## The Town of Woodstock,

In Account Current with

Grover, Treasurer for 1860.

3000				La back	£.	8.
1860.	To naid	Wm. Melville plastering Lock up House, as pe	er voucher	No. 1.		7
Jan. 10.	10 para	J. H. Jacques, Fire purposes,			1	18
6.	"	O. Foster, services as Constable,	"	3.	5	0
	"	J. H. Jacques, Fire Department,	"	4. 5.		15
24.	"	Thomas Brown, Fuel for Town Hall,	"	6.		10
**	"	John T. Allan, Copying Revised List,	"	7.		15
"	"	Patrick Gallagher, Work on Road,	**	8.	1	0
a	"	B. Dougherty, Fire Department,		9.		15
11.	"	Robert Phillips, do. George Smith, do.	"	10.		7
29.	"	J. H. Jacques. do.	"	11.		14
31.	"	J. Grover, Services as Treasurer 1859, £5, assessor £3	"	. 12	8	0
51.	- 4	J. T. Nash, " " Clerk "	**	13	$\frac{2}{1}$	0
Feb. 20	"	E M Truesdell. " Assessor "	"	$\begin{array}{c} 14 \\ 15 \end{array}$		10
Mar. 3	"	James Day, 1 Qrtrs. salary, for lighting town,	"	16		12
8		Pat Gallagher, keeping open water noies, &c.	"	17	5	0
"	"	T. C. Upham, services as Road Surveyor,	66	18	6	5
	"	Marshall,		19	I	17
"	- 40	Wm. Edgar, for publishing town accounts, B. Dogherty, Fire Department,	"	20	1	0
"	"	B. H. Smith, services as Assessor 1859,	"	21	1	0
	. "	A. C. Tolford, Fire Department,	15	22	10	0
"	"	Vanwart & Stephenson, fluid,	ec .	23		2 5
"	**	E Gillesnie lighting lamp at Lower Corner,	" take of	24	2	4
**	**	I T Allan, Fire purposes 26s 3d., lighting 16s 0d.,		25 26	4	17
17		Stephen Smith stationery, 88 bd., Fire Dept. 38.,	66	27		5
	"	Watte hand hills adjourning town election	"	28		1
Aprl. 5	"	Robert Phillips, hauling saw dust to Town Hall,	**	29	1	10
"	"	N. Fletcher, services as returning officer,	"	30	1	10
"	"	J. H. Jacques, " W. Q. Shaw, "	44	31	1	0
"	ti	Wm Melville, services as Lock up house keeper,	**	33		7
"	"	C. II M'Indoe, Fire purpose 7s 6d., Road, 5s.,	"			12
25	"	O. Kelly,	"	34 35		17 12
		Pat. M'Donagh,	"	36		5
"	46	Edward Laffin,		39	1	5
June. 9	"	C. A. Beardsley, spruce and hemlock plank,	"	40	1	10
, 41		Hugh Hay, services as Returning Officer,	"	41	1	0
"	"	B. Daugherty, Fire Department,	"	42	1	0
"		W. Lindson Road nurnoses	4.	43		7
" .	"	Wm. Lindsay, Road purposes, J. H. Jacques, Fire Department,	"	44	2	19
a		Wm Price Lighting Department.		45		10
	**	Thomas Brown, shoveling snow 15s, saw dust, 2s 6d.		46	0	17 15
Jul. 28	**	Samuel M'Keen, table for Council Room,	"	47	2 7	10
66 G	"	J. T. Nash, services as Clerk,	66	48	5	0
"	"	T. C. Upham, "Marshall,		494	22	5
31		R. A. Hay, on acet Fire Department,	"	491	50	0
Aug. 11	"	D. L. Dibble, on acet Roads,		50		17
15		J. Green, "Corner Corner	66	51	1	0
25	"	J. Gillespie, cleaning tank at Lower Corner,	"	52	1	10
Sept. 7	"	James Robertson, services as Returning Officer, V. A. Hartley, Fire purposes 9d., Light 9d,		53		1
"	"	P. Gallagher, Road 13s 9d., ditto 1s 3d.	"	54		15
- "	"	J. T. Allan, Fire Department, 6s 6d., Light 62s 9d.	46	55	3	9
"		Wm. Edgar, printing,	•	56	2	15 10
"	"	H. M. Lean, Roads,	"	57	1	10
		G. Strickland, services as Returning Officer,	"	59	2	5
"	,51 66	Redmond Ring, Roads,		60	ĩ	2
	"	Do. Do. Fire dept f1	"	61	1	4
	"	T. C. Upham services as constable 4s., Fire dept. £1 5s., incidental 10s	. "	62		15
	"	B. Dogherty, Fire purposes,	**	63	1	10
	"	J. H. Jacques, do. do.	"	64	3	13
"		Wm. Melville, Gaol fees,	" -	65	1	10
	5/11/	J. C. Winslow, Insurance,	"	66 67	1	14
"		S Smith, stationery.		68		9
	Land Co	Jas, Baker, Lock up House keeper,	"	69	5	0
"		D. L. Dibble, Roads,	44	70		7
10		James Edgar, printing,	"	71	3	15
- 11	"	J. T. Nash, services as Clerk, Do. Do. rent Council Room	"	72	2	10
- "	"	T. C. Upham, salary as Marshal,		73	5	0
	"	W. Lindsay's account sundries,	"	74	100	14
Oct. 27		To Loan,	"	75 76	100	0
		John Wright, Fire Department,	1 66	77	100	0
"	. "	Parchase of Land.	"	78	3	
31.		M. J. Nash, services of J. T. Nash, as Clerk,	. "	79	3	5
	**	J. H. Moores, Fire Department	"	80	4	
Nov. 24		P. McCaffry, Registering Deed from A. Bull,	"	81		12
Dec. 12		J. H. Moores, Fire Department	"	82	1	12
20	1 24	O. Foster Do.	"	83	1 5	
20 44	"	David Barrie, Roads	"	84	5 3	
	"	James McIndoe, Sundries		85 86	3	
		John Wright, Fire Department	"	87	1	
"	200 66	J. H. Jacques Do.	a	88	3	2
		Light Committee, Light	. "	89	2	
"		* • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	"	90		6
		C. Connell, Nails W. Lindsay, Oil for Fire Department	"	91		2
		Light Committee	**	92		10
" "		Patrick Broderick, Fire Department	160	93	1	7 10
28		James Day, Light	"	. 94	1	10
			ount of De	ebts,	£456	11

Total amount of Debts, 607 15 11

Total amount of Credits, Balance in hand of Treasurer,

E. & O. E. Woodstock, N. B., Dec., 31, 1860.

21 " A. C. Tolford, Taxes,

THOWAS TEMPLE.

or \$604 863 JAMES GROVER, Treasurer.

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1859		$\mathfrak{L}5$	7	11	3
Dec. 31	By	Balance of account rendered			
1860.			3	17	6
Jan. 3.		Fines, 40s.; J. Lindow for Tavern License, 37s 6d.	3	15	0
31	"		3	15	0
Feb. 1	"		7	17	1
9	"		1	7	6
March 24	"		5	12	6
27	"	H. Atkinson, 3mos. Tav. License 37s. 6d.; (30) J. Caldwell, 6mo. do. 75s. J. Lindow, 3mos. Tav. License 37s 6d. (Apl. 3) PMcGlynn, 3mos. do. 37s 6d. J. Lindow, 3mos. Tav. License 37s 6d.; P. Gillen, 3mos. do. 37s. 6d.	3	15	0
- 30	"	J. Lindow, 3mos. Tav. License 378 6d.; P. Gillen, 3mos. do. 378. 6d.  J. M. Cam 3mos Tav. License 378 6d.; P. Gillen, 3mos. do. 378. 6d.	3	15	0
April 4	"	J. M. Cam 3mos Tav. License 378 od., T. Giller, Tav. License, 37s. 6d. Fines 17s. 6d. (May 1) R. L. Armstrong, 3mos. Tav. License, 37s. 6d.	2	15	0
* **	"	Fines 17s. 6d. (May 1) R. L. Armstrong, omos. 2d.		7	6
May 2			2	7	6
7	66	J. M'Dougal, 3mo. Tav. License, 378 od (6) 11. Thirty of the Licenses each, 15s. W. H. Briggs, L. Galiagher & W. Kenedy, 2 horse truck licenses each, 15s. 20	2	5	0
8	"	W. H. Briggs, L. Gallagher & W. Kelledy, 2 horse truck license, 15s. 20 Insurance Money £200; Fines 10s.; W. Fournier, 2 horse truck license, 15s. 20	1	5	0
15	"	J. P. Hamm, 2 horse truck license, 15.; Peter Atherton, do., 15s.	1	10	0
16	"		4	12	6
.28	"	Fines 5s. (6) T. L. Evans, 3mos Tavern License, 37s 6d.	2	2	6
June 4			3	15	0
7	"	73' - 10a . (18) kingg 218 00 · (20) Filles 200	2	13	6
14	"	The contract of the contract o	2	.17	6
25	**		3	12	6
July 2			8	9	2
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17	44		1	16	6
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21	. "	Fines 10s, (21) A U. 10110rd, 13xes £21		$\frac{10}{7}$	(
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Aug. 1		I Lindow, 3mos. Tav. License, 37s. bd.; A. P. English, 5mos. do., 67s.	1	4	6
. 17		*** ** /10\ E mod 1/10 * (*/1) Elnos 18	3	15	1
21	"	m C II: - 2 mod Tov License, 3/8, 00.: (24) Dialiciatu w Co., o mod	1	0	(
25		Exhibition of Prof. Trask, 108.: (20) License to sell on Michael	7	15	(
29		Erhibition Face of Menagerie, ±0 38. & ±1 108.	12	17	-
	6.	E: 10, 01. (20) A (: Tollord, 13xes, £41 108 100.	3	15	(
31		Detail Athenton & McDongall, 5708, Tavern License cach, 575, 04.	3	15	(
Sept. 6		D Morger 3mos Tavern License, 3/8, 00.; (12) R. Donaidson, do. 014.	1	16	(
13		7 Oct ON Not Show one norse Truck License, IUS.	2	12	(
Oct. 15		D. Donting one horse Truck License 198.; (11) F. Crozier. Silos Lav. Lic.	3	2	. (
18		and the state of t	3	15	1
23		m I From 3mos Tay, License, 3/8 Od.; (24) A. I. English, omo. do. 075	2	18	-
2		M Starongon 3mos Tavern License, 5/8. 00., (20) Thes 215.	2	. 7	
2		Fines 10s.; R. L. Armstrong, 3mos. Tavern License, 37s. 6d.		0	
Nov.	1 "	Fines 10s.; R. L. Armstrong, Smos. Tavern Electric License to Exhibit to G.McDonell, 2s. 6d.; (13) J. Caldwell, 3mos Tav. Lic. 37s 6d. License to Exhibit to G.McDonell, 2s. 6d.; (20) J. M. Camm. 3mos do. 37s 6d.	3	15	-
· - 14		W. Hammond, 3mos. Tav. License, 37s. 6d; (20) J. M. Camm, 3mos do. 37s 6d.	3	15	
20	; "	W. Hammond, 5mos. 147. Hechse, 915. Car, (20) P. Atherton, 3mos. do. 37s. 6d. Blanchard & Co., 3mo. do. 37s 6d. (14) B. O'Neil, 3mos. do., 37s. 6d.	3	15	
Dec.	5 .	W. O. McMichael, 3mo. do., 37s. 6d. (14) B. O'Neil, 3mos. do., 37s. 6d. Fines 45s. (26) A.C. Tolford, Taxes £24 13s 1d; (28) R Donaldson, Tay Lic. 37s 6d.	28	15	
19	, ,	Fines 45s. (26) A.C. Tollord, laxes 224 15s ld, (25) 16 Dollados. do. each 37s. 6d. T. L. Evans, 3mos. do, 37s 6d. (31) RMercer & J. Caldwell, 3mos.do. each 37s. 6d.	5	12	
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0	1 (	A C Tolford, Taxes.			

Select Tale.

A YANKEY COURTING.

notion. I arsked marm how did dad court her, or goat's horn gives the finishing touch to the com, short of fifty-five minutes. but she said it had been so long that she'd forgot pleteness of the band.

sick, Peter ?"

and oneasy about the squizerinctum.

"What ?" sez Sal! "Sal," sez I agin.

"What?,' sez she.

sorter shut' like a feller shooting off a gun) thar's Discoveries. old Pied that were an old cow of hern. I ean't think of anything else jist now, " sez she. Now this wur orful fur a fellar in love, so arter a while I tries another shute. Sez I-"Sal, I am powerful onesum to hum, and I sometimes think if I only had a putty wife to love and to talk to, and move and have my bein with, I should be a tremendous fellor." With that she began and named over all the girls within five miles of thar' and never wunst cum at nigh namin of herself, and sed I orter to get one of them. That sorter got my dander up, and so I hitched my cheer up close to hern, and shet my eyes, and tremendlously said-"Sal you are the very gal I've been hankering after a long time. I luv you all over, from the sole of your head to the foot of your crown, an' I don't care who knows it; if you'll only say so, we'll be jined together in the holy bonds of matrimony, epluribus unum, world without end,' sez I; and I felt like I'd throwed ip an allygatur, I telt so releived. With that she fetched a sorter scream, and arter a while she sed,

"Wat is't Sally ?', sez I. "Yes?" sez she, a hidn' ov her putty face behind her hands. You may depend upon it I felt orful

sez she-"Peter."

"Glory! Glory!" sez I. "I must hollar Sal or I'll bust wide open Horray for hooray. I kin jump over a ten rale fence, I can do everything that any feller could, would, or orter do." With that I sorter sloshed myself by her, and clinched the bargain with a kiss-and such a kiss-talk about your extent sugar-talk about yer molasses-talk about yer blackberry jam-you couldn't have got me to come nigh 'em; they would all tasted sour arter that. Et Sal's daddy hadn't hollered out it's time for all nonest folks to be in bed, I do believe I'd staid there all nite. Yer orter seed me when I got hum. marm outer bed and hugged her. I pulled the nigger servant outer bed and hugged her. I roared, and I hollared. I danced about and cut up more capers than you ever hern tell ov, till dad thought that 1

was crazy, and got a rope to tie me with. "Dad," sez I, "I am gwine to go for to get married.'

" Married!" bawled dad. " Married!" squealed marm.

" Married?" squeaked Aunt Jane. "Yes, Married!" sez I.

"Married all over, jined in wedlock; hooked on for worser or for better, for life and for death, to Sal; I am that very thing, mc, Peter Sporam Esq; wurks With that I up and telled them all about it, from

Alpher to Omegra. They were all mighty pleased young rooster with his first spurs. O' Jehosifat? didn't I feel tremendous good, and

6 kept a getting that way all nite. I didn't sleep a I found myself in the Kanal with the other hosses, wink, but kept rolling' about and thinking' till my kickin & yellin like a tribe of Cuscarorus savaijis. cup of happiness was full, pressed down and runn-

Elephant Hunting in Africa. The elephants roam in herds throughout Eastern Africa, and frequent the low, moist grounds were vegetation is plentiful. To hunt- this magnificent beast, is, with the African, an enterprise of solemn moment. He fortifies himself with charms prescribed by the medicine man, who also trains him members on a most serious charge .to the use of his weapons. The elephant spear resembles a boarding pike. It is about six feet married the eldest daughter of the late Viscount 0 long, with a broad, tapering head cut away at the Combernere. The particulars thus far made public terest of the Roman Catholics. 0 shoulders, and supported by an iron neck in a thick are stated as follows by a correspondent of the Manwooden handle, the junction being secured by a cylinder of raw hide from a cow's tail. The hunt- has been the scene of one of those tragedies which ing party consists of fifteen to twenty persons, who, we are apt to think, in these days, lie far away St. John are forming themseives into Fire Brigades. son to feel that the Commissioners had been so for-16 0 before going out on the eventful excursion, proceed from the region of real life, in the domain exclusiv-12 6 to sing and dance, to drink and drum, for a week ely appropriated by the dramatist and the tale together. The women form in line, and march ing with some members of his family, including (Roman Catholic) Church in New York. 6 through the village, each striking an iron hoe with a youthful daughter, Lady Alice \_\_\_\_. The yacht 6 a large stone, which forms a sonorous accompani- was commanded by a half pay officer of the royal a large stone, which forms a sonorous accompaniment to the howls and trills of joys. At each step
the dencer sware herself elephant like from side to the dancer sways herself elephant like from side to ed, found his captain at the foot of his daughter, 15 0 side, tossing her head backward with a violence kissing her hand. The indignant father—a man of 7 which threatens dislocation. The line is led by a Herculean strength—seized the offender and let it 6 fugle-woman on the left, who holds two hoes in be hoped, intending only to tear him away from his the utter route of the main body of the Persian army Total amount of Credits, £607 15 11) Arab house where beds may be expected, and per- at once, in spite—of the Marquis and his sailors forming the most hideous contortions and grotesque efforts to save him.

maneuvers, in imitation of the actions of various animals After the labors, the ladies address themselves to their strong beer, and re-appear in four or five hours, with a tell-tale stagger and a looseness of limb which add a peculiar charm to their gesticulations. This merry making is intended as Well you see, arter the 'poker scrape me and Sal a consolation for the penance which the wife of the got along middlin' well for some time, till I made elephant hanter performs during his absence. She up my mind to fetch things to a head, for I is placed under the severest restriction. She must loved her harder and harder every day, and had an abstain from good food, handsome cloth, and fumiidea that she had a sort of sneaking kindness for me gation. She must not leave the house, and if the but how to do the thing up right pestered me orful. hunt goes wrong, the blame is sure to fall on her I got some love books and red how fellers got down long-suffering shoulders. Meanwhile, the men, on their marow bones and talked liked parrots, and who at least are as far gone as their mates, run the gals they would go inter a sort of trance, and round a large drum, with the gait of dancing bears, then how they would gently fall into the feller's violently beating it with sticks or fists, with the arms; but some how that way didn't suit my accompaniment of a rude guitar, while a shrill fife

When thoroughly drenched with drink, the hun-(Unkle Joe allers says marm did all the courtin.') ters set out early in the morning, carrying live At last I make up my mind to go it blind, for this brands of fire, which they apply to their mouths to thing was fairly consuming my innerds. So I goes keep out the cold air. The great art of the eleover to her daddy's, and when I got there I sot like phant hunters is to separate a tusker from the herd a fool thinking how I should begin. Sal she said without exciting suspicion, and to form a circle sumthin' was a troublin' me, and sezsh-"Ain't you around the victim. The first spear is thrown by the medicine man, whose example is followed by "Yes-no,' sez I; "That's a mighty putty be- the rest. The weapons are not poisoned, but ginning' anyhow," thinks I; so I tried again. prove fatal by a succession of small wounds. The \$2000 per week.

his assailants. With its proverbial obstinacy, after cents on the dollar. He and the Atlantic Cable are charging one man, who steps away, while another, in much the same predicament. with a loud scream, thrusts the long shaft spear | The "bearded lady" who was exhibited by Barinto its hind quarters, it turns ficrcely from the num several years ago, recently died in Moscow rages, until the elephant, losing both breath and "Peter," sez she, "there's sumthing' a troublin' heart, attempts to escape. Its enemies then renew you powerful I no. It's mity wrong for you tew their efforts, and at length the huge prey, overkeep it from a body, for a innered sorrer consumed come by pain and the loss of blood, which flows scraps \$350. fire."-She sed this, she did, the dear sly creetere. from a hundred gashes, is forced to bite the dust. She noed what was the matter all the time mity The victors celebrate their triumph with song and well, and was just a trying to fish it out; but I was dance. They then cut out the tusks with small, gone so far I didn't see the pint. At last I kinder sharp axes, and devour the rich marrow on the sorter gulped down the lump as was raising in my spot. The hunt concludes with a grand feast of fat was decided in London last October. throat, and sez I-"Sal, does you luv anybody!" and garbage, and the hunters return home laden

### Artemas Ward on "Forts."

Every man of intellek has got his Fort. Danil Webster's Fort was to speecherfy in the Hauls of Kongriss & make Dickshunaries.

Shakspeer rote good plaze, but he woodent hevbin with a pint of kold Sider as a stennergraffick Fredericton have been practising on snow shoes, with that higher degree of colonial independence, Reportir. Wood he? Hey? He bet 2 dollars he under the instruction of Lieut. Boyd.

Henry Ward Bitcher wood make a good end man for the kork opery minstrels, because he can kakle

Old George Washington's Fort was not to her eny public man of the present day resemble him to env alarming extent! Where bouts can George's ekal be found? I ask, & boldly anser no whares, or env whares else. .

Old man Townsin's Fort was to make Sassaperil 'Goy to the wurld! anuther life saived! (Cotashun from Townsin's advertisement.)

Cyrus Field's Fort was to lay a sub-marine tele garf under the boundin biller of the Oshun & then hev it Bust.

Spaldin's Fort is to maik Prepaired Gloo, which mends everything. Wonder ef it will mend a sinner's wicked waze. (Impromtoo goak,)

Zoary's Fort is to be a femaile circus feller. My Forte is the grate moral show biznis & ritin

choice famerly literatoor for the noospapers. That's web, and 2,300 silkworms to produce 1 lb. of silk.

what's the matter with me. &c., &c., &c. So I mite go on to an indefinite

Twict I've endevered to do things which they wasn't my Fort. The fust time was when I endertuck to lik a oudashus cuss who cut a hole in my tent & krawld threw. Sez I, 'my jentle Sir, go outr or I shall fall onto you putty hevy.' Sez he, · Wade in, Old wax figgers,' whereupon I went for The largest horse in the world is at Newcastle, pulled dad outer bed and hugged him. I pulled him, but he cawt me powerful on the head & knoct Pa. He is one of the Clydesdale breed, and weighs me threw the tent into a cow pastur. He pursood 1777 pounds. the attak & flung me into a puddle. As I aroze & In one Scotch Island, that of Iona, are buried no rung out my drencht garments. I konkludid fitin less than 61 kings, viz: 48 Scotch, 8 Norwegian, have participated in the labour attendant on their wasn't my Fort.

> Ile now rise the kurtin upon Seen 2d: It is rarely seldam that I seek consolashun in the Flowin Bole. But in a sertin town in Injianny in the Faul of 18- my orgin grinder got sick of the fever and died. I never felt so ashamed in my life, and I thot Ide hist in a few swallers of suthing strengthenin. Konsequents was I histed in so much, I dident zacly know whare bowts I was. I turnd my livin wild beasts of Pray loose in the streat & opsot my wax

I then Bet I cood play hoss. So I harnist myself to a Kanal bote, there bein two other hosses hitched on likewise, 1 behind & another ahead of me. The kick & squeal & rair up. Konsequents was I was kickt vilently in the stummuck & back & presuntly on a hemlok bord I sed in a feebil veice, 'Boys, playin hoss isn't my Fort.

Moraul .-- Never don't do nothin which it isn't your Fort, for ef you do you'll find your self splashing in round in the Kanal, figgeratively speaking .-

TRIAL AT WESTMINISTER HALL .- A report is in earth. circulation that the House of Peers will have to assemble in Westminister Hall, to try one of their own

The Peer in question is said to be the Marquis of Devonshire. His Lordship is 38 years of age, and

The Marquis of D\_\_\_\_'s yacht, now at Naples writer. The Marquis had been for some time cruis- fourteen thousand people attended St. Stephen's men of talent and probity of no common order. unseemly place and action, flung him over the buleach hand, but does not drum, stopping before each work of the yacht into the sea, when he went down

## Items, Foreign & Nocal.

A female sailor has turned up in Liverpool. Her name is Annie Stuart, and she is a fine girl of 18, born in Glasgow, and has for five years followed the life of a sailor, in male attire. She has recently determined to return to a business more in accordance with her sex.

ror a model of a breech-loading gun with hidden Secretary to the British and Foreign Anti-Slavery percussion apparatus. This model is said to have Society. In its first Paragraph, it was sworn that been examined and approved of by Marshall Can- John Anderson, a British subject, domiciled in the

match, the winner walking five miles in a trifle been legally accused of any crime, or legally tried

Whitfield, the preacher, was an industrious man crossed the Atlantic thirteen times, and preached paragraph it was sworn that the case was of the His monument bears this inscription: "Whitfield more than eighteen thousand sermons.

The Standard informs us that a company has been formed in St. Andrews for the purpose of supplying great number of authorities, extending as far back that town with water.

"Sal, sez I, and about this time I felt mighty faint barted animal seldom breaks through the circle of Cyrus W. Field has failed, and will not pay 25

"1'll get to it arter a while at this lick," thinks fugitive to the fresh antagonist. Thus the battle and her corpse was placed on exhibition in London. Gold dust sweepings from the bindery of Harper & Brothers are estimated at \$1500 a year; paper shavings \$400, pasteboard shavings \$700; leather

begging without a license is punished.

A case in Chancery, begun in England in 179

Seven thousand tons of ice are annually stored in "Well," sez she' thar's dad and marm, and with ivory and with festoons of raw and odorous Portland Me., for the retail trade. More than half (countin' her fingers all the time, with her eyes meat spitted upon long poles .- Burton's African of it wastes, however, by melting. The cost is about \$7500.

Wm. R. May of Pomfret, Ct., picked forty bush-

to count the number of apples in one peck and found 190, making 760 in a bushel and 30,400 ble at the same time of the inconvenience that may apples grew upon the tree. - Exchange.

pondent of the Charleston Mercury.

A letter from Drogheda says :- The round of fetes with which the Pope's Brigade were regaled, being over, and their last 'scudi' being expended, a large number have taken the shilling, and solemnly sworn allegiance to her Britanic Majesty.

The ex-king of Naples is by no means a pauper, notwithstanding the loss of his dominions. His treasure has been conveyed to Paris. It is wholly in silver-nine millions of silver ducats-which have been sleeping in peace, some of them since the days of Masaniello, The rate of silver is so high that the changer expects to realize a sum of five-andtwenty thousand pounds by the exchange.

The receipts of sugar at Boston last year were the largest ever known, comprising 39,263 hhds., 39,542 bbls., 243,891 bags, 86,107 boxes.

A Queen bee will lay 100,000 eggs in a season -

A salmon has produced 10 millions of eggs. It is said a machine has been invented in England, which being attached to the stern of a ship, pumps priate reply, both of which we give below :her out with a rapidity in ratio to her speed.

There are 9000 cells in a square foot of honey-

4 Irish, and 1 French. Mr. John Gammon died at Laurencetown, Nova congratulate you upon that success for which we Scotia, on the 15th ult., at the advanced age of 105 have all materially striven.

thern Confederation as soon as it is formed. General Scott thinks that Fort Sumter, near

Charleston, is the strongest fort in the world. In and mity willin, and I went to bed as proud as a driver hollered for us to git & we did. But the hos- his opinion two hundred men could keep at bay the ses being onused to sich a arrangement begun to whole fighting population of South Carolina, and that six hundred men could defy the hosts of Xerzes. It is said that London consumes yearly 35,000 pigs, 28,000 calves, 1,700,000 sheep, 24,000 bul I was rescood, & as I was bein carrid to the tavrn locks, 8,800,000 bushels wheat, employs 3,000 om nibuses, and 3,200 cabs; stands on 650 acres, and has 3,000 miles of streets.

A brilliant meteor has been astonishing Western Illinois. It exploded with a vivid flash and it took five minutes for the noise of the report to reach the

The library of the Mechanic's Institute at Quebec has been sold to pay for rent and gas.

A project is on foot in New York to establish new daily paper at one cent. It is to be in the in-

The Androscoggin Mill at Lewiston, Me., uses nineteen miles of pipe for water, steam, and gas. The Volunteer Rifle Companies in Halifax and On Christmas day, during seven hours more than tunate as to secure in their Engineer Corps Gentle-

A case for breach of promise is soon to come on

to marry him according to her promise. A Constantinople letter dated Dec. 31, records part was killed or taken prisoners. This will perhaps lead to the overthrow of the Persian dynaty.

# General News.

THE CANADIAN FUGITIVE SLAVE CASE

WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS ISSUED. In the Court of Queen's Bench, yesterday, Mr. Edwin James applied for a writ of habeas corpus, to bring up Anderson, who was formerly a slave in America, in order that he might be discharged. A French gunsmith has presented to the Empe- The affidavit on which he moved was sworn to by the City of Toronto, was now illegally detained in the At Montreal they have had a snow-shoe walking jail of the city as a prisoner, without even having or sentenced for the commission of any crime known to the law of the Province of Canada, or any other part of Her Majesty's dominions; and in the second dily effected, John Anderson's life was exposed to greatest danger. The learned counsel quoted a as 1347, to show that the perogative of the Crown It is stated that Rarey's profits by his exhibitions had from time to time been exerted in the manner in New York, in horse training, amount to over he now proposed, and contended that the fact of Courts at Canada having been established under the Royal Charter, did not prevent this Court from issuing its writ of habeas corpus directed to the Colony, as the Crown had there a concurrent jurisdiction with the Colonial Courts in matters of this kind; for, if their lordships were to refuse to issue the writ he now applied for, he would go to every other Court in Westminster Hall. Surely, it could not be said that the Courts in Toronto, having dealt with this matter, debarred this Court from now interfering. It was undoubtedly the right of the Crown to see that none of its subjects should be Beggars in France are licensed. Any person found improperly imprisoned, and it was shown on the affidavit that there was a British subject imprisoned under no legal warrant or authority whatever, untried and unaccused of any crime known to the English law.

After a short consultation they retired to consider their judgment, and after an absence of twenty minutes, they returned into Court. The Lord Chief Justice then delivered the following judgment :- We have carefully considered this matter, els of apples from one tree. We had the curiosity and the result of our anxious deliberation is, that we think the writ ought to issue. We feel sensiresult from the exercise of such an authority. We The soldiers of the 63d Regiment stationed at feel sensible that it may be thought inconsistent both legislative and judicial, which has been hap-John Mitchel, the Irish exile, is the Paris corres- pily brought into effect in modern times. At the same time, in establishing local legislation and local judicial authority, the Legislature of England has not gone so far as expressly to abrogate any jurisdiction which the Courts of Westminster Hall might possess with reference to the issue of habeas corpus. And we find that the existence of the jurisdiction in these Courts has been asserted fromthe earliest times, and exercised down to the latest. We feel, therefore, we should not be doing right, under the authority of the precedents cited, if we refused to issue the writ.

> The Gentlemen composing the Engineering Corps on the Railway from St. John to Shediac, have presented, to the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Robert Rankine, an address, accompanied by a beautiful Gold Pencil Case, with the following inscription on it:

" Presented to Robert Jardine, Esquire, Chief It would require 27,600 spiders to spin 1 lb. of Commissioner of E. & N. A. Railway, by the Engineer Corps, as a token of regard for his intelligent appreciation of their services, and for his uniform kindness and consideration. December 1st. 1860." To this address Mr. Jardine made a most appro-

> European & N. American Railway, January, 1861. To ROBERT JARDINE, Esq.,

Chief Commissioner, &c:-Dear Sir -The works of the European and North American Railway having been brought to so successful a termination under your able administration, we the members of the Corps of Engineers, who progress and completion, naturally rejoice with and

Before leaving the service in which we have been The Toronto Leader, a government paper, says it engaged, we desire to tender you our thanks for is in a position to announce, in the most positive your cordial co-operation and support, through which terms, that it is the intention of the English Govern- we have been the better enabled to perform our ment to acknowledge the independence of the Sou- arduous duties, and request you to accept the accompanying testimonial, not for any intrinsic value therein contained, but as an earnest of our regard.

Wishing you and your family every prosperity, we remain, dear sir, very faithfully yours. Alex. Luders Light, W. J. Crowsdale,

R. R. Tompson, J. Edw. Boyd, John Stone, Charles Haslett, Fred'k. L. Dibblee, E. R. Burpee, G. F. Crookshank, John T. C. McKean. John H. Parks, James A. Mahood, S. Parker Tuck, Charles C. Gregory,

REPLY. RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, SAINT JOHN, N. B., Feb. 2. 1861. Dear Sirs,-I am much gratified by the terms of the address you have now presented tome, and have

which it is accompanied. While conscious that I have done but little to entitle me to the kind expressions you have used, I beg to reciprocate them, and to assure you that the cares necessarily devolving upon me have been much lightened by the confidence I had always rea-

to thank you for the very handsome testimonial by

To this more than to any management of mine is to be attributed this high position of the Railway. Accept, Gentlemen, my warmest wishes for your

I remain yours, faithfully, R. JARDINE. (Signed) Messrs. A. L. Light, &c.

It is rumored that the Prince of Wales will this year be initiated into Freemasonry.

JAMES GROVER.