SATURDAY, MAY 21, 1864.

It is many a day since we attended a Temperance Meeting, which afforded us more satisfaction, ordered to push Griffin's divisions forward to the or passed off more pleasantly, than did the one, right and left of the turnpike, and ascertain what held at Union Hall, Upper Woodstock, on the the enemy were about. Bartlett's brigade moved up evening of Friday, 13th inst., under the auspices of road, Sweetzer's following in reserve. After advan-Melancthon Division, S. of T. The Hall was eing about three-quarters of a mile they suddenly crowded with a respectable and attentive audience. found themselves confronted by a well formed Mr. Barteaux was called to the chair, and in a few pertinent remarks, stated the object of the meet- our troops being opposed by greater numbers (for ing, and proceeded to introduce the speakers, who the enemy followed his usual custom of massing alwere the Rev. Messrs. Rattray, Huestis, Parsons most his whole available force against our men.)and Harvey, who each and all made most power- Finally the enemy succeeded in overlapping Ayers' ful and eloquent appeals on behalf of the good flank of Bartlett's brigade and it was forced also to cause of Temperance. Each speaker was listened fall back some distance. Our loss was heavy in to with marked attention, and their arguments and Ayers' and Bartlett's brigades, and is estimated at exhortations had an evident effect upon the minds wounded were Gen. Bartlett, slightly; Col. Hayes, of their hearers. An essay, written by a lady, was 18th Mass., slightly, Col Guiney of the 9th Mass. read by the chairman, at the close of the speeches, We took 300 prisoners. which was an eloquent production, and elicited the warmest applause of the audience The utmost the meeting was dismissed, that good results must follow such an impressive occasion.

and Mr. T. G. Campbell, a member of the coloured | iar yell which indicates a rebel charge, and as the | ketry, and a dense volume of smoke rose up from | number as compared with the requirements of popnational convention, at present residing here, ad- sounds grew rapidly nearer it was too evident that the place where they engaged the enemy for half an ulation. The general impression seems to be that dressed a small but attentive audience in Connell's had been anticipated the entire day. Soon the 6th began to cease. Hitherto the ear could scarcely this view is undoubtedly correct. Any one who Hall, on Tuesday evening last, on the relations of corps came rushing in a disorderly mass out of the distinguish any fluctuations in the sounds which will give the subject even a superficial notice must the slave to the present American war, and mat- woods, some weaponless, some hatless, all panic came through those gloomy pines; but now the admit, that not only is the present system an imters incident thereto. These addresses showed not with drooping heads some indignantly or angular that he shouts of provement on any that preceded it, but that it is only a practical acquaintance with the subject, but shouting to their comrades charging them with ed that the issue of the attack was favorable and The success which has attended the efforts lately were delivered in a manner to convince their hear- cowardice and dishonor. The crowds rushed through decided. We have beaten the enemy, who had made to supersede untrained and incompetent teachers that they were properly representative men, the valley and up the opposite hill, a part only gawithdrawn from the position which they had so ers by others better qualified is a noticeable and enpossessing intellects fitting them to cope with the the summit — A slender line was gathered on the questions interesting to their race. We have not hill which as the enemy showed no disposition to and Spottsylvania Court House still remained in the vates teachers as a class does good service to the space to give a digest of the addresses, but the advance beyond woods, was sufficient to hold the hands of the rebels. points discussed were the inconsistency of life ser- line.—Straggler's were streaming towards the rear mentary education forms the ground work upon vitude with the Constitution and Declaration of in the greatest confusion. A brief description will south easterly direction through the wilderness, from which all advanced education is founded its recre-Independence; the insincerity of President Lin- 6th corps its position maintained so nobly for a day we pass for seven miles through a dense wood, with But few teachers of the "old school" are now to coln and his Cabinet; the speculative spirit which and a half. Our line on the right wing formed a scarce an opening until we emerge into the planta- be found in their former employment, and we have per foot has no sympathy with a termination of the war, semi-circle running about the base of a ridge and in tion country near the confluence of the Brook road reason to believe that the business will be rid of so long as money is to be made out of it; the impossibility of a reconstruction of the union on its my charged and at the first onset the brigade which march through the wilderness was unobstructed, as least, it is not, perhaps, my place to extol this state former basis, and the several contingencies which held the position of honor rushed from their enmust affect the future of the nation.

As this is the season at which our merchants and traders go below for their spring stock, we sions-Cudlip & Snider, J. W. Hamilton, J. D. W. Stephenson. In Dry Goods-Ennis & Gardner, captured. Horsfall & Sheraton, Daniel & Boyd. In Clo-Confectionery-S. F. Mathews, John C. M'Intosh. And we likewise remind them that at the "Waverdesirable quarters and every hotel comfort.

sale at his manufactory, Fredericton, all kinds of biscuits, &c., at St. John prices. Mr. B.'s establishment is well fitted for the purpose designed with quite equal to that of St. John our traders will orders to Mr. Burchill,

We have received the Prize List of the New Harper, R. A. Hay and H. E. Dibblee.

The ship, the first sailing vessel ever built in

See the Premium List, on first page. Our The behaviour of this division was severely critici-Farmers should bear in mind the desirability of Carleton occupying a creditable position in the and by 9 o'clock it was discovered that the en-Provincial Exhibition in October.

The communication in this issue relating to the subject of Education will be read with pleasure and no doubt the promised articles on the same momentous subject will be looked for with interest.

call at the Albion House Fredericton, where they will find a stock of dry goods unsurpassed in excellency of quality or cheapness of price.

Our thanks are due to Wm. Lindsay, Esq., M. P. P., for late English papers.

We direct attention to the advertisement of

The Battle.

We devote a considerable portion of our weeks battles, between Generals Grant and Lee .reference to the probable result. From the occaground being disputed and wet with blood.

THE BATTLE ON THURSDAY.

to the left and Ayer's regulars to the right of the strong rebel position on a thickly wooded ridge. A severe battle took place and lasted nearly an hour, brigade and driving it back. This exposed the 600 in killed wounded and missing. Among the

thing—T. R. Jones, John Anderson. In Boots and subsequently rallied his men and succeeded in repair it, rendering away to the east towards participate in the gain; we may mention, as speci-Shoes-E. Frost. Fancy Articles-F. A. Cosgrove. gaining most of the lost ground. Between 10 and the Spottsylvania and Fredericksburg road. A large mens, irregular attendance of pupils, which is a po- ant service cutting off Lee's reinforcements. In Books, Stationery, &c.-J. & A. McMillan. In 11 o'clock, however, Longstreet succeeded in turn-cultivated farm, owned by a Mr. J. M. Alsop, was sitive drawback to the school interests of any disley House" and "American House" they will find forced back to his breastworks, and the rebels actu- described as consisting of a succession of low paral- a deficiency in many districts of a full supply of As will be observed, Mr. Burchill advertises for this juncture heavy reinforcements were thrown to from the wilderness which seem necessarily to attach to our fraternity, help finish the war. his support from Burnside's corps and his men were into the open country. Then there is a higher with other subjects of a kindred nature. My object

Committee of Management for the County of Car- line of breastworks in the front of this corps and day. leton :- Anthony Kearney, T. W. Longstaff, Jas. brought the skirmish line within a half mile of Grover, George W. Boyer, James Edgar, John Gens. Grant and Meade's headquarters. Gen. Sedgwick's corps maintained itself against vigorous assaults of superior numbers at different times during the day and had no serious reverse until late in the evening. A charge was made on its extreme right this County, was successfully launched on Thurs- for the purpose of turning it as was done with Handay evening. She was christened the Northamp- cock. In the morning Milroy's old division was driven back in great confusion. At length the enc-

> The enemy's lines toward dark looked weaker tire rebel army had fallen back to Spottsylvania Court House.

SATURDAY'S BATTLE.

and Germania Ford was potentially in the hands of near us. The result showed this statement to be Traders would do well to give John Thomas a the enemy. Our line was now bent into an angle incorrect. Advancing from Todd's tavern, on the on the enemy's right. But the enemy, though suc- chusetts regiments-were sent ahead as skirmishers. the Glasgow Dye House, St. John. We have seen before us, and that the rebels were making the most Col. Locke, his Assistant Adjutant General, was Patchen, died on the first, instant, near the Union some specimens of the work, and it is undoubtedly diligent improvement of their time in getting safely hit in the cheek by a fragment of a shell, inflicting Course, New York. His late owner bought him there 1000 prisoners and 8 guns, his troops are in hot purin a race towards Richmond. Indeed, it was to be and staff, however, marched on, regardless of the available space to the republication of the follow- Gen. Sheridan, was sent on the road which leads back, making only slight resistance. Reaching against a stone with such violence as to cause his fire came from it, ing most interesting available accounts of the last through Spottsylvania Court House to Granger's what is called Alsop's Farm, we came into a clear- death within half an hour from the time of the acpossession of the road to within two and a half miles rebel artillery had been stationed in this clearing. From these, and the items in our Telegraphic col- of Spottsylvania Court House. Preparations were In the rear of the clearing is Ny Run, a small Bank in Fredericton, on Wednesday last, A. F. the rear but were handsomely repulsed. umns, our readers will for themselves, be enabled. accordingly made for moving the wholearmy on the stream, affording no obstacle to the advance of Randolph, James Tibbits, S. R. Miller, Thomas perhaps, to arrive at satisfactory conclusions with enemy's flank towards Richmond, hoping that by troops. The woods are a mixture of pine, cedar Temple and Elijah Clark, Esqs., were chosen Directory conclusions with lenemy's flank towards Richmond, hoping that by troops. prolonged and torced marches and by pushing our- and oak, but not so, dense as the scene of our late troops vigorously into action we might be able, hav- battles. The wooded ground rises beyond the Run sional and insufficient accounts which reach us ing the advantage of interior lines, either to reach and is ridgy. At the opening into the clearing the from Richmond, the conclusion is evident that the Richmond before the enemy, or if we should be able road forks, both leading to Spottsylvania Court Bank, Bangor, Me., with a plain back, is counter-South have lost none of the determination which to turn his flanks and the enemy should succeed in House, some three miles distant from this point. has sustained them thus far, and that ere Richmond presenting himself in force upon our front, that we The battle line as formed comprised Gen. Griffin's might gain so complete a victory over him as to division on the right, and Gen. Robinson's on the is taken by the overpowering numbers of the Nor- render the capture of Richmond a comparatively left. The enemy's artillery was now located in a thern army, now flushed with victory, there will easy task. At sunset of Saturday night, the infant- small clearing on the ridge fronting us. Captain be still more tremendous fighting, every inch of ry commenced a move on the road to Richmond, to Martin, Co. C., Third Mass. Battery, and Lieut. anticipate the enemy at Spottsylvania Court House Rittenhouse, Co. D., Fifth United States Artillery, to turn his right flank before the proximate object were stationed on the right fork of the road and At 3 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, the upon the route, but soon halted to allow Gen. War- counter shells. The line of battle advanced through reveille was sounded and our troops set out on ren with the 5th corps to pass. The 6th corps left the clearing. their march to meet the enemy about daylight- their entrenchments quietly at 10 o'clock, and the Having driven the enemy up to this point two Hancock moving southwest from Chancellorsville, 2d corps followed, keeping up the rear and cavalry miles into the woods fronting us, our forces pashed Warren from the old Wilderness Tavern to Parker's protected their flank. Thus before midnight the them; and now began the serious opening of the store, Sedgwick to follow. Sheridan with the cav- entire line of our earth works was vacant and the days work. Our troops ran on to three lines of the Evening Globe have purchased the Colonial Emalry was concentrated at Poney Branch Church for army was again upon its march. Gen. Grant, with enemy-Ewell's and Longstreet's-as was after- pire type and presses, and moved into the rooms tora hunt for Stuart and his horsemen, said to be con- his staff and escort, moved their headquarters at 8 wards ascertained, were here awaiting us. The fight merly occupied by that journal. When the matecentrated and ready for a move. The different bo- o'clock. The party reached Todd's Tavern soon ai- was terrible. The remaining divisions of the corps rials of the new office are added to the old, it will dies meved but a short distance when it was report- ter midnight, where headquarters were established. -General Wadsworth's, probably be one of the most complete in the Lower ed that the enemy were advancing with artiflery Gen. Warren's corps passed on through Todd's Ta- the latter now commanded by General Cutler-were Provinces. We are heartily glad to witness the and infantry from New Vendiersville. Our infantry vern on Saturday night toward the front, and at hurried forward rapidly. The fight became general prosperity of the Evening Globe, which is now a column halted in line of battle, Sedgwick on the sunrise were within 21 miles of Spottsylvania Court and lasted four hours. Our troops behaved magni- necessity of our social life. Any notice of a weekly ported. right, Warren in the centre, and Hancock on the House and were immediately put in action to reficently, keeping at bay more than treble their num. journal like ours may be of little service to a daily Confederates have blockaded Red River below Alexan-Chase Charles F. Our troops had not been long in motion when (about six o'clock) a report came in from both the turnpike and plank roads, running almost parallel, that the enemy was advancing. Two hours after- march, rushed into action on double quick, General fought with a desperation, showing not only their and, we believe we only express the sentiment of Natchez. Gold 83. wards the report was confirmed that strong rebel Robinson's division leading the charge. The rebels usual firm courage, but fullest appreciation of the lines being down, no despatch receivcolumns were moving upon us from the direction yielded before them, and we pushed them on for position of affairs and the importance of holding prietors may be rewarded with a ten-fold success ed to day.] mentioned. Grant and Meade came up from Ger- three miles. The last engagement of this morning's their ground. This opening fight commenced at in their new establishment. Many of our merchants mania Ford, and orders were issued to halt the va- fight was very severe. Our losses were great, about eight A. M. In the afternoon there was a sucrious columns of infantry, and to concentrate and Gen Robinson was severely wounded, but we charged cession of other battles, the Fifth still being enga-

House. The crest of the junction of these roads __that is commanded by a first lieutenant. battle-field lay before us. and we began to realize regimental flag. The discharge of shell for some time was quite brisk more determined desperation. and to inspect our troops for the grand onset which exhausted soldiers. was soon to be made. Before the General arrived at our left flank, the rattle of musketry from the advanced skirmishers and the straggling back of wounded men indicated that the moment had almost arrived. Troops from the 5th and 6th corps, in several heavy lines, were concentrated in front of the order was being read or that Lee might be riding shout was raised, and the attack commenced as our too, inasmuch as the social position of the inhabit

explain the nature of the movement which lost the Wilderness Run toward Spottsylvania Court House, sentatives necessarily occupy an important position. front of our line extended a swamp 30 rods in width and that leading northward to Chancellorsville and these also at no very distant day. Being myself across the right of our line, thus extended the ene- Ely's Ford, at Todd's Tavern. Fortunately our an instructor of the youth, for the time being at trenchments without discharging a musket and in that direction, and at daylight this morning the the land of my nativity I will say that I see in such threw into a panic those nearest them which spread fifth corps came upon Gregg's force, at the junction a change one of the brightest evidences of future until the entire corps was infected. Gen. Sedgwick of the two roads. who were engaging the enemy prosperity to the best interests of New Brunswick. whose headquarters were close by the front on the with his cavalry and steadily driving them. At But whilst we note with pleasure the improvement top of the Ridge, at the first indication of a panic, that hour it was not thought that the enemy had referred to, and, at the same time, admit a marked would remind them that the best houses in St. estimating the issues involved in the loss of position more in our front than cavalry, with which ours advancement in public opinion on the main question, John advertise in the Sentinel; nor will it be out threw himself bodily into the breach and on the ve- had been fighting all the time since Wednesday; we nevertheless are far from supposing that the of place to enumerate them. In Flour and Provi- ry front of the lines swinging his hat in his hand but a mile beyond Todd's Gen. Warren came upon nearest attainable point to perfection has already attempted to rally the men but it was of no avail the infantry, under Longstreet and Ewell. The been arrived at, on the contrary we believe that and night came down upon the 6th corps, scattered rebel cavalry were withdrawn, and our own and farther amendments are plainly possible; a few Underhill, I. W. Purinton & Co., C. A. Bovey, and broken with large losses of killed, wounded and Lee's infantry again stood face to face, and the evils still exist requiring a remedy, and we feel the Early in the morning Hancock was driven back ing took place to-day is situated about three miles from the fact that to do so no sacrifice would be reclose to his breastworks by a superior force, but north of Spottsylvania. Court House, to the left of quired on the part of any, while all parties would ing the left of Hancock's advance and throwing it the centre of the theatre of the tragedy, but the trict and a fruitful source of annoyance to every deinto confusion. This extended along the whole terrible fray extended in either direction for two or voted teacher, and which as appears from the publine in inextricable confusion. He was once more three miles. The topography of the field may be lie reports, prevails to an almost incredible extent; ally planted their colors inside of these works, but lel ridges, dotted here and there with thick groves suitable Text Books, Maps &c., also the natural yet prisoners and 12 guns. could not sustain themselves and were ejected. At of pine and cedar, for a distance of perhaps a mile indescribable consequences of the migratory habits rallied and taken well in hand and all danger of fur- range of hills, well wooded. The Brook road runs now, however, is not to complete a list, or discuss At night Gen. Hancock occupied his breastworks Ny river, a branch of the Mattaocy creek. to Spot- form your readers that in view of the facts just staall the necessary and most improved machinery, and had nothing but rebel prisoners and rebel dead tsylvania Court House. An old road runs from the ted, the members of Carleton County Teachers Inand as the article he turns out is in every respect to show for the Sherman's cavalry expedition, having made detour of the Brook road directly to Spottsylvania stitute have resolved to do their part towards further throughout through Alson's form. It was upon this road that He behaved with conspicuous gallantry through Alsop's farm. It was upon this road that reform, so far as regards the enlightenment of the \$10,000,000, and gone within sight of gas lights of Rich- Eradicator, which produced the most astonishing and was on the field in person, where the dangers Warren formed his corps when he found himself public mind in our own section of country at least. doubtless find it to their advantage to send their were the thickest. Gen. Warren was also hotly as confronted by the rebel infantry. When the enemy by forwarding for publication in the Sentinel, occasaulted along his entire line and the utmost sur- found that we had left the vicinity of Wilderness sional articles bearing on the points in question. prise was manifested at the number of troops that Run. late on Saturday night, he seems to have di- And, on the behalf of the members of that body, I Beauregard at Petersburg. Lee was able to bring into action. The corps re- vined Grant's tactics and set about thwarting him. beg here to say that in the motives by which they Sherman was fighting all day Saturday with no decisive tained its first position, however, until darkness Ewell's corps, with a part of Longstreet's, were are actuated in this proceeding, as in all their other result. Dalton was taken by splendid flank movement. Brunswick Board of Agriculture, for the Second closed the contest of the day. About midnight a marched upon the double quick by an inner road doings, there is nothing of a private or sectional na-Triennial Exhibition, to be held in Fredericton in charge was made which gave way and was unable towards Spottsylvania Court House, reaching the ture involved, their aims and desires, so far as I un-October next. The following gentlemen are the to regain the ground thus lost. This, of course, scene of action simultaneously with Warren, and it compelled the abandonment of a great portion of the is these forces we have been contending with to-

> has again been heavily engaged to-day. The clo- chers and their employers become better understood, tinue arriving. sest and severest contest of the day has only just and their respectives responsibilities felt, will eduended. Our column marched all night. It was the cation be more prized for its own account, and those last to leave the entrenchments where the battles of difficulties disappear which still retard its onward on left having stormed two lines of the enemy's earth works. the Wilderness were fought; and, first in the fight motion, and if I or my associates in a common work Stoneman reported destroyed wagon train. Gold 174. there, was first also in the fight here. Taking the can be the means to bring about in any degree this my succeeded in effectually turning our right flank. Brook road, by way of Todd's tavern, and moving better way of thinking and acting we will cheerfulseparate from trains, our march was unobstructed ly contribute our mite towards so desirable an oband rapid. It was not known, of course, where we ject. would meet the enemy. A rumor prevailed that only Ewell's corps was staying behind, and that the rest of the rebel army was hurrying, with all possible speed, to resist the advance of General Butler's forces on Richmond. The days events developed a On Saturday, May 7th, the enemy had then tur- different state of affairs. There had been a cavalry real count also, has been making a large fortune by ned our right flank and the impracticability of a fight in front of us, and a report came to Gen. further engagement against the enemy in the posi- Warren that only cavalry and some artillery had poisoning them—a very Frenchy way of doing bution was easily perceived. Our right was turned been seen, and prisoners said there was no infantry siness. and facing both south and west. The earthworks road to Spottsylvania Court House, four regiments tain throughout its whole length, south of Wilskirted our entire front. Our entire loss in killed. of General Bartlett's brigade of General Griffin's di- liard's not one house that is not a house of ill-fame. wounded and missing could not thus far be less than vision-The first Michigan, Forty Fourth New York A contract has just been made to build a house of 15,000, and we had only gained a slight advantage Eighty-Third Pennsylvania, and Eighteenth Massa- the same character, which is to cost \$80,000. cessful on our right flank, was unable to profit by As we passed down the road, shells were hurled at the advantage gained. Soon from along our lines us with great rapidity. General Warren and staff his shop window at Liverpool, a statute of Shakescame reports that the enemy were retreating, and were advancing down the same road. Gen. Warren peare, in pure fresh butter. it was soon quite evident that only a small force was had his horse disabled by a piece of shell. Lieut. back to such a position as would give them the start a severe but not dangerous would. The General four years ago for \$25,000. feared that the enemy had already moved so far on dangerous missiles falling about them turiously and the route as to put us second in the race. On Sa- fast. Several casualities occurred among the troops tal, walking along the road became entangled in the on 14th between rederal fleet and batteries and Confeder- well assorted, Silks, Cloths, Cottons, Delaines, &c., &c., turday the cavalry corps under the command of by the shelling. As we advanced the enemy fell crinoline of a lady, and fell, striking his head ates. Fort Sumter been effectively repaired and heaviest 2 draft HORSES; 1 COLT 3 year old; 3 COWS; 1 OX; 4 Station and Hanover Court House. We had now ing of about 100 acres, in triangular form. The cident.

of the march. The 9th army corps was the first commanding the rebel batteries. They sent back by his Indian guide, who quarrelled with him. lieve the cavalry. The enemy were also just in time ber. It will be understood that the remaining corps or morning paper, which addresses the public so dria; also reported Arkansas river partially blockaded and form them for battle at this point. Commanding them so far and so impetuously that our men were ged. Just before night one brigade of the Sixth tri-weekly and weekly journals. The money laid maduke attacked and captured a train with an es-

advancing, about half a mile to the west of this was brought into action, and the rebels were unable The closing struggle of the day was, if anything Serious Disturbances at the Sydney Mines. The Southern Spirit. - A year ago "Stonewall' point, offered a fine position for the formation of a to occupy the position which our men had abandon- more desperate than the one of the Manager of the C. M. As- Jackson fell not far from the spot on which Lee battle front, and were selected for this purpose. ed. The 5th Corps suffered in the previous fight so fiercest effort was made by the enemy to drive us sociation's Mines at Sydney. C. B., has had to and Grant are about to join battle What if Lee Sedgwick was ordered to take the right and War- severely that there was not a single division of it in back and get on our flanks, but the coolness and submit to much annoyance and loss, from the fact should fall? May Providence spare us this calamiren the centre, and Hancock was expected to come perfect fighting trim; but Gen. Augur, command- courage of our men repelled every effort. We have of the Colliers having "struck" for higher wages. ty, for the people of the Confederacy are by no up on the lett. Warren and Sedgwick got into means prepared for it. They have made up their beaten the enemy; but it has been a most costly Mr. Brown, it seems refused to comply with their means prepared for it. They have made up their line about 11 o'clock, and soon after skirmishing position was held at last. We had now nearly ad- victory. To-night our division is commanded by a demands, and forthwith advertised for hands, and minds, unwisely, that the war must end one way or was heard on the front. About noon Warren was vanced to where two roads form a junction within Colonel. Brigades have lost their commanders, stated at the same time that it would be impossible the other this year, forgetting, quite, that there three and one half miles of Spottsylvania Court and I know of one regiment the Fourth Michigan until matters were rectified, to supply coals to any can be but one way. If Lee should fail and his

> been achieved. This was not quite accomplished. Michigan, which went in with nearly two hundred cent number of hands to recommence the raising way. But neither the loss of Lee, nor the reverse Another desperate effort must be made before Spott- men, came out at the end of the closing fight with and shipping of coals. A correspondence has been of his army nor the two together, will justify the sylvania Court House would be in our possession. only twenty three men left. The 32d Massachusetts carried on for some time past in the columns of the contemplation of that other way. Let it be dismis-That point once reached, an open country and fair regiment, Col. Prescott captured the 6th Alabama C. B. News, the Miners stating their grievances, sed at once and forever. Suppose Lee falls, we have

> Wilderness. Nothing transpired during the day Grant and General Meade visited the scene of action. that their average working time does not exceed many excellent lines of defence. Whatever betides, with the exception of an artillery duel. About They rode directly to the front. Not only did the nine working hours daily while their pay is about this is very clear. Our independence must be won. neon the batteries were planted, ours in the edge troops not engaged cheer them lustily, but the men 7s 6d per diem. of a piece of woods, and theirs on an opposite hill. in battle, knowing their presence, fought with

Communicated. [For the Carleton Sentinel. Mr. Editor,—The question of Education, as con The Tribune's despatch in relation to the battle position to which the rebels had fallen back after nected with the Parish School system, has for some order was preserved to the close, and we felt, as of Friday says: About 6 o'clock we heard the rebthe engagement in the early part of the day. Gen. time past been receiving increased attention on the els cheering in our front which suggested that an Wright's division took the lead. At 6% o'clock a part of our people generally, and this consistently, along the lines. Fifteen minutes later firing of troops moved out of the woods, through a narrow, tants of this. or any other country, whether as inmusketry broke forth in heavy and repeated volleys open space, and up a tangled thicket, which was dividuals, as communities or as a State depends up-Mr. S. V. Douglass, (colored) of New York, mingled with the sound of which came that famil- held and fortified by the enemy. Deafening mus- on the efficiency of the Common Schools and their Sedgwick had experienced the misfortune which hour. At a quarter after 7 the heat of the firing progress in the right direction is being made, and with drooping heads. some indignantly or angrily our men receding as the enemy pushed along show- gradually improving on its own former workings. the summit. - A slender line was gathered on the great that we could not safely press them further, ment It must be evident to all that whatever elemusketry again opened. The field where the fight- more disposed to insist upon these being removed past the south and east sides of Alsops farm, over the merits of any of the subjects named but to in- Friday night, as two corps sent to attack at daylight Satur- tacked with it in unusual severity, the pain was so derstand them, are to use their influence in this way to establish as far as possible such a liberality shooters within half mile of town. Lee is entrenching but of sentiment among leading school proprietors as well as among themselves, as will produce a consis-HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY CORPS, May 8th 1864. tent and profitable course of action on the part of

EDITORIAL ITEMS.

One of the leading doctors of Paris, and a getting the lives of his patients insured and then But he has been found out, and his busi-

Fourteenth street Washington, is said to con-

Kelly the Butterman," has exhibited in

The celebrated trotting horse, George M.

Crinoline. - A pensioner, of Greenwich Hospi-

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the new tors for the ensuing year.

feit. The genuine have checked or green backs. "green backs" with the plates from which they gold to 82.

were manufactured, captured. Lord Milton, an English nobleman, who has also being largely reintorced. been hunting on the Saskatchewans has been killed

Colonial Mews.

Messrs. Ellis and Armstrong, proprietors of the ridges running from the northwest to the southwest outflanked on the left, and had to fall back a short corps, and, with across both the roads over which the enemy were distance to form their lines anew. Our artillery this exception, the Fifth did all the day's fighting. investments. - Colonial Presbyteriau.

and severe. As evening approached, General Grant The weather has been intensely hot, and there disaffected Colliers have taken possession of the En- claimed that the fall of Richmond, and all of our started to the front to take a glance at the position have been during the day many sun strokes of our gine, preventing the Mines from being pumped, and cities, would not, and should not end the war. Do ken to the horses, nor the horses to be brought up. indeed, ready to see the war end this year one way This will, if persisted in for any length of time, or the other. Perhaps at this moment the great cause the mine to fill with water, and the horses to contest on the Rapidan is at its height, and before House this morning and declared the intention of sad tidings. Should it so chance, we must set hard Government applying to the General Commanding the teeth and rally once more to the breach, remem-Sydney, in order to protect the Company from such son died may suffer a thousand reverses, but can

men and 5 officers of the 17th Regt., have been triumph gloriously .- Richmond Whig, May 5th. placed under orders to proceed to Sydney, C. B., and will probably leave here to-morrow in one of Cunard steamers. - Halifax Express, monday night.

THE WOOD TRADE. - Edminston and Mitchell, in their Glasgow Circular, dated April 30th, say-Deals and Battens. - Several parcels of New Brunswick Spruce have been sold at auction, being chiefly the balances of cargoes, and consisting prin-10d. to 101d. per cubic foot. The stock of 9 and of 7 inch is very heavy.

Farnworth and Jardine, Liverpool, 29th April say, the only arrival from British North America during the past month has been 1 vessel, 1500 tons. able, particularly in the limited quantity that now

Hardwood -Of St. John, a few logs, 18 inches

Spruce and Pine Deals .- - Of St. John Spruce, a small parcel stored at Birkenhead, was sold by auc- THE RED RIVER BATTLE.-Latest advices from tion at about £7 6s 6d per standard-by private New Orleans say that the disaster to our arms in pargain, several cargoes from the yard have been the Red River has proved a very serious one, in old, but the prices have not transpired, and to-day which we have lost some 7000 in killed and wouldby auction a few Pugwash at £7 4s per standard. ed. 209 army waggons with stores, &c., 19 pieces

American News.

By Telegraph to " Carleton Sentinel."

Several despatches report Lee's retrograde yesterday ing captured; enemy attempted, without success, to reverse Hancock's advantage. Lee's army now reported to carry it out; much larger than is generally supworn out and fearfully reduced by tremendous losses; some posed. Suffice it to say that there is now with him, 'hursday; reported Siegel joined with 15,000.

Banks reported fallen back towards Franklin, whole ex- ing Mr. Lincoln for having furnished him with all pedition a failure, attended with immense loss.

Lee is now reported retreating in disorganised condition to Gordonsville, he had lost 1500 in prisoners. Sherman defeated Johnston at Dalton capturing 5000 Governor Bramlette of Ky. calls for 10,000 volunteers to

BANGOR, May 16 Lee's army fell back 4 miles Friday morning; no fight-

Gen. Meade issued congratulatory address to army. Gen. Kantz also arrived from destructive raid on railroad

Gen. Butler is before Fort Darling. Gen. Ames holding it since. I would advise any one troubled with

Lee's army reported on Saturday night in line of battle three miles beyond Spottsylvania Court House, with sharp his position will probably require flanking. their privations seem to exasperate them. Two thousand more prisoners taken since Thursday. Federal loss, about -And the work of war still goes ou. This corps both. In proportion as the relative duties of tea- 35,000, nearly made good by reinforcements which still con

> not take place. Sherman heard from to Sunday night, his lines advanced

> BANGOR May 17. best of spirits. The two armies are now concentrated on main road from Fredericksburg to Richmond. Evening Post's despatch says it is believed a six weeks

campaign will be required to capture Richmond. Grant is reported as saying it would be a 4th of July job. Grant evidently preparing for another great battle.
Commercial's special has rumor that Lee received heavy reinforcements from south. Official says Sherman after two days hard fighting forced Johnson to evacuate Resaca Sunday night. Unofficial

nunication with Atlanta severed. Siege of Fort Darling progressing, outer fine of works arried by assault. Gold 76. carried by assault.

Lee strengthening his position. Reported Beauregard's force slipped by the beleaguering Federals on Thursday and probably has joined Lee. Supposed enemy has few troops at Petersburg.

Richmond papers say that all damage by raiders to railroads has been repaired. Lee's communication intact Butler is reported having received large reinforcements, his combined force numbering about 60,000, enabling him to march a large force against Richmond; he is gradually overcoming Fort Darling. Gen. Sherman's head quarters is at Kesaca, he capture

suit of Johnston who is probably retreating to Atlanta. BANGOR, May 18. Heavy engagement was going on at Charleston harbour

News from Butler .- Gen. Kantz destroyed iron bridge OATS; a lot of Maple Sugar, and a variety of other aracross Appotomac, Monday morning under cover of fog. Enemy attacked Smith's line forcing it back in confusicn, it rallied and recovered. Simultaneously enemy made attack from Petersburg on Butler's forces guarding Siegel met enemy in superior force at New Market and

Spanish squadron taken possession of Chinca Islands.

A proclamation from President Lincoln acknowledging that Virginia campaign was virtually closed, appointing a form the inhabitants of Woodstock, and vicinity, that A gang of counterfeiters have been detected day of fasting, and calling for 400,000 men, was perpetra having increased his facilities for the DYEING business, and arrested in St. Louis, and \$150,000 bogus ted to day in the New York World's despatches carrying he is prepared to execute all orders in that line in the best Large reinforcements going forward to Grant at rate of

> In Siegel's late engagement enemy is reported to have Gen. Crooks fought three battles near Newburn with Morgan, Jones and Jenkins, gaining complete victory, enemy lost six hundred, kiled and wounded, and 300 prisoners among them Gen. Jenkins mortally wounded. Confidently asserted by friends of administration that the

> levying of 300,000 been determined on. BANGOR, May 19. Associated Press offers a reward of a thousand dollars for conviction of parties who practised imposition of fradulent despatches on New York press; World and Journal of Independent, Telegraph, World and Journal of Com-

> merce seized by Provost guard. Gen. Cook's destruction of bridge over New River, and victory over Jones and Jenkin, confirmed as previously re-

but ships of war and the mail steamers. He expect- army be unsuccessful, we greatly fear that the maonce attained, an important advantage would have Several regiments have suffered terribly. The 1st ed in the course of a few weeks to obtain a suffici- jority of the people would begin to look the other Mr. Brown on the other hand, giving a detailed ac- Beauregard. Suppose his army fails to drive off to some extent the advantage of getting out of the At half-past five P. M. both Lieutenant General count what they were required to do, and showing Grant and has to retire, we have reinforcements and Short of that we can never stop. There is no mid-On Saturday night last or this morning the Gov- dle ground as Mr. Leach fancies between independernment received information by telegram that the ence and subjugation. How often have we proalso the pit's mouth not allowing any feed to be ta- | we still stand fast to that proclamation, or are we. die. The Hon. Atty. Gen. stated the facts to the the setting of to day's sun, the wires may bring us for two companies of soldiers to proceed forwith to bering that the cause for which "Stonewall" Jacknever fail. The mis-haps of to-day may be repair-Since writing the above we are informed that 100 ed to-morrow, and in the end we will, for we must

> Morals in Washington .- It is a sad, a shecking picture of life in Washington which our correspondents are giving us. A bureau of the treasury department made a house of seduction and prostitution. The necessities of poor and pretty women made the means of their debauchery by high government officials. Members of Congress putting cipally of 7 inch and Scantling, at an average of their mistresses into clerkships in the departments. An honorable Senator knocked down in the street 11 in. Spruce Deals is nearly exhausted, while that by a woman whom he had outraged. Whiskey drinking ad libitum. The Government cheated in contracts and openly robbed by its employees .-Writes our most careful correspondent-a long resident of the Capital-" Washington was never St. John Pine, of prime quality, is always sale- quite so villainously corrupt as at the present time. In the palmy days of Southern rule, of slavery, there was not half the corruption there is now. We do not doubt this is strictly true; and we redeep and upwards, were sold by auction at 21d. reat, it is a sad shocking picture. - Springfield Re-

> > of artillery with eaissons, ammunition, &c., even the personal effects of staff officers.

GEN. GRANT'S RESOURCES AND SPIRIT .- The New York Commercial Advertiser says :-"Whatever may be his plan of future operations is a matter of mere conjecture. The public may rest assured, however, that he has a very large force after deducting the losses, a larger army than Reinforcements sent to Grant; 12.000 left Washington fought at Antietam, Fredericksburg, or Chancellors-Gen. Kantz in great raid south of Richmond destroyed ville. This does not include Butler's column. Just one who persued it, a letter to the President, thankthe men and munitions he asked. He nobly added, 'upon me devolves the entire responsibility for the success or failure of the coming campaign."

CARLETON, St. JOHN. Nov. 19, 1863. I had been troubled with Rheumatism for sixteen or seventeen years; its severity had several years ago drawn the hip bone out of joint, produing reported since Friday. Supposed Lee fell back further cing almost constant pain. Last spring I was atintense and agonizing that I could scarce sleep or results, removing the pain in a short time by the use of one bottle, and I have not felt any return of pains to try the Pain Eradicator, as I have found it to far surpass any other I have ever known or THOS. ROBERTS.

MARRIED

At Richmond, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. Jas. Kidd, A. M., Mr. David Crane, of Richmond, to Miss Emma Matilda Jane Briggs, of Littleton, Aroostook County, Me.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

MEETING of the Proprietors of School District, No. A. —, will be held on Wednesday, the first day of June, Official despatch from Grant says operations must be ne- at 4 o'clock, p. m., in the new School House, near Mr. W cessarily suspended until roads become passable. Army in M'Keen's for the purpose of annulling the principle of taxation for the support of School in said District, and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary in connexion with the school

Woodstock, May 14

JAS. H. JACQUES, THOS. L. EVANS.

MOTICE.

places Sherman's loss at 3,000. Johnson's railroad com- DARTIES having claims against the Estate of my late father, G. A. Bedell, and also the late W. D. Bedell, will please present them to the subscriber, or to John C. Winslow, Esq., in order that they may be adjusted.

JOHN JARVIS BEDELL, Woodstock, May 12, 1864.

AUCTION.

TATILL be sold by Public Auction, at the Store of the late John Costello, LITTLE FALLS, on the 20th day of JUNE, next,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., all his Stock in Trade, consisting of Iron, Steel, Ox Chains, Iron Traces, Hay and Dung Forks Cut and Wrought Nails, Stovepipe. An assortment of HARDWARE, Blacksmith's Vices, Wagon Springs and Wagon Axles. A large assortment of

Dry Goods,

Also-800 M. of Pine and Cedar shaved Shingles. Terms of sale will be made known on the day of sale. FRANCIS RICE. Sole Executor. Madawaska, May 16

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