

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
Fredericton, June 30, 1851.

SIR,—As I anticipated in my letter, of the 23rd, the last Mail brought a despatch on the subject of the Rail way Bills, of which I enclose a Copy for the information of the Committee of Subscribers.

I also enclose an extract from the Communication made to Earl Grey by the Railway Commissioners, containing their observations on the bills affecting the Railway in which you are interested.

I am Sir,
Your faithful Servant,
EDMUND HEAD.

D. J. McLAUGHLIN, Esq.,
Chairman R. R. Committee.

DOWNING STREET, 12th June, 1851.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch, No. 16, of the 7th April, transmitting certified copies of 3 Acts passed by the Legislature of New Brunswick in its last Session, entitled respectively "An Act to incorporate the European and North American Railway Company—(2061); an Act to facilitate the construction of the European and North American Railway (2062); and an Act to facilitate the construction of a railway from St. Andrews to Quebec," (2063.)

Having referred these Acts for the consideration of the Commissioners of Railways, I have received from these officers a report of which I now transmit a copy for your information.

Although it would appear that the most important of these Acts, (that numbered 2061) is in some respects defective, I do not consider it necessary to recommend its disallowance on account of the imperfections pointed out by the Commissioners. I trust without doing so, and thus delay the commencement of the work, a sufficient opportunity for reconsidering the subject will be secured to the Legislature of New Brunswick, by my deferring to submit the Act numbered 2062 for Her Majesty's confirmation.—By this Act it is proposed that pecuniary assistance from the Colonial Treasury to a very considerable amount should be given to the Company to enable them to construct the proposed Railway. To this I have no objection—on the contrary, I believe that in the present state of New Brunswick, it is consistent with sound policy that assistance should be given by the public towards the construction of the great leading line of Railways; and the particular line now suggested for encouragement is one which I think deserves it, for though it appears to me one of less importance than the projected line from Halifax to Quebec, I regard it as not being calculated at all to interfere with the latter (if properly regulated) but on the contrary, to contribute to its success. But while I am prepared to advise that Her Majesty's sanction should be given to a measure for affording assistance to this line on the principle proposed by the Act now under my consideration, I consider it inexpedient that this should be done until the Legislature shall have had an opportunity of reconsidering the Act No. 2061, and that the proposed assistance to the Company should only be granted on condition of its assenting to such amendments of this Act as may then be found advisable. I trust that the Legislature will carefully consider all the remarks of the Commissioners, as I consider them to be of much importance, and I fear that the interests of the Province may hereafter be exposed to serious injury if the amendments in the Act which are suggested are not now made; but there are only two of these amendments on which as affecting the interests of the Empire at large, as distinguished from those of the Province alone, I consider it necessary to insist before Her Majesty can be advised to sanction the great pecuniary assistance to the Company. The two amendments which I consider to be indispensable are those pointed out by the Commissioners as being required to secure the use on fair terms for the traffic between Halifax and Quebec, of that part of the line of Railway now proposed to be constructed which will be common to the two lines, and secondly the conveyance of Her Majesty's Troops and stores for their use, along the line at reasonable rates of charge.

I am not as yet enabled to express a positive opinion whether the Act No. 2063 ought to be confirmed; this question is still under consideration, but I hope to have it in my power to inform you at an early opportunity what decision may be adopted with respect to it.

In confirmation with what I have now stated, the Act No. 2061 will be submitted to Her Majesty on the first opportunity, in order that it may be left to its operation.

The Acts Nos. 2062 and 2063 will not be laid before the Queen for the present.

I am, &c.,
[Signed] GREY.

THE RECENT DESERTERS.—It will be seen by the following paragraph from the New York Mirror, that the nine Soldiers who deserted from this Garrison a few weeks ago, and reached Eastport in a Boat, are in a fair way of being captured.—New Brunswick.

EXTRADITION CASE.—A warrant was issued yesterday by the U. S. Commissioner Brigham, on the application of the British Consul, against John Walsh, and eight others, under the provisions of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain, charging the defendants with an assault on Richd. Dause, of the city of St. John, New Brunswick, and taking away from him a quantity of firearms and accoutrements, the property of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria. At a late hour last evening only one of the parties was in custody.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Monday morning last, a laborer in this City, named Mc'Nelling, dropped down dead while rolling a barrel of flour from the steamer Forest Queen, to the wharf. Mc'Nelling has left a widow and six children to lament their sudden bereavement. A circumstance connected with this accident is worthy of record. When Wills, the Carman, had the body of the deceased in his wagon, and was about to convey it to his former residence, David Western, the Mate of the Forest Queen,

slipped the sum of one pound into the hand of Wills, for the widow. This appears to us to be real charity, and we dare say David will not miss the pound.

A Coroner's Inquest was held on the body before H. Fisher, Esq., one of the Coroners for the County. Verdict—"Death by the visitation of God."—Head Quarters.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the two Loyal Orange Lodges of RICHMOND will have a Procession on the 12th instant, at which all Brethren, who can make it convenient to attend, are respectfully invited.

The Procession will arrive at the Scotch Corner at 11 o'clock. A. M., when the Rev. Thos. Todd will preach a Sermon on the occasion.

Richmond, July 5, 1851.

GRAND DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

A REGULAR Quarterly Session of the GRAND DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE of New Brunswick will be held at Woodstock, on WEDNESDAY the 30th inst., at 7 o'clock, P. M.

JAMES S. BEEK,
Fredericton, July 3, 1851. Grand Secretary.

NOTICE.

A PUBLIC EXAMINATION of the WOODSTOCK GRAMMAR SCHOOL, will take place on Friday the 11th inst.

JAMES M'COY.
July 3.

CARLETON COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

ON HAND,—Griffin's SCYTHES, Patent SNEATHS, do. RAKES, do. FORKS, &c. &c., at low rates. A further supply of the above, and the "CUMMINGTON Scythe Stones," shortly expected. [July 7.]

FARMING TOOLS.

THE Subscriber has now on hand:—

- 1 doz. Eagle & Howard PLOUGHS.
- 1-4 do Side Hill do
- 6 do PLOUGH POINTS.
- 1-2 do CULTIVATORS
- 4 do Howard's HOES, Steel.
- 2 do Plimton's do do
- 2 do Elastic Potato do do
- 2 do Round and Square Point Steel Shovels.
- 2 do Elastic Manure Forks.
- 3 do Hay Forks.
- 20 do Patent Black Wrench and Cemen Scythe Sneaths.
- 4 do Best Hay Rakes.
- 4 do English Scythes.
- 4 do American do
- 6 Boxes SCYTHE STONES.

All of which are warranted of the best quality, and are offered at the lowest prices.

W. T. BAIRD, Druggist.
July 3.

DRIED APPLES, &c.

2 BARRELS DRIED APPLES, 10 boxes Raisins, 3 bags soft-shelled Almonds, 2 barrels fresh Hazel and Hickory nuts, 5 barrels crushed Sugar, received at

G. S. WINTER'S.
Woodstock, July 3.

MORE NEW GOODS.

THE Subscriber has received in addition to his Stock, a few Cases of American Goods, consisting in part of Bonnets, New York Styles, Vissetts, Parasols, Combs, Fans, Jewellery, Children and Gent's Caps in great variety.

Boots and Slippers in Patent Leather, Kid and Morocco, Men's Gaiters and Slippers, Children's Boots and Shoes, Jeans, Satinets, Damask, Furniture Cotton, Window Blinds, Looking Glasses, Trunks, India Rubber Coats, with a great assortment of other things too numerous to mention. And is also opening English and Scotch Goods, viz. Carpetings, Plain, Striped and Fancy Shirtings, Cloths, Casimere, Doeskins, Vestings, Calicoes, DeLaines, Irish Poplins, Printed Muslins, Orleans, Cobourgs, Gingham, Barages, Exhibition Lustres, Shawls in Plain and Embroidered Cashmere, Indiana and French Barge, Silk and Satin Hdks, Satin Neck Ties, Ribbons, Laces and Edgings, Lawns, Diapers, Duck, Moreens, Table Cloths, in White Brown and Fancy, Towels, Osnaburgs, Bed Ticks, Twilled Regattas, Grey and White Cottons, Cotton Warps.

Small Wares, Hosiery, Cotton and Linen Shirts, Suspensers, 3 cases of BROWN AND SILK HATS, at very low prices

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF MADE CLOTHING comprising Black, Blue, and Brown Cloths, Frock and Sack Coats, Cassimere, Doeskin, Sporting do, Russel Cord, and Lustre Summer Sacks, Vests, in Silk, Satin, Valentia, Marselles.

Pants in Cassimere, Buckskin, Tweeds, Satinets, Drills, Plain and Fancy Moleskins, Wool & Straw Hats.

The Subscriber begs leave to inform his Friends and Customers that he is now completed his summe supply, and having purchased his present Stock in the CHEAPEST MARKETS he can now offer them the above Goods together with his former Stock, at such prices as must give satisfaction.

J. BRADLEY.
Woodstock, July 3, 1851.

P. S.—On hand, a good assortment of Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, Holloware, Superfine Flour, Pork, Hams in Pickle and Smoked, Cheese, Dry Fish, Liverpool and Rock Salt, Glass 7 x 9, 8 x 10, 10 x 12, 12 x 14, Putty, Nails, Lime, Sole Leather, Wheel Heads, Tea Boards, Candlesticks, Knives and Forks, Wool Cards, Pails, Brooms, Hearth Brushes, Scrubbing and Shoe do, Hook Suckles, Griffin and Dudley's best English Scythes, American Sneaths, Forks, Rakes, Dye Stuffs, and many other things kept in the trade.

J. B.

GOLDEN HONEY.

2 CASKS GOLDEN HONEY, on retail.
G. S. WINTER.
July 3.

VISITTES, BONNETS, PARASOLS.

JUST received and on hand, a very neat assortment of the above mentioned articles, which will be sold low.
July 3. J. BRADLEY.

BRITISH & AMERICAN GOODS!!

THE SUBSCRIBER

Invites attention to his large and well selected Stock of BRITISH AND AMERICAN GOODS, which he feels confident will bear comparison, in quality and price, with any in the Market. In the

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT,

Will be found Superfine wool-dyed Broad Cloths, in Black, Blue, Brown, Scarlet, Mulberry, Olive, Bottle Green, Invisible Green and Oxford mixed. Casimere and Doeskins, in Black, Blue, Brown, Grey, Drab and Fancy Styles. Scotch Tweeds, Silk Camblet, Russel Cord, Satinets, Grambroons, Printed Jeans and Drills.

SATIN, VALENTIA, AND SUMMER VESTINGS. Ladies' Dress Materials, in Turc Satin, Black Gro de Nap, Striped and Colored Silks, Cobourgs, Plain and Printed Orleans, Muslin, Gingham, &c.

Black Satin Shawls, and Watered Silk Scarfs. Silk and Cotton Velvets, Crapes, Ribbons, Lace Edgings, Muslin, Bobbinet, Sarcenets, Summer Shawls, Canton Crapes and Silk Neck Ties. Fancy Damask, Crimson Moreen, Bullion and Silk Fringe.

A Large Assortment of Dress and Furniture Prints. Parlour and Stair CARPETING, Hearth Rugs, Door Rugs, Door Mats, Woollen and Cotton Drugget, Carpet Binding, Carpet Bags, Girth Web, Blankets, Flannels, Marcella Quilts, White and Coloured Counterpanes, Linen and cotton Sheeting, Table Cloths, Diaper, Towelling, Irish Linen, Bed Ticking, Osnaburg, &c.

Hosiery, Gloves, and Trimmings. Blue and White Cotton Warps, Cotton Batting, Black and White Wadding. A large stock of Grey and Bleached Cottons, Striped and Regatta Shirting, Woollen Yarn, Knitting Cotton, Berba Wool, Whalbone. Gentlemen's under Clothing, Linen Shirts, Shirt Collars, Braces, Stocks, Silk Handkerchiefs, &c.

Gentlemen's Silk, Satin, and Beaver HATS. Leghorn, Palm Leaf, and soft Wool ditto. Cloth Caps Glazed Hat Covers, Umbrellas, &c. Curled Hair and Flock Matresses.

READY-MADE CLOTHING. Superfine Cloth Sack Coats. Tweed Shooting Coats. Black Cloth and Tweed Pants. Drab and Blue Cloth Jackets. Boys' Velveteen Coats. Black Cloth and Silk Vests.

An assortment of Summer Clothing.

BOOTS AND SHOES. Gentlemen's Congress Boots, Gentlemen's Shoes, Buskins and Ties, Morocco Slippers. Ladies' Silk, Lasting and Prunella Boots, English and American Kid walking Shoes and Slippers. Victoria Lasting and patent Enamelled Shoes. Boys' light Booties. Girls' walking Shoes.

PAPER HANGINGS.

Window Curtain Paper and Fire Screen Prints.

CUTLERY AND HARDWARE.

Ivory Balance-handled Knives and Forks. Buck-horn and Bone-handled Dinner and Dessert ditto. Buck-horn handled Carvers and Steels. Albatra Plate, German Silver, and Britannia Metal Table and Tea Spoons. Table Forks, Sugar Tongs, Salt and Mustard Spoons.

Tea Urns, Britannia Metal and Block Tin Tea and Coffee Pots. Plated and Japanned Cruet Frames. Toast Racks. Brass and Block Tin Tea Kettles, Tea Trays, Block Tin Soup Tureens, Britannia Metal Soup Ladels. Coffee and Spice Mills. Brass Socket Castors. Brass Taps, Tea Bells, Pattie Pans, Nut Crackers, Nippers, Plyers, Shoe Punches and Pincers. Iron, Brass, and Copper Wire.

Roller Blind Mounting, Back Pullies, Curtain Bands, Sash Pulleys, Table and Chamber Candlesticks, Polished Steel and Brass Snuffers, Japanned and Brass Snuffer Trays. Hat and Coat Hooks, Door Knockers, Hall Door Scrapers. Adjusted Iron Weights, in sets. Steelyards, Spring ditto. Ox Chains, Chain Traces. Wagon Pipe and Cart Boxes. Brass Wire Cloth. Whip Thongs.

Butcher and Shoe Knives, Mincing and Coopers' Drawing Knives, Sheep Shears, Scissors, Tailors' Shears. Pen and Pocket Knives. Razors and Razor Strops. Shaving Boxes. Spectacles.

Iron Pots, Bake-Pans and Covers. Tea Kettles, Gridirons, Frying-Pan, Charcoal Furnaces, Italian and Smoothing Irons. Goffing and Crimping Machines. Fire Irons. Zinc and Sheet Lead.

Flat, Round, and Square Iron, in Bars. Sheet Iron. 10, 12, 14, DC, and DX Tin Plate. Mill Saw, Blacksmiths', Cross-cut, Handsaw, Tennon, Bucksaw, and Rat-Tail Files.

Horse Raps, Flat and Half-Round Wood Raps.

LOCKS, HINGES, CARPENTERS' TOOLS, &c.

Hall Door Locks and Latches, Carpenters' Rim Locks, with Patent Spindles, American Mortice Locks and Latches, Chest, Trunk, Cupboard, Desk, and Pad Locks. Broad and Narrow Wrought Iron and Cast Butts, Brass ditto. Barn Door, Chest, Pew, Table, Bed, H, HL, and T Hinges. English and American Wood Screws.

Long and Short Joints, Jack, and Smoothing Planes. Hand and Tennon Saws. Double and Single Plane Irons. Socket, Turning, and Framing Chisels, Paring Chisels, in sets. Hammers, Shingling Hatchets, Trying Squares, Spirit Levels, Box Rules. Gouge, Centre, and Auger Bits. Gimblets. Welch Rag and Water of Ayr Stones. English and American Augers, assorted sizes. Round and Flat Bolts, Cupboard Latches, and Chest Handles. Trunk and Chair Nails, Wrought and Cut Nails, Spikes, Brads and Tacks.

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With Flint and Percussion Locks, Patent Breech and Twist Barrels, Cask and Cannister Powder, Powder Flasks, Percussion Caps, Shot, assorted sizes.

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A large assortment of Cooking Stoves, improved patterns, with and without elevated ovens. Franklin, Hall, Parlour, and Air-Tight Stoves. Oven Doors and Frames, mounted.

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Slop-Pails, Tea and Coffee Pots, Tin Cups, Covered Pails, Candle Moulds, Milk and Pudding Pans, Stable Lanterns, Cullenders, Pepper Boxes, Nutmeg Graters, Cannisters, &c.

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Clothes, Hat, Hair, Flesh, Tooth, Nail, Black Lead, Scrubbing, Furniture, House, Hearth, Bannister, Whitewash, Horse, Shoe, Paint, Tar and Tanners' Brushes. Wool Mops. Mane and Curry Combs, Ivory, Fine Teeth, Dressing, and Pocket Combs.

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Best No. 1 White Lead. Black, Brown, Yellow, Green, and Blue Paint—in Casks and Jars. Red and Yellow Ochre, Red Lead, Chrome Yellow, Prussian Blue, Vermilion, Whiting, Chalk, Putty, Lamp Black.

Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, Copal, Japan and Japanner's Varnish.

Elephant, Sperm, Lard, Seal, Cod, and Neats Foot Oil.

GLASS WARE.

Window Glass, 7 x 9, 8 x 10, 9 x 12, 10 x 14, 11 x 15, and 12 x 16.—Looking Glasses, Plain and Cut Tumblers, Fruit Dishes, Preserve Plates, Wine and Custard Glasses, Sugar Bowls, Cruets, Oil and Fluid Lamps.

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Breakfast and Tea Sets—complete. Dinner, Dessert, and Tea Plates. Tea Pots, Sugar Bowls, Cream Ewers, Cups and Saucers.