

SEVERE STORM AT NEW YORK.—On Thursday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock, a thunderstorm of unusual violence passed over New York from the southwest, doing considerable damage. The temperature during the day had been more like July than April, the atmosphere being very sultry. Torrents of rain fell, accompanied by thunder, lightning and hail, and for a few minutes the wind blew a perfect tornado. At Jersey City, the roof of the Custom House building was blown off, and the goods were badly damaged by the rain. The building is 100 feet long, and 45 feet wide. Several chimneys, sheds, telegraph poles, and other exposed objects, were prostrated.

The most serious effect of the storm, however, was the sinking of the air-ship Ericsson, which at that time had just returned from a trial trip, and had on board several ladies and gentlemen. The Ericsson's lower port holes were open, and the squall striking her, she keeled over and filled gradually sinking until her upper deck was four feet under water. She will be raised with difficulty. Those on board made their escape by boats which put off from the shore.

The sloop Oregon, of Middletown, Ct., was run into by a steam tug, and eventually sunk, and is a total wreck, together with her cargo of 3000 bushels of corn.

The Journal of Commerce of Friday evening says that the Ericsson remained in the same position in which she sunk, perfectly straight, with her upper deck just under water. A number of small steamers are employed about her.

The Ericsson is insured for \$325,000. She is considered worth \$500,000.—*Boston Journal*.

The *Chronicle* noticing the defeat of its candidate and the influences it possesses with the Orange party, says:—

"The result of the election on Tuesday last, was, as might have been fairly anticipated, although not exactly in unison with our feelings, as candidly and independently expressed by us, in the last two numbers of this journal. We had reason to know that the Orangemen of this city, who happily constitute at all times, a numerous and powerful body, and when aroused a truly energetic one, would very generally adopt the cause of Mr. Olive, and also that our good friends in Carleton would do, as they always have done, act with perfect unanimity. The late struggle, although the most hardly contested of any similar character, that we have ever witnessed, was conducted peaceably, and without the slightest evidence of violence or intimidation. To our Orange friends we say:—You know your strength—husband your resources—gird up your loins for a far more important conflict. Liberalism and Popery with its deadly hostility to all that is British or Protestant are both opposed to you and your order."

THE ERICSSON AGAIN.—On Thursday last, the Ericsson made another trial trip down New York harbor, having on board the owners and a small party of ladies and gentlemen. The result of the trial is reported as follows:—

"The performance of the Ericsson was said by her owners to be satisfactory. They report that she left her dock at 1 P. M., rounded the spitbuoy at half-past two, with a favorable tide and head wind. On the return trip she made 13 revolutions of her wheels—the engines working very smoothly. The consumption of fuel averaged at the rate of about ten tons for 24 hours. The intention was to place her on the sectional dock to-day, for the purpose of examining the bottom, prior to a longer experimental trip at sea."

On her return, the Ericsson met with a most disastrous result to her trip, the particulars of which will be found in another place.

A conflagration, attended with considerable loss of property and a fearful loss of life, has occurred at New York. On Tuesday evening, about eight o'clock, the extensive tailoring establishment of W. J. Jennings, No. 241 Broadway, was discovered to be on fire. The firemen were quickly in attendance, and by dint of great exertions prevented the fire from spreading to the adjoining buildings. Whilst they were thus employed, the rear wall fell, burying a large number in the ruins. Twelve firemen were killed, and about twenty persons were rescued from the burning mass, many of them horribly mutilated, and not expected to survive the injuries they have received. Great fault is found with the unsubstantial manner in which the building was constructed; to this calamitous loss of life and injury of persons is generally attributed. Amount of property destroyed, about \$75,000.

FOWL PROCEEDINGS.—The last species of fowl pay perpetrated upon the unsophisticated portion of Gotham is, that of glueing feathers upon the legs of common fowls and selling them for Shang-

"GOING RIGHT UP THE WHARF!"—The story is told of Mr. S., an elderly gentleman of this city, who for various reasons was exceedingly unpopular, that he was a few years ago receiving a pomeling on one of the wharves at the hands of a man who had a grudge against him. Unable to defend himself successfully, he called out for assistance to the lookers-on, from whom he received no sympathy. At length he caught sight of a neighbor of his who happened to be passing, and he cried out in despair, "Stop! stop! Sir, will you stand by and see me murdered?" "Oh, no! I am going right up the wharf!" was the sympathetic reply.—*Portland Eclectic*.

HOW TO CLARIFY WATER.—A correspondent of an exchange says that at Sydney both the water and the pasturage were bad; the former, in fact, could hardly be used; and this, we found, was a difficulty that attended us throughout the journey. Fortunately, however, we had provided ourselves with a very simple remedy, in the shape of a supply of alum. Even the muddiest water can be made clear as crystal by mixing with it a small portion of this mineral, pounded very fine—say a pennyweight to the bucket. In less than a minute after the alum is applied, all the clay and other impurities held in solution, coagulate and fall to the bottom, leaving the water above perfectly clear.

NORTHUMBERLAND.—A Requisition, signed by 420 Freeholders in the County of Northumberland has been presented to the Hon. J. A. STREET, Attorney General, requesting him to come forward again as Candidate for member of the House of Assembly at the next general election.

The following from an English paper of 1795, is of some interest at the present moment:—

August 25th 1795.—The Russian fleet, now in the Downs, was originally intended to reinforce the British fleet in the Mediterranean. Our ministers struck with a late conviction of the impolicy of making the Russians acquainted with those waters, and perhaps giving umbrage to the Porte, have determined on sending some British ships to Admiral Hotham, and keeping the Russian vessels for our home squadron. **ANTIQUARY.**

A Bye-Law

TO provide means for the payment of Parochial or Contingent Expenses.

I. *Be it Ordained*, By the Municipality of Carleton, that on the application of the Councillors for any Parish, the secretary Treasurer shall be directed at any meeting of the Council to cause such sum or sums to be assessed on the inhabitants of such Parish, for which such application may be made, as may be necessary to defray the contingent or parochial expenses of the same to be levied and collected in the same manner, as taxes for the support of the poor of the Parish.

The Dublin *Nation* has quite turned upon its old friend, John Mitchell—

"His brain appears to have been turned, his heart to have grown hopelessly mal-content in exile, and he sees the world again only to scoff, and sneer and make it echo with his egotisms."

The body of Miss Eaton—the young lady whose sudden disappearance from her father's residence a short time since, caused such painful sensations—was discovered last Sabbath morning on the flats in the rear of the City, near low water mark. It is supposed she incautiously walked or fell into the water and was drowned. Her remains were interred on Monday, and the afflicted family shares largely in general sympathy.—*Rel. Int.*

Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills.

Are fast superceding all other remedies for liver complaint, sick headache, dyspepsia, &c. Below we give the certificate of a lady residing in our own city. In such certificates the public must have confidence.

New York, August 30, 1852

I do hereby certify that I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint for a long time, and never found permanent relief until I used Dr. M'Lane's Liver Pills. By their use I have been completely cured of that dreadful disease, and now take pleasure in recommending them to all who are troubled with liver complaint, sick headache, or dyspepsia.

MARY HILL, Fifth avenue.

P. S. The above valuable remedy, also Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable Drug stores in this city.

Purchasers will please be careful to ask for, and take none but Dr. M'Lane's Liver Pills. There are other Pills, purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public.

W. T. BAIRD, Agent,
Woodstock, N. B.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills the best Remedies for Bad Legs, and all kinds of Wounds.—The surprising sale of these invaluable medicines in every part of the civilized world is one of the most convincing proofs of their efficacy in curing bad legs, old wounds, scrofula, and diseases of the skin. Thousands of people who suffered from these dreadful maladies have been cured by their use after every other remedy failed; and it is a fact beyond dispute that there is no disease, however obstinate, but that may be shortly eradicated by these wonderful medicines, therefore the afflicted should try Holloway's Ointment and Pills.

W. T. BAIRD, Agent,
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According to Blackwood's Magazine, the Grand Duke Michael predicted the dismemberment of the Russian Empire soon after the death of the present Autocrat. Whatever may be the claims of that sagacious prince to the character of a prophet, it is evident that Russia is now approaching a most important crisis.

Deaths.

At Upper Woodstock, on Wednesday morning last, Mary, second daughter of James Ketchum Esq., in the 19th year of her age.

New Advertisements. First Spring Importations

AT THE
GOLDEN FLEECE,
MAY, 1854!

NOW OPEN 2,000 LADIES' AND MISSES' Bonnets, among which will be found every desirable style.

6 Cases Gents' Satin, Leghorn, and Kossuth Hats.
M. McGUIRK.

N. B.—Remainder of Stock will be open for inspection next week.

Found.

BY THE SUBSCRIBER, last Fall, a small bundle containing clothing. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

JOSIAH RUSCOE.
P. S. This advertisement would have appeared earlier but the subscriber has been in the Woods all winter.
Woodstock, May 13th, 1854. J. R.

Railway Notice!



THE Undersigned are prepared to receive Tenders from responsible Parties, for the execution in sections, of One and Three Miles, of the Works on the St. Andrews and Quebec Railway, commencing at Connick Dam, and continuing to Woodstock. The Work includes clearing the line 100 feet wide, Grading, Ditching, providing and laying Superstructure. Ballasting and Completing Road.

Specifications and conditions to be had at the Office of the Undersigned in Saint Andrews, and the Fredericton Road Station Dumbarton.

Tenders will be received until 10th May next.
JAMES SYKES & CO.
Fredericton Road Station, April 4th, 1854. may 13

WHOLESALE

Fish and Provision Store, Saint John, N. B.

CODFISH, 500 Quintals; Pollock, 150 do.
Herrings and Mackerel, 400 Barrels;
Oils, 300 gallons, Seal, Cod, Spermaceti, Elephant and Olive;
Pork, 100 bbls. Mess, Prime Mess and Prime;
Beef, 50 do. American and Nova Scotia;
Butter 100 Firkins; Tobacco, 80 packages, assorted;
Tea, 60 1-2 Chests; Molasses, 30 puncheons;
Bears, 40 bbls.

STEWART & McLEAN,

Water street—adjoining Ferry Landing.
May 5, 1854. 6m may 13

COTTON CORDAGE.

THE Undersigned are the exclusive importers of this new and useful article, now coming into general use in the United States and neighboring Provinces for Running Rigging, Tackle Falls, Reef Points, Wheel Ropes, Bed Cords, Clothes Lines, and Warps; it is much better adapted for any of those purposes, where lightness, flexibility, durability, and strength are requisite, than any article, now in use. The Manufacturers guarantee it to be much lighter, equally strong, and serviceable as Manila at the same cost. Where worn out old junk can be sold for one-third the original cost.

STEWART & McLEAN,

Water Street—adjoining Ferry Landing.
St. John, N. B., May 5th, 1854. 6m may 13

REMOVAL!

JACOB & WINSLOW'S
LAW OFFICE,

IS NOW OVER THE STORE OF

Mr. J. T. ALLAN.

May 1st, 1854. may 6

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE his Farm, containing from 160 to 170 acres. This farm is in a good state of cultivation, has on it a small orchard, and about 18 acres of intervals. It is less than one mile from the village, fronts on the main high-way, between the Creek and Upper Village, and extends through to Maduxmikik.

—ALSO—

A lot containing 24 acres, 15 of which are intervals, adjoining the farm belonging to the heirs of the late J. M. Connell. He will also dispose of his Brick-yard in the village.

Woodstock, Feb. 18, 1854.

A CARD.

THE Subscriber would most respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woodstock and surrounding country, that he has commenced to transact business in the Grocery line, in the store situated directly opposite the Drug Store of William T. Baird, Esq., and lately occupied by Mr. John McDonagh, where he has opened a large and varied stock of Groceries.

Having obtained a thorough knowledge of this department of trade in one of the most extensive establishments in the old country, he therefore feels himself competent to have a stock of the best and most select goods low persons who may have the kindness to favor him their patronage, may depend on getting goods at the lowest possible prices.

MICHAEL HARTT.

Carleton County Agricultural Soc'y.

At a Meeting of the Directors of this Society, held at the Secretary's Office, 27th March, 1854, on motion, **RESOLVED**, That a Special Premium of ONE PENNEY per lb. be offered upon all pure Northern Clover Seed grown within this County the present year: the same to be paid the respective parties competing, so soon as the quantity shall have been satisfactorily ascertained.

—Extract from the minutes.
The above premium is offered to induce the attention of Farmers of this County to the cultivation of this important and valuable crop.

This Society since its formation in 1840, has paid out from SIXTY to EIGHTY pounds annually for Clover Seed—amounting in all to upwards of a THOUSAND POUNDS, for an article that can be produced in greater perfection within the County.

The mode of Culture adopted by Growers of Clover at Arestook and other neighboring parts of Maine, is as follows:—Seed, 20 lbs to the acre—The Clover fed off till the 10th of June, and then allowed to run to seed, when fully ripe, cut and dried as other hay, and mowed away, or stacked. In the winter, or at leisure, the heads are tramped off by cattle on the barn floor, and the Seed cleaned in a Clover Mill.

The produce varies from 150 to 250 lbs per acre, according to the Season.

* This information is obtained from a practical person of Arestook, for many years concerned in the growth of Clover, as his most profitable crop.

H. E. DIBBLEE, Sec'y.
Woodstock, April 25, 1854. advocate



CROWN LAND OFFICE, March 3, 1854.

THE undermentioned Lots of Land in the Tobique Indian Reserve, in the County of Victoria, as recently surveyed by Messrs. MacLachlan and Garden, will be offered for sale by H. M. Garden, Esquire, the Commissioner, at Beveridge's Andover, on Wednesday the 7th day of June next.

The purchasers will be required to pay the present estimated value of the improvements at the time of sale, in addition to the purchase money.

The purchase money must be paid in not more than three instalments, at intervals of twelve months each, whereof the first must be paid at the time of sale; and on the two remaining instalments if paid at the same time, a discount at the rate of 15 per cent. shall be allowed. Two pence per acre in addition to the purchase money will be charged for the survey already made,

No. of Lot.	Present occupant or claimant.	Acres.	Upset price per acre.	Value of Improvements.
1	Samuel Lovely.	70	4s. 3d.	£22 0 0
2	James Murphy,	95	"	45 10 0
3	John Hanson.	85	"	37 0 0
4	Abraham Topham,	50	"	40 0 0
5	Do.	180	5s. 3d.	107 0 0
6	Benjamin Beveridge,	130	"	74 10 0
7	Stillman Armstrong,	132	"	140 0 0
8	John Larlee, Senr.	102	"	113 10 0
9	Elijah Larlee,	82	"	106 10 0
10	Thomas Lovely,	176	"	140 10 0
11	Joseph Lovely,	118	"	104 0 0
12	John Larlee, Junr.	136	"	158 0 0
13	Daniel Craig,	200	"	194 0 0
14	James Taylor,	155	"	113 0 0
15	Sutton Armstrong,	116	"	124 0 0
16	Anthony Nichol,	142	"	91 10 0
17	Joseph Topham,	127	5s. 0d.	87 10 0
18	Amos Larlee,	158	4s. 9d.	60 10 0
19	Do.	110	4s. 3d.	7 0 0
20	Do.	175	"	12 0 0

R. D. WILMOT, Sur. Gen.

March 18, 1854. 9w

New Goods! New Goods!



November, 1853.

THE Subscriber has received per ships Imperial, Eudocia, and Lisbon, and per steamers from New York and Boston, a choice and varied stock of

NEW GOODS,

Comprising Scotch Superfine and Three-ply CARPETS, Druggists, Rugs, Cloth Table Covers, Damask, and Morceaux, Worsted and cotton Fringes, Oris lace, Linen Napkins, D'Oileys, Linens, Towels, Window Curtains, Counterpanes, Blankets, Sheetings, Bed Ticks, Furniture prints, &c. FLANNELS in Red White, Blue, and Pink. Plain Twilled, Fancy Colored Bay State Flannels, Plain and Printed, Gala PLAIDS; Fancy Cloaking, Tweeds and Pelisse Cloth; Ladies' London Made Mantles and Cloaks, newest styles;

DRESS MATERIALS,

In all the newest Fabrics, including Silks, Satins Poplins, Fancy Embroidered Robes, French Marinoes Coburgs and Orleans, all colors, Plain and Printed.

SHAWLS,

In Long and Square, of the most desirable Colors and Styles Black and Colored Silk Velvets and Plushes; Bonnet and Cap RIBBONS. Beautiful assortment of Polka Jackets, VERY CHEAP.

A LARGE STOCK OF

FURS,

In Fitch, Martin, Grey Squirrel, &c., &c., &c.

Hosiery and Gloves,

Woolen and Worsted Hosiery, Ladies Wool, Kid and Silk Gloves, a splendid Lot of Gents' Bucksins, Cloth, Worsted and Kid Gloves.

CLOTHS,

In Flannel, Beaver, and Whitney Cloths, Cassinets, Doeskins, Satinets and Tweeds, Bleached and Unbleached Cottons; Blue Drill, Horse Blankets, Blue and White Warps, Plain and Twilled Linings.

M. McGUIRK, Proprietor.
Woodstock, Nov. 12, 1853.