

Thursday, February 6, 1873.

CANADIAN SILVER COIN.

Mr. W. Weir announces that by arrangement with the Government, he is prepared to distribute the new silver coin to the public at par in such sums as are wanted, from one dollar upwards. Mr. W. also states that arrangements are in progress for the distribution of the coin in places which, owing to the want of Bank agencies, have hitherto had considerable difficulty in obtaining a supply. The receipts of silver coin this week amounted to \$50,000, and each succeeding steamer is expected to bring a further supply until the demand for the coin has been freely met. Care will be taken at the same time against an over issue of the new coin. This week's receipts consisted of *halves* and *quarters* only, an accident to the machinery at the mint having delayed the coinage of the smaller pieces, a quantity of which, however, is expected by the next steamer.

TOWN HALL, LONGUEUIL.

Tuesday evening, notwithstanding the storm, the Hall was well filled to witness the entertainment given in aid of the School Fund. This consisted of a concert of vocal and instrumental music, "A Fairy Scene," and a little piece of circumstance, entitled "An Every Day Occurrence," cleverly written by Mr. J. B. Spence.

The noticeable features of the concert were three *fantasies* on the piano, cleverly executed by Mr. D'Avignon, of which we may particularly notice Thalberg's "Home, Sweet Home," and the "Carnival of Venice." In the latter the difficult variations were rendered with great skill. Mr. D'Alba sang very sweetly two German songs, and Mr. Burch, in whom the *vis comica* is certainly in the ascendant, was rapturously cheered in his two comic songs.

The "Fairy Scene" was a comic extravaganza in which some thirteen beautiful little girls, uniformly and elegantly dressed as fairies, with gossamer wings, star-tipped golden wands, wreaths, garlands and all the legendary paraphernalia of Fairyland, formed some beautiful tableaux, and with some antagonist gnomes repeat a dialogue in verse, full of witty allusions to political and social events, which were readily taken and highly applauded by the audience. The little farce was really very cleverly played. It consisted of an incident in servanthood, in which a candidate for servitude, named Bridget O'Connor, was most admirably played by Miss L. Spence with a rich comical brogue.

Miss Browne played the orphan who was compelled to go to service, and is "wood and won" by a Lieutenant in the R.N. Her playing was admirable, and if the gallant's love and success had been real instead of mimic, we should have thought him a truly lucky fellow. All the characters entered into the spirit of the scene, and it is but faint praise to say that we have often seen at our theatres far inferior acting. The scenes were well painted, and all the theatrical appearances well arranged. The travelling was execrable, and the audience kept arriving up to the last scene of the farce.

ONTARIO PARLIAMENT.

TORONTO, Feb. 6.

The following bills were read 3 times and passed.

To make further provision respecting appropriation of the Railway fund.
To incorporate the Ontario Bobcaygeon and North Peterborough Railway Junction Company.

Respecting the debt of the City of London, and on the bill to further secure the independence of Parliament.

Mr. Blake moved to limit the number of the Executive Council to six members. Carried—yeas, 48; nays, 20.

Mr. Clarke, of Wellington, inquired of the Government whether it is their intention to introduce during the present session a measure having for its object the establishment in this Province of an asylum for inebriates.

Mr. Blake replied that it was not their intention to propose such a measure this session, though the question was under the consideration of the Government.

The House then adjourned.

TELEGRAPHIC ITEMS.

The Grand Duke and party drove around Memphis yesterday, and last evening attended an impromptu hop at the Peabody Hotel.

A petition was presented in the Massachusetts House of Assembly yesterday, by the Rev. James Freeman Clarke and others, for a declaratory statute that women are entitled to hold office in the Commonwealth.

Addison Berge, ex-member of the Missouri Legislature, was stabbed and killed by Dr. Johnson at Platte City, Mo., last Friday. The affray grew out of some remarks made by Berge to Johnson's wife, about watering her pony at a spring on Berge's place. Johnson surrendered himself.

FAMILY MATTERS.

A putty of starch and chloride of zinc hardens quickly, and lasts for months, as a stopper of holes in metal.

To cut glass to any shape, without a diamond, hold it quite level under water, and with a pair of strong scissors clip it away by small bits from the edges.

Covering for Preserves.—White paper cut to a suitable size, dipped in brandy, and put over the preserves when cold, and then a double paper tied over the top.

Lady Cake.—Take one teaspoonful of butter, two of sugar, the whites of six eggs, two tablespoonful of sweet cream, and two cups of flour. Bake one hour in a slow oven.

Coal tar is recommended as an excellent coating of cisterns and reservoirs, to protect water from the lime and other salts contained in the cement. The fatty taste, if we believe the writer, disappears in a few days.

Patty for stove joints may be made by wetting together fine salt with double its bulk of fresh hard wood ashes. If a harder cement is wanted, use iron filings with white lead and linseed oil. It should have a day or two for hardening.

Beeswax may be bleached by melting, and running it several times into very thin

slices; these must be suffered to cool, and exposed to the influence of the air and sun. This process will render the wax perfectly white.

A chemist who has been experimenting for the purpose of ascertaining how much of the various kinds of food must be eaten in order to make one pound of flesh, comes to the conclusion that it requires 35 pounds of milk, 100 of turnips, 50 of potatoes, 50 of carrots, 9 of oatmeal, 7½ of barley meal, and 3½ of beans.

Regularity in Eating.—Regularity of time for our daily meals is a valuable means of maintaining health. The appetite should not be wasted during the intervals between meals on pastry, confections, ice-cream, or anything else which only gratifies the taste and fails to nourish the digestive organs.

To Remove Stains from Silks, Linens and Woolen Stuff.—Mix a wineglassful of rectified spirits of turpentine with half a tea-spoonful of essential oil of lemons, and keep it in a well-stopped bottle. Apply a little upon the stain with a bit of woolen or silk. The colors of the fabric will sustain no injury from the application.

To Clean Feathers.—Dissolve four ounces of white soap, cut small, in four pounds of water, moderately hot, in a basin, and make the solution into a lather by beating with a small rod. Then introduce the feathers, and rub them well with the hand for five minutes. They are next to be washed in clean water as hot as the hand can bear.

Soap for Chapped Hands.—Slice a quarter of a pound of Windsor soap in a pipkin, press it down, and cover it with soft water; pound a quarter of an ounce of camphor with a little rum, one ounce of spermaceti, and half a tablespoonful of honey. Add it to the soap in the pipkin, and place it in the chimney corner until melted, when it will mould into balls with the assistance of almond powder.

A White Paste, adhesive to all surfaces, is said to be made as follows:—A solution of two and a half ounces of gum arabic in two quarts of warm water is thickened to a paste with white flour; to this is added a solution of alum and sugar of lead, 720 grains each in water; the mixture is heated, and stirred about to boil, and is then cooled. It may be thinned, if necessary, with the gum solution.

Non-Smoking Chimneys.—To build a chimney so that it will not smoke, the chief point is to make the throat of the chimney not less than four inches broad and twelve long; then the chimney should be abruptly enlarged to double the size, and so continued for one foot or more; then it may be gradually tapered off as desired. But the inside of the chimney, throughout its whole length to the top, should be plastered very smooth with good mortar, which will harden with age. The area of a chimney should be at least half a square foot, and no less than six square inches. The best shape for a chimney is circular or many sided, as giving less friction (brick is the best material, as it is a non-conductor), and the higher above the roof the better.

The Queen's Hotel, Toronto, is one of the largest in the Dominion of Canada. It is one of the institutions of Toronto, and is conducted with such success as to have earned the esteem of the entire travelling public. Its situation on Front street, overlooking the Bay and Lake, is convenient to the railway stations, and business part of the city. Commercial men from the Lower Provinces and tourists generally should recollect that this hotel is recognized by travellers everywhere as the finest in the Dominion. Parties having had the good fortune of once accepting the hospitalities of Mr. McGaw, manager, forever afterwards bear the house in the highest possible esteem.

To the Wholesale Trade

The time is at hand when the only opportunity of the year will occur for renovating your stores and offices. What is there, after all, which so completely changes the appearance of an apartment as a little Paint or Paper, judiciously and tastefully applied? Where a merchant spends the best of his days ought not to look like a market-house or a prison on Front street, overlooking the Bay and Lake, is convenient to the railway stations, and business part of the city. Commercial men from the Lower Provinces and tourists generally should recollect that this hotel is recognized by travellers everywhere as the finest in the Dominion. Parties having had the good fortune of once accepting the hospitalities of Mr. McGaw, manager, forever afterwards bear the house in the highest possible esteem.

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PERSONAL.

We beg to remind our readers that we cannot insert personal notices unless accompanied by the name and address of the author; and, moreover, we cannot insert any obscure personal notice, unless the author is known to us, and altogether above suspicion of evil intentions.

WANTED, the address of the Misses G. & M. Chambers, supposed to reside in Concord street, Brooklyn, N. Y., at one time residents of Montreal. Any one sending their address to L. C. Box 784, P. O., Montreal, will oblige an old friend.

BOARD.

Advertisements under this head inserted free. BOARD WANTED, by three young men, in a respectable locality, about five minutes' walk from Post-office; no objection to rooming together; French house preferred. Address, stating terms, which must be moderate, H. J. L., Drawer 234, Post-office.

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BOARD.—Vacancies for a few Gentlemen at 12 Cleveland Place, Juror street.

LOST, &c.

[Advertisements under this head inserted free.] LOST, a Purse, containing nearly six dollars, a discharge from the 60th Regiment, and other papers. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at 19 St. Germain street.

LOST, on Monday, 22nd ult., between St. Mary street and Mile-end, a Mink Victoria. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to the STAR office.

LOST, on St. Urbain street, between Craig and Dorchester streets, a Lady's Black Silk Over-skirt. The finder will be rewarded on taking it to No. 9, St. Urbain street.

LOST, on Sunday afternoon, a Black and Tan Terrier, answering to the name of "Tiny," with brass collar and medal, No. 881, attached. Whoever returns it to 32 St. Hubert street will be liberally rewarded.

LOST, on Saturday evening, the 3rd instant, between St. Hubert and Dorchester streets, a lined Buffalo Robe, trimmed with white and blue cloth. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at No. 491 St. Paul street.

LOST, on the 1st instant, between St. Helen street and Bonaventure Depot, \$30. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at C. H. Baldwin & Co.'s, 10 St. Helen street.

LOST, on Craig, St. Francois Xavier, or St. James street, on the 20th ultimo, a Child's White Muff. Reward given on bringing it to No. 12 Latour street.

LOST, a Letter addressed M. Trester. The finder will oblige by leaving it with J. Sammel, 133 St. James street.

LOST, on Saturday night, on St. Lawrence Main street, a Gold Ear-ring, with drop. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at this office.

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

D. & J. TEES, on first day of January, admitted JOHN TEES as Partner, since which date the business will be carried on by the undersigned, under the name and style of TEES BROS.

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JOHN TEES.

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(Signed,) H. W. IRELAND, J. H. IRELAND, W. E. IRELAND, W. E. COQUILLETT.

Montreal, 29th Dec. 1871.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869

AND AMENDMENTS THERETO.

In the matter of OCTAVE BRUNET, Captain and Commander, of the City of Montreal, an Insolvent.

The Insolvent has made an assignment of his Estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at the place of business of the Insolvent, No. 244 Boulevard, on TUESDAY, the Thirtieth day of February next, at ELEVEN o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs, and to appoint an Assignee.

A. B. STEWART,

Interim Assignee.

Montreal, 29th Jan. 1872.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869

AND ITS AMENDMENTS.

In the matter of LUC ARPIN, Lumber Trader, of the Parish of St. Jacques, in the District of Quebec, an Insolvent.

The undersigned, ANDREW B. STEWART, Official Assignee, do hereby give notice that on the twenty-seventh day of the month of January, A.D. 1872, at a meeting called for that purpose, I was named Assignee to the Estate of the said LUC ARPIN, in the stead and place of TANCRED SAUVAGEAU, removed.

A. B. STEWART, Assignee.

Montreal, 29th January, 1872.

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Volume IV..... No. 33.

Thursday, February 6, 1873.

House and Stores To Let will be advertised in the "STAR" for one-half cent per word.

The six o'clock Star is delivered from the office of publication by careful carriers. Terms, \$3 per annum—in advance.

THE FARE OF THE SEASON.—The coming elections.

GRATIFYING.—Neither President GRANT nor Secretary FISH expect England will pay that little account for "consequential damages."

Is the sale of liquor cannot be altogether abolished, giving liquor to men plainly intoxicated should lay the seller open to severe punishment. The GARDEN fatality is a terrible test of the law.

THE St. John (N.B.) Telegraph says:—

"Stokes, it is expected, will be tried before his old friend Barnard next March, if that gentleman escapes impeachment by the Legislature now in session at Albany. We were going to suggest to his counsel that his acquittal might be made a sure thing by sending to St. John for a jury, but since Barnard is to sit in judgment his safety is assured."

Montreal or Montebello could have accommodated the learned gentleman.

THE Revisors have "caved in." "Vote early and vote often" will be the watch-cry of Tom, Dick, and Harry at the coming elections, and the voice of bona fide taxpayers and property owners will be drowned by a mob who care not a rap whether the city be bankrupt tomorrow. As there has not been any expression of public opinion on the matter, we must suppose the bona fide voters are content to be knocked under; but for the sake of the good name and future prospects of the metropolis we most deeply regret that the Revisors lacked courage to "take the bull by the horns" and adhere to the course heretofore pursued.

THE International Copyright difficulty would be effectually cleared away were Congress to adopt the following proposal of the United States Copyright Association:—

1. All rights of property secured to citizens of the United States of America by existing copyright laws of the United States are hereby secured to the citizens and subjects of every country the government of which secures reciprocal rights to citizens of the United States.

2. This act shall take effect two years from the date of its passage.

Of course the anomalous state of affairs illustrated by the Rouse's Point establishment would require rectification.

THE telegrams give the outlines of another terrible railway slaughter. This time the dreadful scene is laid on the Rockford, Rock Island and St. Louis Railway, Ill. Four passengers were mangled or burned to death, and thirteen injured. It seems almost time the public demanded something more than superficial enquiries into these "accidents," and the strict enforcement of rules calculated to render them next to impossible. The only vulnerable spot in Railway Companies seems to be the treasury, and when it is made plain that "accidents" and "tele-scoped" cars are expensive, nay, ruinous luxuries, we may venture to hope for exemption from such harrowing recitals as that we publish this morning.

It was generally supposed, even by the most rabid Yankees, that the "American case" embodied every imaginable "claim." It was believed that the brains of the most astute lawyers had been ransacked in order that nothing should escape upon which the faintest chance of resting a "claim" appeared. Yet we have certain New York journals "tearing mad" about something left out of the "case." It appears a good deal of British money and property in one way and another was in the hands of the Southerners during the war, and, of course, there was no scruple as to the use made thereof. Now the "American case" omits to mention the aid this property might have afforded the Confederates, hence the rage of the aforesaid journals. It is not stated how many hundred millions the damages are assessed at, but from the tone of the press we imagine it must be several.

All bodies, the insurance companies should be liberal supporters of the Fire Brigade, yet it seems that there is great room for improvement in the manner in which these corporations contribute to the sustenance of this indispensable service. The present plan of assessing all companies alike produces a very inadequate sum compared with the important position an efficient service holds with regard to insurance business; neither is it fair to young companies doing a small business. The plan pursued in Great Britain and the United States, of levying a small percentage on the amount of business transacted by each company, covers the question entirely; and as its adoption here was strongly urged last night by Chief BERTMAN in the presence of members of the Corporation and

at least, one representative of the insurance interest, we trust the subject will not be allowed to fall to the ground.

Another matter alluded to by the Chief, and one deserving equal attention with the foregoing, was that of compelling each Company to furnish an annual statement of the losses sustained. There seems to be some unaccountable dislike to furnish this information, but that it would be exceedingly useful in ascertaining the success or failure of new inventions, appliances, systems, &c., there can be no doubt.

PUBLIC OPINION.

An Appeal to Workmen.

To the Editor of THE STAR.

SIR,—Would you kindly oblige the Hamilton Nine Hours League, by placing in a prominent position in your valuable paper, the enclosed appeal to the workmen of Montreal, and by so doing you will confer a favor not only upon us but also upon the whole of the workmen in the city of Montreal.

Respectfully yours,

JAS. RYAN,
Secty Hamilton Nine Hours League.
Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 5, 1873.

To the Grand Trunk Employees of Montreal:

Workmen of the Grand Trunk Railway, the authorities of the Great Western Railway at Hamilton, in an interview with a delegation of their employees, have acknowledged the justice of the nine hours movement, and declare their readiness to adopt the nine hours principle, immediately the G. T. R. authorities intimate their willingness to concede the principle to men in their employ.

Men of Montreal, upon you therefore, depends the result of this glorious struggle; to you belong the glory of making this movement a magnificent reality; agitate this movement earnestly and energetically in your city; call upon your fellow workmen of every grade and trade to aid you. Remember what is simply justice to the workmen of England cannot become injustice to the employers of Canada. Remember that public opinion is on our side; that influential papers advocate our cause; that Col. McGivern, the President of the Dominion Board of Trade, gives the movement "his hearty sanction and support," and that the authorities of the G.W.R. concede the justice of the principle for which we strive, and declare their willingness to grant their workmen the concession they desire directly you obtain a favorable answer to your appeal.

Agitate this measure quickly and enthusiastically; listlessness on your part now becomes a crime; the welfare of your fellow-workmen throughout the Dominion depends upon you. Remember the rate of wages fluctuates with the state of trade, and that the hours of labor once reduced are reduced forever; that a rise of ten per cent, given to arrest the progress of this movement, may be lost again before this agitation is at an end, but that the shortened hours of labor become the permanent heritage of yourselves and children, to benefit you and them long after the rise of ten per cent. has passed away and is forgotten. Prove yourselves generous rivals to your fellow-workmen in Hamilton; let all unite for the common good. Your social comfort and prosperity demand it; your children's moral and intellectual progress claim it; the very political privileges you possess insist upon it; trade has thriven everywhere within the borders of our country, so claim your share in the prosperity you do so much to produce, and claim it in a reduction of the hours of labor, and prove yourselves worthy of the ancestors who gave you birth.

You are members of a young and progressive nation, and must not let countries shackled with the remains of feudalism and the traditions of a thousand years remain your superiors in the race of social progress; emulate in all that tends to elevate yourselves and fellow workmen, the grand example of our glorious mother.

Remember that whatever tends to improve us as a nation tends to increase trade by refining the taste, tends to reduce taxation by improving morality, tends to produce talents by promoting intelligence, tends to increase Christianity by improving men.

Help us, brothers of Montreal; unity is strength, numbers give confidence; bestir yourselves earnestly and you will have the satisfaction of being among the first upon the Continent of America to obtain a great movement to yourselves, without having recourse to violence and without a strike.

JOHN PICK, President,
JAS. RYAN, Secretary,
Hamilton Nine Hours' League.

P.S.—Any communications upon the Nine Hours' Question may be addressed to the Secretary of the League.

JAS. RYAN, Standard office,
Hamilton, Ontario.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

The New York papers publish a bill of the shipping destroyed by the Confederate cruisers, and append the following summary:

Privateer.	No of Vessels.	Losses.
Alabama.....	69	\$6,547,669
Shenandoah.....	38	6,488,320
Florida.....	36	3,698,669
Sumter.....	27	10,695
Georgie.....	16	383,976

Total.....180 \$17,129,269

To which is added for increased war insurance premiums..... \$1,120,795

Total..... \$18,250,064
But this is not all, as there are several small amounts for other privateers, which have, or rather which have not, yet been made public.

These are what might be termed legitimate claims, but the American case "piles on the agony," and swells out the bill by adding millions "for damages or injuries to persons growing out of the destruction of vessels by the rebel cruisers, the loss in the transfer of the American commercial marine to the British flag, the prolongation of the war, due to the continued offensive operations of the rebel privateers after the battle of Gettysburg, and 7 per cent. interest upon all the claims up to the day when the award is payable; for the expense of pursuing the rebel privateers; for increased cost of insurance. In short, the case claims everything it is possible to claim."

The grand total is put at five hundred millions of dollars!

SPORTING.

G.T.R. Snowshoe Races.

The annual snow-shoe races of the Grand Trunk Railway Club take place on the Montreal ground next Saturday, beginning at 1:30 p.m. The band of the Grand Trunk Brigade will enliven the proceedings with a choice selection of popular airs. The programme contains eight races, including one for G.T.R. Volunteers in uniform.

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UNIVERSITY LITERARY SOCIETY.—A Special Meeting of the Society will be held in the College Room, next FRIDAY EVENING, 9th February, at Eight o'clock, to take into consideration the Memorial of the Society presented to the Board of Governors, and the reply thereto. As the matter is one which deeply concerns all Graduates and Students, every member is expected to be present.

Copies of the Memorial and the reply may be obtained at the Office of the Secretary, No. 131 St. James street.

FRANK J. KELLER, Secretary.

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A LECTURE

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New Advertisements To-Day.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

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(FIRE.)

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CANADA BUSINESS,

In Compliance with the Act 31 Vic., Chap. 48.

1. Total Premiums received during the year in Canada.....	\$85,915.04
2. Number of Policies (including renewals) issued during the year in Canada.....	\$4,175
3. Amount of the said Policies.....	10,758,582.00
4. Amount at risk on all Policies in force in Canada.....	8,045,470.00
5. Number of Policies on which losses have occurred during the year in Canada.....	61
6. Amount of losses in Canada paid during the year	67,984.29
Amount of losses in Canada in suspense.....	6,316.60
Amount of losses in Canada realized.....	4,000.02
Reason-Noncompliance with conditions.	
7. Amount of Premiums earned during the year in Canada.....	69,680.09
8. Amount of Premiums unearned.....	36,237.00
DEPOSIT.	
Dominion Stock.....	50,000.00
Canada 5 per Cents.....	18,067.00
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ON FRIDAY MORNING

NEXT.

CITY AUCTION MART.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, POULTRY, SEWING-MACHINES AND OTHER EFFECTS.

The Subscriber will sell by auction, at their Sale-rooms, on FRIDAY MORNING next, the usual weekly collection of New and Second-hand FURNITURE, &c., consisting of Bedsteads, Sofas in Hair-cloth, Couches and Sofas in Damask, Chairs, Centre and Card Tables, Spring and Upholstered Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Brackets, Glassware, Crockery, &c. Also, fifteen choice trunks of Dark Brahmins, in fine plumage, from the Farm of Sheldon Stephens, Esq. Fowls of this breed attain great size, are excellent layers, and quite hardy.

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LOST, on Craig street, a Magenta Crocheted Double Scarf, with blue border, about two yards and a quarter long. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at STAR office.

LOST, between Union avenue and Church of Notre Dame, a Pocket-book containing a sum of Money. The owner's name is on a card inside. Any person leaving the same at 84 Union avenue, will be suitably rewarded.

LOST, on the 7th inst., a Mink Victrola, on St. Denis street, between Ontario and Champ de Mars streets. Information requested at 107 Champ de Mars street.

STOLEN OR STRAYED, on Monday, from 573 Craig street, a little Black and Tan Slut, about two months old, with a leather collar on. Whoever will return it will be liberally rewarded.

WANTED, by a respectable married couple, without encumbrance, the care and charge of offices, where they would occupy their whole time as such. Address C, 28, this office.

WANTED, a Housemaid. Apply at 69 St. Janvier street.

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NOON TELEGRAMS.

ANOTHER RAILWAY SLAUGHTER!

Passengers Mangled, Suffocated and Roasted Alive!!

ALTON, Ill., Feb. 7.

The passenger train going to St. Louis, on the Rockford, Rock Island, and St. Louis R. R., when about three-quarters of a mile below Alton station came in collision with the freight train going north. The baggage car and first coach were telescoped and then almost instantly took fire. The scene that ensued was appalling; the unfortunate passengers were most of them caught between the car seats, and egress from the car was nearly impossible, and the terrified passengers were left to be slowly roasted alive.

Up to 11 a.m., the charred and blackened remains of four victims had been recovered and were lying in the snow awaiting the coroner's inquest. The names of the killed, as far as known, are James Trisener and Mrs. Reuben Rains—altogether 4 killed and 13 injured. When the train collided, Mr. Rains' wife and child were sitting together, the child between its parents. The shock of the collision forced the seats together, fastening them in. Mr. Rains finally succeeded in extricating himself although terribly burned, but all efforts to release his wife were unavailing. The child only was rescued by great efforts.

The Anglo-American Squabble—The Feeling in England and the States.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.

A cable despatch from London to the *Tribune* to-night says, Granville's despatch contains no threat to withdraw from the arbitration, and makes neither demand nor proposal. It simply calls attention to the meaning that England attaches to the treaty. Gladstone's speeches yesterday and to-day, are widely criticised as mischievous offensive and needlessly irritating, and it is believed that several members of the Cabinet strongly disapprove of their passionate tone. The Cabinet and the people are unanimous for abandoning arbitration, unless the American claims are modified. There is no intention to offer affront to America. The situation is regarded in the highest English and American quarters as extremely grave, but not hopeless. Charles Francis Adams goes home on Saturday.

At Washington.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.

The *Tribune's* correspondent at Washington telegraphed last night for the first time since the excitement in England over the American case became known here. People have been able to-day to talk about the subject in an intelligent manner. The Queen's Speech and the admissions of the State Department have settled the question whether Gladstone's Ministry has made any communication to our Government on the subject.

A telegram from Minister Schenck to Secretary Fish announces that a note, friendly and without threat or demand of any kind, has been received by the former from Earl Granville, and that it will be forwarded by mail. Its tenor is foreshadowed by a paragraph on the subject in the Queen's Speech.

The British Ministry do not think that the United States had a right to ask for consequential damages of any kind.

The President and Secretary Fish are firm in their belief that the treaty, in its express terms, does give the right to present these claims to the Geneva Board of Arbitration, and that that Board is the only tribunal which can decide whether they shall be admitted or not. At the same time, it must be admitted that the President nor Secretary of State has any expectation that consequential damages, to any great amount, will be awarded or paid, and one of them, at least, does not hesitate to say so in conversation. They held that they had no alternative but to present all claims of the United States growing of the course of Great Britain, in order that there might be no point left open for future disputes.

That the United States has heretofore held that it was entitled to the indirect damages they say no one can truthfully deny.

The subject came up for discussion in the Senate, in the Executive session, this afternoon.

Jonathan Desires Our Raw Material.

TOPEKA, Kansas, Feb. 7.

The Senate to-day passed the House memorial to Congress to admit Canadian lumber free.

Despatches condensed.

UNITED STATES.—At an important meeting of American publishers at New York yesterday, the draft of an Act to grant copyright to foreign authors was discussed. Messrs. Appleton's plan was adopted. Gen. Schenck has communicated the substance of a friendly note from Earl Granville regarding the Washington Treaty to the U. S. Government. There is no demand or even request that the claims for indirect damages be withdrawn. It ascribes the excitement among public men and the press to the different interpretation put upon the Treaty by the U. S. Government than by England. No reply has been made. In informal conversation the expression of the Cabinet was that the reference of all claims and questions to the Geneva tribunal was absolute, and to it alone must be left the question of rejecting or allowing claims known as indirect losses. The President is firm on this point, and is supported by the Republicans in Congress. The feeling is quiet. Secretary Fish's answer to Schenck's telegram on Monday last authorized him to affirm that in no event would the Government recede from its position. At Washington it is stated the British High Commissioner perfectly understood the views of the American. The Government is willing to stand by the Arbitrators' decision. It is officially asserted that if the claim for consequential damages had not been presented the American people would complain that provision was made for only a partial settlement of differences. No official action will be taken on Earl Granville's reply till the text of the letter is received. The British ship *Eliza*, which was wrecked at Liverpool, was burned on the 5th instant, 200 miles south-east of Savannah. The captain and crew were picked up by the British bark *Obdurate*, from Rio. John W. Avery, gardener, at Creekkill, N. J., yesterday, killed in cold blood Jacob Eddy, a coachman. Avery fled, but was arrested.

rested at New York and sent back to Creekkill. The Senate Naval Committee have under consideration the construction of iron ship-building yards and docks for commercial purposes, as proposed by the International Co. Despatches from points on the snow-bound line, west of Rawlins Station, report provisions getting short. Mr. Slicker, in answer to the passengers' entreaties, gives them the general assurance that they will be got through as speedily as possible.

Births.
HOBAN.—At No. 130 Vitre street, the wife of William E. Hoban, of a son.
WAINWRIGHT.—On the 1st instant, at Silver Heights, the wife of John H. Wainwright, Esq., of a son.

Deaths.
GAEVEN.—Suddenly, on the 6th instant, from congestion of the lungs, Jas. Garven, Jr., architect, second son of James Garven, Esq., contractor.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Thursday) afternoon, Feb. 8th, at half-past 2 o'clock, from his late residence, Custom-house Square, to the place of interment, Mount Royal Cemetery.

CONWAY.—At 113 Mountain street, on the 7th inst., Mary Emma, infant daughter of M. Conway.

Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend the funeral, at three o'clock p.m., to-day (Thursday).

WALL.—In this city, on the 5th inst., Robt. Wall, fifth son of the late Wm. Wall, of Lismore, County Waterford, Ireland, aged 34 years and 26 days.

HUGHES.—At Cote St. Louis, on 5th Feb., Sarah Kelly, wife of James Hughes, farmer, aged 84 years, a native of County Tyrone, Ireland.

KENNEDY.—In this city, on the 7th inst., Mary Rafferty, relict of the late Jas. Kennedy, County Tyrone, Ireland, aged 77 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday morning, at half-past 7 o'clock, precisely, from the residence of her son, John Henry Kennedy, 236 Lagache street, to the Parish Church of Notre Dame, from thence to the R.C. Cemetery.

MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SNOW-SHOE RACES.

On SATURDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, On the grounds of the Montreal Lacrosse Club, Sherbrooke street.

PRESIDENT:
C. J. BRYDGES, Esq.
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J. HICKSON, Esq.

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STARTER:
MR. J. C. JAMES.

RACES:
1. Two Miles, open to all, 1st prize, \$30; 2nd do, \$8; 3rd do, \$5; 4th do, \$3. First white man to receive \$10.
2. Hurdle Race, over four hurdles, in heats, prize \$5.
3. One Mile (open to all white men in the Dominion), Silver Cup, value \$40.
4. Boys under 15 Quarter mile, 1st prize, \$5; 2nd do, \$3; 3rd do, \$2.
5. 100 Yards, in heats, prize \$5.
6. Quarter-mile, open to all, in heats, prize, Gold Medal.
7. Half-mile, open to G. T. R. Volunteers in uniform, 1st prize, \$5; 2nd do, \$3; 3rd do, \$2.
8. Consolation Race, Quarter-mile, 1st prize, \$5; 2nd do, \$3; 3rd do, \$2.

The Band of the Grand Trunk Brigade will perform during the afternoon.

REGULATIONS:
No 7 open only to Grand Trunk employees. Other races open to all.
Entrance fee for all Races, excepting No. 1 and 7, 25c.
The Races will take place on the Montreal Lacrosse Grounds (entrance from Sherbrooke street), on February 10th, 1874, commencing at 1:30 p.m.

Intending competitors for all races must give in their names and colors in sealed envelopes to the Secretary, at the Montreal Warehouse Store, Wellington street, or to Mr. O'Brien, 39 St. James street, not later than Thursday, 8th February. The colors registered must be adhered to.
No Snow-shoes allowed under 14 lbs., and 18 inches long.
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2-14th Feb., "Modern Novels," Rev. James Carmichael.
3-21st Feb., "The Art Preservative," Thos. White, Jr., Esq.
4-28th Feb., "Reminiscences of a long and eventful life," Col. John Dyke.
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Every description of Lumber, suitable for the West Indian, Cuban, and South American Markets, kept constantly on hand.

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Dry Pine and Spruce Deals, Plank and Siding for Dunnage, good dry Boards for Lining, Dock Plank, Spars, &c., always on hand.

Prices Exceedingly Low.

WILLIAM HENDERSON.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

185 ST. JAMES STREET.

GREAT CHEAP SALE OF SHIRTS, FOR ONE MONTH.

AT W. B. BOWIE'S.

Call and examine the Stock:—
White Dress Shirts from... 25c to 35c
Extra quality from... 75c to 1.25
Fine Linen Shirts from... 1.00 to 1.50
Fancy Regatta Shirts from... 50c to 1.00
" Oxford " " " 35c to 1.15
" Silk " " " 1.00 to 2.00
" Flannel " " " 50c to 1.25

A large assortment of Collars, Socks, Gloves, &c., always on hand. Shirts made to order on the shortest notice. Good shirts makers wanted. Remember the number, 185 St. James st., next door to the Wesleyan Church.

W. B. BOWIE.

RICHARD PATTON,

PLUMBER, GAS & STEAM FITTER,

BRASS FOUNDER AND FINISHER,

Importer and Dealer in

GAS FURNISHING GOODS,

No. 742 CRAIG STREET, MONTREAL.

Sole Agent in the Dominion for the Springfield Gas Machine.

25-1y

IRON RAILING

Notwithstanding the great advance in IRON, orders for Railing will be received and booked during the present month at the old rates.

Send at once for cuts and prices.

25

IVES & ALLEN,

MONTREAL.

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SEWING-MACHINES.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION, KINGSTON, 1871.

FIRST PRIZE

AWARDED THE

"OSBORN"

Lockitch Family and Light

Manufacturing Sewing-

Machine

OVER ALL COMPETITORS

The OSBORN is pronounced by all practical Sewing-Machine people, who have thoroughly examined it, to be "not only a First-Class Machine in every particular," but, in their honest judgment,

The Best Family Lockitch Sewing-machine in the market.

The principal points of merit in the OSBORN over all others is:—The excellence and simplicity of its mechanism, the material employed in its construction, its lasting quality and wide range of work performed, such as no other machine in its class and sold at its price can attempt. The Shuttle and Bobbin are large, the needle short, straight, and easily set, tension perfect, and impossible to get out of order. The feed can be raised and lowered at will, according to the fabric to be sewed.

THE "OSBORN" CHALLENGES THE MARKET FOR ITS EQUAL.

QUARANTEED FOR THREE YEARS.

All intending purchasers should call and examine it before deciding.

GEORGE HARVEY,

Agent for this Province of QUEBEC,

341 NOTRE DAME STREET, CORNER ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER STREET,

Montreal.

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF FIRST-CLASS SEWING-MACHINES AND FINDINGS.

All Machines warranted as represented, on no sale.

All kinds of Sewing-machines repaired and improved, and work warranted.

AGENTS WANTED.

27-28-y

CENTS FOR SALE at the

STAR OFFICE.</

2nd EDITION.

FOUR LOCKS

ROUND TOWN.

—One Harrison gave bail yesterday afternoon to keep the peace towards Mr. Hubbard, of the Notre Dame street, for six months. The complaint preferred by the latter was in consequence of an alleged threat to shoot him made by Harrison.

—The notorious Choquette couple have a daughter aged 13, whose destiny was but too plainly marked. Yesterday the girl was rescued from the den by the High Constable, and she has been sent to the Good Shepherd reformatory for a term of years.

—A case of assault and battery was tried at the Police Court this morning, between Martin Keen, servant, and John Egan, carter. Keen complained that Egan with a number of fellow carters were in the habit of getting him with ice and snow. This treatment was received more aggravatingly than usual, on the 29th ult. Egan offered no defence, and was fined \$1 and costs, \$3.90 or 45 days.

—Detective Bouchard arrested one François Sanchagrin, trader of Beaudry street, for being actively engaged in the suspicious horse-trade with the youth Brouseau, farm servant of Mr. Pigeon, of Hochelaga. Sanchagrin's explanation is opposite to that given by the other prisoner, whom he affirms induced him to swap, and forced the exchange. His story was corroborated by a companion, likewise a frequenter of Sanchagrin's. In view of the extremely contradictory evidence rendered, the magistrate released the prisoner on his personal bail, ordering him to appear at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon, when the investigation into the hearing of the case will be continued.

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH IN FULL

The House of Commons was called to order shortly after noon on the 6th, when the body was summoned to the House of Lords. Lord Chancellor Hatherly read the speech, which is as follows:—

"My Lords and Gentlemen:—I avail myself of the opportunity afforded by your re-assembling to renew the expression of my thankfulness to the Almighty for the deliverance of my son from most imminent danger, and my lively recollection of the profound universal sympathy shown by my loyal people during that season of anxiety and trial. I purpose that on Tuesday, the 27th inst., conformably to the good and becoming usage of former days, the blessing thus received shall be acknowledged, on behalf of the nation, by thanksgiving in the Metropolitan Cathedral. At the celebration it is my hope and desire to be present. Direction has been given to provide the necessary accommodations for the members of Parliament. The assurances of friendship that I receive from foreign Powers continue in all respects satisfactory; and I need hardly assure you that my endeavors will at all times be steadily directed towards the maintenance of those friendly relations."

THE SLAVE TRADE.

The slave trade, and practices scarcely to be distinguished from slave-trading, are still pursued in more than one quarter of the world, and continue to attract the attention of my Government. In the South Sea Islands the name of the British Empire is even now dishonored by the connection of some of my subjects with these nefarious practices; and in one of them the murder of an exemplary prelate casts fresh light upon some of the baneful consequences. A bill will be presented you for facilitating the trial of offences of this class in Australia. Endeavors will be made to increase, in other forms, the means for the contraband of the evil.

THE TREATY WITH FRANCE.

Various communications have passed between my Government and that of France on the subject of the commercial treaty concluded in 1860. From the divergence in the views respectively entertained in relation to the value of protective laws, this correspondence has not brought about any agreement to modify that important convention. Both sides, however, have uniformly declared their earnest desire that nothing shall occur to impair the cordiality which has so long prevailed between the nations. The papers relating to these subjects will be laid before you.

THE TREATY OF WASHINGTON.

The arbitrators appointed pursuant to the Treaty of Washington for the purpose of amicably settling the Alabama claims, held their first meeting in Geneva. Cases were brought before the arbitrators on behalf of each party to the treaty. In the case so submitted to the United States, large claims are involved, which are understood, on my part, to be within the province of the arbitrators. On this subject I have caused a friendly communication to be made to the Government of the United States. The Emperor of Germany has undertaken to arbitrate on the San Juan water boundary, and the cases of the two Governments have been presented to His Imperial Majesty. The Commission to sit at Washington has been appointed and is in session. The provisions of the treaty, which require the consent of the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, await its assembling.

DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

Turning to domestic affairs, I am glad to apprize you that, with a very few exceptions, Ireland has been free from serious crime. Trade in that part of the kingdom has been active, and the advance in agricultural industry remarkable. I am able also to congratulate you, so far as present experience allows judgment to be passed, upon the perceptible diminution in the number of both grave crimes and habitual criminals in Great Britain.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:—The principal estimates for the coming year have been prepared, and they will at once be laid before you. I trust you will find them suitable to the circumstances of the country. The state of the revenue affords favorable indications of the demand for employment, and of the general condition of the people, indications which are corroborated by a decline of pauperism not inconsiderable.

My Lords and Gentlemen:—Your attention is invited to several measures of acknowledged national interest. Among these are bills for the improvement of public education in Scotland for the regulation of the mines, for

the amendment of the licensing system, for fixing the relation of the Superior Courts of Justice and Appeal. In particular, a bill having for its main object the establishment of secret voting; together with a measure relating to the corrupt practices at Parliamentary elections, will be immediately presented. Several measures of administrative improvement in Ireland will be laid before you; likewise legislative provisions founded on the report of the Sanitary Commission.

You, my Lords and gentlemen, will, I am confident, again apply your well-known assiduity to the work of legislation, which from the increasing exigencies of modern society still seems to grow upon your hands; and I shall continue to rely, under Providence, alike on the loyalty of my people and your energy and wisdom to sustain the constant efforts of the Crown to discharge the duties, uphold the rights and defend the honor of the Empire.

MUNICIPAL BONDS.

A few days since we noted the fact that the people of Montreal were beginning to appreciate the difference between an investment of 10 and 6, as shown by the demands for municipal bonds. The inquiry for these bonds, we are informed by Mr. P. D. Browne, is increasing, and before investing elsewhere parties had better give them their earnest and candid attention.

THE WEATHER.

Temperature in the shade, by standard Thermometer, observed by Hearn, Harrison & Co. Opticians and Mathematical Instrument makers, 242 & 244 Notre Dame street:—6 p.m. yesterday, 27° 5; 8 a.m. to-day, 20°; 1 p.m. to-day, 28° 5; Max., 27° 5; Min., 19°; Mean, 23° 2. Standard Barometer compensated and corrected:—6 p.m. yesterday, 30.25; 9 a.m. to-day, 30.10; 1 p.m. to-day, 30.1; Montreal, Feb. 6, 1872.

LATEST MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK. Feb. 7.
Gold at 10 a.m. 110 to 00
Sterling Exchange 91 to 00

MONTREAL.
Greenbacks bought at a discount of 91 to 00
Greenbacks sold at a discount of 91 to 00
Silver bought at a discount of 91 to 00

G. W. WARNER & SON,
Cor. Notre Dame & St. Frs. Xavier streets.

The finest Tobaccos in the city at the Ottawa Hotel Cigar Store. 31

Another lot of German Slippers just received at Ronayne's, Chabolliez square.

Fresh importations of genuine Havana Cigars, at L. Abraham's. 31

A complete stock of Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices, at Ronayne's, Chabolliez square.

MEASLES.—Gardner's Domestic Cough Remedy has been found invaluable in relieving the cough so common while children are suffering from and after the measles; also, it is one of the most pleasant and safest Cough Remedies in use, giving speedy relief by allaying the tickling in the throat, which makes the cough so incessant. It is in bottles at 25 and 50 cents. J. Gardner, No. 457 Notre Dame street. 25

REMOVAL.—We would call the attention of our readers to the removal of Mr. J. F. Robinson, merchant tailor, from his old stand to more extensive premises, 529 Craig street, where he keeps, as usual, a large and varied assortment of Gentlemen's goods. Mr. Robinson prides himself specially on his style and fit; and it has got to be a by-word: "If you want to wear a good-looking, well-fitting suit of clothes, go to Robinson's, 529 Craig street." 25-17

Jewellery.—Those who wish a good, substantial article of Jewellery, and prefer having it made to suit themselves, will find every facility at our establishment for so doing. Diamond-setting being a specialty, all orders will be carefully attended to.

LULHAM BROS.,
5 Place d'Armes Hill, Montreal.

Fine Genuine Meerschaum Cigar-holders at the Ottawa Hotel Cigar Store. 31

Jos. Blaisdon wishes to inform the public and the ladies of Montreal that a private room for ladies' hair-dressing is attached to his new establishment, 265 Notre Dame street, Montreal. 15-12

PARSON'S PURGATIVE PILLS.—Best family physic; Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powder, for horses.

Fine Briar Pipes at L. Abraham's.

A Good Thing.

Gentle.—The confidence I have in Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Burns, Sprains and Rheumatism, for the cure of which I have successfully used it, induces me cheerfully to recommend its virtues to others. A few months ago I had recourse to it to destroy a felon. I applied the Pain-Killer freely for about 15 minutes at evening, and repeated the application very briefly the next morning, which entirely destroyed it.

Yours truly,
A. W. CURTIS, Romeo, Mich.,
Minister of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. 30-6

Marriages.

BREEN, MICKILLEY.—In this city, on the 7th instant, by the Rev. Father Dowd, Mr. Thos. Breen, to Miss Johanna, Mickilley, both of this city. No cards.

Deaths.

DOHERTY.—On the 7th instant, John, infant son of Patrick Doherty.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday morning, 9th instant, from his father's residence, 640 St. Joseph street, at 8:30 o'clock.

WANTED, a Thorough Servant; must be well recommended; good wages will be given. Apply between 10 and 12, at No. 53 McGill College avenue. 33

WANTED, a good, willing Lad, at 94 Boulevard street. 23

WANTED, by a young girl from England, a situation as Housemaid; good references. Apply at 34 Gosford street. 33

CENTS FOR SALE at the

"STAR" OFFICE.

OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE at the STAR Office. 19

New Advertisements this P.M.

SILK EXTRAORDINARY

AT S. CARLSEY'S.
We generally every day do a good Black silk trade; but since we have ordered them at the reduced prices, the run on them has been extraordinary.

The following Price-list shows the difference between our present prices and Montreal regular Wholesale prices:—
Our Price. Wholesale. Regular Retail.
71 cents, 75 cents, 85 cents,
85 cents, 90 cents, \$1.10
\$1.00, \$1.05, \$1.20
\$1.35, \$1.40, \$1.50
The same scale holds good up to \$4.00 per yard. In heavy corded silks, we can show the best Goods in Montreal.

S. CARLSEY,
385 Notre Dame street.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, or in May, a Cottage or upper tenement, containing three or four Rooms, Address Drawer 319, Post-office. 33-6

TO LET, a large Store, about 100 x 35 feet, heated with steam, and with or without power, being No. 53 St. Joseph street (a part of the old St. George's Church); immediate possession if required. Apply to CHAS. D. EDWARDS, No. 49 St. Joseph street (old St. George's Church). 33-3

TO LET, one large Flat, well lighted. Also, two Offices, ground floor, on McGill street.

JESSE JOSEPH,
18 St. Sacrament street.

PERSONAL.—Wanted information as to the whereabouts of James Adamson, formerly of Montreal and Edinburgh, Scotland. If this advertisement comes to his notice he will hear of something to his advantage by corresponding with his sister, Mrs. E. Bain, 116 Chatham street, Montreal. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received. When last heard from he was in Chicago. U. S. papers please copy. 33

LOST OR STOLEN, from Beaver Hall Terrace, a pure white Cat; has one eye blue and the other green; answers to the name of "Pearly." The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at 42 Beaver Hall Terrace. 33

LOST.—Left in a respectable Grocery Store, in Middle street, West, three weeks since, a small basket containing Crockery-Ware, till called for (address forgotten). Please address the number of store in the STAR and oblige. 33

BOARD.—Vacancies for two gentlemen at 58 St. Catherine street. 33

BOARD and comfortable Rooms, at No. 25 Germa street. 33

BOARD WANTED, by a young man, in a private family; French Protestant preferred. Address, stating terms, &c., C, 37, this office. 33

WANTED, by a young lady a situation at Sewing in a shop or private families. Address C, 31, STAR office. 33

WANTED, two Well-sinkers. Apply at 97 College street. 33

WANTED, a Seamstress capable of working a Sewing-machine by the day; must be able to Cut and Fit. Apply at 92 Fortier street. 33

WANTED, a comfortably furnished Room, with double bed, for two single gentlemen, without meals. Address, stating price, C, 34, STAR office. 33

WANTED, a good Cook and a girl to Scrub at 671 Craig street. 33

WANTED, a Housemaid who understands Waiting on Table, for a small family. Apply at 18 Victoria street. 33

WANTED, a Girl, about 6 or 17 years of age, to mind Children, at 506 St. Lawrence Main street. 33

WANTED, a situation as Bell Boy, in a Hotel. Apply at 25 Cote street. 33

WANTED, an engagement as Manager of either a Principal or Branch Office. The advertiser has upwards of twelve years' experience in business; is acquainted with every locality in the Province of Quebec where Agents are and might be appointed; speaks and writes both French and English; his character, in every respect, and his qualifications to manage any department of this business are unquestionable. For further particulars address "Star," EVENING STAR Office, Montreal. 33

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, samples of Boots and Shoes, on Commission, for the Ottawa route. Address Drawer 309, P. O. 33-1

WANTED, a General Servant, at 15 Platan street. 33



CORPORATION OF MONTREAL.

NEW CENSUS.

The CITY COUNCIL, having reason to apprehend that the last Official Census of the City does not give a fair and true representation of its population, have decided upon having a new Census made.

This Census will commence in the different Wards on MONDAY, the 12th February, inst., and all citizens are respectfully, but earnestly, requested to afford the several Enumerators every facility possible in obtaining the required information, which will be limited to ascertaining the number of males and females and whether Catholics or Protestants.

(By order),
CHS. GLACKMEYER,
City Clerk.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
City Hall,
Montreal, 8th Feb'y, 1872. 33-2

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
District of Montreal.

CIRCUIT COURT, Montreal.

[No. 2.]
HENRY LAROCHE, Plaintiff, vs. DAME LUCY FOOTE, et al. Defendants.

Will be sold by public auction, by the undersigned, on Saturday, the Seventeenth day of February, inst., at the domicile of the defendant, St. Catherine street, in the City of Montreal, all his goods and chattels, seized in this cause, consisting of Household Furniture, &c. Sale at Ten o'clock a.m. Terms cash.

WILFRID DUMAS, B.C.

Mon. real, 8th Feb'y, 1872. 33-1

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THOMAS BRADY,

400 ST. JOSEPH STREET.
FOUR SPECIAL LINES.

A special line of ENGLISH TWEEDS, at 50 cents per yard. These Goods have just arrived, and are now selling fast.

A SPECIAL LINE OF

A BLACK LUSTRES.—Only a few pieces left. Selling at 25 cents per yard.

A SPECIAL LINE OF

A TWILLED TICKINGS, soft finish, 36 inches wide, at 25 cents per yard.

A SPECIAL LINE OF

A VERY FINE SCARLET CLOTH SAXONY FLANNEL—wide and beautiful shade—selling at 45 cents. This Flannel is sold in many Stores from 55 to 60 cents.

THOMAS BRADY,

400 ST. JOSEPH STREET.
32-3

CANADIAN SILVER COIN

The undersigned having made arrangements with the Dominion Government to supply the public with SILVER COIN, is now prepared to deliver the same in sums of from one dollar and upwards at par.

W. WEIR, BANKER,
121 St. Francois Xavier street,
Opposite the Post-office.

P.S.—Arrangements are in progress to distribute the coin throughout the country (in places where there are no Bank Agencies). Particulars of which will be made known in a few days.
32-2 W. WEIR.

ONLY \$30.

BY EASY MONTHLY INSTALMENTS, FOR THE

BANNER SEWING-MACHINE,

Which makes the Lockstitch the same on both sides.

HEMS, QUILTS, BRAIDS, BASTES, &c.

POINTS OF EXCELLENCE:

Simplicity of construction, non-liability to get out of repair, speed, ease of operation and management, beauty and elasticity of stitch, quietness of movement.

HARTE & HEWITT, AGENTS,
26 78 Bonaventure street.

W. & F. P. CURRIE & CO.,

100 GREY NUN STREET,
Importers of Pig Iron, Bar Iron, Boiler Plates, Galvanized Iron, Canada Plates, Tin Plates.

BOILER TUBES, GAS TUBES,

Ingot Tin, Rivets, Vined Marble, Ingot Copper, Iron Wire, Roman Cement, Sheet Copper, Steel Wire, Portland do, Antimony, Glass, Canada do, Sheet Zinc, Paints, Paving Tiles, Ingot Zinc, Fire Clay, Garden Vases, Pig Lead, Flue Covers, Chimney Tops, Dry Red Lead, Fire Bricks, Fountains, Patent Encaustic Paving Tiles, &c.

Manufacturers of SOFA, CHAIR, and BED SPRINGS. A large stock always on hand. 15-14

REMOVAL.

ADAM ARCHIBALD,

GROCER AND WINE MERCHANT.

14-3

REMOVED

TO

No. 247 ST. JAMES STREET,

Opposite the Ottawa Hotel,

MONTREAL. 27-15

ESTABLISHED OVER QUAR-

TER OF A CENTURY.

JOHN AITKEN & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS AND IMPORTERS OF LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING AND BABY LINEN.

Most complete Stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, from the most celebrated manufacturers in England and Scotland. All our Goods are imported direct from manufacturers, which enables us to sell at the lowest prices.

JOHN AITKEN & CO.,

317 Notre Dame Street. 33

J. B. BUSS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL OYSTER DEALER.

24 ST. JAMES STREET,

We are receiving daily, FRESH CAN, BULK and SHELL OYSTERS. The trade supplied with our celebrated STAR Brand, at lower rates than the worthless inferior Can Oysters now offered in the market. All Oysters sold by us delivered free of charge.

Leave your orders at headquarters.

J. B. BUSS,
24 ST. JAMES STREET,
(Two doors West of Ottawa Hotel.)

Ladies' and Gents' Dining-rooms open from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m., conducted strictly on temperance principles. 27-3

WANTED TO PURCHASE,

a Second-hand, powerful SCREW, about three to four feet long, in good order. Apply to W.F. BEARDSELL, Dominion Glass Works, Pullum street. 32-6

HOUSES FOR SALE OR TO LET.

(HOUSES AND STORES TO LET will be advertised in the STAR for one half cent per word.)

WANTED, for the 1st of May, a House of four apartments, in a healthy locality; rent about \$24 a year. Address "Mechanic" STAR office. 33

WANTED, in a pleasant locality, a House; rent between \$20 and \$22; west of Bligny and North of St. Antoine street. Address, with full particulars, Box 281, Post-office. 32-6

TO LET, a Shop and Dwelling; a good Business Stand for a Grocery; rent \$20 and taxes. Apply at No. 145 St. Urban street. 32-3

TO LET, a small, furnished House, in a good locality. Address S.W., this office. 32-3

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET, furnished or unfurnished. Apply at 125 Cadieux street. 32-3

TO RENT, three new Cut-stone Houses on St. Janvier street, opposite St. George's Church, one of the most beautiful localities in the city. Also, that old-established Boot and Shoe Store, with Factory and dwelling opposite St. Antoine market, at present occupied by J. J. Thurston, Esq.

Besides several small shops and dwellings in the proximity of the St. Antoine market. Apply to THOMAS MCCREARY, 23 St. Bonaventure, from 7 to 10 a.m., or 1 to 3 p.m. 31-12

HOUSE TO LET.—One of those first-class Houses, No. 1098 Abbottsford Terrace, St. Catherine street, West. The houses are in first-rate condition, with all modern improvements, and heated with furnace, well drained, and rat-proof. Apply to G. B. BURLAND.

115 St. Francois Xavier street. 29-7

TO LET, Store No. 12 Lemoine street, extensive and first-class, with entrance in rear, now occupied by B. & S. H. Thompson.

Possession about 15th February, if required. Suitable for any business. Has fine Offices. Also, Store, quite new, No. 4 Lemoine street, seven flats, with all modern improvements, occupied by Thomson & Co., Dry-Goods. 29-8

JESSE JOSEPH,
16 St. Sacrament street.

BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE, situated on St. Dominique street. Address O, S, STAR office. 29

WANTED A SMALL HOUSE, within ten minutes' walk of the Post-office, containing four rooms. Rent not to exceed \$18. Address "Typo," STAR office. 28

TO LET, a large House and Garden, just above Sherbrooke street. Apply at No. 488 St. Lawrence street, or to LULHAM BROS., Jewellers, 5 Place d'Armes Hill. 28

TO LET, those premises forming the corner of College and Dupre streets, close to the new Hay and Horse Market, occupied the last four years by A. Belanger, Tinsmith. Apply to LULHAM BROS., Jewellers, 5 Place d'Armes Hill. 28

WANTED, for the first of May, a House of four to five apartments; rent not to exceed \$20 to \$25 per annum. Address R. H., STAR office. 28

HOUSE WANTED for May next; must be small and neat; in good repair, furnished or unfurnished, in or very near the city. Address, at once, C, 2, STAR office.

FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable for a married couple, at 41 Alexander street. 31

TO LET, in a nice locality, without Board, five front Rooms, well furnished, suitable for Board and Family, with use of Kitchen and Dining-room. Apply at 4 Mount Charles Place, off St. Dominique street. 32-3

TO LET, Double Office, with Safe and Grate. BOYD, EGAN & CO., 18 Comancon street, Montreal. 32-6

TO LET, two first-class Bedrooms, with Parlors, with or without Board, in a pleasant locality. Apply at 487 Craig street. 27-17

TO LET, Room and Water-power at the St. Gabriel Locks. Apply to J. & W. Hilton, 165 St. James street; to F. Smith, at the Factory, St. Gabriel Locks; or to Edward Hilton, at the St. Lawrence Glass Co.'s Office, Albert street. 29

TO LET OR FOR SALE, a Vacant Lot on Chatham street, 26 x 137, adjoining the Lachine Railway, admir