FARMER. MR. EDITOR .- From a warm spring-like February we are ushered into a cold winterlike March, retarding business in a wonderful degree, and blasting the prospects of an early opening for spring trade. The land is snow mantled and the cutter takes the place of the buggy; ulsters and furs are brought forth again, and spring hats and parasols are laid aside-such is our daily experience and the oldest inhabitant recollects no precedent in Chicago's history. Lake Michigan blows her cold damp wind around and through you until one is chilled completely through, and makes you long for summer days and western prairie windsthat they will come no one doubts, but when? -I give it up.

My trip to the stock yards consequently has been postponed, thereby Messrs. Moran and McCarthy will have to join me in

ON 'CHANGE.

On entering the Chamber of Commerce the stranger is immediately struck with it great size and commodiousness. Its dimen sions are 142x87 feet, and 45 feet in height The ceiling and walls are beautifully frescoed after the Pompeian mosaic, style relieved by paneling and entablatures containing allegorically representatives of the several periods of Chicago's power, greatness, destruction, and resurrection. These paintings are briefly as follows :-

On the north end of the room and immed iately over the raised dias where sit the President and Officers of the Board, are two -one, the fairies and the fire fiend with torch in hand indicating the spirit of destruction hovering over Chicago as it was before the fire; the other is an angelic figure with attending spirits hasting to the relief of the destroyed city (the ruins in flames beneath) and bearing gifts of food and clothing fo the famishing people-emblematic of the love and warmth of the world's charity. This picture is entitled "Relief." In the centre is emblazoned the American Eagle grasping the thunderbolts and draped in the folds of the national colors. The spaces between are filled up with groups representing cereals, boquets, and baskets of fruits.

On the south end are two large pane pictures; one of Chicago in ruins, affording a beautiful moonlight effect, the new Chamber of Commerce in the foreground On one side of the hall is a painting o Agriculture, a female in a wheat field holding shieves of grain which she has reaped on the other side a painting of commerce The centre of the ceiling is decorated with a painting of the sky with clouds. Altogether the ball is a striking monument of what mental vim, energy, and taste has accomplished for the commercial centre of this Great North West.

This is the great gambling house of the west; the gambling being not in money but on the margins, or raise and fall daily of the products of the country which pass through the hands of members of the Board-fortunes being lost and won in a single day. A few days ago I over heard a confab between a Bull and Bear, for such their names are on 'change, which ran as follows :-

"Well boy, how feel you?" "Shaky replied his friend. "Tough month this or us?" "Oh yes," replied the other, ". only cleared \$40,000 out of you to-day. Will you have a cigar!" They joined arms and marched to the cigar counter. This is not wondered at when you read the following returns us printed for the year by the Secretary, Mr. Chas. Randolph.

Flour and Grain, equal } to 87.241.306 bushels, } Product of Dairy,..... Seeds and Broom Corn,..... Sundry other commodities,..... 2,500,000

Total \$231.450,000 About as much as the whole trade of the Dominion of Canada.

The available assets of the above corporation are \$167,841,100, besides 10,050 shares of stock valued at cost.

Failures and defalcations large and small, are of almost daily occurrence, and yet the nd is not come. Murders and robberies are of too frequent occurrence, notwithstanding chicago pays about \$130,000 per month It is because the district is an agricultural visiting her, he pulled his handkerchief from John Babbitt on Stock, Jewellery, Shop punished severely, while the big fellows go let something be done to develope the agriculfell at the lady's feet. She says he lies or \$1,600, Stadacona, \$1,400. "Tis mean to rob a hen roost of a hen,

A Chicago hatter named Scott has this perhaps, yet busy, will not spring up in dozens morning advertized "Hats for all creation, ncluding, we presume, quadrupeds such as bear-heads.

I will in a day or two give you a per sketch of Kansas, for the benefit of the Kincardine Colony, as I perceive by your last some are thinking of migrating thither when they read it they will admit "it is better to bear the ills they have, than rush to others they know not of."

culture ought to take a second place, and I know farmers who sold out in Illinois, went to Kansas and now are selling off their little all at † prices, in order to get back to former homes. In conversation with a St. John gentleman, just here from Butler Co., be tried almost at any time. If a few of our Kansas, he says the prospects for farmers enterprising men would send a cargo of never looked so discouraging, on account of the agricultural produce to the West Indies next grasshoppers, that a month ago he could take fall we believe that thereby a door would be up a handful of earth and in it could be opened through which wealth and prosperity found thousands of 'hoppers eggs ready to would flow in upon our City and the hatch out on the approach of fine weather. And what he said of that county is true of all the others and of the state of Nebrasks as well. Their only hope is that should warm Possibly if it understood the facts better than weather prevail, they might possibly hatch it does it would alter its views. The Mail out and fly away before vegetation is advanc- looks at it from a Nova Scotia standpoint. ed enough for them to feed on, but the late and there is no doubt it would be a fine thing

such hopes are delusive. I'll give you a very old conundrum, just now in return. If the Mail's figures are correct rate until after a general election. Mr. any other land allotted to him, and must revived by the city papers-can you guess it? this Province would go into Union with a

"My first in my second I sat, My third and my fourth I ate.' Yours humbly,

Chicago, March 20, 1877.

For the Colonial Farmer. NOTES FROM GRAND LAKE STREAM, MAINE.

About all the teams are out of the woods The ice on Grand Lake is getting very week, wholly suspended.

a want that has long been felt.

complete the tannery are being rapidly put by religious excitement.

n, and when completed will make the total number to exceed 700.

Sickness has prevailed here to an unp cedented extent throughout the winter, and an unusual number have died partly owing to the visitation of the scarlet fever.

The smuggling nuisance has increased. Probably the Reform Clubs in Calais and St. Stephen have driven the liquor this may.

The Colonial Farmer,

FREDERICTON, N. B., APRIL 2, 1877.

The City of Fredericton from its position aight to command the trade of Sunbury. York, Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska Counties, or a population of over 70,000. With the advantages of low rents, taxes and cost of living there appears to be no valid reason why a wholesale trade of considerable magnitude should not be developed here. True there are some matters, notably railway connection with the North Shore, by cheapenng the cost of transport of articles from the Upper Provinces, which would assist materially n this respect, yet there are not wanting instances which show that even at present wholesale business may be carried on profitably here. In twenty years the district we ed men from membership in the order. have designated above will contain upwards of 100,000, souls, and there will be upon the Aroostook a population of at least 20,000 which for some articles, possibly if we have reciprocal trade for most articles, would prefer to deal with Fredericton the nearest ort, and one which by means of the N. B. Railway will always possess superior facilities difficult to "rat" "in the sweet by and bye." of access to the interior. But without such an inducement in the future there are suffieient reasons now existing why our merchants should endeavor to extend their trade. Strangers remark upon the large number of retail stores in the City, and say that we them. This is true, but nevertheless, some of the back districts which contributed to the establishment of the retail business no longer trade with us: the military, which was another fostering influence, are removed, yet the to Mr. H. D. Stubbs, were destroyed by fire While strange to say, rents, taxes and living of a hundred tons of hay. ion of our merchants, many of whom are gentlemen of enterprise and intelligence.

Another matter is worthy of consideration, amely, the exportation of Agricultural produce. The market for this is in the West Indies, Newfoundland and the United States. and it is practically unlimited. The roorest quality of hay sold this spring in Newfoundand for \$20 per ton, which is the ordinary price, good highland hay would probably Thames on Saturday last, and resulted in a command from \$20 to \$25 at any time: oats " dead heat." about 75 cts. per bushel and other produce in roportion. The Bermuda islands have sent normous. No valid reason exists why the terpreted signifies no lack of candidates. listrict, of which Fredericton is the out-port, should not be taxed to its utmost capacity to upply the demand in the counties we have

We need not tell our business men what in advantage it would be to have a trade of this kind developed. The demand for potatoes

is not very large, every business man in the Coroner's Jury. community will feel the benefit of it. This, however, is not a tithe, no not a me hundredth part of what might be done here in the Agricultural produce line of Fredericton were a competitor in the different markets opened to her merchants. Once create an active demand for produce and

spent in small but unprofitable lumber

operations, which indeed are often entered

into solely as a means to get a little money.

Agriculture and lumbering would thus be-

come independent of each other in one sense,

and the divorce would be mutually ad-

vantageous. Every one knows that if the

country districts prosper, the City cannot lag

behind. The visitor to the Aroostook Valley

will be surprised at the number and thrifty

there any one who will say that towns, small

he future wholesale trade of Fredericton.

aces? Here then would be the field f

But we hear one or two of our friends

along Queen street say "What Fredericton

wants is manufactures." Granted, and if any

one can make known a means of attracting

capital to Fredericton to be invested in fac-

tories of any kind he will be a public benefac-

or. Yet though we admit the desirability

of manufactures, we do not admit that Agri-

here is this to be said in the matter that while

The Toronto Mail favors Maritime Union.

of the revenue of New Brunswick. But the

revenue of \$1.79 per capita which could be

cash sales, and not only will agriculture expand unprecedentedly, but the fine farming lands in the interior will become settled. Men will not run away from New Brunswick announced at an early day. if they can get the best of land for nothing, \$57,100,000 and cash in their hand for everything they The election in the Parish of Queensbury, Stationery; John Babbitt, Watches and

of Councillor Brown, came off on Monday and W. Wilson, Barristers; Dr. Coulthard; last. The result is as follows: J. H. Murch and the Y. M. C. A. On the third flat, the 135, Alanson McNally 52, and Wm. Earle 4. F'ton Necktie Factory; Golden Rule Lodge It is rumored that Mr. Senator Wilmot can

have the Office of Lieut. Governor next year if he wants it; and also rumor has it that the Hon. Senator won't take it. We don't know any one we would more cheerfully welcome to the Governatorial Chair.

appearance of the towns. There is Fort Fair-There has been a little disagreement befield, Presque Isle, Caribou, Washburn, Ash- tween a fellow up our way and his sweet- Stadacona, \$1000 Royal Canadian, \$2000. land, and if we mistake not one or two others heart. She presented him with her without a radius of fifteen miles, and they photograph, which he swore he would always \$6000, viz :- Imperial, \$1,500, Ætna. \$1,500. are all stiring business centres with fine stores. wear next his heart. Last Sunday while North British and Mercantile, \$3000. one that this state of things is possible. Now his back pocket, when lo! the photograph Fixtures, &c., \$3000, viz :--Royal Canadian,

In the Halifax police station on Saturday Royal Canadian and Stadacona. norning a man named David O'Brien, who had been picked up by the police the night previous, was found dead in the cell. An inquest was held and a verdict of death by suffocation was returned; the jury blaming this City, were all satisfactorily, and promptly the police for not looking after his condition

In consequence of the fire on Wednesday last, the meetings of "Golden Rule Lodge." I. O. G. T. will be held in the Orange Hall. on Tuesday evening as usual, the Trustees of the Hall have kindly placed it at their disposal. A full attendance is particularly requested on next Tuesday evening at 7.30 .-

come actual settlers they may have lots The Dominion Government had a majority assigned to them under the Free Grants Act. of fifty-one on a strict party vote lately. The Each of the ten must be over 18 years of age protectionists appear to have gained some unmarried men will be allowed 100 acres cold snap and snow has shown them that all for our Sister Province to have the handling ground, yet the Government majority is large each, married men with two children under enough to render the possibility of an Oppo- 18 two hundred acres each. The applicant Have I wearied you? Well in drying up trouble is New Brunswick would get nothing sition triumph exceedingly remote, at any must be possessed of no real estate or have Langevin has been returned again from require the land for actual settlement : to all Charlevoix but with a reduced majority. of which he must make oath. The condition

revenue of \$1.25 per capita. The united Rouge principles among the French. within one month after his application is aprevenue of N. B. & N. S. would be \$1.48, or Easter is so called from the Teutonic Godwith the possible increase to the N. B. conhabitable house on his lot 16 x 20 and chop less Ostara, in Saxon Eastre, whose festival tribution \$1.76 per capita, a gain to Nova down and cultivate not less than three acres. was celebrated about this time of the year. Sectia in the one case of 23 cents and on the He must chop down and cultivate not less Easter was set apart as a day of rejoicing at other of 51 cents per capita. This ought to a very early period in the history of the than ten acres in the first three years and be a very persuasive argument to a Nova Church, and has been regularly observed. Between the 12th and 15th centuries it became very much abused and the services of January, February and March. On fulfilling bers of the family before the close of the A statement having been the rounds of and travel over it to the up country, is the English papers to the effect that there the day degenerated into low ribaldry and these conditions he will receive his grant. week. were in the United States Asylums 10,000 shameful stories. The dawn of the 16th The mail arrangement here has been chang- lunatics, rendered in ane from Spiritualism, century witnessed a return to the time honored ed, securing us a daily mail. This supplies "A Clergyman" writes to the Times and solemnities befitting the occasion. The ob- house and cleared and planted three acres. gives statistics which show that of the 30,000 servance of Good Friday is of equal if not The Shaw Bros. intend doing a large stroke confined lunatics in the United States, less greater antiquity, and when the Roman Em- tion will not be published until a more In a conflict between R. L. Scott and only distrust and condemnation of Russia by of business here throughout the spring and than one hundred lost their reason from this pire adopted Christianity as the State religion, favorable season. The points scored are too Chas. Page at Dublin, Pulaski County, Vir- restricting itself to the faintest phraseology summer. The 350 vats which are needed to cause, while ever five hundred were crazed this day was proclaimed as a heliday to be spent in fasting, prayer and humiliation.

NEWS ITEMS.

The population of California increased during the past year by immigration, 55,000. We direct the attention of the Kincardien Colonists to our Chicago letter.

J. C. Small, receiving teller of the Standard Bank, Toronto, has abscended with \$3,000. And now they say that three members of the local Government are looking fondly his best attention. The proposed improve- with so much fidelity. Robbed of the pat-

Mrs. Jenkins, who lives on the back street, says her son has bought a horse that is so speaking of a large body of settlers in Maine, now be satisfied that the way of the Opposispirituous that he always goes off in a decanter. The new Doomsday Book of Great Britain and Ireland gives the population of the United Kingdom as 28,000,000.

An exchange says it is all moonshine about seven hundred loaded vessels leave this port the Houlton girls petitioning Congress to annually for St. John and points beyond, and have leap year come oftener.

It is said the grass in Colerado last season was so short that they had to lather it before it could be mowed.

Cartier Bank, has been sentenced to six revives, the New Brunswick Railway will months imprisonment. The Grand Lodge of Good Templars of Massachusetts have decided to exclude color-

The farmers of Northern Aroostook have been holding a very interesting Convention

at Presquile. It is currently reported that Mr. Elder has taken the vacant seat in the Government. We hope he has, for he will find it

An enterprising friend of ours is going to raise mosquitoes under blue glass. He thinks he will be able in this way to supply the market with spring chickens all summer.

SUDDEN DEATH -A Mrs. Lawrence, who must have a large back country to support lived at St. Mary's Ferry, was found dead in her bed on Sunday morning last. Disease of advantageously here as anywhere in the Dothe heart is the supposed cause.

Two large hay barns at Sussex, belonging retail establishments have not decreased. on Monday night. They contained upwards

The Supreme Court of Nova Scotia has decided that the use of the great Seal by the

Nova Scotia Government, after the receipt of the new one, was illegal. The annual boat race between the Oxford and Cambridge crews took place on the days and sometimes weeks exists, such a

In some few Counties "the public" are yearly to the United Stated for potatoes, and beginning to discuss the possibilities of the the quantity of Northern Agricultural pro- next local election. The general impression luce consumed by the West Indies is is that there will be "fun;" which being in-

> The Northern Light has been making re- a summer, he would soon remove the sand gular trips lately between Georgetown P. E. bank which stands in the way of easy trans-I. and Pictou, and proves, after all that has been said about her, to be quite a success.

A young girl 17 years of age named Marthis winter has brought considerable American garet Carrol, committed suicide by hanging capital amongst us, which otherwise we herself on Sunday morning last, in St. John would never have seen, and though the amount | Temporary insanity was the verdict of the

> ing to cross a brook on a fence, at Westport, almost entirely destroyed, so far as the two N. S., fell into the water and was carried by the current under a bridge, and was drowned before assistance reached her.

The Concerts announced to take place at Robinson and Gibson, owing to unfavorable circumstances, had to be postponed indefinitely. When they will take place will be themselves very creditably. The occupants

to fill the vacancy occas ioned by the death Jewellery; on the second flat Fisher & Fisher

tural resources of the St. John River, and is else his heart isn't in the right place.

more closely.

The entertainment given by "Golden Rule Lodge," I. O. G. T. on Tuesday evening last, passed off quite successfully. There was a very fine attendance considering the unfavorable weather, and the performance appeared to give perfect satisfaction to all present.

Hardwood or Hacmatac timber, 60 " ton. "Pine timber, 60 " " ton. " we may "want" the former a long time and to give perfect satisfaction to all present. then not get them, the latter source of pros- We are pleased to learn that "Golden Rule perity is at our hand. The experiment can Lodge" is in a very flourishing condition.

market value at mill, place of shipment or of consumption in the Province. charge is \$4.00, but it is a matter to be arranged between the parties. is 80 cents per acre.

increased to \$2.48, and Nova Scotia with a This would seem to indicate a growth of of the grants are that chopping must be begun

Mr. Chas. Burpee, M. P. for Sunbury, is actively engaged in endeavoring to convince ferries it wants, but Fredericton can have the Minister of Public Works that the im- none. We are not even as well off as provement of the navigation of the St. John Florenceville. There the County members "Officer in portance. In taking this course Mr. Burpee promised to refund it; but they would not to learn that Mr. Pickard gives the matter administration, which the Sentinel supports

in the Counties of Sunbury, York, Carleton, paper. Victoria, Madawaska and a part of Northum-The news from the East may be sumberland has to pass over these shoals. Fully marized as follows :- It is rumored, denied, affirmed, officially stated, semi-officially contwo or three steamers daily pass over the radicted, disbelieved in official circles, and same route. It will thus be seen that the St. surmised by well-informed correspondents that either Russia will or will not demobelize John river is an important thoroughfare; and the traffic upon it has by no means reached her forces. Then the reader may take the words protocol, diplomacy, Herzegovina, sulted. the development which may be reasonably Mr. Cate, late Cashier of the Jacques expected, for, when the short lumber trade atrocities, outrage, revolution, Pruth, Ignatieff, finances, disturbances, peace, war, essation of hostilities, disarmament, enlistbring down from the interior vast quantities ment, organization, disorganization, Snider the protocol, and to send an Ambassador to to be shipped to the United States, and, if the rifles, provisional, &c., &c., and arrange them St. Petersburg to arrange the matter of dechannel were deepened, to the West Indies. In view of these facts it seems not unreasonto suit himself. That's all we know about mobilization.

able to ask that an appropriation be made to the Eastern question. clear the river of what is a very serious ob-Davis & Dibblee will reopen in heir old struction to navigation. With no very exstand on Wednesday. This is pretty quick travagant outlay a channel could be opened so that vessels drawing 18 feet of water pluck of the firm. could reach this City, eighty-five miles from

John Babbitt may be found in Chestnut's Building a few doors above York Street. guage railway, the other terminus of which! M. S. Hall in To rens' Building two doors will be upon the St. Lawrence and along the below Wilmot's Al. y.

the sea, the starting point of a narrow

line of which is some of the best farming

New Brunswick Railway and its branches if

during the whole season of navigation the

approach to this City were safe for loaded

coasting vessels. But while the possibility of

grounding on the shoals and lying there for

trade can never be developed. Our own

various descriptions which is brought to or

taken away from Fredericton in the course of

evidence of their interest in this project; and

we believe it is intended to submit resolu

On Wedneseay last, about 11.30 P. M.

fire broke out in Fisher & Fisher's bric

block, corner of Queen and York Streets.

upper storys are concerned. The Stores

upon the ground floor are badly damaged by

water. The loss is fully covered by insurance

Considering the facilities at their disposal for

getting at a fire in a large building, the

Fisher & Fisher, \$6000 on Building, viz :-

Fixtures \$5000, viz:—Imperial, \$1000

Ætna, \$1000, British American, \$1000,

M. S. Hall, on Stock, Books, Papers, &c.

Fisher & Fisher, and Wm. Wilson, Esq.

We are very much pleased to notice that the

losses sustained by the "Queen," "Imperial,"

Æna" and " British American," as above,

adjusted on Friday last, less than twenty-four

To Correspondents .- F. M. C., Kings-

(1.) The following is the stumpage price

Other lumber and bark ten per cent of

(2.) There is no fixed price for surveying

f lots under the Labor Act. The usus

(3.) The upset price of vacant Cown Land

(4.) If ten or more persons desire to be-

list for the Provincial Crown Lands-

had small amounts on their Law Books in

Canadian, \$1.200.

hours after the fire.

consideration of the Minister.

Fisher & Fisher in J. L. Inches's Building land in Canada. If the Maritime Provinces York Street. succeed in establishing a regular trade with W. Wilson in the Hatheway Building corthe West Indies, there is no good reason why ner of Queen and Regent street. Fredericton should not enjoy a large share of

Dr. Coulthard at his residences, Queen it, for the articles which those Islands require Street. Golden Rule Lodge will meet from Northern latitudes can be produced as the Orange Hall.

minion, and it is a matter for consideration if Household Furniture, Stocks, Land, and this would not be the cheapest route by which Merchandise of all description sold Quebec could get its West Indian produce. Auction. Persons wishing goods of any Be this as it may, there is no manner of doubt kind sold will find it to their advantage to that a considerable carrying trade would leave their orders with Mr. Jas. L. Beverly spring up with the seaboard Cities of New auctioneer, and they can depend upon having expenses are higher than before these changes. The "Eli Perkins at large" noticed in an- England because of the large and increasing them properly advertised and satisfactorily other column, is not our Ely, who is at home business of the Aroostook Valley. Much sold and the cash paid to them immediately surrounded by an ever diminishing stock of freight now brought by rail would find its after the sale. Mr. B. will sell either at way to Fredericton by water and be trans- parties' residences or at his auction room. ported to the upper part of Maine by the

The river has been rising quite rapidly the past few days, which has had the effect making the ice along the shores dangerous. everal horses have broken through but they were got out without much trouble. Bridges ave been constructed on both sides of the iver and traveling has become safe again. business men find this same danger an indi-The late fire demonstrated the necessity

rect, and sometimes a direct source of loss. of a hook and ladder Company. We are We imagine if the Minister of Public Works satisfied that the property owners will justify could see massed together all the lumber, the Council in the expense of establishing coal, agricultural produce and merchandize of one, and we recommend its consideration by the aldermen at the next meeting. KATE DANTON, by Mrs. May Agnes Flem-

Canadian book, by a Canadian author, pubportation. The merchants of the City have lished by a Canadian House. The scene is of skilled operatives are devoted to this one already, through the Board of Trade, given laid in Canada and the characters are Canadian. The New Brunswick reader will ecognize many familiar names. It is a capital story, the best of Mrs. Fleming's that tions on the subject, or a memorial to the we have read, and ought to have a place on every table in the land. For sale at Cropley's. DYSPEPSIA and its kindred diseases, by Dr.

W. W. Hall; Belford Bros. A good book illed with sound practical advice. It will not A young girl named McIntosh, in attempt- this City. The interior of the building is medicine stores. It is the last of Dr. Hall's every phase of rose-culture—how to grow publications and contains the results of obser- them in the open ground; their insect ene vations extending over a long and very busy mies; what roses to plant: which to select

BELFORD'S MAGAZINE for April is another excellent number. The paper on "Canada a hundred years ago," is of itself worth the members of the fire department acquitted price of the book. This Magazine seems

of the block on the ground flat, were Davis & ELI PERKINS (at large), by Melville D Dibblee, Druggists; M. S. Hall, Books and The author says in the preface, "The literary the cover is pretty and the pictures are lifelike." There are about 7,964,837 laughs in this book. The humor is in rather a finer vien than is found in most American books, and the Y. M. C. A. The following was the and there is nothing offensive in it. New York society is shown in some of its ridiculous phases, and Eli proves himself often no mean hand at satire. A number of pathetic Central, \$2,400, "Queens," \$2,400, Royal anecdotes are scattered through the book and they are told in a style which goes Davis & Dibblee, on Stock, Drugs and Shop straight to the heart.

TELEGRAPHIC ITEMS.

MONDAY. Lee, the Mormon murderer, was shot o Friday at Mountain Meadow, the scene of By a railway casualty near Worthington Ind., eleven persons were injured, one of

Tweed is to be released next week. He estores property to the amount of \$250,000. Seventeen cases of small pox are reported n the Convent of the Sisters of Charity, Five persons were killed and ten seriously

wounded by a fast mail train running off the and condition by immigrating to the great town to Dover. I had daily spells of bleed-The village of Madrid, N. Y., was set fire o and plundered by an organized band of robbers, Saturday night.

TUESDAY. Tweed will be released next Thursday, and will testify that Sweeny and Hall knew all about the frauds and received their percentage to Church and Schools and internal affairs of immediately sent and got a half dozen bottles; of the plunder in the bills instead of checks. the community as would insure that har-after taking which I feel myelf a well man On real estate which will be transferred to monious, active development and prosperity again. My weight, which was reduced to \$5 TO \$20 per day at home. Samples worth again. My weight, which was reduced to \$5 to \$20 per day at home. Samples worth the city by Tweed's brother, sons and others which would make the district a rallying 120 pounds, is now up to its usual standard Maine. will probably realize \$1,200,000. Total sum point to which parties of friends could from of 152 pounds. Seeing what it has done for recovered from the Ring thieves will be three time to time supplement the Pioneers, and me I can confidently recommend it to others

All negotiations between Turkey and Station on the great highway of the Kansas Montenegro have been stopped. The bark Lorens from Marseilles, secured In order to secure the respectability of the from a small boat Capt. Young and four men party, the New Brunswick Kansas Colony from the British schr. Rivulet, from Brazil will be formed on the same principle as the for England, abandoned in a sinking condition. New Kincardineshire Colony, excepting that disfigured her face with vitriol yesterday, their lots and superintend by delegates or inthrough jealousy. Pickard has been arrested. dividually their own arrangements, the assist-Joseph Stohi died yesterday. He charges ance and guidance gratuitously given by the

WEDNESDAY. An enthusiastic public reception was given President Grant yesterday at Cincinnati. Five road agents fired into the Chevenn nd Black Hills stage last night, killing John Slaughter, the driver, and murdering Walter lles, a messenger

At Little Falls, N. Y., while Chief of Police Smith was arresting Andrew Pfau, an \$25 to \$30, according to the number of the neck with a knife and shot him behind the about 41 days. ear, inflicting dangerous wounds. A despatch from Rome says that the Pope proved of. He must within one year build a is so ill that he has to be carried from one room to another.

Guy Kimball, of Dalton, New Hampshire aged 65, went home last night drunk, quarreled with his wife and beat her brains out actually cultivate continuously what he chops with a stick of wood. down. He must reside on his lot for three The Sun says W. H. Vanderbilt will double at least 15 days before departure. years, but may be absent during July, August, the amount of the pequests to the other mem-

THURSDAY.

When two acres have been chopped and Tweed's council says he will on Friday piled the Government will pay the settler propose a settlement of Tweed's case. No \$15.00 and a like sum when he has built his offer to expose Tweed's transactions with public men will be made, though Tweed P. O. B., Madawaska.-Your communica- might consent to appear against Sweeny. valuable to make public just now. We hope ginia, Page and son were fatally shot. An- in which an agreement can be couched, we canyou will continue your investigations. Your other son of Page attempted to kill Scott not wonder the negotiations are interrupted."

The Tuscon, Arizona Star publishes a copy of what purpots to be an order originally issued by Assistant Adjutant General Ferguson at Salt Lake, April 19th, 1858, as follows : by the deepening of the channel at the paid a subsidy of \$250 out of their own ordered to see that every man is well prepar-Oromocto Shoals is a work of very great im- pockets. To be sure the Chief Commissioner ed with ammunition, and to have it ready. At the time you see these teamsters 100 has shown that he has the interests of the vote "right" so they were worthy of no con- advises that they should be all killed to preriver Counties at heart and we shall be glad sideration at the hands of this precious vent them returning to the Bridge to our enemies. Every precaution should be ment has more than a local interest; fully ronage of the County and their own private equired." The document was found among papers of the late ex-Chief Justice Titus, of 70,000 inhabitants of this Province, without means truly Messrs. Jones and Leighton must Arizona, formerly Chief Justice of Utah. A Commission to examine the politica will be more or less benefited by it; for tion is hard, and how cheered they must be situation in the south is composed of the nearly all the merchandize which is consumed by the encouragement given by their local folllowing gentlemen: Judge Charles Lawrence, of Illinois; ex-Governor J. C. Brown, Tennessee; Gen. Joseph B. Hawley,

> FRIDAY. all the money stolen by Whiting has been you, leaving you to make what use you please There are very heavy floods throughout the State of Maine, and the rivers are reported still rising. Considerable damage has re-

tucky, Wayne McVeigh, Pennsylvanas.

Russia has complied with Englands demands and has consented to disarm on the following conditions:-To promise that the Porte make peace with Montonegro, to accept

DARING ROBBERY OF THE BROOKLYN BANK.

NEW YORK, March 23 .- The robbery The amount involved was \$160,000.

It appears that the Bank Directors lately reduced the salaries generally, including that \$2,200 to \$1,500. The loss of \$700 a year affected him keenly and he determined by a single stroke to make himself master of the situation. His plan was to abstract from the funds of the bank a large amount of conver- caviti tible funds and then wait an opportunity to effect a compromise with the bank officials that should place him in a position of inde- your Tonic in my family, and find it an pendence. Accordingly last Wednesday af- excellent invigorator. ternoon while alone in the bank for a short time, he opened the vaults, having acquainted himself with the combinations on the locks, and abstracted over \$100,000 in negotiable bills and about \$60,000 in money He tied the plunder up in a paper and soon bank. The theft was discovered yesterday day's Herald affecting to agree to a proposiwas taken into custody. On his person were period with regularity. found all the negotiable bills and \$18,000 in money. At a late hour this afternoon Whiting, the defaulting book-keeper, confessed that the missing \$40,000 was concealed in a Headaches, Whites, and all the painful discloset in a room at Van Dyke's house, corner eases occasioned by a disordered system, these of Bayard and the Bowery, New York, where the detectives proceeded and found it. The prisoner was locked up to-night in the station

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PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS .- The fo owing persons have been appointed Sheriffs r the undermentioned Counties, viz :-Thomas Temple, for the County of York Alexander T. Paul, Charlotte ; F. R. Jenkins Dibblee, Carleton; Francis J. Rice, Madawaska; Albert D: Olmstead, Victoria; James S. White, Sunbury; John Palmer, Queen's Samuel N. Freeze, King's; Silas Lynds, Albert: Blair Botsford. Westmoreland Antoine Girouard, Kent; John Shirreff, so well and give such general satisfaction." Northumberland; Robert B. Vail, Gloucester; J. Thompsom, Woodford, writes, "Send me William H. Phillips, Restigouche.-Roya

A terrible case of incest and abortion has ome before the London, Ont., Assizes. Nathan Cooper, with the connivance of his supply without delay.' wife, seduced his neice, aged 14. Ais wife also assisted in an attempted abortion on the Thomas' Eclectric Oil. See that the aignagirl. Both the Coopers are committed for ture of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and

NEW BRUNSWICK COLONY FOR KANSAS.

Since my tour in Kansas, prospecting for new location for the New Kincardines olony, so numerous have been the applica tions from persons in this Province to join J. H. Robinson, Esq., St. John N. B. the Kansas movement, as to have suggested to me the organization of a separate Colony to meet the special requi who are desirous of improving their health the lungs while on a passage from Queensthat healthful, beautiful and fertile State.

The idea of myself and those on the List, ficient number to secure all the advantages ances as enabled me to get home. of cheap transit, favorable location, good terms, and such other arrangements in regard millions. Sweeney will probably restore half so in a few years build up an extensive and afflicted with lung diseases. flourishing District, having for its centre a Pacific Railway.

Alfred Pickard tied his wife to a chair and the Colonists will effect their own location on that while sleeping in a Hoboken brewery some one poured kerosene over him and set Railway Co. Agents being supplementary. The Special New Brunswick Colony is intended to leave about the end of March; the transic will be conducted by the undersigned On arriving in Kansas, and while the heads of families select and fix on their homesteads JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills! and erect suitable shelter, the families will have free house room at the Immigration Depot of the Railway Co. at Salina.

The price of passage from McAdam Junction to place of location in Kansas will be from alleged lunatic, yesterday, Pfau cut Smith's party. The duration of the journey will be Parties desiring to avail themselves of this opportunity, should lose no time in enrolling their names on the Colony List. Further

of the country, will be posted to any applicant | servation. on receipt of address and a three cent postal N. B.-None need apply who cannot give good evidence of industry and sobriety. A general neeting of the Colonists will be held

W. BROWN.

The Times, reviewing the Eastern situation says: "When we see how our Government does nothing, promises nothing, and exhibits

Woodstock, Carleton County, N. B.

FROM A WELL-KNOWN WRITER. From Mrs. Mary Francis, well known as Margaret Blount. Brightbank, Woodstock, Vt., Oct. 6th, 1876.

eth W. Fowler & Sons: Gentlemen—Two years ago I began to take he Peruvian Syrup. I was in a languid half alive state, through incipient dyspepsis bottles of the PERUVIAN SYRUP changed miles easily, without resting, or busy myself out of doors all day long without fatigue. A lady cousin, who resides with me, took he Syrup during her recovery from a serious ness of some weeks. She has been an invalid for years. Five bottles of the Syrup have so built up her system that she now eats quite heartily, sleeps well, and can walk three miles (in fine weather) without fitigue. Connecticut; Gen. John M. Harlan, Ken-I consider the medicine so invaluable to persons of sedentary pursuits, or to those who suffer from languor or low spirits, that I re-The officers of the Brooklyn Bank say that late this personal experience of its effects to other books have had a great sale, and are in the proper stolen by Whiting has been you leaving you to make what use you please

of my letter. Yours, very respectfully. MARY FRANCIS. Sold by dealers generally.

THOUSANDS OF AFFIDAVITS Many having used " patent" and prepared edicines and failed in finding the relief promised, are hereby prejudiced against all medicines. Is tais right? Would you condemn all physicians because one failed in the relief promised? Some go to Californir in search of gold, and after working hard foa months and finding none, return home and

say there is no gold there. Does that prove it? Many suffering with Catarrh and pulmonary affections have used the worthless preparations work, and speaks volumes for the energy and the Brooklyn Bank was announced to-day. that crowd the market, and in their disappointment say there is no cure for Catarrh. Does that prove it? Does it not rather prove that THE subscriber would take this opportunity of expressing his thanks to all his friend have failed to employ the proper remedy? There are thousands of people in of the book-keeper, Geo. L. Whiting, from the United Stares who can make an affidavit that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery have effected their entire cure. Many had lost all ense of smell for months, and pieces of bone had repeatedly been removed from the nasal

> T. W. KEIRSTEAD, Dear Sir,-I have used your Purgative for the last eight months, and the fire of Wednesday night last. find it the best I ever used. I have also used | April 2, 1877. Yours, &c.,

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Yours very truly,

JOSHUA HARPER.

Of the bark "Mary Lowerison.

DEATHS On the 18th March, at Durham, Nashwaak Donald, only son of Mrs. McBean, widow, aged At Nashwaak, on the 24th March, Ella. beloved wife of Wm. Richards, Jr., and daughter of John McLean, Esq., aged 19 years.

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CARD.

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