THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.

FREDERICTON, March 8.

The House opened at 3 o'clock, in the presence of a large concourse of ladies and gentlemen, when His Excellency the Lieut. Governor opened the Session with the following Speech:—

Mr. President and Hon. Gentlemen of the Legislative Council:

Mr Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

It affords me satisfaction to meet you again assembled in parliament.

In accordance with instructions received by me since the close of the last Session a member of my Government was despatched to Quebec to attend a Council, summoned by the Governor General of Canada, from the various British North American Colonies for the purpose of affording assistance to Her Majesty's Government in the negotiation of commercial treaties. I have directed the report of that gentleman to be laid before you.

The Government of the United States having announced a resolution to terminate the treaty existing between that power and Great Britain for the reciprocal regulation of trade, I deemed it right, on the invitation of the Government of Canada, and with the concurrence of that of Nova Scotia, to despatch a delegate to Washington for the purpose of endeavoring, in concert with Her Majesty's Minister in that capital and delegates from the sister Provinces, to procure a temporary prolongation of an arrangement which has proved mutually beneficial to both countries, in the hope that time might be thus afforded for negotiations with a view to a permanent renewal of the treaty.

I regret to inform you that the efforts of the delegates have not been attended with success, and that the treaty will consequently very shortly expire. I do not, however, suppose, the discussions on this subject to be finally closed, and I trust that when revived they may lead to a satisfactory issue. Meanwhile it is for you to consider whether any revision of the revenue laws of this Province may be rendered necessary by the abrogation of this agreement, with a view of ascertaining whether in this event new channels may not be opened to our commerce.

I have, in concert with the Governors of the other British North American Provinces, despatched a delegation to the West Indies and certain States of South America. Papers on this subject will be laid before you.

You will have learned with indignation the existence of a conspiracy, having for its avowed object the dismemberment of the British Empire. Various circumstances would appear to indicate that an attack on some portion of Her Majesty's North American dominions is contemplated by those engaged in this mad and wicked enterprise. It is difficult to believe that an attempt so certain to be attended with failure can be so seriously intended. I rejoice, however, in the conviction that but one sentiment of loyalty animates the people of this Province, and that its inhabitants of every race, creed and station, are alike ready to repel lawless aggression, and to punish unprovoked hostility. I know that I may rely on your hearty concurrence and support in the adoption of the precautionary measures which may be needed to avert so grave a calamity as the occurrence of an armed conflict within our borders.

You will be gratified to learn that the Act passed by you during the last Session, for the better regulation of the Militia, has worked in a highly satisfactory manner. My attention has been steadily directed to carrying its provisions into effect, and my warmest thanks are due to those who have afforded me zealous and efficient assistance in this respect. The attention of the Imperial Government, and of those of the various Colonial dependencies of the British Crown, have of late been more seriously directed to the organization of this important branch of national defence, and, with your aid, I trust the Militia Force of New Brunswick may, ere long, be placed in a condition of efficiency.

The Bill relative to the issue of Treasury Notes, passed by you with a suspending clause, has not yet received Her Majesty's approval. The reasons which have induced Her Majesty to delay her assent to this measure will be communicated to you.

In compliance with the request contained in an address from the House of Assembly, two members of my Executive Council were directed by me to proceed to England to confer with Her Majesty's Government on various questions of importance, and to conduct other negotiations on behalf of this Province. The report of these delegates will immediately be laid before you, and you will learn with satisfaction that a contract has been entered into by them which, in conjunction with measures adopted by the Government of Nova Scotia, will ensure the completion of railway communication between St. John and Halifax at no distant day.

A contract has also been completed for the construction of a Railway from St. John to the frontier of the United States, the works on which have already commenced, and are now in progress.

Since I last met you in Parliament, the Crown has been deprived of the services of two of its most distinguished functionaries in this Province, and I now desire to express to you my keen sense of the loss which New Brunswick has sustained in the retirement of Chief Justice Sir James Carter, and the death of Chief Justice Parker.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

An account of the income and expenditure of the past year will be laid before you. Although the revenue was considerably less than that received in 1864, it yet exceeded the estimate, and I am happy to inform you that since the close of the financial year it has steadily improved.

The estimates, which will be immediately submitted to you, have been framed with as close an attention to economy as a due regard for the exigencies of the public service and the security of the Province would permit.

Mr. President and Hon. Gentlemen of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

I have received Her Majesty's commands to communicate to you a correspondence on the affairs of British North America, which has taken place between Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Colonies and the Governor General of Canada; and I am further directed to express to you the strong and deliberate opinion of Her Majesty's Government that it is an object much to be desired that all the British North American Colonies should agree to unite in one Government. These papers will immediately be laid before you.

I trust that your deliberations may tend to advance the welfare of the Province and of its people; and a pledge that this will be the case may be found in their being undertaken, as I am sure they will be, under a full sense of your grave responsibilities and in a spirit at once of confident self reliance and of loyal attachment to that great Empire of which New Brunswick forms a part, and her connection with which is at once her security and her pride.

The address in reply to be moved on Monday will contain the following passage:—

The correspondence which has taken place between Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Colonies and the Governor General of Canada, on the affairs of British North America, when laid before us will receive due attention, and the opinion expressed by Her Majesty's Government will command that respect and attention which is due to suggestions emanating from so high a source; but in any Scheme for a union of the British North American Colonies which may be proposed, it is in the opinion of the House absolutely essential, that full protection should be afforded to the rights and interests of the people of this Province, and no measure which fails to obtain these objects should be adopted.

FREDERICTON, March 8.

Boyd moved and Coram seconded Address in reply to the Speech, which is made the order of the day for Monday.

Question raised by Wetmore as to right of Government to appoint Door Keeper referred to Privilege Committee.

7000 copies of Debates ordered to be printed and to be distributed according to representation.

Gilbert introduced Bill to provide for better secrecy of ballot, and to prevent undue influences at elections, which excludes all but officials and voters from polling booth.

Mr. Needham introduced a bill to abolish imprisonment for debt, and to attach property on mesne process and for final discharge of debtor.

Mr. Wetmore a bill to revive and continue an Act for relief of insolvent confined debtors; also a bill to amend Revised Statutes of Registry of Deeds and other instruments.

Mr. Gilbert a bill to simplify the practice of the Law and abolish special bail.

Two thousand copies of the journals ordered for use of Legislature.

Mr. Williston presented a petition from the Newcastle Gas Company for amendment of charter.

Sparring took place between Messrs. Wetmore, Hatheway, Anglin, Smith, Cudlip, Gilbert and others in reference to rules of order in imparting information to House.

Some warmth was shown.

Nothing done during the afternoon, except adoption of Contingent Report, making provisions for stationary, &c.

Address in reply to Speech under discussion in the Legislative Council.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell reviewed address, asking Government to explain language. He looked unfavorably upon it, and considered references to Reciprocity negotiations unjustifiable, stating treaty had not been beneficial to New Brunswick, and the Provincial Delegates had humiliated themselves in appearing before Committee of Congress.

No amendment moved.

Hon. Messrs. Seely and Odell replied.

(From the Morning Telegraph.)

Sharp contest in the House between Wetmore, Anglin, Smith and Cudlip.

DesBrisay, of Kent, asked Hatheway about a Bridge. The question was partly answered.

Gilbert asked who composed the Government? Declined.

Anglin got up; said such questions were disrespectful and out of order till after Address. He made a considerable speech.

Wetmore rejoined that Anglin seemed to have charge of the Government indoors and out. Their members were on the floor, yet Anglin must answer and say what information they would give and what not. A pretty state of things!

Smith indignantly replied that no one had the Government in charge. They would answer for themselves, and if voted recreant to their trust, as Wetmore insinuated, would give place to others.

Cudlip assailed Wetmore, as changing base in attacking Government.

The Speaker closed the discussion.

Anglin asked if the Opposition would propose an amendment to the Address.

Connell replied, if Anglin would vote for it he might consider it on the table!

Notice of such amendment will be given to-morrow.

Wilmot's resignation accepted this week. Troop sworn in; was in the House during discussion.

Two paragraphs of Address passed in the Legislative Council.

These elicited discussion on Fenianism.

Mitchell charged that defence of Fredericton consisted of four guns, two of which were wooden.

A good deal of feeling exists here about Fenian movements on the borders.

The Opposition are strong and defiant.

The Speech and Address do not fully please either party.

The position of the Government is considered critical.

FREDERICTON, March 10.

Fisher gave the following notice of a motion in amendment of answer to the Speech, to strike out all that part of 4th paragraph from "and your Excellency," and substitute the following:—

"And your Excellency may rely with confidence upon our cordial co-operation and support in the adoption of such measures as may be deemed necessary for the protection of the country; and while we respectfully state to your Excellency that your constitutional advisers, by their general conduct are not entitled to our confidence, we regret that no sufficient assurance has been given, that the people will not be found unprepared to defend their families, their homes, and their firesides, against lawless conspirators from the neighboring Republic."

In answer to an enquiry of Wetmore, the Attorney-General stated that the correspondence in reference to the appointment of Chief Justice Ritchie would be laid before the House in due time.

Lindsay introduced a bill relating to the settlement and support of the poor.

Fisher, a bill to establish an additional polling place in York,—with petition; bill to incorporate the Fredericton Railway Company, and a bill to facilitate construction of Railway to Fredericton.

Desbrisay, a bill to change the name of the Parish of Palmerston to Kent.

Lindsay, a bill to enable the town of Woodstock to take Stock Branch Railway.

Connell, a bill to facilitate the construction of Woodstock Railway; also a bill relating to Marriage.

Otty, a bill relating to Weights.

Scovil, a bill to increase representation of King's County.

Wetmore gave notice of a motion for the correspondence on the appointment of the Chief Justice.

In reply to Wilmot the Attorney General said, the Government is taking active measures for the defence of the country, but it would not be prudent to state the details.

FREDERICTON, March 12.

Col. Boyd introduced a bill and petition for the incorporation of the St. Andrew's Friendly Society; Mr. DesBrisay, a bill to place a part of the road from Cocagne to Shediac on the Great Road List; Mr. Otty, a bill and petition to alter the polling place in the Parish of Hampton.

Address in answer to Speech under consideration during afternoon.

Boyd endorsed language of Speech and Address, and believed Government would not be opposed to a Scheme of Union that was fair.

Fisher spoke two hours to his amendment, and said Government, although had a majority of fifteen members last Session, did not initiate a single measure, except the Militia law. They had not filled vacant offices, because of fear to open constituencies, knowing country was against them. In refusing to appoint Auditor General he held Constitution had been violated. During great part of the year there was no Crown officer in the Province.

He held Minute of Council of last summer was an insult to the Queen and Minister. In defence of the country, the Government had been derelict in holding Camp of Instruction in July, instead of at present, when men could be drilled on the frontier, and at the same time defend the country. In the Judicial appointments, the Bench had been degraded by dragging in politics.

House adjourned at 5.

FREDERICTON, March 13.

The Gloucester Scrutiny Committee reported in favor of Messrs. Young and Mehan sitting members.

Mr. Wetmore introduced a bill relating to debtors confined in jail or on limits; a bill to amend law of evidence; a bill to authorize Judges of the Supreme Court to preside at trials when the City of St. John is interested.

Mr. Fisher, a bill in amendment of Parish School law, and a bill in amendment of the law.

Mr. Fraser, a bill to give Fredericton representation in the Assembly.

Mr. Cale, a bill to increase representation of Kent.

Mr. Mehan, a bill to increase that of Gloucester.

Mr. Lindsay, a bill to increase the representation of Carleton.

Mr. Otty, a bill to provide increased representation for several Counties.

Mr. Costigan, a bill to abolish property qualifications of members.

Mr. Fraser, a bill to incorporate Provincial Oil Company.

Mr. Williston, a bill to provide more effectually for the repairing of roads and bridges in Newcastle; also a bill relating to partition of lands.

Fisher recapitulated arguments of yesterday and stated the Government had been collecting export duty since May 1865, contrary to law, as act authorizing its collection expired, that $60,000 were thus placed in jeopardy and may be demanded by exporters.

He appealed to the House if a Government guilty of such negligence was entitled to support.

Attorney General followed, speaking for an hour on general topics, but would take up Fisher's charges *seriatim*, export duty and all.

He charged Fisher with cowardice in making assertions on hustings, charging Government with treason, and trying to excite religious hate which he dare not make to these gentlemen face to face.

He said Fisher had altered amendment contrary to all precedent, because he was compelled by imprudence of Lindsay on Saturday.

Stated preparations were being made for defence of St. John under direction of Gen. Doyle, and that arms and ammunition had been sent to Carleton Co.

Debate adjourned till 2 to-morrow.

[Special Telegram to Morning Journal.]

Fisher resumed and finished great Speech.

Made scathing attack on Government for change of base, and wished to know how why, when and where their political conversion occurred.

Charged that expenditure of current year exceeds revenue by $90,000, the contrary being represented in the Speech; and that $60,000 export duty illegally collected, after that law expired in May 1865, though Parliament was in Session in April the same year. This liable to be paid back, and condemned the Government.

Smith spoke for an hour.

Made a powerful appeal against York Election canvass. Would now go for Union, but not for Quebec Scheme. Did not use much argument, but resumes to-morrow.

Seemed to say expiry of Revenue Law neglected through Confederation agitation.

This is a bad business for Government.

Fisher traced it to want of Auditor General and incapacity of Government.

FREDERICTON, March 14.

A Bill to revive export duty law, introduced by Attorney General, and under discussion in Committee of whole house during morning.

Fisher wished it postponed for a few days, so that his mind may be made up as to effect of an *expost facto* law which he thought would create interminable trouble.

Attorney General, Fraser and others, quoted authorities to show that retrospective laws were numerous in England and this Province, and were necessary in exceptional cases like present.

Government did not wish to exculpate themselves from blame, but wished to prevent litigation.

Many members of Opposition while blaming Government for oversight, would assist in passing measure at once.

AFTERNOON.

Bill to revive and continue Export Duty Act adopted—read a third time and sent to Council.

Smith spoke two hours in defence of Government, charging Fisher and emissaries with carrying his election by bringing diabolical charge of treason and removal of seat of Government against Executive. Endorsed Minute of Council of 12th July, and was proud when he read its manly language in England. Said Cardwell admitted many objectionable features in Quebec Scheme—who did not know there were to be separate Governments and Legislatures, but supposed provided for one Legislature and Government. Cardwell said it was best that could be secured, but admitted force of delegates' arguments that that was no reason why New Brunswick should accept it. Admitted oversight in permitting export law to expire—said hurry of meeting Legislature after elections was the cause. Allen, then Attorney General, had overlooked it.

Resume speech at 2 to-morrow.

[Special Telegram to the Morning Telegraph.]

Smith made a long speech on York election, and extraneous exciting topics, assailing Fisher and Tilley on various points.

Towards the close he began to reply to charges against the Government.

He stated Government were still diametrically opposed to the Quebec Scheme, but when all the papers are submitted to the House it would be for them to frame a new scheme of Union.

The Government, he said, had urged a new Convention on Canadian Government and Brown, when here, in vain.

The plan evidently is, should the Government stand, to get a Committee of the House to agree on a Scheme of Union,—the position of the Government not being imperilled!

There is great excitement to-day; sharp discussions occurred among members and ex-members after the House rose.

SAVINGS BANK.—There was a heavy run on the Savings' Bank on Tuesday. Rocky Hill, opposite the Bank, was almost completely blocked up by the crowd of men and women waiting for 11 o'clock and the opening of the Bank doors. There were old and young—sound people and cripples—people that were always supposed to be at the next door to beggary, and people in comfortable circumstances. Probably $20,000 was withdrawn yesterday, and we understand that notice has been given of the contemplated withdrawal of at least $20,000 more on Tuesday next.—*Journal.*

THE ST. STEPHEN BRANCH RAILROAD.—The tenth and last call of this Company is now made. The first vessel has been chartered to bring out a cargo of 600 tons of rails for the road. She was to have commenced loading at Newport on the 5th instant. The Directors of this road push it on with great energy.—*Ibid.*

At the commencement of Harvard Medical School, Boston, on the 7th inst, the degree of M. D., was conferred upon seventy students. Among the names were those of Alfred B. Atherton, and Joseph L. Bunting, of this city. At the commencement of the Medical Department of the University of New York, Joseph W. Howe, P. Robertson Inches, Thomas J. Gillespie, and Robert K. Ross, all of this Province, received the degree of M. D.

The steamer Lockwood blew up and was burned on Sunday night week, 18 miles below Memphis. Twenty persons were killed and twenty-five injured. The boat was valued at $60,000; not insured.

Advices from South America represent preparations by the allies for the campaign against the Paraguayans as still progressing. The Allied army is said to be 45,000 strong, with a fleet of fifteen gunboats and two iron-clads to co-operate on the Parana.

Maximilian has issued a decree granting bounties to all vessels sailing under the Mexican flag, eight dollars per ton to those built in Mexico, and four dollars per ton those nationalized by the Mexican law, making voyages to the United States, West Indies, South America and Central America.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

ARRIVAL OF THE "HIBERNIAN."

PORTLAND, March 14.

The steamship "Hibernian," with Liverpool dates to the 24 instant, has arrived.

Fenian affairs continue unchanged.

Arrests continue to be made.

Five Irish Americans were arrested at Dublin on the 28th.

Documents of a suspicious character were found on them.

The London *Times* says it is understood that the Horse Guards have determined upon strengthening the depots of battalions of infantry in Ireland, and they will shortly be augmented by the addition of several English and Indian depots now attached to battalions in Ireland.

Tone of breadstuffs and provision market not given.

Consols 86⅞ @ 87. United States 5-20's 70¾.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, March 14.

A Washington despatch says, at the request of the Minister of Finance of Canada, the Secretary of the Treasury has given permission to the Canadian authorities to place their officials at all Railway Points on our side of the St. Lawrence, for the purpose of examining baggage and freight despatched for the British Provinces.

Gold 131¼.

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NOVA SCOTIA.—T. W. Wilson, 2, 676; Joshua Smith, 2, 640; Samuel Atwood, 2, 680; Archibald Hopkins, 1, 632; Moses Crowell, 1, 650.

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MARRIAGES.

At Clifton, K. C., on the 7th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. D. J. Wetmore, Edwin M. Flewelling, of Sussex, to Agnes L., daughter of Mr. David Wetmore, jun.

On the 24th ult., by the Rev. B. Merritt, Mr. Oliver Davis, to Miss Elizabeth Kirkup, all of Hampstead, Q. C.

On the 2d inst., by the Rev. T. Yanwart, Mr. Michael P. Dunham, of Hampstead, Q. C., to Miss Catherine Cameron, of Kars, K. C.

At the bride's residence, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. T. Yanwart, Mrs. Roba A. Lake, to John Mr. John F. Downey, both of Kars, K. C.

On the 1st inst., at Demoiselle Creek, by the Rev. Robert Wilson, Mr. John M. Blake, of Hillsboro', to Sarah Jane, daughter of Mr. John Wilson.

At Hillsborough, on the 7th instant, by the Rev. J. C. Hurd, A. M., M. D., Mr. Nathaniel C. Calhoun, of Hopewell, to Miss Martha Wallace, daughter of Wm. Wallace, Esq., Deputy Treasurer.

On the 17th ult., by the Rev. J. C. Bleakney, Mr. Ezbon Churchill, of Woodstock, to Susan H. Mills, of Amherst, N. S.

At Marysville, California, on the 8th Feb., by the Rev. W. W. Macomber, Mr. Danforth Prescott, of West Bear River Towuship, Yuba County, Cal., to Mrs. Mary A. Belyea, late of Augusta, Maine, and daughter of the late J. D. Emery, Esq., formerly of St. John.

DEATHS.

On the 9th inst., after a lingering illness, which he bore with much Christian patience and resignation to the will of God, the Rev. Edwin McInnis (Baptist Minister), aged 74 years. He was a true Christian, and loved and respected by the entire community.

On the 11th inst., in the 64th year of his age, Mr. John Forsyth, a native of County Donegal, Ireland, and for the last 40 years a resident of this City, leaving a wife and two children, and a large circle of friends and relatives, to mourn their loss.

Suddenly, on the 10th inst., at the Provincial Penitentiary, Mr. Alexander McKenzie, in the 52d year of his age, late Sergeant in the 72d Highlanders. He leaves a wife and six small children to mourn their sudden bereavement.

On the 10th inst., Mr. Thomas Robson, a native of Dumfries-shire, Scotland, after a lingering illness, with certain hope of a blessed eternity, in the 47th year of his age, leaving a wife and three children and many friends to mourn their loss.

On the 10th inst., after a lingering illness, of consumption, Mr. Robert Kerr, in the 36th year of his age, a native of Forfarshire, Scotland.

On the 8th inst., LeBaron M., infant son of Gilbert M. and Lucy W. Robinson, aged 13 months and 15 days.

On the 11th inst., Julia Elizabeth, aged 3 years and 8 months, youngest daughter of Richard and Julia Ann Dolliver.

On the 12th inst., after a tedious illness, Mrs. Mary Murphy, aged 45 years, leaving a husband and five children to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and mother.

On the 14th inst., after a long and tedious illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, Rachel Oglesby, aged 22 years. Her end was peace.

At Westfield, K. C., on the 13th ult., Diadama Elizabeth, daughter of George and Elizabeth A. Flewelling, aged 5 years, 6 months, and 11 days.

Life is a span, a fleeting hour—
How soon the vapour flies!
She was a tender transient flower,
That e'en in blooming died.

The once loved form, now cold and dead,
Each mournful thought employs,
And nature weeps, her comforts fled,
And withered all her joys.

At Nackawick, Y. C., 2d inst., William Allen, only son of Wm. T. and Cecelia H. Ganong, aged 2 years and 4 months.

At Kemptville, Yarmouth, N. S., Feb. 25th, Havelock Hamilton, only son of Albert E. and Helen Gayton, aged 1 year and 14 days.

At Tracy's Mills, Blissville, Feb. 9th, Sarah B., daughter of Charles E. and Maria M. Smith, aged 2 months and 4 days.

At Blissville, March 1st, Hannah, the beloved wife of Mr. John Meserean, aged 30 years. Some years ago, deceased professed religion, and was baptized by Elder Pennington. She maintained a Christian walk until her last sickness, which was short, and died in the triumphs of faith. Her funeral services were attended on Sunday, 4th instant; a large congregation was in attendance, and the writer endeavored to improve the occasion for the benefit of the living. She has left a sorrowing husband, a family of small children, and other relatives, to mourn their loss. May they be sustained by the God of all comfort in their affliction!

F. BABCOCK.

On the 24th ult., at his residence, Douglas Harbour, Q. C., the Hon. John Earle, in his 69th year, leaving a wife and seven children to mourn the loss of a kind hust and and affectionate father.

At his father's residence, Gardner's Creek, on the 8th inst., after a tedious illness, which he bore with christian resignation, Henry, third son of William and Elizabeth Benjamin, in the 19th year of his age.

On the 15th ult., of consumption, Anor, youngest daughter of Elijah and Phebe Odell, of Kars, K. C., aged 16 years.

At Kars, K. C., on the 20th ult., of consumption, Mr. Asa Jones, in the 30th year of his age, leaving a wife and one child, and a numerous circle of friends, to mourn their loss. Brother J. was a sincere Christian, and endured a long and painful illness with great patience, and died in peace.

At Studholm, K. C., on the 3d March, of disease of the heart, Joseph T. Keirstead, eldest son of Francis and Mary Keirstead, in the 12th year of his age. He was interesting and intelligent, and gave evidence of early piety.

At Shediac, 4th inst., Frances, wife of Mr. Alfred Wilbur, and only daughter of George Hubbard, Esq., of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

At Salisbury, 14th Feb., Eleanor, wife of Mr. Geo. Millar, in the 66th year of her age.

At Elgin, A. C., on the 24th Feb., Martin L., ninth son of Mr. Robert Colpitts, Sen., in the 18th year of his age.

At Halifax on the 3d instant, Isabella, wife of Alexander Knight, Esq., aged 72 years. The deceased was the mother of the lady of the Rev. N. Mackay, of this city.

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Moncton, March 16, 1866. 3m.

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LEECHES.—A lot of fine healthy Leeches, just received by C. P. CLARKE,
march 16. 85 King street.

NICHOL'S Syrup of Hypophosphites; Richardson's Rubber Syringes; Ellis' Citrate of magnesia; Bogle's Hair Dye; Colored Wax Tapers. Just received by C. P. CLARKE, 85 King street.
march 16.

1866!

INTERNATIONAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—The splendid sea-going Steamer "NEW BRUNSWICK," E. B. Winchester, Master, will, until further notice, leave Reed's Point Wharf every THURSDAY Morning, at 8 o'clock, for EASTPORT, PORTLAND, and BOSTON.

FARES.

From St. John to Eastport,	$1 50
" " Portland,	4 00
" " Boston,	5 00
By Steamer and Railway to Baston,	6 00

All Fares and Freights payable in New Brunswick Currency at St. John.

Passages and State Rooms secured at the Company's Office, East End Warehouse, Reed's Point Wharf.

Freight received on Wednesday only up to 5 o'clock P. M.

All Freight must positively be paid for on delivery of Goods.

All Shipments of Goods to the United States of the value of $50, must be accompanied with Invoice; over that amount must have a U. S. Consular's Certificate attached to the invoice, to prevent stoppage at Eastport.

B. ANSLEY, AGENT.
St. John, N. B., March. 16, 1866.

CHEAP SKIRTS.—ENNIS & GARDNER now offer a large assortment Cheap New Skirts. Women's Skirts from 54 cents each. Children's do 5 cents each.
march 16.

FRESH SPRING SEEDS.—Just arrived from London via Portland:—Our Spring Stock of Garden and Field Seeds, comprising the very best varieties of Turnip, Beet, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Carrot, Radish, Parsnip, Peas, Beans, &c., &c., &c., with a choice selection of Flower Seeds, all from the first house in London, and warranted fresh. Will be ready for sale in a day or two.

ROBINSON BROTHERS,
march 16. 80, Prince William street.

NEW PAPER HANGINGS.—Received this day by Calista Haws. [mar 9.] ENNIS & GARDNER.

RAISINS, DRIED APPLES, CRUSHED SUGAR, &c.—Just received ex steamer New Brunswick: 50 boxes Layer Raisins; 10 brls Crushed Sugar; 10 Dried Apples. In store—5 hhds bright Porto Sugar; 10 brls choice Oatmeal; 2 hhds extra White Porto Rico Sugar; 6 hhds Dried Apples. For sale low by J. S. TURNER,
march 16. 22 and 24 Water Street.

EGGS.—Just received ex Dis by Packet, 100 dozen Fresh Eggs. For sale low by JOSHUA S. TURNER,
march 16. 22 and 24 Water st.

WHAT ROGERS & CO.'S MEDICINES
WILL CURE!

THEY will cure CANCER, if applied in time
They will cure TUMOUR;
They will cure SCROFULA;
They will cure KING'S EVIL;
They will cure FEVER SORES;
They will cure DECAYED BONE, as well as flesh;
They will cure CONSUMPTION, if used in time;
They will cure BRONCHITIS;
They will cure ERYSIPELAS;
They will cure RINGWORM;
They will cure SALT RHEUM, in many cases;
They will cure PILES, in many cases;
They will cure SYPHILITIC DISEASES;
They will cure GENERAL DEBILITY;
They will cure FEMALE WEAKNESSES;
They will cure DYSPEPSIA and INDIGESTION;
They will cure NERVOUS and SICK HEADACHE;
They will cure BEALINGS and SWELLINGS;
They will cure BROKEN BREASTS;
They will cure INFLAMMATION and STIFF JOINTS;
They will cure OLD SORES of all kinds;
They will cure FELONS and WHITLOWS;
They will cure CORNS and WARTS;
They will cure BURNS or SCALDS;
They will cure FROST BITES;
They will cure SORES, SWELLINGS, WARTS, &c. &c., on Horses and Cattle also.

For proof of the above, we refer the reader to the large number of reliable Testimonials accompanying our Medicine.

For sale by JOHN CHALONER,
Corner King and Germain Streets,
and FELLOWS & CO.,
Foster's Corner, Saint John, N. B.
ROGERS & Co., Amherst, N. S. (feb. 22.)

CUCUMBER SEEDS.—For early planting in Frames, now ready.—Scion House, 10 cents; Emperor, 10 cts; Victory of Bath, 10 cents; Robertson's Long Prickly, 5 cents; Cuthill Black Spine, 10 cents; Norbiton Giant, 20 cents. [march 15.] FELLOWS & CO.

CABBAGE AND CAULIFLOWER SEEDS.—For early Planting.—Early Emperor, Early Conqueror, Kemps' Incomparable, Enfield Market, Barnes' Early, St. John's Day, Flat Dutch, Brunswick Drumhead, Early York, Large York, Sugar Loaf, Asiatic Cauliflower, Dwarf Mammoth Cauliflower. Now ready.
march 15. FELLOWS & CO.

ROGERS & CO.'S ALTERATIVE SYRUP.—For Scrofulous and all Skin Diseases. One of the most useful Blood Purifiers, and particularly adapted for use during the Spring months. Wholesale and retail by
march 15. FELLOWS & CO.

SOLD TO PAY EXPENSES.—1 case Merchant's Garging Oil; 1 case Wax Tapers and small Wax Candles; a lot Rimmell's Perfumes, purchased by the subscribers at the Custom House sale. For sale low.
march 15. FELLOWS & CO.

CUTTS' Rheumatic and Horse Liniment, for Sprains, Bruises, &c. An excellent Liniment.
march 15. FELLOWS & CO.

COLMAN'S Compound Cherry Syrup, for Coughs and all Pulmonary Diseases. For sale by
march 15. FELLOWS & CO.

WHITING AND PUTTY.—Now landing ex Calista Haws—3 tons English Whiting; 1 ton Putty, in bladders. For sale by
march 15. T. B. BARKER.

WHITEWASH BRUSHES.—Just received and for sale by the subscriber—an assortment of White & Sons Whitewash Brushes, from No. 1 to 15.
march 15. T. B. BARKER.

POTASH—For Soap Making—In store and for sale by the subscriber: Babbitt's Concentrated Potash, in tins of from 1 lb. to 6 lbs. Also, the common Potash, in bulk. [march 15.] T. B. BARKER.

BABBITT'S CONCENTRATED SOFT SOAP. For sale by [march 15.] T. B. BARKER

SPALDING'S THROAT CONFECTIONS; Skinner's Pulmonales; Brown's Bronchial Troches; Choate's Magic Cough Lozenges. All standard remedies for Bronchial affections. For sale by ROBINSON BROS.,
march 15. 80 Prince Wm. st.

BROWN WINDSOR SOAP.—A large quantity Household Brown Windsor Soap. Received and for sale by ROBINSON BROS.,
march 15. 80 Prince Wm. st.

NEW BOOKS.—Per Steamer: Godey's Magazine for March; Demorest's do. do.; Peterson's do. do.; Every Saturday; Hunt's Merchants' Magazine; Agnes, by Mrs. Oliphant; Gerard Carleton; Lights and Shadows of Scottish Life. For sale by (mar 9.) BARNES & CO.

NEW CARPETS.—Received this day, by Calista Haws New Carpetings.
march 8. ENNIS & GARDNER.

UNION PRAYER MEETING!

"Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer,
That calls us from a world of care,
And bids us at our Father's throne
Make all our wants and wishes known.
In seasons of distress and grief,
Our souls have often found relief,
And oft escaped the tempter's snare
By thy return, sweet hour of prayer."

MEETINGS FOR PRAYER are held DAILY in Fisher's Building, Fredericton, from 12 to 1 o'clock, P. M. Friends at home, and strangers from abroad, are earnestly invited to be present and take part in the exercises, to be conducted on the same plan as the Fulton Street Prayer Meeting of New York, of noted celebrity.

Doors open at 15 minutes to 12 o'clock; meeting to commence at 12 o'clock precisely.

Fredericton, March 2d, 1866.

FLOUR.—Landing, ex schr. "Ubar:" 200 brls. Napier Flour; 200 brls. Bellefontaine Flour. Ex schr. *Ellen* from Portland—200 brls. Gould's City Mills Flour. For sale by [March 9.] HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

REINDEER FLOUR.—Landing ex Schr. Horton: 1000 brls. Reindeer Flour. For sale by
March 9. HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

EXTRA STATE AND CANADA FLOUR.—Landing this day: 1000 brls. Kennedy's Mills Flour;
200 " Bellefontaine Mills Flour;
300 " Napier Mills Flour;
200 " Beaver Mills Flour.
To arrive per schr. "Gilbert Heat," from New York:
800 brls. Napier Mills Flour;
300 " Bellefontaine do. do.
To arrive from Montreal, daily expected via Portland:
1000 brls. Gould's City Mills Flour;
1000 " Beaver Mills Flour.
In Store—500 brls. Corn Meal. For sale by
March 9. HALL & FAIRWE