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## AFTER BIG BEAR

DEPARTURE OF GENERAL MIDDLETON'S FORCE FROM BATTLEFORD—LOYAL HALFBREED MOUNTED INFANTRY  
 BATTLEFORD, May 31.—Gen. Middle's force of five hundred troops, consisting of the Grenadiers, the 90th, part of the Midland, twenty five men of A battery, some scouts, and others left by steamer this morning to reinforce Gen. Strange.  
 Capt. Col. Ouimet, who is at Edmonton, has been active in enrolling volunteer militia and with the assistance of Bishop Grondin has raised a mounted infantry corps of loyal half breed and St. Albert, mostly all experienced plain hunters. Some twenty miles north of Edmonton this corps is doing good service in keeping the Indians in subordination.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT OF THE FIGHT  
 BATTLEFORD, May 30.—The enemy were on a high hill and behind rocks surrounded by deep ravines. The troops could not cross the country by a flank movement, though 89 men of the 65th came down later on a scow and tried to flank them.  
 The troops engaged consisted of two companies of the 92nd (Winnipeg Light Infantry), under Col Osborne Smith; two companies of the 65th and the Alberta Mounted Rifles (100 strong), under Major Hutton. The courier did not know whether Big Bear was the leader or not. The number of the enemy was estimated at 75 to 100, but the main band was not far off.

The Indians opened on the troops as they were marching over the ground at the foot of the hill. The nine-pounder gun brought by the police from Fort McLeod did good service, but the enemy was entirely hidden among the rocks and ravines. The firing lasted off and on for three or four hours, when Gen. Strange ran short of ammunition and withdrew the troops back to Fort Pitt.  
 Later particulars of the fight at Fort Pitt say the 65th wanted to charge the Indians, but were not allowed. General Strange concluding that he had not enough men to make a successful fight.

## N. W. MOUNTED POLICE.

SERIOUS CHARGE MADE AGAINST THE FORCE—CRUELTY AND UNFAIRNESS AT PRINCE ALBERT.  
 The Witness correspondent, writing from Prince Albert, reiterates the charge of cowardice against the Mounted Police, and that when they arrived at Prince Albert they turned the women and children out of the rude huts which had been constructed and put their own men into it. The citizens were also unfairly treated in the matter of rations, guard and arms. Cattle, including milk cows, heifers and oxen, were seized by the police without any authority and handed over to the Commissariat Department without any payment being given to the owners for the same. Charles Nelson, Thomas Scott, Jean Isbeter, Mrs. Monkman and others were arrested by the police without a warrant and kept in close confinement for terms ranging from three to four weeks, without either being examined and tried or even an information laid against them, simply because they were suspected. Nolin at one time was paced in irons, and this in face of the fact that they came into Prince Albert, on a proclamation, dated March 20th.

BARGAINS IN PIANOS, ORGANS, &c.  
 We have pleasure in announcing that Mr. A. Peterson, of the firm of A. & S. Nordheimer, Toronto and Montreal is again in the city and offers great bargains in upright and square pianos, organs, new and second hand. Many parties after moving into their new houses are no doubt thinking of exchanging their square pianos for the more modern upright and special instruments are given to intending purchasers during Mr. Peterson's stay in this city. Since this firm bought the bankrupt stock of R. Morgan they have met with great success, which is due to the exceptional fine quality of their instruments, as they sell the celebrated Chickering, Steinway, Haines and Gabler pianos, and the liberality with which they have always met the wishes of their customers. In addition to the above named instruments the firm offer also a number of good second hand pianos and organs.

## QUEBEC BANK.

The Sixty seventh annual meeting of the shareholders of this Bank took place at the Banking Rooms on Monday at three pm.  
 Present Sir N. F. Belleau, KCMG, Rev. W. B. Clark, Hon. Jas. G. Ross, Messrs. Withall, R. H. Smith, W. White, J. R. Young, G. R. Renfrew, J. W. Henry, J. Laird, U. Tessier, jr., James Morgan, E. T. Fletcher, A. Painchaud, J. H. Simms, R. Brodie, P. Johnston, E. H. Taylor, W. C. Young, and others.

The chair having been taken by Hon. Jas. G. Ross, W. Brown was requested to act as Secretary.

The President read the report of the Directors, and the Cashier, James Stevenson, Esq., read the statement of the affairs of the Bank as on 15th May, 1885.

## REPORT

Of the Directors and Shareholders at their Sixty-seventh Annual General Meeting, held 1st June, 1885.  
 A statement of the affairs of the Bank has been sent to the several Shareholders of the Bank for their information preparatory to this meeting.

That statement shows that the net profits for the past fiscal year, after payment of all expenses incurred in the management, amount to \$244,051 35. The last annual Report exhibited a balance at credit of Profit and Loss, viz: on the 15th May, 1884... 20,644 15

\$264,695 50  
 The semi annual dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, paid in Dec. last, amounted to ..... 75,000 00

Leaving.....\$189,695 50  
 Of this sum the Directors have appropriated in connection with bad and doubtful debts, \$55,747 88  
 And they have declared a Dividend for the half year ending 15th May, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum..... 75,000 00

Leaving at credit of Profit and Loss ..... \$58,947 62  
 The Reserve remains at ...\$325,900 00

The commercial depression which Canada has shared in common with the mother country and the neighboring States of America, rendered the business of Banking during the last year both difficult and precarious. The earnings have consequently been less than those of the previous year.  
 The present promising appearance of the crops throughout the Dominion of Canada, and the prospect of more peaceful times, justify the revival of hope in commercial circles of an improvement in business generally; and the Directors look forward with some confidence to greater activity and prosperity in those departments of trade in which this Bank is chiefly interested.

The branches of the Bank have been daily inspected and the Directors have to report favorably of their progress.

The duties of the several officers of the bank have been discharged in a careful and satisfactory manner.  
 (Signed) J. G. Ross, President.

## GENERAL STATEMENT.

15th May, 1885.

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid up.....	\$2,500,000 00
Reserve account.....	\$325,900 00
At credit profit and loss account.....	58,947 62
Dividends unclaimed.....	2,929 26
Dividend No 126, payable 1st June, 1885.....	75,000 00
Reserved for interest due depositors, rebate on current discounts &c.....	129,614 64
Notes in circulation.....	668,994 00
Deposit bearing interest.....	3,669,158 92
Deposits not bearing interest.....	727,516 68
Due to banks in Canada.....	18,439 27
	5,082,107 87
	\$8,173,599 39

ASSETS.	
Special Government demand notes.....	\$81,997 56
Notes of and cheques on other banks.....	352,900 00
Due from other banks in Canada.....	179,823 29
Due from foreign agents.....	35,749 29
Due from agents in the United Kingdom.....	54,334 33
	23,713 61
	728,517 48
Dominion Government Debentures.....	148,433 33
Loans to Government of the Dominion.....	302,149 00
Real estate in Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.....	\$ 101,110 77
Mortgages on real estate sold, Quebec and Ontario.....	30,403 00
Bank premises and bank furniture in Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.....	71,278 60
	202,862 37
Loans to corporations.....	\$107,739 33
Loans to other banks.....	243,777 78
Loans on stock and bonds.....	637,873 39
Current loans, discounts and advances to the public.....	4,869,688 73
Overdue debts (secured).....	481,815 72
Overdue debts (not specially secured estimated loss provided for) ..	48,793 42
Other assets.....	4,958 84
	6,891,647 21
	\$8,173,599 39

JAMES STEVENSON, Cashier.

Quebec Bank 15th May 1885.  
 Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the Year ended 15th May, 1885

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Dividend 3 p.c. paid 1st December 1884..	\$75,000
Dividend 3 p.c. payable 1st June, 1885..	75,000
	\$150,000 00
Appropriations for bad and doubtful debts.....	55,747 88
Balance at credit of profit and loss account 15th May, 1885..	53,947 62
	\$ 264,695 50
Balance at credit of profit and loss account, 15th May, 1884..	20,644 15
Profits for year at head office and branches, after deducting charges of management .....	244,051 35
	\$ 264,695 50

Moved by Hon. Jas. G. Ross, seconded by Sir N. F. Belleau, KCMG, and Resolved,—That the report and statement now read be adopted.

Moved by J. W. Henry, Esq., seconded by J. H. Simmons, Esq., and Resolved,—That the thanks of this meeting be given to the President, Vice President and Directors for their valuable services during the past year.

The President in returning thanks expressed regret that the continued depression in business did not permit the Board to make a more favorable statement. He hoped, however, that if spared to meet together again next year, the affairs of the bank would be in a better position, and that the Board would be able to declare a higher dividend.

Moved by Rev. W. B. Clark, seconded by W. C. Young, Esq., and Resolved,—That the thanks of this meeting be given to the Cashier, Inspector, Managers and other officers of the Bank for the efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties.

The Cashier in a few well chosen words returned thanks in his own behalf, as well as on the part of the other officers of the bank.

Moved by P. Johnston, Esq., seconded by E. H. Taylor, Esq., and Resolved,—That the ballot box be now opened, and remain open until four o'clock this day, for the election of Directors, and that R. Brodie, Esq., and J. H. Simmons, Esq., be requested to act as scrutineers, and that if five minutes elapse without a vote being cast, the scrutineers be empowered to close the ballot box.

The Scrutineers reported the following gentlemen elected to serve on the Board for the following year:—  
 Hon. James G. Ross, W. Withall, Esq., Sir N. F. Belleau, KCMG, R. H. Smith, Esq.,

Wm. White, Esq., J. R. Young, Esq., G. R. Renfrew, Esq., Moved by R. Brodie, Esq., seconded by Jas. Stevenson, Esq., and Resolved—That the thanks of this meeting be hereby given to J. G. Ross for his services in the chair.  
 Moved by G. R. Renfrew, Esq., seconded by A. Forrest, Esq., and Resolved—That the thanks of this meeting be hereby given to the Secretary and Scrutineers for their services.

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 —BY—  
 Rev. P. J. E. Page, Professor of Chemistry, Laval University  
 QUEBEC, 4th May, 1885  
 I have analysed the India Pale Ale manufactured by JOHN LABATT, London, Ontario, bottled by N. Y. MONTREUIL, Quebec. I have found it a light Ale, containing but little alcohol, of a delicious flavor, and of a very agreeable taste and Superior Quality, and compares with the best Imported English or American Ales.  
 I have also analysed the Porter, XXX Stout, of the same Brewery, which is of Excellent Quality; its flavor is very agreeable; it is a tonic more energetic than the above Ale, for it is a little richer in alcohol and can be compared advantageously with any imported article.  
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 P. J. E. PAGE,  
 Professor of Chemistry, Laval University,  
 Quebec.  
 May 12, 1885

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QUEBEC DAILY MERCURY

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 3.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA, being assured of the King of Denmark's readiness to act as arbitrator, have agreed to invite him to arbitrate.

THE Marquis de Montcalm, the newly appointed Consul General of France in Canada, is a great grandson of the heroic General who commanded the French forces when Wolfe captured Quebec.

AFTER MANY MONTHS of anxious thought and gloomy forebodings, we are assured of peace between Russia and England. And what can we say of the man who, against the most bitter opposition, not only of party spirit and a false idea of national pride, but also the intrigues and influence of interested commercial and financial speculators and would-be contractors, has avoided a probably unprecedented loss of human life, the waste of untold wealth of property and the burden of an incalculable debt. This has been the result of his wisdom, his policy, and his high principle while still upholding the grand honor of England and of the British Empire. Gladstone has wantonly been attacked by the war party for cowardice, but who knew better than he all the minute and difficulties which beset his path? Emperors, kings, princes, rulers, ministers, and those high in power in church and state, have all used their influence to adjust the difficulties between the nations of Great Britain and Russia. But the "grand old man" has cut the Gordian knot and gained the pacification of Europe.

And here in Canada we have crushed a rebellion, a rebellion, the inception of which was folly as to its ultimate success, but, no doubt, caused by the many grievances suffered by the Indians and halfbreeds, and which might have been avoided had their just rights been regarded; a rebellion which has cost the country about \$3,000,000 and the many lives of innocent men, women and children, and an immense damage to future immigration.

In China, peace has been declared and France has withdrawn her troops and in Madagascar the same country has stayed hostilities, so that the world which opened in such a bellicose state at the beginning of the year is already at peace. But in retrospection to what may we look. England has gained by diplomacy. France in both cases by an inability of success, but Canada by her arms, by the bravery of her soldiers, has thoroughly attained victory.

Therefore, of this universal peace we may justly feel proud, for we have gained our end as in the days of old by our own vigor and manhood.

GENERAL LUMSDEN, who has arrived at Constantinople, is said to be much disappointed at the course taken by the Gladstone Cabinet. He says that Russia is now able, through possession of the Penjdeh district, to provoke fresh complications whenever it suits her policy. Sir Peter Lumsden, in an interview, said the present semi-peaceful state of affairs between England and Russia may exist for weeks and perhaps for months, but the two powers are certain to again become embroiled before long. The old frontier line, which interposes 80 miles of desert between the disputants, is the best that can be decided upon.

Prince Robert Francois Louis Philippe, eldest son of the Duke de Chartres, is dead, aged 19.

TRADE WITH FRANCE.

Messrs. Plimondon & Angere enquire what is the reason that the pioneer vessel, the steamer Uluda, the first of the line between Quebec and Havre, refuse to take freight at this port? They have contracted for and made sales to several parties in France to ship by this line. To their great surprise they were told by the agent at Quebec that the steamer Uluda will not be permitted to stop here for freight, although this line receives a large subsidy from the Dominion Government.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

Three fourths of the stock of the Pontiac & Pacific road were sold last week to Mr H J Beemer, the contractor, who succeeds Armstrong & Co. Messrs. Church and Chapleau remain in with Mr Beemer, but the other stockholders have withdrawn. The road runs from Aymer to Pembroke and it is expected that the unfinished portion of forty miles will be completed this fall.

CABINET DIFFERENCES

There is little doubt that serious differences exist in the Ottawa Cabinet with reference to the Franchise Bill and other matters. Sir John Macdonald and Mr Bowell are said to be the only Ministers who are in favor of putting the bill through. The others, the French Ministers especially, are decidedly opposed to further wasting the time of the House on it.

TRIAL OF A PILOT.

M. Goudreau, the pilot who was in charge of the steamship Cacouna when she went ashore at White Island on her inward voyage, as already announced, has been summoned for trial on Saturday afternoon. The captain of the steamship having declined to prosecute, the Harbor Commissioners have themselves initiated proceedings as empowered by 45 Vic, Cap 32.

WRECK PASSED AT SEA.

Captain Sorensen, of the Norwegian bark Finn, which has arrived at St. Thomas, reports having passed a quantity of wreckage on the Banks during his inward passage. There were cabin doors, spars, rigging, portions of rail, &c, apparently of a pretty large sized vessel.

BEE CULTURE.

Preparations are being made to hold a convention of the Bee Growers Association of the Province of Quebec at St Hyacinthe, during September next. Mr Francois Benoit, president, will preside, and a number of different subjects relative to apiculture in Canada will be discussed.

THE SHORT LINE

In answer to an enquiry by Mr Edgar, Mr Pope said the Government had not yet completed the plans to be submitted to Parliament for the Canadian Pacific Railway connection at Quebec and for the short line.

DROWING AT ST RAYMOND.

Dr A. G. Belleau, the district coroner, left town last night to hold an inquest on a case of drowning, which has taken place at the adjacent parish of St Raymond. No details have yet reached us.

CORPUS CHRISTI

Tomorrow is a legal holiday in this Province, and the banks courts and public departments will be closed.

CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS

Duties collected at the Custom House today amounted to \$5182 31.

The annual report of the New York Cotton Exchange shows the depression of trade has materially affected cotton speculation. Transactions in cotton for future delivery 1885, were 21,462,000 bales; 1884, 24,823,000 bales 1883, 25,901,000 bales

Emperors of China are privileged to name their successors among the male members of their own or a relative's family. China has no law therefore governing the hereditary succession to the throne.

Alexander III, of Russia, recently wrote to his sister, the Duchess of Edinburgh, that he was as anxious for peace as she was, but that she must remember that he might have to choose between war and revolution.

Three or four Indians of the tribe of the Stoneys have been found dead, presumably unjustly shot, in the neighborhood of Battleford since the surrender of Poundmaker.

It is said that since he entered the Presidential Mansion Cleveland has never once been late for breakfast; and he requires the same punctuality of all the rest of his household.

One of the "business interests" of San Francisco is the gathering of tin oil and fruit cans for use in packing of matches. Collectors receive 4 cents each for a tin, and 20,000 are annually used.

RIEL'S PLOTTINGS.

HIS WORK IN GETTING UP THE REBELLION—\$2000 WOULD HAVE SECURED HIS ALLEGIANCE.

Father Andre, of the Roman Catholic Mission at Prince Albert, was interviewed by a correspondent, and said Riel visited him to secure his aid, saying whatever was obtained by the half breed, either by constitutional means or force of arms, the church should have its share and not only one tenth but one seventh. Father Andre declined to give his aid and Riel declared he would triumph in spite of the Church and trample the priest under his foot. The priest advised Riel to leave the country. Riel said he could not, as he was in debt and penniless, but said he would go if given \$2000 by the Dominion Government. Lieutenant Governor Dowlney was communicated with, also Sir John Macdonald, and Riel promised to wait forty days. Forty days did not bring the money and the rebellion went on.

A SKILFUL SURGICAL OPERATION

The American Ambassador at Vienna, Mr. Kasson, has lately forwarded to his Government an interesting account of a remarkable surgical operation lately performed by Professor Billroth, of Vienna, which, wonderful to tell, consisted in the removal of a portion of the human stomach, involving nearly one-third of the organ—and, strange to say, the patient recovered—the only successful operation of the kind ever performed. The disease for which this operation was performed was cancer of the stomach, attended with the following symptoms:—The appetite is quite poor. There is a peculiar indescribable distress in the stomach, a feeling that has been described as a faint "gull gone" sensation; a sticky slime collects about the teeth, especially in the morning, accompanied by an unpleasant taste. Food fails to satisfy this peculiar faint sensation; but, on the contrary, it appears to aggravate the feeling. The eyes are sunken, tinged with yellow; the hands and feet become cold and sticky—a cold perspiration. The sufferers feel tired all the time, and sleep does not seem to give rest. After a time the patient becomes nervous and irritable, gloomy, his mind filled with evil forebodings. When rising suddenly from a recumbent position there is a dizziness, a whistling sensation, and he is obliged to grasp something firm to keep him from falling. The bowels costive, the skin dry and hot at times; the blood becoming thick and stagnant, and does not circulate properly. After a time the patient spits up food soon after eating, sometimes in a sour and fermented condition, sometimes sweetish to the taste. Oftentimes there is a palpitation of the heart, and the patient fears he may have heart disease. Towards the last the patient is unable to retain any food whatever, as the opening in the intestines becomes close, or nearly so. Although this disease is indeed alarming, sufferers with the above-named symptoms should not feel nervous, for nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a thousand have no cancer, but simply dyspepsia, a disease easily removed if treated in a proper manner. The safest and best remedy for the disease is Seigel's Curative Syrup, a vegetable preparation sold by all chemists and medicine vendors throughout the world, and by the proprietors, A. J. White (Limited), 17, Farringdon road, London, E.C. This Syrup strikes at the very foundation of the disease, and drives it, root and branch, out of the system.

St. Mary street, Peterborough, November 29th, 1881.

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September 3rd, 1883.

Dear Sir,—I find the sale of Seigel's Syrup steadily increasing. All who have tried it speak very highly of its medicinal virtues; one customer describes it as a "Godsend to dyspeptic people." I always recommend it with confidence.

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The sale keeps up wonderfully, in fact, one would almost fancy that the people were beginning to breakfast, dine and sup on Mother Seigel's Syrup, the demand is so constant and the satisfaction so great.

I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully, (Signed) W Bowker. To A J White, Esq. Spanish Town, Jamaica, West Indies, Oct 24, 1882.

Dear Sir—I write to inform you that I have derived great benefit from "Seigel's Syrup." For some years I have suffered from liver complaint, with its many and varied concomitant evils, so that my life was a perpetual misery. Twelve months ago I was induced Seigel's Syrup

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I am, dear Sir, Yours ever gratefully, (Signed) Carey B Berry, Baptist Missionary.

Hensingham, Whitehaven, Oct 16, 1882. Mr A J White—Dear Sir,—I was for some time afflicted with piles, and was advised to give Mother Seigel's Syrup a trial, which I did. I am now happy to state that it has restored me to complete health—I remain yours, respectfully, (Signed) John H Lightfoot.

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The Steamers on this Ferry, connecting with the undermentioned Trains, will leave QUEBEC FOR INTER-COLONIAL RAILWAY. A.M. 7 45 Mail to Halifax. 8 00 Accommodation to R du Loup. 1 15 Mail to R du Loup. P.M. 5 00 Accommodation to R du Loup. On Saturdays Only P.M. 2 00 English Mail to Rimouki. FOR QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY, A.M. 10 30 Express to Sherbrooke. P.M. 2 30 Mixed to St. Joseph. June 1, 1885

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Our Stock in the above Department is very complete with the Latest Styles for the Season, viz: Gents' White Linen Vests. Gents' Brown Holland Coats, \$1.55. Gents' Black Alpaca Office Coats. Gents' all Wool Blue Serge Coats, \$4.50, or \$4.25 net. Gents' Tweed Suits, from \$7.00, or \$6.55 net. Gents' Waterproof Tweed Coat, \$7.00, or \$6.55 net. Boys' Brown Holland suits. Boys' Washing sailor suits, from \$1.40. Boys' Blue Serge sailor suits, from \$2.25 or \$2.14 net. Boys' Tweed suits, from \$3.00, or \$2.85 net. Boys' Blue Jersey suits, from \$1.65, cap included. Also, a large stock, newest styles, in boys' Trimmed Jersey suits. Boys' Blue Jersey very cheap. A complete assortment of Gents' Summer Underclothing, Hosiery, Scarfs, Ties, Braces, Collars, Cuffs, White and Colored Regatta Shirts.

GLOVER, FRY & CO

NEW FANCY GOODS!

Now opening, latest Styles in Straw Hats and Bonnets. Ladies Colored Jerseys. Childrens Jersey Dresses, in Cream, Sky, Cardinal and all the new colors, from \$2.00, or \$1.90 net. 50 doz Ladies Black and Colored French Kid Gloves, 55c., worth \$1.10.

GLOVER, FRY & CO.

Union Bank of Lower Canada.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Institution will be held at their Banking House in the City of Quebec, on MONDAY, the SIXTH day of JULY, 1885. The Chair to be taken at Noon. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to 30th June inclusive. By order of the Board, P. MACEWAN, Cashier. Quebec, May 30, 1885. June 1, 1885

A FRESH SUPPLY

Of the Celebrated St. LEON MINERAL WATER has arrived to-day from the Springs direct. This water, taken before meals, acts as an aperient, and taken after meals, as an effectual digestive. Mr. ANDREW CRAWFORD, Palace St., has been appointed sole bottler of this water. For Sale, Wholesale and Retail, by GINGRAS, LANGLOIS & CO., Dominion Agents, 3, Port Dauphin Street, Opposite Archbishop's Palace. May 30, 1885. 3

TO LET

A Part of the Store, 28, Fabrique St., including Dwelling. A splendid situation for a Book Stationery or Fancy Goods business. For particulars, apply on the premises. May 30, 1885. 2m

St. Romuald and Sillery Ferry.

On and after MONDAY, the 18th May, will leave (weather and circumstances permitting) as follows:— LEAVE QUEBEC 6 00 A.M. 9 00 A.M. 11 30 A.M. 2 00 P.M. 4 30 P.M. 6 15 P.M. LEAVE ST ROMAULD 5 15 A.M. 8 00 A.M. 10 00 P.M. 1 00 P.M. 3 00 P.M. 5 30 P.M. SUNDAYS: QUEBEC 1 30 P.M. 3 00 P.M. 6 00 P.M. ST ROMAULD 2 00 P.M. 5 30 P.M. May 16 1885.

ISLAND OF ORLEANS FERRY.

On and after MONDAY, the 18th May will sail as follows, until further notice weather and circumstance permitting:— LEAVE ORLEANS. LEAVE QUEBEC. 5 15 A.M. 6 30 A.M. 8 00 A.M. 9 15 P.M. 10 00 A.M. 11 30 A.M. 1 30 P.M. 2 30 P.M. 3 30 P.M. 4 45 P.M. 5 45 P.M. SUNDAYS: LEAVE ORLEANS. LEAVE QUEBEC. 11 30 A.M. 1 00 P.M. 1 45 P.M. 2 30 P.M. 3 15 P.M. 5 00 P.M. 7 00 P.M. Calling at St. Joseph up and down. Every holiday the steamer will make a trip from the Island to Quebec at 8 A.M. May 15, 1885.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Quoted by T. E. Hanrahan & Co., 86 and 88 St. Peter Street, opposite the G. N. W. Telegraph Company.

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks like Quincey, Central, South, Hud, etc.

Table of Grains in Chicago prices for Wheat, Corn, etc.

Table of Provisions in Chicago prices for Pork, Beef, etc.

Quebec Permanent Building Society. The twenty-ninth Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of this Society will be held at its Office on TUESDAY, the 5th of MAY instant, at half-past SEVEN o'clock P.M., for the Election of Directors for the current year.

The Artisans Permanent Building Society. This Society have removed their offices to Gowen's Buildings, 125 Peter Street.

Intending borrowers will do well to call and see the rates and terms of the Society.

For SALE CHEAP.—A large black Walnut Desk must be removed before 31st May, also, 2 new sewing machines. Several houses on cheap and easy terms.

By order, A. J. Auger. Quebec, 27th April 1885.

QUEBEC & LAKE ST. JOHN Railway

On and after WEDNESDAY, 20th inst., trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) from Palais Station, Quebec, as follows: GOING NORTH. 3.5 A.M. MIXED leaves Quebec for Lake Simons, arriving there at 10 45 a.m. 10.15 A.M. MAIL leaves Quebec for St. Raymond, arriving there at 7 15 p.m. GOING SOUTH. 10 A.M. MAIL leaves St. Raymond for Quebec, arriving there at 8 55 a.m. 1.15 P.M. MIXED leaves Lake Simons for Quebec, arriving there at 6 00 p.m. Mail Train going North runs through to Lake Simons on Tuesdays and Thursdays, leaving there at 7 45 P.M. Returning, leaves Lake Simons at 8 15 P.M., arriving at St. Raymond at 8 45 same days. Trains run by Eastern Standard Time. Trains connect at St. Ambrose with the line for Indian Lorette, at Valcartier with stage for Valcartier Village and at St. Gabriel with the new road for River aux Pins settlements. Special Fares Return first-class tickets on Saturdays good till following Tuesday. J. G. SCOTT, Secy & Manager, Commercial Chambers, May 20, 1885.

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CAPITAL PRIZE. \$150,000.

We do hereby certify that we supervise the arrangements for all the Monthly and Semi-Annual Drawings of The Louisiana State Lottery Company, and in person manage and control the Drawings themselves, and that the same are conducted with honesty, fairness, and in good faith toward all parties, and we authorize the Company to use this Certificate, with fac-similes of our signatures attached in its Advertisements.

Commissioner's signature.

UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTION. Over Half a Million Distributed.

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Incorporated in 1868 for 25 years by the Legislature for Educational and Charitable purposes—with a capital of \$1,000,000—to which a reserve fund of over \$550,000 has since been added. By an overwhelming popular vote, its franchise was made a part of the present State Constitution, adopted December 2nd A.D. 1879. Its Grand Single Number Drawings will take place monthly. It never scales or postpones. Look at the following Distribution: 18th GRAND MONTHLY AND THE EXTRAORDINARY SEMI-ANNUAL DRAWING, in the Academy of Music, New Orleans, Tuesday, June 16, 1885, under the personal supervision and management of Gen. G. T. BEAUREGARD, of Louisiana, and Gen. JUBAL A. EARLY, of Virginia.

Capital Prize, \$150,000. Grand Prize, 50,000. Large Prizes, 20,000. Prizes of 1,000, 500, 200, 100, 50. Approximation Prizes of \$200, 100, 50.

2279 Prizes amounting to \$522,500. Application for rates to clubs should be made only to the office of the Company in New Orleans. For further information, write clearly, giving full address, POSTAL NOTES, Express Money Orders, or New York Exchange in ordinary letter. Currency by Express (all sums of \$5 and upwards at our expense) addressed.

M. A. DAUPHIN, New Orleans, La. Or M. A. DAUPHIN, 807 Seventh St., Washington, D.C. Make P. O. Money Orders payable and address Registered Letters to New Orleans National Bank, New Orleans, La. May 13, 1885.

THE LAND GRANT

Canadian Pacific Railway. The finest WHEAT MEADOW & GRAZING Lands in MANITOBA and the NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

Lands at very low prices within easy distance of the Railway, particularly adapted for MIXED FARMING—stock raising, dairy produce. Land can be purchased With or Without Cultivation Conditions.

At the option of the purchaser. Prices range from \$2.50 per acre upwards, with conditions requiring cultivation, and without cultivation or settlement conditions, at liberal figures, based upon careful inspection by the Company's Land Examiners.

When the sale is made subject to cultivation A REBATE of one-half of the purchase price is allowed on the quantity cultivated.

Terms of Payment: Payments may be made in full at time of purchase, or in six annual instalments, with interest. Land Grant Bonds can be had from the Bank of Montreal at 10 per cent. premium on their par value, and accrued interest, in payment for lands.

Pamphlets, Maps, Guide Books, &c., can be obtained from the undersigned, and also from John H. McTavish, Land Commissioner, Winnipeg, to whom all applications as to prices, conditions of sale, description of lands, &c., should be addressed.

By order of the Board, CHAS. DRINKWATER, Secy. March 17, 1885.

SIX O'CLOCK EDITION. QUEBEC DAILY MERCURY

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 3.

LATEST CABLE NEWS.

Asiatic Cholera Declared Prevalent in Valencia.

"Melton" Wins the Derby Race To-day.

Great Colliery Fire—800 Lives in Peril—All but 23 Rescued.

Later Particulars of the Serinagur Earthquakes.

By cable to The Mercury. MADRID, June 3—The Government Commission has declared Asiatic cholera epidemic in Valencia.

GREAT COLLIERY EIRE. LONDON, June 3—A fire broke out in the Philadelphia colliery near Durham today, and 300 miners are in the pit. All attempts to subdue the flames or rescue the unfortunate miners have failed. Great excitement exists. It is feared the majority will perish.

5 pm—Lat r despatches say all but 23 miners have been rescued. Those missing are supposed to have been killed. The fire was caused by an explosion of fire damp.

6 pm—Twenty two men and boys were killed outright.

EARTHQUAKES AT SERINAGUR. LONDON, June 3—A despatch from Serinagur, regarding the earthquakes at Casmere, says:—Fifty soldiers of the garrison of Serinagur were wounded, forty natives were killed and eighty injured. Many of the latter will die. The palace of the British Resident is a mass of ruins.

A PRIME MINISTER HANGED. TAMATAVE, June 3—The war party in Annamirivo has strangled the Prime Minister because he favored peace with France.

SS "CASPIAN'S" ENGINEER SUICIDES. LIVERPOOL, June 3—Chief Engineer Brown, of the steamer Caspian, committed suicide by jumping overboard during the voyage from Baltimore.

THE DERBY. LONDON, June 3—Melton won the Derby; Paradox second and Royal Hambleton second.

It is not so well. By telegraph to The Mercury.

NEW YORK, June 3—General Grant passed a restless night. There is not much change, however, in his condition. Driving out has aggravated the pain in his throat, and he will probably discontinue his trips to the Park.

Telegraphic Ticks. Col Durie, the first commandant of the Queen's Own, and more recently assistant adjutant general, is reported to be dying at Toronto.

The Marquis of Queensberry is in New York. He is a son of the noble lord of high degree, who made himself immortal by devising a popular set of prize fighting rules.

It is reported that the Great London dailies are dissatisfied with the exorbitant rates charged by Reuter's Telegraph Company, and will not submit to the proposed increase in charges.

Mr Stewart, Chief of Police at Hamilton, has been asked by the Dominion Government to go to Regina with Mr Christopher Robinson, Q.C., to work up the case for the Crown against Riel.

A Russian inventor has devised a means of so impregnating wood with a certain chemical that matches made from it can be used several times over, thus effecting a saving of at least 75 per cent.

LONDON, Ont, June 1—The workmen of the G. T. R. car shops have decided to accept the 10 per cent reduction in pay, with twelve hours additional work per week, to equalize things on condition that with the first sign of returning good times the old wages be renewed.

The autopsy in the case of Prof Odum, the Brooklyn Bridge jumper, reveals that every important internal organ was ruptured, and that the doctors literally hacked the body to pieces in order to carry off specimens for the cabinets.

DOINGS IN MONTREAL.

INTERESTING BUDGET OF NEWS FROM THE SISTER CITY.

MONTREAL, June 3—Lord Elphinstone is in town en route to England. The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec have taken an action against Antoine Racicot of this city for practising without necessary qualifications.

The stock market recovered somewhat today and the whole market closed fairly steady. Montreal closed at 190.

At the continuation of the preliminary examination into the charges against Hall and Fox, for forgery, this morning, Alex Branton, checking teller of the National Bank of Scotland corroborated the evidence given by Alex Graham, cashier, yesterday, to the effect that Hall came to the bank on the 8th of April last and obtained circular notes for £50 each. On that occasion he gave the name of Wall. He also declared the signatures on the circular notes forgeries. Both Mr Graham and Mr Branton will at once proceed to Toronto to give evidence against the men in prison there.

At the annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal Mr. Smithers, the president, in his annual address, spoke encouragingly of the improvement in the business of the country, but advised a continuance of caution for the future. He also strongly advocated the adoption by Canadian banks of the American National Bank system of securing the circulation.

Mr Brentgood and a party of eleven of the St. Bernard Fishing Club arrived from New York and left for Lake St. Bernard. They will be joined at Riviere du Loup by sixteen Indians and a cook.

Dr Picault, who died Sunday, came from France many years ago, and was for some time Vice Consul of France here.

Dr Bessy, the acting Medical Health Officer, is at present conferring with the tallow rendering manufacturers in the city, to try and induce them to adopt a new process, by which obnoxious exhalations, which are a nuisance to the neighborhood will be prevented. This process will save enough in the by products to repay the cost of adopting.

THE BISHOP OF NIAGARA

FIRST ORDINATION BY HIS LORDSHIP ON SUNDAY AT GUELPH.

GUELPH, June 1—The Bishop of Niagara held his first ordination services in St George's church, Guelph, on Trinity Sunday, when Mr R Harvey, Mr R W Webb, and Mr Blackford were ordained deacons, and Mr James Ardill to the priesthood. At the close a very large number of communicants remained with the newly ordained.

At 3 30 the Bishop addressed the Sunday school of St George's and of a mission station connected with it very impressively; over 400 young folk were present. In the evening Mr Webb preached an excellent sermon. On Monday his Lordship visited the Agricultural College, and in the evening a reception was held at the rectory for the Bishop and Mrs Hamilton, at which a large portion of the congregation and others were present to them.

By his courtesy and kindness of manner, and the excellence of his address the new bishop has made a most favourable impression on all who were brought into close contact with him. An address was presented to him by the representatives of St George's and the missions in connection with it, to which he responded very pleasantly.

SIGNAL SERVICE

River du Loup—Clear and fine; light south west wind. Inward 7 30 am, ss Otter; outward 7 30 am, tug Conqueror and Dauntless, tug Resolute at wharf.

Maguallen—Inward 5 am, ss Acadian Ant cost—Dull and cloudy; light east wind. Two barks inward 4 pm yesterday.

Cape Ray—Dull and cloudy; light south east wind. One bark inward.

The seventy first meeting of the Baptist Missionary Union was held at Saratoga yesterday. The annual report shows a deficit of \$50,000. The mission work has been carried on with increased zeal and the churches are rapidly progressing towards independence and self support.

A recent invention for the use of electricians is square wire, which is claimed to be not only mechanically but electrically better than round wire.

Coughs and Colds that so often prove the seeds sown for a harvest of consumption, should have immediate and thorough treatment. A teaspoonful of Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion taken whenever the Cough is troublesome, will relieve the patient, and persevered in, will effect a cure in the most obstinate cases.

CANADA AND JAMAICA.

WHAT MR FARQUHARSON SAYS ABOUT THE TRADE COMMISSION.

There is a growing feeling that all the colonies should be bound together by closer ties, and the people of Jamaica share this feeling. Jamaica contains 600,000 people and is steadily increasing in importance. Mr Farquharson, Legislative Councillor, says the import trade between Jamaica and the United States last year amounted to £450,000; and the export trade of Jamaica to the States to half a million. This trade is steadily increasing. Jamaica proposes to hand it over to Canada, with which nothing was being done worth mentioning, upon fair and equitable terms. The actual figures as to duties, etc, he would be in a position to give after the conference.

ACCIDENTS AT HUGO'S FUNERAL

PARIS, June 2—While the funeral procession was moving toward the Pantheon, yesterday, the scaffolding on the Place Cluny collapsed. Many persons were injured. The fall caused a great panic and confusion, but the procession soon reformed. Another platform fell on the Rue Royale. A disturbance occurred early this morning in the Champs Elysees.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED—JUNE 3.

Bark Gylle, Henderson, Chatham, Hy Dining & Co, ballast. Napoleon III, Forneboe, North Sydney, Carbery & Routh, coal Canal boat Pavillon, Dillon, Whitenall, P Gingras & co, coal. Wm A G Arthur, Dillon, Whitehall, P Gingras & co, coal. Schooner P Fortin, Depies, Pabos, King Bros, lumber. Steamship Barden Tower, Wilson, Glasgow, for Montreal. Bonavista, Anderson, Sydney, for Montreal.

TEMPERATURE.—The following is the temperature, Fahrenheit, by Hearn & Harrison thermometer (agreeing with Negretti & Zambra,) in the shade, at The Mercury Office, 20 and 22, Mountain Hill, 130 feet above spring tide level:—

Table of temperature data for May 1st to 31st, showing minimum, maximum, and wind directions.

YOUNG MEN—READ THIS

THE VOLTAIC BELT Co., of Marshall Mich., offer to send their celebrated ELECTRIC VOLTAIC BELT and other ELECTRIC APPLIANCES on trial for thirty days, to men (young or old) afflicted with nervous debility, loss of vitality and manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also for rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, and many other diseases. Complete restoration to health, vigor and manhood guaranteed. No risk incurred as thirty days trial is allowed. Write them at once for illustrated pamphlet free.

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The undersigned beg to inform their friends and the public that they have on hand a large stock of the purest ICE, and can furnish Steamboats, Hotels, and Private Residences, with any quantity and with regularity. Terms liberal and full weight.

The Stock-in-Trade consisting of the very best meats, Wholesale and Retail, in Hides and Barrels, all supplied at the most reasonable terms.

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A Boy to carry parcels and make himself generally useful in a Dry Goods Store. Apply to S. READ, 146, St John St, Quebec, May 7, 1885.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

The following vessels have sailed for this port:—

Anna, Olsen, Newcastle, April 7  
 Alva, Hansen, Liverpool, " 15  
 Anou, Christine, Cork, April 10  
 Alpha, Liverpool, March 23.  
 Althea, Antwerp, April 10.  
 Abotsford, Greenock, April 10.  
 Adelgunde, —, Liverpool, April 12  
 Amour Jones, London, April 23  
 Arolus, —, Waterford, April 22  
 Able, Glasgow, Kragero, April 8  
 Aletta, —, Norway, March 30  
 Alauta, —, Norway, April 17  
 Arel, Lollaisen, Cork, April 17  
 Aljos, Sorensen, Norway, March  
 Anna, Neilson, London, May 7  
 Apolack, Dising, —, St Nazaire, May 6  
 Enna, Paterson, Greenock, April 22  
 Amicus, Santerre, Barbadoes, May 25  
 Anna, Neilson, Liverpool May 21  
 Agathe, —, Bristol May 19

Bury St Edmunds, Neilson, Dundee, April 13  
 Bavaria, —, Bremen, April 30  
 Bayard, Andersen, Norway, March  
 Brilliant, Tolland, Bristol May 14  
 Krgenseren, Itolisen, Sydney, CB, via  
 Straits of Canso

Caara, Robinson, Liverpool, April 15  
 Constitution, —, April 11  
 Cla a Magnum, —, do 15  
 Carolus Magnus, Brown, Liverpool  
 Con-urant, Fredericksstad, March 31.  
 Chateau, —, Troon, April 27  
 Clyde, —, Liverpool, April 28  
 Cervantes, —, Plymouth, April 27  
 Canute, —, Monte Video, March 28  
 Cavalier, —, Table Bay, March 6  
 Ceylon, Olsen, London, May 3  
 Capella, Thomson, Amsterdam May 20  
 Clara, Christensen, Grimsby May 19  
 Carl Lunck, —, St Vincent April 25  
 Cavalier, Dunbar, Table Bay May 10

Decision, —, Greenock, do 13  
 Dilligenta, —, Greenock, April 16  
 Deodata, —, Aitona, April 22  
 Deodota, —, Hamburg, April 24  
 Drammensern, Syvertsen, LaRochele  
 Dagmar, Hansen, Troon April 30  
 Drammenseren, Lorenzen, Rochelle May 6  
 Deodata, Kjol, Glasgow May 18

Emilie, Newcastle, March 25.  
 Eldern, Borin, London May 23  
 Emory, Hut-henson, London May 15  
 Edmund Kaye, —, Genoa May 13

Forgahall, —, Greenock, April 15  
 Festina Lente, Glasgow, April 8.

Glooming, Dinsmore, Rotterdam, April 11  
 Gyle, Deal, April 11.  
 Gunhild, Olsen, Skien, April 8  
 George, Falke, London May 18  
 Gyda, —, London, April 22  
 Gimit Jensen, Norway  
 General Rye, Fries, Greenock, May 6

Holya, —, Limerick, April 15  
 Henrietta, Gibraltar, March 30.  
 Holliside, Melrose, Cape Town, April 2  
 Halm-maln, —, Carthage, April 22  
 Helene, Hansen, Norway  
 Heiti, Glad, Grangemouth May 16  
 Hugin, Andersen, Glasgow May 22

Irminda, —, Liverpool, April 13  
 Irene, Knudsen, Norway  
 Intigabile, —, Hartlepool May 14

Kate Harding, —, Barbadoes, April 16  
 Kimon, Trapani, March 29.  
 Kong Oscar, —, Antwerp, April 27.

Louise, Griffith, Bristol, April 6  
 Laura, —, Antwerp, April 4  
 Lina, —, Sharpness, April 20  
 Louise, —, Cardiff, April 28  
 Louise, Christophersen, Norway  
 Lyra, —, Troon, May 7  
 Latona, Henry, Liverpool May 22

Magdalene, Belfast, March 14.  
 Margarethe, Nipple, Granton, March 24.  
 Mary K Campbell, —, Buenos Ayres, April 14  
 Mary, —, Helvoet April 15  
 Mudge Wildfire, —, Madeira, April 2  
 Muri, Borjerse, Dordrecht  
 Meta, —, London May 12  
 Mary Ann, —, Newry May 19

Narayan, —, Tonsberg, April 8  
 New Brunswick, —, Maryport, April 11  
 Northumbria, Johnson, Liverpool, April 11  
 Nymph, —, Antwerp, April 19  
 Niord, Hansen, Norway  
 Nordcap, —, Christiana, April 23.

Oscar Ist, —, Gibraltar  
 Ottawa, Newcastle, March 30.  
 Ottolina, Fredericksstad, March 31.  
 Onni, —, Londonderry, April 13  
 Olga, Petersen, London, April 27  
 Ocean, Olsen, Norway  
 Ocean, —, Waterford, April 29  
 Orient, White, Greenock, May 6  
 Octavia, —, Villaricos, May 2

Prudhoe, Alicante, February 20.  
 Premier, Fleetwood, April 8  
 Progress, Waterford, April 9.  
 Prinds Leopold, Arnesen, Greenock, April 2  
 Plantagenet, Svensen, Southampton May 15

Queen of India, Howell, Liverpool, May 13

Rutland, Casey, Liverpool, April 15  
 Resolute, Jacobson, London, April 3  
 Royal Tar, Kerr, Liverpool, April 16  
 Mondo, Olsen, London, April 25  
 Sota, Sorensen, Bremen May 21

Salvator, —, Barrow, April 18  
 Skien, Waterford, April 7.  
 Schar, Hull, April 10.  
 Saltee, Clancy, Wexford April 17  
 Sophie, Gullicksen, Ostend, April 7  
 Sirocco, —, Carthage, April 25  
 Salus, —, Waterford, April 21  
 Seylon, Olsen, Norway, March 27

The Craigs, Irvine, do do 13  
 Twilight, Dunn, Port Glasgow, April 10  
 True Briton, Jefferson, Rio Janeiro, Mon 18  
 Tonsberg, Thue, Tonsberg, April 20  
 Tivoli, Balfour, Glasgow May 21  
 Tasmanian, —, St Vincent, CV, May 9

Teil, —, Liverpool May 14

Uno, —, London, April 14

Veiner, —, Rotterdam, April 15  
 Victory, —, Shields May 20  
 Vigo, —, Bristol, April 28  
 Vassar, —, Falmouth, April 29  
 Vesta, Anderson, Norway  
 Vigilant, Hansen, Hull, May 6

Wimburn

Zulette, —, Monaco, April 29

Special Notices.



GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

FERRY.

On and after the 30th April, the Ferry Steamer

WILL LEAVE

QUEBEC.	LEVIS.
A.M.	A.M.
10.00 Express to Richmond.	7.00 Mail from the West.
P.M.	P.M.
7.30 Mail to the West.	5.30 Mixed from Richmond.
	6.15 Mixed from Richmond.

Intermediate trips for Freight April 30, 1885.

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December 6, 1884 6m-eod

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 Trains will run as follows:

	Mail.	Express.
Leave Montreal for Quebec	9 50 PM	10 00 PM
Arrive at Quebec	9 50 PM	6 30 AM
Leave Quebec for Montreal	7 15 AM	6 00 PM
Arrive at Montreal	4 05 PM	6 30 AM
Leave Quebec for Three Rivers		10 35 P
Arrive at Three Rivers		6 00 PM
Leave Three Rivers for Quebec		10 15 PM
Arrive at Quebec		3 15 AM
Leave Montreal for St Felix de Valois		8 40 AM
Arrive at St Felix de Valois		5 15 PM
Leave St. Felix de Valois for Montreal		9 20 PM
Arrive at Montreal		5 00 AM
Leave Montreal for Montreal		8 50 AM

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For further information apply at the Office of the St. Lawrence Steam Navigation Company, St. Andrew's Wharf.

A. GABOURY, Secretary

May 16, 1885

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April 18, 1885.

REMOVAL.

The Office and Furniture Warerooms of the DRUM CABINET MANUFACTURING COMPANY have been removed to the Company's Factory off St. Andre Street, Entrance by St. Paul and St. Andre Streets, opposite Messrs. J. Lemesu & Son's Tobacco factory.

In making the above announcement the Directors would respectfully inform their Customers and the Public that the balance of the Manufactured Stock, consisting of a Large Assortment of Household Furniture, including about 5,000 Chairs of all sorts, will now be offered at Reduced Prices, until the whole is sold.

Special inducements will be offered to the Trade.

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THOMAS CRAIG, Manager and Secretary-Treasurer.

May 8, 1885.

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