gone to his well determined that it should be the last. Perhaps these are additions to increase the romance of the story. The facts however remain, that Mr. Shaw was poor, labored long without success, but is now the owner of the best well in Canada. May he have grace to use his immense wealth to the glory of God! Sudden elevations are spiritually perilous in the extreme. Few persons are equal to the tremendous pressure. It is much more easy to pass rapidly from wealth to poverty, and improve by the change. If any persons require special prayer on their behalf, it is such as occupy positions similar to that of Mr. John Shaw, of the township of Enniskillen.

From New Brunswick papers an occasional extract finds its way into our journals, and some of the latest of these refer to the reception given to the soldiers who have recently arrived. Below we append an extract also referring to soldiers, but relating a different sort of treatment:—

"A short time ago two privates belonging to the 30th Regiment, named Tobin and Sullivan, were tried before a court martial, the former charged with general bad conduct, and the latter with an unnatural crime. Tobin was sentenced to two years' imprisonment, and Sullivan to seven years' penal servitude, and both to be drummed out of the Regiment. The finding of the court martial having been approved of by His Excellency the Commander of the Forces, the 30th Regiment were ordered out yesterday to see the final portion of the sentences carried into effect. The regiment were formed in close column near the Old Fort to hear the sentence read by the Adjutant, the culprits standing in front. After the reading of the sentences, the two men were marched to the rear, where the facings, buttons, &c., were cut off their clothing by the Drum Major. The regiment was then formed in open column, the rear and front ranks fronting inwards, with fixed bayonets. The two men were marched down the centre, followed by the fife and drum corps playing the "Rogue's March." At the end of the line they were taken in charge of by a corporal's guard, and marched down to the gaol. A large number of persons witnessed the unusual sight from the Railway Bridge."—*Globe*.

Such, then, is "drumming out of a regiment"—a form of punishment at once childish and expressive. The removal of everything indicating the service in which they had enlisted is the most striking part of the procedure. Are we not reminded of a day when the disloyal will be separated from the loyal, the unholy from the holy, the unpardoned from the pardoned, and every thing assumed as the badge of Christian service will be for ever removed. The soldiers referred to were led away to prison, after being degraded. "And," says Christ himself, "these shall go away into everlasting punishment." May this fate befall neither writer nor reader!

A. B.

THE NEWS.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

THE ARRIVAL OF THE "HIBERNIAN."

PORTLAND, ME. Feb. 27th.

The "Hibernian" arrived at two P. M., to-day

Political news unimportant.

Important events are approaching in Germany, Saxony having proposed a re-construction of the Germanic confederation.

The "Sumter" was still at Gibralter although notified to leave.

Imprisonment of British subjects by the United States Government was discussed in Parliament. A reduction in the Navy is ordered.

Mr. Slidell was received by M. Thouvenal in a private capacity only.

A great popular demonstration has taken place at Genoa, on the 9th, in favor of Victor Emanuel and Rome to be capital of Italy.

Incased activity is reported in the African slave trade, owing to the withdrawal of the American squadron.

There is a great inundation at Vienna and along the Danube.

Prince of Wales had arrived at Vienna.

Montenegrians and Turks have had severe fighting with heavy loss on both sides.

MARKETS.—Cotton firm; Breadstuffs and Provisions unchanged; Consols closed at 92⅛ for money.

UNITED STATES.

The accounts received shew the continued success of the Federal troops. We subjoin the latest telegrams:

BANGOR, Feb. 26.

Norfolk advices says Federal forces and gunboats ascended Chonan River on Thursday to Winton. Confederates opened fire, but were shelled out, and retired to Murfreesborough.—Winton was laid in ashes. C. H. Foster, humbug Congressman, reported among Federal killed.

Richmond dispatch publishes report from Arkansas claiming a victory for Generals Price and Herbert at Sugar Creek. Federal loss 700, and Confederate 100.

Richmond Whig pronounces Jeff. Davis' administration a most lamentable failure, and the pageant of his inauguration a mockery.

Returned prisoners say the Union men had a secret meeting at Richmond on Friday night, well attended.

Jeff Davis has appointed Feb. 28th for Fasting, Humiliation and Prayer.

The U. S. Senate in Executive Session yesterday was wholly employed with the Mexican embroglio.

The reported capture of Nashville is confirmed. It was occupied without opposition by Gen. Buell's army. The Confederates fell back at Murfreesboro, 30 miles below Nashville.

It is also confirmed that Gov. Harris had ordered Tennesseans to lay down their arms and go home.

No opposition to Union movements are made anywhere on the Cumberland River, and it is reported that white flags were flying at Memphis when Legislature adjourned.

Also reported that Commissioners had been appointed to treat with the Federal Government for restoration of the State to its allegiance, and that Gov. Harris offers to transfer his forces to the Union side.

Strong Union feeling is reported in N. Alabama. Gen. Curtis is still pursuing and harassing Gen. Price in Arkansas.

BANGOR, Feb. 27.

War department has taken military possession of all telegraph lines in the country.

Gen. Harris burnt State documents before leaving Nashville.

Gen. Grant has declared martial law over West Tennessee to be discontinued; when citizens in sufficient numbers return to allegiance and desire to maintain law and order.

Confederate reports say that they will make a stand at Columbus, Randolph and Memphis. Streets of latter barricaded with cotton. They deny the reported pacification of Tennessee, and say Gov. Harris made a savage speech.

Chicago *Tribune's* despatches says Confederate leaders of Tennessee have submitted proposition for compromise, with view to probable adjustment of difficulties, of Convention of States for revision of Constitution.

Advices from New Mexico represent Union cause strong there, and gaining; citizens all under arms, and impatient to fight a Texan force with equal numbers.

Prisoners at Roanoke 2,488.

Attempt to lay telegraphic cable from Fort Munroe across Chesapeak Bay, failed on account of wreck of steamer, which drifted on Cape Henry, breaking in two; 16 miles were run out, 15 miles on board was destroyed.

Gunboat *Ceres* accidentally sunk near Hatteras Inlet.

PROVINCIAL LECISLATURE.

THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday were employed as much of the time in the Assembly usually is, in but little more than conversation upon topics of no general interest. Mr. Grimmer presented a petition against the return of Mr. Glazier of Sunbury in consequence of alleged bribery and corruption. We shall report the result as soon as it transpires. Mr. Kerr's bill relating to the settlement and support of the poor, the precise provisions of which we are not informed on, was discussed and progress reported. Mr. Skinner asked leave to bring in a bill to compel the Charlotte County Bank to close up its business, but it coming within the provisions of private bills was after a good deal of conversation withdrawn.

On Friday Mr. Tilley laid before the House the second Annual Report of the Provincial Board of Agriculture. It is a voluminous document, and contains a large amount of information in relation to the state of Agriculture in the Province, with a complete list of all articles which were on exhibition at Sussex. The Surveyor General laid before the House the Report of the Crown Land Department, and a statement of receipts and expenditures for the current year.

On Saturday Mr. McPhelim asked the Government why £20 authorized by the House last winter to be paid Mr. Wallace, it being money lost in a letter, had not been paid.

Mr. Smith replied that Government thought it would establish a wrong precedent, and they had let it stand over for the opinion of the new House. Other matters of small importance were attended to, and the House adjourned.

Nearly all of Monday was taken up in the discussion of a Bill introduced by the Hon. C. Watters, to authorize the Trustees of the Madras School to mortgage sufficient lands belonging to said school to liquidate a debt incurred in the maintenance of this school in St. John. It appears that the Madras School owns a large amount of property, and is receiving interest annually over £3,000, and yet the Bill introduced by Mr. Watters was to authorise the Trustees to mortgage land to pay a debt of only £550. It was very properly argued by several members that this amount should be collected out of the sums owed by different parties to the Trustees, and not encumber the lands owned by all the Madras Schools in the Province to pay the debt of that in St. John only. The Bill was wisely postponed for three months. A very large expenditure is annually made to the Madras system of education in the Province, and no benefits commensurate therewith is received. It is true some children may be sent to this school in St. John, that otherwise might not be sent to any, but in nearly all cases we think that children found in the Madras Schools would be sent to others if these did not exist, and a much better opportunity for improvement would be enjoyed by them. The large numbers attending the School in St John is a serious drawback on its usefulness; a sufficient amount of attention cannot be given to them by the present staff of teachers. A few other matters of local and minor importance were before the House, nearly all of which are to come up again, and will be noticed hereafter.

Mr. Boyd gave notice some days ago, that he should move a resolution to withhold all special grants from sectarian and private schools. It was made the order of the day for Monday, but the debate on the Madras School bill occupied nearly the whole day, and it was deferred until Tuesday. Hon. members seemed to regret the moving of this resolution. It is evidently a delicate subject, and one on which few of the representative wish to express an opinion. Mr. Williston moved an amendment to the effect that inasmuch as the initiation of money is in the hands of the Government, that therefore this subject should be dealt with by them. This may be correct, but it does seem to us that the representatives of the people should give some expression on a matter of *this kind* for the guidance of the Government; especially if the principle be a wrong one. It is quite certain that *no* Government will risk their places by refusing to provide for grants to Denominational Schools, not because it would not be just to refuse these grants, but because it would stir up all the denominational and sectarian feeling in the House, and unite an opposition which probably no other matter could. Mr. Williston's amendment was adopted without debate, much to the gratification of a large majority of the House. We understand that in addition to the grants usually given, the Presbyterian body will receive one this year; and we expect the Free Baptist body will be in a position to ask a grant by another Session.

Wednesday morning was occupied in questions to the Government on matters of small importance—the introduction of bills, and other minor matters. Mr. Skinner presented a petition from Mr. Lindsay, one of the sitting members from Carleton County, praying that he by his counsel (Mr. Needham) might be heard at the bar of the House to shew reason why the petition of P. R. McMonagle and thirteen others, electors of Carleton County, setting forth that the seat of the said Lindsay was obtained by bribery and corruption, should not be referred to a Committee. This occupied the remainder of the day, and elicited a warm debate, in which lawyers particularly took a prominent part. It was finally decided that Mr. Lindsay's petition could not be granted. A committee is to be drawn for on Thursday to try the merits of the petition against him.

THURSDAY.—The Committee to investigate the charges against Mr. Lindsay were drawn to-day, and are as follows:—Messrs. Cudlip, Young, McLellan, McPhelim and Anglin. Mr. Skinner is nominee for Lindsay; Mr. Williston for Petitioner; Mr. Needham counsel for Lindsay; Mr. Street for Petitioners.

We are happy to learn that the ship-yards in this city are fully employed again. The keels of nine new ships are about to be laid down. The revival in this trade will have a beneficial effect upon the general business of the city.

☞ It occurs to us that our neighbours of the "Baptist and Visitor," in their article last week on the *aims and wants* of their paper, went a little out of their way to give the "Intelligencer" a *hit*. But we can afford to bear it. We are accustomed to rough usage. We would however remind the "Baptist and Visitor" folks that the largest parcels are not *always the most valuable*. Articles of rare value are generally put up in small parcels. We do not mean by this that the "Intelligencer"—notwithstanding its *diminutiveness*—is worth more than the "Baptist and Visitor!" Still we think there is good deal in the "Empire" that the "Baptist" could well afford to do without.

A frightful accident, we regret to report, has occurred on our railroad, attended with the loss of life. It appears that while the passenger train was standing at the Rothsay station a down wood train ran into it at full speed, killing two persons immediately, and wounding several others. The *Colonial Empire* gives the following report of the statements of the Hon. J. H. Gray, who happily escaped uninjured and of the Superintendent, Mr. Carvell:—

Mr. Gray states that just as the train was about to start, he was standing on the platform, holding on by the iron railing, when he heard a very sharp steam whistle, sounded very near, he leaned over and saw the light of the coming train like a flash turning a curve, and he immediately jumped from the car; before he had time to turn the coming train had dashed into the first class passenger car which he had just left, and every light was extinguished, leaving an indescribable scene of darkness and horror. As soon as light could be procured, it was found that a flat car with a flange attached, and which was standing just in rear of the passenger train, had been lifted from its wheels, and driven straight into the passenger car, carrying and smashing passengers, seats, stoves, lights, everything before it, and lodging bodily in the car, without material injury to its sides. How any passenger escaped with life is a mystery.

Mr. Carvell, the Superintendent, furnishes us with the following particulars:—

There was 12 to 15 persons in the first class car at the time of the fatal occurrence. Two—Miss Wetmore, aged about 20, sister of O. D. Wetmore, Esq., and her nephew, Master Younghusband, aged about 12—were instantly killed. The following persons were severely injured, in the order in which we place them:—John Tucker, Esq., Lloyds' Surveyor of Shipping—head badly bruised, and fears of serious internal injury; Mr. Demill, of Hampton, bad bodily injuries; a Mr. Moody, of Pictou, ribs broken; A. R. Wetmore, Esq., head cut; Mr. McArthur, Innkeeper at Sussex, bad scalp wounds, and a lady whose name we did not learn. Miss Davidson, of Rothsay, and several others were more or less slightly injured. Miss D., we learned, was sitting with her arm around the lad who was killed. Hon. Mr. Gray and Mr. James Dunlop, of Moncton, were, we believe, the only first class passengers who escaped uninjured. None of the employees on either train, or any second class passengers, were injured.

The *News* corrects this statement, by saying that it was John McArthur, Esq., farmer, Sussex, and not McArthur, Inn-keeper; and that Mr. Gray was not a passenger on the train, but standing at the time on the platform, intending to take a passage.—*Church Witness*.

On Thursday Rufus A. Stockton, Esq., one of the Coroners for King's County, empannelled a jury, to enquire into the cause of the deaths of Miss Wetmore and Master Younghusband; who, after a formal inspection of the bodies of the unfortunate sufferers, adjourned to Rothsay Hall to receive testimony as to the cause of their death. It is supposed that the inquest will not terminate before to-morrow.

It is confidently stated that the British Government has consented to aid the construction of the great Intercolonial Railroad. It accepts the terms proposed by the delegates, with a few slight alterations.

FIRE.—About ten o'olock on Tuesday morning, when the storm was raging with its utmost fury, the fire-bells sounded the alarm. A house owned by Mr. Joseph Fairweather, on the corner of Smyth-street and North Slip was burned inside. Notwithstanding the storm the firemen were early on the ground and poured a sufficient quantity of water to put out the flames. The building was insured.—*Globe*.

Wednesday, a house on "Saw Dust" Street, in the Parish of Portland, owned by a man named Buchanan, was destroyed by fire.

A fire broke out last night about half-past 8 o'clock in a barn rear of a house situate in Duke Street, and directly in the rear of Mr. Robert Thomson's house situate in Orange Street. The barn was consumed.—*News*.

SIXTH DISTRICT MEETING.

The Sixth District Meeting appointed to be held with the Church at Middleland on the fourth Saturday in February, but postponed by said Church to the third Saturday in June, is hereby appointed to take place the third Saturday in March next, with the Church at the Mill Stream, Studholm, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. The Churches comprising this District are hereby requested to send delegates as usual.

By order of the Chairman of General Conference.
Feb. 20th.—4in.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

A. MCLEAN—Your letters received, all right.

Receipts for the "Religious Intelligencer," to Feb. 28.

Subscribers will please see that their money is correctly acknowledged. The whole number of the paper to which they pay, follows the amount paid.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Eben Esterbrooks, $1, 458; Joseph Murch, 1.50, 470; Amasa Coy, 1.50, 469; Jacob Craig, 1, 455; Matthew Hutchison, 1, 457; David McKenzie, 1, 456; Nathan Milbury, 1.50, 482; Anson Quint, 1.50, 469; B. Chase, 1, 473; B. Curry, 1.50, 477; B. Coy, jun. 1.50, 472; Thomas C. Atherton, Esq., 1,50, 475; Wm. Poise, 1.50, 477; John Way, 1.50, 475; George Clynick, 1.50, 475; William Brown, Esq., 1.50, 475; David Scriver, 1.50, 477; Justus Dunham, 1.50, 477; Stephen Lemartine, 1.50, 475; Joel Milliner, 1.50, 475; Abijah Ingraham, 1.50, 475; Charles Churchill, 1.50, 468; Rev. G. A. Hartly, 1.50, 468; D. W. Clark, 1.50, 468; George Clark, 1.50, 468; Wm. McGee, 1.50, 477; John Shaw, 1.50, 477; Mr. Brown, 75c. 450.

NOVA SCOTIA.—Moses Crowell, 1.50, 468; Joseph Atwood, 1.50, 470; Seth Kendrick, 1.50, 472.

MARRIAGES.

On the 28th of November, by the Rev. C. E. Bell, Mr. Matthew Hutchison, of Wicklow, to Miss Mary L., daughter of Murphy Giberson, Esq., of Kent, Carleton County.

DEATHS.

On Sunday morning, 23d inst., Emily E., the beloved wife of Mr. J. Chaloner.

On Tuesday morning, Anne E., youngest daughter of the late Sylvester Wood, in the 19th year of her age.

On Saturday, 24th inst., Helen, daughter of R. W. Crookshank, aged one month.

On Monday morning, 24th inst., Charles Edward, aged 3 years, youngest son of Mr. Joseph Kee.

At Bass River, of diphtheria, on the 25th Dec., Andrew William, aged 3 years and 8 months; Jan. 2d, Rachel, aged 8 years and 7 months; and on the 26th, John Jardine, aged 5 years and 8 months, children of Mr. John Murphy.

Suddenly, at the residence of her daughter, at Kouchibouguac, Charity, wife of Mr. Alex. McQuarrie.

At his residence, South Bay, on Thursday morning last, Mr. James Clarke, in the 71st year of his age.

At Grand Manan, of diphtheria, Dec. 20th, Mary Ellen, aged 10 years; Dec. 28th, David, aged 13; Feb. 2, Grace, aged 8 years, children of Cyrus and Mary A. Benson.

TO LET.—From 1st May next—Two Flats of HOUSE in Princess Street. Apply to
Feb. 21. S. BUSTIN.

CHEAP GOODS.—Cheap Flannels; cheap Blankets; cheap Cloths, Doeskins, Tweeds, &c.; cheap Dress Stuffs, Shawls, Mantles; cheap Hats, Bonnets, Flowers, Feathers; cheap Homespun Socks and Mitts; Grey and White Cottons, Striped Shirtings; Bed Ticks, Cotton Flannels, Denims, Wadding, Batting, Cotton Warps, Fancy Shirtings, Printed Calicoes, Linings, and every description of Dry Goods, at the very lowest prices, wholesale and retail. IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, 2 King street.
Feb 19. SIMON NEALIS.

CHEAP CLOTHING.—The whole stock of Clothing in the Imperial Building, 2 King street, consisting of over 2,500 Garments, in Coats, Reefing Jackets, Pants and Vests of every fashionable style, all sizes and qualities; also, an immense stock of Furnishing Goods, in White, Fancy, and Crimean Shirts, Under Shirts and Drawers, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Gloves, Trunks, Travelling Bags, Umbrellas, &c., selling off at cost. IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, 2 King street.
Feb 19. SIMON NEALIS.

FEBRUARY 14TH.—Rec'd this day—4 bales Harrock's White Long Cloths; 2 do Striped Shirtings; 2 do Carpets, Osnaburgs and Linens; 1 case Rol'd Linings, &c.
Feb 19. HORSFALL & SHERATON.

WINTER GLOVES.—The subscriber is selling off his stock of winter Gloves at cost.
J. E. WHITTEKIR.
Feb 19.—wi 85 Prince William street.

WHITE AND FANCY SHIRTS.—An immense stock of the above for sale at J. E. WHITTEKIR'S,
Feb 19.—wi 86 Prince William street.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—Until further notice, Mails for Fredericton, &c., will be made up daily (Sundays excepted) at 6½ o'clock in the morning, and at 6 o'clock in the evening. J. HOWE.
General Post Office, St. John, Feb 19, 1862.—wpi.

TO BE LET, from 1st May next, the Shop and premises at present occupied by Messrs. Barbour & Seely. Enquire of FERGUSON BROS.,
Feb 19.—wpi 55 King street.

TO BE LET, from 1st May next, a brick building in Dock street, opposite Grindon & Lynch's, containing SHOP and Dwelling above. Gas, water, and a good cellar. Enquire at FERGUSON BROS.,
Feb 19.—wpi 55 King street.

NO. 86 PRINCE WM. ST.—The subscriber is still taking Central Bank Money at the face, in exchange for Clothing and Dry Goods.
Feb 12.—wi J. E. WHITTEKIR.

RECEIVED this day, per Norwegian from Liverpool, via Boston: 1 bale Grey and White Cottons.
Feb 12.—wi ENNIS & GARDNER.

SKIRT DEPOT, 11th February, 1862.—Received per Resolution from Boston: 1 case Clotilde SKIRTS, introduced by the Empress.
Feb 12.—wi ENNIS & GARDNER.

TO BE LET, from the first May next, the House No. 41 Elliott Row, at present in the occupation of Charles Nicholson, Esq., suitable for a small family. The City Water on the premises. P. R. INCHES,
Feb 13. No. 80 Prince Wm. street.

SHOPS TO LET.—Two Shops on the corner of King and Charlotte streets to let for one or more years, Enquire of J. F. SECORD, Apothecaries' Hall,
Feb 12. King Square.

SKIRT DEPOT, 10th February, 1862.—Received per N. Noyes, from Boston: 1 case Potomac SKIRTS, the latest style. [Feb 12.—wi] ENNIS & GARDNER.

A BUSINESS CARD.

THE subscriber desires to return his sincere thanks to the Farmers and Country Traders who have so liberally favoured him with their business since he commenced an Agency in the City for the sale of Country Produce, and would inform all Farmers and Country Traders that he continues to give his whole attention to the sale of produce of every description, and solicits a continuance of their patronage.
St. John, Feb. 14, 1862. CHARLES CALKIN.

NOTICE.—The subscriber has removed to the store lately occupied by Mr. E. J. Knowles (under the Boot and Shoe Manufactory), corner of Germain and Market sts.
Feb 5.—wpi D. H. HALL.

NOTICE.—The subscriber is thankful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon him for the past seven years; he most respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has taken the Store in Messrs. Ennis & Gardner's new building, Prince William street (which is being fitted up under his direction), where he will open his business about the middle of April next. In the meantime he will leave for England to select a Stock suitable for the city and country trade.

P. S.—TO LET, the Store at present occupied by the subscriber; please enquire on the premises.
Feb 5.—wpi F. A. COSGROVE.

Hall's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.—This Establishment has now been in operation ten months, having in that time manufactured over twenty thousand pairs of Boots and Shoes, and is now turning out 500 pair per week. Having a large number of workmen, with machinery of the best description, I am prepared to fill orders to any extent with Boots and Shoes of any style or description, on short notice, and on better terms than the same quality will cost when imported. A large assortment of domestic made Goods at the Warerooms, No. 1 Market st., to which he would invite the attention of the trade and wholesale purchasers. D. H. HALL,
Feb 6.—wpi No. 1 Market street.

FOOT CHECKS AND SKATES.—Just received per schr. Express, from Boston:—Foot Checks and Skates. The Foot Check can be put out of use without being taken from the Boot. For sale at No. 90 Prince William Street.
Feb. 7.—wpi Z. G. GABEL.

JAYNE'S MEDICINES.—The subscriber has received from the Proprietors, Dr. David Jayne & Son, Philadelphia, one box of their celebrated Medicines, consisting of—Jayne's Expectorant; Jayne's Alterative; Jayne's Hair Tonic; Jayne's Hair Dye; Jayne's Carminative Balsam; Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge; Jayne's Liniment; Jayne's Sanative Pills; and also Jayne's Family Almanac, for 1862, which will be distributed gratis to all persons calling.
P. ROBERTSON INCHES,
No. 80 Prince Wm.-st.
Feb. 7.—wpi Adj'ing J. & A. McMillan's Bookstore.

ALBERTINE OIL AND LAMPS.—Just received, 5 brls Albertine Oil, of the best quality, at greatly reduced prices, and now will sell it to my customers at 50 cents per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels Paraffine Oil, the same quality that I have sold for the last six months, with perfect satisfaction to my customers. I am now prepared to sell at prices that cannot be beat, Lamps, Chimneys, and Wicking, cheap for cash. For sale by J. F. SECORD,
Feb 5.—wpi King square.

PURE KEROSENE OIL.—10 brls. Pure Kerosene OIL—just received. Retail price 60 cents per Gallon. 100 gals. Boiled Linseed Oil; Pure Cod Liver Oil; Olive Oil in flasks and on draught. M. McLEOD,
Feb. 7.—pi 26 Charlotte street.

FLOUR AND MEAL—IN STORE.—70 bbls. St. Louis Mills FLOUR; 24 bbls. Emmerson Mills Flour;
30 bbls. Hibernia Mills Flour; 26 do. Nenah River Mills do;
67 bbls. Farmeos do. do; 47 do. Carpenter do. do;
82 bbls. Kewanee do. do; 91 do. Princeton do. do;
228 bbls. Ontarir do. do; 111 do. Plank Road do. do;
121 bbls. Broomfield do. do; 133 do. Richardson do. do;
60 bbls. Buckeye do. do; 317 do. Premium do. do;
927 bbls. Napier do. do; 222 do. City do. do;
39 bbls. Atlantic do. do; 200 do. Commercial do. do;
78 bbls. McNeil do. do; 300 bags Flour; 400 bbls. CORN MEAL. For sale at lowest market rates.
Feb. 5.—wi HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

ARTISTS' MATERIALS, &c.—The subscriber has just received from London, via Halifax, per Royal Mail Steamer and schr Rambler—300 doz Sheet WAX, assorted colors for wax flowers; 12 do Athenian Crayons, assorted colors; 12 do WIRE, ass'd sizes, for Wax Flowers; 100 do Winser & Newton's Tube Colors, ass'd, complete; 50 do Sable and Hog-hair Brushes, flat and round; Prepared Canvas, of various sizes; Winser & Newton's Handbooks on Art; Together with a lot of Druggist's Sundries, including Graduated Measures, from 1 dram to 20 oz; Salts of Lemon, Filled Prestons, Corn Plasters, Elastic Stockings, Poor Man's Plasters, Ivory Combs; Benzole, for removing stains from silk, &c.; Dandelion Coffee, Rowland's Macassar Oil, &c. For sale by T. B. BARKER,
Jan 29.—wpi. 35 King st.

CURE FOR PILES.

SEGEE'S PILE OINTMENT.—The most desperate cases of Outward as well as Inward Piles, are cured by the use of *Segee's Pile Ointment*. During the last year the Proprietor has disposed of large quantities of it—the demand having been created by its own merits, and by the recommendation of many persons who have used it. The genuine can be had at M. McLEOD'S,
Jan. 31.—pi No. 26 Charlotte street.

MILL SAWS AND MILL SAW FILES.—On consignment: 20 dozen "Cammell & Co." 12 inch Mill Saw Files; 11 only "Blacktin's" 5½ feet, 9 gua., Gang Saws. For sale low by Z. G. GABEL,
Jan 30.—wpi No. 90 Prince William street.

INDIAN BEAD WORK.—Persons desirous of sending to their friends in England small presents, will find a beautiful assortment of Indian Bead Work at 75 Prince Wm. st.
Jan 22.—wpi. F. A. COSGROVE.

THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY 92 Lombard-street, London, and Royal Insurance-buildings, Liverpool.

Chairman of the London Board.—SAMUEL BAKER, Esq.
Chairman in Liverpool.—CHARLES TURNER, Esq.

The Royal Insurance Company is one of the largest Offices in the kingdom.

At the Annual Meeting held in August 1859, the following highly satisfactory results were shown:—

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The most gratifying proof of the expansion of the business is exhibited in the one following fact—that the increase alone of the last three years exceeds the entire business of some of the existing and of many of the recently defunct fire insurance companies of this kingdom.

The Premiums for the year 1855 being.....£130,060
While the Premiums for the year 1558 are.... 196,148
Showing an actual increase of..... 66,088
or upwards of 50 per cent. in three years.

The recent returns of duty made by Government for this latter year (1858) again show the "Royal" as more than maintaining the ratio of its increase as stated in former years. Only one among the London insurance offices exhibits an advance to the extent of one-half the increase of the Company, while all the others respectively fall far short of the moiety of its advance.

LIFE DEPARTMENT.

The amount of new Life Premiums received this year is by far the largest received in any similar period since the commencement of the business, and must far exceed the average of amount received by the most successful offices in the kingdom. The number of policies lasted in the year was 832, the sum assured £387,752 6s. 8d., and the premium £12,354 3s. 4d. These figures show a very rapid extension of business during the last ten years. Thus:—

Years.	No. of Policies.	Sums Assured.	New Premiums.
1848 ..	98	£48,764 17 0	£1,380 9 1
1850 ..	190	95,650 9 11	2,[illegible] 4 7
1852 ..	422	181,504 10 6	8,525 5 10
1854 ..	408	161,848 13 4	4,694 16 0
1856 ..	703	297,560 16 8	8,850 3 11
1858 ..	832	387,752 6 8	12,354 3 4

The remarkable increase in the business of the last four years is mainly consequent upon the large bonus declared in 1855, which amounted to no less than £2 per cent. per annum on the sums assured, and averaged 80 per cent. upon the premiums paid.

PERCY M. DOVE, Manager and Actuary.
JOHN M. JOHNSTON, Secretary to the London Board

All descriptions of property taken at fair rates, and Fire losses paid promptly on reasonable proof of loss—without reference to the head Establishment.

JAMES J. KAYE, Agent for New Brunswick.
Princess-street,
Feb. 15 opposite Judge Ritchie's Building.

(6) CROWN LAND OFFICE, Jan. 29, 1862.

THE following Lots of Land in the Indian Reserve, south of the Tobique River, will be offered for sale by the Commissioner, at the Tobique Village, on Tuesday the first day of April next. Sale to commence at noon. Upset price $2 per acre.

The purchaser of each Lot will be required to settle and improve his Lot within the period (and to the extent) prescribed for purchases under the Labour Act.

100 acres, Lot No. 20, north of Cochrane's Brook, George W. Henderson.
100 acres, Lot No. 21, north of Cochrane's Brook, William Henderson.
100 acres, Lot No. 23, south of Dyer's Brook, Geo. W. Kelly
100 acres, " 24. do. William Scott.
100 acres, " 25, do. Geo. J. Kelly.
100 acres, " 27, at Dyer's Brook, David Craig.
200 acres, " 29, below Narrows, Alexander Forbes.
200 acres, " 30, do. Samuel Bishop.
100 acres, " 31, opposite Narrows, Joseph Lovely.
100 acres, " 32, above Narrows, William Larlee.
100 acres, " 33, do. Aaron Craig.
100 acres, " 34, do. John Craig.
100 acres, " 35, do. Moses Craig.

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(7) CROWN LAND OFFICE, February 4, 1862.

THE undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction on the first Tuesday in March next, at noon, by the respective Deputies, at their Offices, agreeably to the Regulations of 22d April, 1861, and no sale on credit will be made to any person who is indebted to the Crown for previous purchases.

(*Not to interfere with the right to cut Timber or other Lumber under Licences applied for previous to the applications for the purchase of the Land.*)

(*Lots described in the advertisement as for "Actual Settlement" are subject to all the conditions of the Labor Act.*)

(*No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres payable by instalments.*)

(*In all cases of competition, the purchaser must immediately pay the purchase money, or else the Land will be again forthwith offered for sale at the upset price, excluding bids from the defaulter, but the purchaser may pay by instalments if he be otherwise entitled to that privilege.*)

(*Upset price on "Reserved Tracts," sixty-five cents per acre, other Tracts sixty cents per acre, except where otherwise mentioned.*)

(*If Lots marked "improved" be purchased by any person other than the applicant, the improvements must be paid for at the time of sale.*)

YORK.

At the Crown Land Office.

50 acres, lot 60, block 36, Manners-Sutton, Wm. Thomson.
50 acres, lot X, Frog Lake, do, James Nesbit; improved by applicant.
50 acres, lot 103, Frog Lake, Manners-Sutton, James Nesbit; improved by applicant.
102 acres, lot 38, bl'k 35, Prince William, John Courser, jr.
100 acres, lot 114, block 5, Canal road, Southampton, Jesse Brown.
100 acres, lot 116, block 5, Canal road, Fred. Dickinson.
100 acres, lot 118, do do Wm. R. Snow.
100 acres, lot 208, do Southampton, R. Doe.
100 acres, lot 209, do do Wm. H. Britton.

For Actual Settlement.

100 acres, lot 2, range 5, Greenlaw brook, Lud. Hawkins.
100 acres, lot 3, do, do, Fred. Hawkins; improved by F. Hawkins, $5.
100 acres, lot 4, range 5, Greenlaw brook; improved by Beverly Hawkins, $5, and by Ichabod Grant, $20.
100 acres, lot 3, range 1, Greenlaw brook, James Hawkins; improved by James Hawkins, $10.
100 acres, lot 4, range 1, Greenlaw brook, Ab. Hawkins.
100 acres, lot 5, range 1, do, Joseph Hawkins.

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(8) CROWN LAND OFFICE, 19th Feb., 1862.

LICENCES to expire on 1st May, 1862, for the following Timber Berths will be sold at this Office, at noon, on Wednesday, the 5th March next. Conditions published at Sale.

No.	Situation.	Sq. Miles.	Name.
289	Gibson's Brook, (North'd)	2	James Belyea.
290	S. of Long Lake Lepreau.	2	Wm. K. Reynolds.
291	New Canaan.	2	Geo. H. Hart.
292	N. W. Branch Upsalquitch.	3	Wm. Mott.
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SKATES, ICE SPURS, SEWING MACHINE SCISSORS.—Ladies' and Gent's Skates, in variety; Ladies' and Gent's Ice Spurs, a capital article; Sewing Machine Scissors, with Pliers for Threading. For sale by
Z. G. GABEL,
Jan 22.—wi 90 Prince William-street.

EX CANADA.—One bale Coat Canvas.
THOS. R. JONES,
Jan 16.—pi 5 Dock street.

Z. G. GABEL,
AGENT AND COMMISSION SALESMAN,
No. 90 PRINCE WM. ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.
Agent of the Boston Belting Company.

Z. G. GABEL begs respectfully to inform his friends and the public that he has taken the store on the corner of Princess and Prince Wm. street, opposite Chubb's corner (lately occupied by Mr. Francis), and will keep constantly on hand:

RUBBER BELTING, RUBBER PACKING, RUBBER HOSE, } Of all sizes;

Rubber Cement and Soleing, Lacing Leather, Flax, Hemp, and Jute Packing.

ALSO—Colebrook Factory CUT NAILS; Hair Mattrasses, a good article; cheap Picked Hair, for cushions, &c.

These articles are equal, if not superior, to any in the market. Jan 23—wpi

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Great Sale of Clothing, &c., at the North American Clothing Store, 19 North side King Street.—R. HUNTER has commenced *Selling Off*, at Cost Prices for Cash, the balance of his large Stock of Clothing, Cloths, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c. ☞ Great Bargains may be expected, as all must be disposed of.
Jan. 15.—wp R. H.

MOCCASINS! MOCCASINS! Just Received, a few pairs of Moose Hide (Indian made) Moccasins. Price $2.50 per pair. Also: A few pairs of bead-worked Moccasins, very fine. For sale at 75 Prince Wm. Street.
Jan. 24.—wpi F. A. COSGROVE.

European and North American Railway.—Winter Arrangement.—On and after MONDAY, 18th Nov., Trains will run as follows:

UP TRAINS.—Leave St. John at 9 A. M., and 3 P. M.
DOWN TRAINS.—Leave Shediac at 10 A. M., and Sussex at 7 30 A. M.

The afternoon train from St. John goes only to Sussex.
By order. R. JARDINE, Chairman.
Railway Commissioners' Office, St. John, Nov. 6, 1861.

BUCHAN'S Hungarian Balsam of Life, for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness &c. [Jan, 24.] M. McLEOD.