

the general election to the 15th of January, and the meeting of the Cortes until the 15th of February.

Dec. 13 - Despatches from Madrid state that affairs in Spain are rapidly approaching a crisis.

General Koda yesterday issued the following proclamation to the inhabitants of Cadiz: - "A revolution, incited mainly by the secret enemies of the country, has already deluged with blood the streets of this beautiful city; it has found no echo in any other part of the peninsula.

This proclamation produced a marked impression on the insurgents, who sent a delegation, accompanied by the United States Consul, to Gen. Canalis, and offered to place their arms in the building which he should designate.

Dec. 14 - It is thought that the Republican insurrection in Cadiz will be suppressed to-day without the shedding of blood; all foreigners left the city some days ago, fearing a general civil war.

ITALY - Mount Etna, in Sicily, is in fresh eruption, which broke forth with great violence on Tuesday night. The torrent of lava devastated the surrounding country, and ashes from the crater were blown as far as Messina.

A duel of a novel character occurred a few days since in Torre del Annunziata. Two sailors, stripping themselves completely, threw themselves into the sea and there commenced their mortal combat.

AUSTRIA & PRUSSIA - Letters from Vienna, Pesth, and other parts of Austria, by the banking houses in Paris, speak of a war between that country and Prussia as unavoidable.

A telegram on Saturday says that in the course of a Debate in the Prussian Diet, on the confiscating the property of the Elector of Hesse, Count Von Bismark, alluding to recent war agitation, said fears of war, which were prevalent during the summer, have now passed away.

TURKEY & GREECE - A Constantinople despatch on the 10th, says the Sultan sent his ultimatum to the Grecian Government at Athens, in five days. France and Eng. and sustain him.

Marriages.

Nov. 28th, at Lakeville Cottage, by the Rev. R. Jamieson, Mr. Alonzo Smith, of Calais, Maine, to Eunice Abigail, second daughter of Daniel and Sarah A. Webber, of Lakeville.

On Tuesday, the 8th inst., by the Rev. George W. Hill, Rector of St. Paul's, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Armstrong, George B. Oakes, Esq., M. D., of Digby, to Maria Agatha, only daughter of the late Morrison Oakes, M. D., of Bridgeown, Annapolis.

On Thursday morning, by the Rev. G. M. Grant, Mr. William Anderson, of Liverpool, N. S., to Mary, daughter of the late James Irons, of this city.

On the 10th inst., by the Rev. Foster Anson, Mr. James W. Bletcher, to Annie L., daughter of Thomas Cumming, Esq., of Halifax.

At St. Mary's Bay, Dec. 3, 1868, by Rev. L. B. Gates, Mr. James Hasset, of New Tuskot, to Miss Amanda E. McNeill, of St. Mary's Bay.

In Tremont, Aylesford, on the 4th inst., by Rev. C. Tupper, Dr. Joseph H. Forster, of Nictaux, to Mrs. Julia A. King, of Aylesford.

At North Sydney, O. B., Dec. 8th, by the Rev. T. H. Porter, Jr., M. Edmund Andrews, to Miss Margaret McKinnin.

On Wednesday, the 2nd inst., by the Rev. G. M. Grant, Mr. H. S. Inglis, of Windsor, N. S., to Elizabeth Maguire, of Halifax, daughter of the late John Maguire.

Deaths.

On the 10th, inst., after a short illness, Matthew Croft Richardson, eldest son of the late James Richardson, Esq., aged 34 years.

On the 10th inst., at Ferguson's Cove, Mrs. Sarah Henrion, relict of the late Francis Henrion, aged 69 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, Dec. 10th, Matthew Shea, aged 75 years.

At Preston, on the 7th inst., Sampson Carter, aged 89 years.

At Windsor, on Friday, 4th December, Ann, widow of the late Mr. William S. Church, aged 89 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, Dec. 8th, Wm. McGrath, aged 95 years.

At Chezzetooke, on the 4th inst., in the 42nd year of her age, Gertrude, wife of Mr. Ezeub Belfontaine.

At Gay's River, on 21st Nov., Sarah, relict of the late Wm. Logan, Esq., in the 83rd year of her age.

At Dartmouth, on the 13th inst., Sarah Ann, wife of Casper Graham.

On Sunday, Mr. James Hamm, late of the 62nd Regt., aged 48 years.

On Sunday, 13th inst., William Lyons, aged 52 years.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, Dec. 8 - Steamer Carlotta, Colby, Portland; brig Alpha, Craiz, New York; schrs Island Belle, Bollong, P. E. I.; Zenobia, Gardner, do; Liberty, Leonard, Cape Breton; Ida May, Bellong, do; Jane Oles, Harvey, Port Mulgrave; Hope, Hawbolt, Beaver Harbor; Henrie, ta, Gallant, Cow Bay.

Wednesday, 9 - Brig America, Doody, Boston; brig Elsie, Cody, W. Indies; schrs D. Gillespie, Banks, Portland; Volante, Botell, Nfld; Ospray, D'Estremont, Nfld; Liberty, Leonard, Cow Bay; Messenger, Young, Lunenburg; Amateur, Hobbs, P. E. I.

Thursday, 10 - Brig Fawn, Doat, Kingston, Ja; schrs Mary M. (Am) Murray, Gloucester, bound fishing; Elizabeth, Pike, Shelburne; Henry B. Stanwood, (Am) Gloucester, bound fishing.

Friday, 11 - Brigs A. R. Dunlap, Duval, Boston; Empress, Less, F. Turks Island; schr George B. Bedford, Gloucester.

Saturday, 12 - Steamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; schrs E. K. Brown, Smith, Boston, bound to Cape Breton.

Sunday, 13 - Brig Regatta, Walsh, Kingston, Ja; schrs Chester, Kennedy, hence for Philadelphia; Mary E. Dennis, (Am) McDonald, Gloucester, Mass; Island Gem, Allen, Turks Island.

Monday, 14 - R. M. S. City of Durham, Jamieson, St. John's, Nfld; brig Mayflower, Reddolph, Boston; schrs A. C. Major, Perry, Inagua; Laura Bell, Matheson, Boston; Lily of the Clyde, Perry, Cap. Negro.

Cleared.

Tuesday, Dec. 8 - Schrs Sparkler, McDonald, Antigonish; William McLeod, Bellevue, Paticco; Three Sisters, Miller, P. E. I.

Wednesday, 9 - Steamer Carlotta, Colby, Portland; brigs Wilmington, Martell, Little Gleece Bay; Louisa, Gammon, Jamaica; brig Salinas, Forrest, Arichat; schrs Alex McLeod, Dunn, St. John, P. R.; A. E. Dater, Nickerson, Liverpool, N. S.; Elizabeth, Rickham, P. E. I.; Margaret, McDonald, Antigonish.

Thursday, 10 - Schr Elizabeth, Acker, Shelburne; Union, Glasgow, Tangier; Mary Jane, Ferrer, do; Saxe Gotha, Martin, Port Mulgrave.

Friday, 11 - Brig Alert, Harri, Newfoundland; schrs Hariza, Farrell, Liverpool; Ada, Whiteman, Cape Canso; Ann-Marla, Shenkle, Bridgewater; Harriet, Porrier, Arichat; Lydia, Devoire, Port Hawkesbury; Monteni, Reynolds, Georgetown, P. E. I.

Saturday, 12 - Schrs Vesta, Hall, Cow Bay; Barrington, Larkin, Barrington; Mary, White, Margaree; Snow Squall, Chasson, do; St. Mary, Chasson, do.

Monday, 14 - Steamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; brig America, Doody, Boston; brigs Chieftain, Carroll, Jamaica; Anna, Simpson, Aux Cayes; schrs Hawk, Tobin, Channel, Nfld; Maria Joseph, O'Quinn, Port Hood; Sea Flower, Doucette, do; Active, Gallant, Gace Bay; Emma, Lewis, Barrington; Ospray, Smith, do; Lizzie Tupper, Dickson, St. Mary's.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



Nova Scotia Railway.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, 10th December, 1868.

NOTICE.

TENDERS, marked "Tenders for Sleepers," will be received at this Office UNTIL TUESDAY, 22ND DECEMBER, for the following

SLEEPERS.

LOT No. 1 - On the Windsor Branch, to be delivered between Wind-or Junction and Windsor - 600 SAWED SLEEPERS, 9 feet long, 10 by 6 inches.

LOT No. 2 - On the Main Line, to be delivered between Richmond and Truro - 12 000 HEWED SLEEPERS, 10 feet long, 10 by 6 inches.

SPECIFICATION.

Sleepers to be of Hemlock, Spruce, or Pine, and the "Hewed" Sleepers to be free from sap, and to be delivered to the satisfaction of an Officer of the Department.

N. B. - All Sleepers not fully up to this Specification will positively be rejected.

Tenders to specify price per sleeper. Good security will require to be given for the performance of the contract, and 10 per cent will be deducted from each payment until contract is completed.

A. LONGLEY.

Dec. 16, 31.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT,

OTTAWA, 13th November, 1868.

Authorised discount on American Invoices until further notice: 25 per cent.

R. S. M. BOUCHETTE, Commissioner of Customs.

The above is the only notice to appear in newspapers authorized to copy.

Dec. 2, 31.

R. N. BECKWITH & CO.,

BEGS to call attention to their BLANKETS, various sizes and qualities.

Ladies' Mantle Cloths, Dress Tweeds, from 7/6 per yard, Gents' Tweeds and Doeskins, Gents' Overcoatings, Scarlet, White and Fancy Flannels, Scotch Flanneling Yarn, Paisley and Woolen Shawls, French Merinos, Ladies' Bonnet Materials - in silk and Terry Velvets, Satins, &c. Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, Hat and Bonnet Shapes.

Nov. 25.

Ladies Seminary, WOLFVILLE.

THE 1st Quarter of the year 1869, will commence on Wednesday, Jan. 6th.

Principal.....Miss O. J. Emerson. Assistant.....Miss Norris. Drawing and French.....Mr. F. Crawley. Music.....Miss Crawley.

Board and Tuition, in all the ordinary branches of an English education, \$30 per qtr. French, \$3 extra. Music, \$9 Drawing, \$7.

Committee of Management - Revs. Dr. Crawley, T. A. Higgins, S. W. deBellois, D. Freeman, S. B. Kempson, E. C. Read, and A. D. Bairs, M. D. J. S. Morse, Esq., for the present, will provide for the wants of the house. - Bills payable to Dr. Bairs, one half in advance.

Dec. 2. 2mo.

CHEAP BOOTS AND SHOES.

G. S. YATES

Will continue the sale of his stock of English Manufactured Boots,

—AT—

Less than Cost Prices.

CALL AND GET BARGAINS, DON'T FORGET THE PLACE, 23 & 25 GEORGE STREET, NORTH END PROVINCE BUILDING. Dec. 2

THE BRITISH AMERICAN BOOK AND TRACT SOCIETY.

21 George Street, Halifax.

Keep constantly on hand a good supply of STANDARD RELIGIOUS, THEOLOGICAL AND SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS,

Including those of the LONDON, AMERICAN, STIRLING and DUBLIN TRACT SOCIETIES, with selections from leading Publishers in Great Britain and the United States.

COMMENTARIES by Lango, Jacobus, Barnes, Plumer (on the Psalms), Ripley, Hodge, Alexander, Scott, and Henry; Valuable Helps for S. S. Teachers, such as Parson's S. S. Index, House's S. S. Hand Book, Todd's S. S. Teacher, S. S. Times (an excellent weekly Paper, \$1.35 a year, &c. A liberal discount to Clergymen and S. Schools.

N. B. The Society have recently purchased the Stock and effects of the Religious Book and Tract Society on Barrington St. Both Depositories (now united) will be removed about the 15th of December to 66 Granville Street,

Opposite the Province Building. School Papers, Religious Magazines, &c., furnished by the Society, as formerly by the Depository on Barrington Street. Orders addressed to REV. A. McBEAN, Secretary of the Society, Halifax, will be promptly attended to.

Fall Importations.

150 Granville Street.

The Subscriber has received per Steamers "City of New York," "City of Cork" and "City of Washington" from England, and "Alhambra" from Boston.

A LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS!

Which will be found worthy the attention of purchasers.

SAMUEL STRONG.

Nov. 4. 2m.

Dr. Burton's Tobacco Antidote.

WARRANTED TO REMOVE ALL DESIRE FOR TOBACCO, is equally vegetable and harmless. It purifies and enriches the blood, invigorates the system, possesses great nourishing and strengthening power, is an excellent tonic and appetizer, soothes the stomach to digest the heaviest food, cures sleeplessness, and establishes robust health. Smokers and chewers for sixty years cured. Price Fifty cents per box. An interesting treatise on the injurious effects of tobacco, with lists of testimonials, references, &c., sent gratis. Agents wanted. Address Dr. T. R. Abbott, Jersey City, N. J.

TESTIMONIALS. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. I feel it my duty to testify that Dr. Burton's Tobacco Antidote has given better satisfaction. My father used tobacco thirty years, and I also have been a slave to the foul weed ten years, and we have both been permanently cured by using two boxes of Dr. Burton's Antidote. Lu H. Hurd.

FROM THE U. S. TREASURY, Secretary's Office. - Please send a supply of the ANTIDOTE. The one received has done us much good. O. T. EDGAR.

FROM NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE PRISON. - Gentlemen of influence here having been aware of the appetite for tobacco by using Dr. Burton's Antidote, we desire a supply for the prisoners of this institution. JOSEPH MAYO, Warden of N. H. State Prison.

A BARKER'S TESTIMONY. - Dr. Burton's Antidote for Tobacco has accomplished all claimed for it. W. MARK, 1st Nat. Bank, New Albany, Ind.

A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY. - ONE BOX OF ANTIDOTE cured my brother and myself. IT NEVER FAILS. Rev. W. W. SHUMAKER, Kelley Station, Pa.

FROM THE POLICE HEADQUARTERS, LYON, MASS. - I have found thirty-five pounds of fresh in three months by using Dr. Burton's Antidote, and all desire for tobacco is removed. Wm. L. WAT, Jr.

FROM THE SOUTHERN HOME JOURNAL, B. T. BRUCE, Md. - One box of Burton's Antidote removed all desire for the weed from me. I take pleasure in recommending it to all our readers. T. Y. SLAYTER, Editor.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. [Trademark X Copyrighted.]

Nov. 18.

Fall Importations.

1868 - COMPLETED - 1868.

MESSRS. R. N. BECKWITH & CO.

Have received their entire Stock of DRY GOODS

For the present Season, to which they invite the attention of their customers in Town and Country. Special care has been taken in the selection of these Goods, with a due regard to both QUALITY and PRICE.

They solicit an inspection if only for comparison. 89 GRANVILLE STREET. Oct. 21.

1868. Fall & Winter Dry Goods. 1869. VAUX BROTHERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform their country customers and all who will favour them with a call when visiting the City, that they are prepared to wait upon them with the best and cheapest ASSORTMENT OF GOODS they ever imported.

COMPRISING: A large variety of Ladies Dress Goods, Large Lot of very cheap Dress Tweeds and Wincies, French Merinos from 3s., Lustres and Coburgs, White, Grey, Striped, and Printed Cottons, Cheap, White, Scarlet and Fancy Flannels of all kinds, Blankets, Woolens and Gals Plaids, Mantles and Mantle Cloths, Tweeds, Doeskins, Waterproof and Broad Cloths, Ready-Made Clothing and Rubber Coats, Men's and Youth's Hats and Caps, Furs, Knitted Wool Scarfs, Hoods and other Goods, Men's Fancy Flannel Shirts, Under Clothing, Shir Collars, White Shirts, and Gents' Satin Scarfs, Gloves and Hosiery, Dress Trimmings, Fringes, Silks, Licens, Stays, Umbrellas, Fancy Skirts and Winter Skirtings, 8-4 Curtain Damasks, Table Oil Cloths, Bik Velveteens, Shawls, Sontags and Cheas Protectors, Bonnets, Hats, Wreaths, Flowers and Feathers, Millinery, Dress Caps, Widows Caps, &c. &c. Mantles made to order, Bonnets and Hats trimmed on the premises and at the shortest notice. Best Quality Cotton Warps, Candle Wick, Bating and Patchwork, &c. &c. &c. Country Produce taken in exchange at Market prices and good value guaranteed.

The above Stock with many other articles, impossible to enumerate, having been personally selected in the British Markets, are now offered at the very lowest possible prices.

VAUX BROTHERS. 5 Granville Street. Oct. 21. ins.

CHIPMAN & RUMSEY, Produce and General Commission Merchants.

No 5 DUKE STREET, Near Fishwick's Express Office, HALIFAX.

PARTICULAR interest taken in the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and consignments respectfully solicited. Place of business central, and ample facility for the storage of goods. City References: R. W. CHIPMAN & Co. AVARD LONGLEY, Esq.

Sept. 23

PREMIUM VENETIAN BLINDS.

W. FRASER & SON

HAVING been appointed by the manufacturer of the above celebrated Blinds, sole Agents for Nova Scotia, the public are respectfully invited to call at their Ware Rooms 70 & 72 Barrington Street, Halifax, and examine Samples of different Styles and prices. They are the best and most durable article in use for Bay Windows, Drawing Rooms, Dining Rooms, Halls, Conservatories, Public Buildings, &c. These Blinds are of different widths of slat, and trimmed with Worsted or Silk, with plain or carved cornice, to suit the taste of purchasers.

Oct. 30.

FURS! FURS!! FURS!!

—AT—

150 GRANVILLE STREET.

RECEIVED per steamer "City of Washington" a large Stock of LADIES' FURS

COMPRISING - Stone Martin, French Sable, Sable, Mink, Fitch, Imitation Do., Musquash, Mountain Martin, Imitation Sable, Queen's Boas, Collars, Victorines and Skating Mitts. Also, a large assortment of Ladies' Skating Mitts.

SAMUEL STRONG. Oct. 21. 10ins.

MASON & HAMLIN

ORGANS

at prices to suit all.

NO. 1. FOUR-OCTAVE PORTABLE ORGAN, IN BLACK WALNUT CASE, FOR \$50,

Halifax Agency, N. SELDEN, 59 GRANVILLE STREET.

Other styles, with new and valuable improvements, at prices, equally low, according to finish. N. B. - Orders from the country promptly attended to. Illustrated Catalogues on application. Nov. 18.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

THE UNDERSIGNED is instructed by the Government of Canada to announce that the Line of the Intercolonial Railway is now located for actual construction between the following points:

1 - River du Loup and Kimouski, about sixty six miles, in the Province of Quebec.

2 - Metapedia and Dalhousie, about thirty-two miles, in the Province of New Brunswick.

3 - Amherst and Folly Lake, about fifty-three miles, in the Province of Nova Scotia.

He is further requested to state that the plans and profiles of these portions of the line are now ready, and that they may be seen together with the general specifications under which the works are to be constructed on and after Tuesday next, the 17th inst, at the Railway offices in Ottawa, Kimouski, Dalhousie St. John and Halifax.

SANDFORD FLEMING, Chief Engineer. Ottawa, Nov 9th, 1868. Nov. 18. ins.