class of minds death loses nearly all its terrors if it is seen at a considerable interval. The acts of justice done we see no reason to impugn. The one in which they described we can only regard as the inevitable result of such a strain on the muscles, nerves and senses as we hope to be spared ourselves. If any are disposed to be hypercritical, we beg of them to consider for a moment the possibility of such suggestions being immediately attended to, still it was his duty to continue to make them, and of Grand Jurors to listen to the same.

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SIR MORTON PETO ON AMERICA,

Sir Morton Peto's speech at Bristol bears important testimony to the astonishing prosperity of the Northern States of America, under the enormous burden imposed in the last few years. Almost all the leading men of Europe who predicted that the North must win by the sheer economical superiority of free labour, have had their prediction more wonderfully verified than they themselves expected. The South was more utterly exhausted, and the North further from even the verge of exhaustion than we had any idea of, when the end came. There are not many points on which the testimony of a traveller passing rapidly through a great country is worth much. But there are a few specific points on which an intelligent man of business is entitled to respect, and amongst these is, we think, the tone of feeling in that society on which ultimately the solvency of the Union depends with regard to sustaining the national credit. On this point Sir Morton Peto, who "who has the least information can doubt the "ability of the Americans to pay their national "debt, and one who expressed a doubt of their "willingness would be treated with merited "contempt." The ability to pay the debt being granted that state of the social mind which voluntary repudiation is an *impossibility*, cannot well be mistaken by a shrewd man of business, and Sir Morton Peto seems to feel no kind of doubt that such is the state of the public mind in all those States which he has visited.

Moreover, Sir Morton Peto has seen what convinced him that America will have very little difficulty in discharging her obligations. He has seen that the war, even while it lasted, did not visibly diminish the resources of the Free States, or produce that disposition to postpone costly municipal improvements and curtail voluntary subscriptions which a war of much less magnitude would have produced in England. Millions sterling had been spent in improvements since the beginning of the war. And he related a fact which tells even more strongly, for voluntary subscriptions are never easily raised in a time of great pressure. Sir Morton Peto says that from four to five thousand men raised no less than £92,000 sterling in Boston, New York, and Philadelphia for a society to provide the wounded and dying before Petersburg, with religious aid. The truth is, we have absolutely *no idea* in England of the wealth of a population whose average means are probably over £100 a year for every family in the land. Sir Morton gives us a still more striking illustration in describing the cheerfulness with which disbanded officers had returned to their civil duties. In a compositor's office he saw "a major, a captain, a lieutenant, and a sergeant," all cheerfully at work at their types: Instead of the labour market being dragged by the disbanding of nearly *a million men*, productive occupations had all been waiting to spring into still greater life, so soon as labour should be again at their disposal. We happen to know another still more remarkable illustration of the abundance of civilian work, and the preference of the men for it. Towards the end of the war, a premium of £25 was offered, as a sort of reward for the men who had conducted themselves most gallantly. It became a question whether this corps should or should not be disbanded. The Government hesitated, as it was composed of men who had done great service, and been placed in it as a permanent reward. The officers decidedly objected. But the matter was decided by the universal demand of the men. They said they wanted no reward, nor any pension, "that they could do much better for themselves" than the Government could do for them, and decided the case.

Sir Morton Peto's information on the state and temper of the South is certainly less important, as it depends upon a few individual sources of information. But such indications, trustworthy, tell us absolutely nothing of the extent to which the dispositions described actually prevail. Still, so far as his information goes, it shows that the cases in which the planters have accepted the ghastly decision of slavery most frankly are also the cases in which they are least likely to suffer. *Economist*

GALLANT CAPTURE OF AN AFRICAN SLAVER.

The Cape Town newspapers just received record a gallant engagement, although unfortunately attended with fatal results, which had occurred between the boats of H. M. *Wasp* and an Arab slave-dhow on the east coast. While the *Wasp* was lying in the harbor at Zanzibar, information was received that a dhow was to fill up with slaves and run out on a certain night, and the boats were manned and cutters were sent from the *Wasp* to intercept the movement. They lay-to at the back of a small island, guarding the English Passage during the night. Between two and three in the morning they saw the dhow a vessel of over 200 tons, coming down towards them. The boats came out from under the lee of the island, and fired into her, with the object of carrying away her mast, but in this they were not successful. The dhow immediately bore up, and made for the pinnace that run her down, and as she struck her, fired a volley of musketry and spears into her. There was a force of 46 men on board—all fighting Arabs, engaged from the shore to run the slaver to the north part of the island clear of danger. The pinnace had only a crew of 18 men; and the officer in charge, Lieut. Rising, seeing that there was serious work to be done gave orders to his men to board. They succeeded in boarding over the bows, but met with obstinate resistance, and had to fight their way inch by inch on the deck of the dhow. They were gradually making way, though against great odds, when the cutter came up and boarded at the stern, taking the slavers in the rear and soon had possession of the vessel. The Arabs seeing they were defeated, jumped overboard, and some of them made for the shore. The boatswain of the Wasp's boats was also killed having been speared through the body. Lieut. Rising led his men most gallantly; and after his sword was broken in the engagement, he still fought with the hilt of it, he was at last borne down on the bottom of the dhow just as the Arabs were beaten. There were 287 slaves found on board the ship who have been taken to Seychelles. There was great excitement in the town of Zanzibar after this affair, and the European residents did not consider it safe to go out of doors for a little time as the Arabs threatened to retaliate for this interference with their brethren, but all was quiet again in a few days.

A Millionaire in Spite of Himself.—Some 10 or 15 years back one of our Fifth avenue nabobs who even then was reckoned among