THE NEWS and THE PRESS.

DECEMBER 31, 1869.

Many thanks to the friends who are interesting themselves to extend the circulation of the INTELLIGENCER. *The result of their efforts proves that it can easily be done. Shall we not have many more new names? This is the time of year to canvass.*

WRAPPERS!

According to notice, the wrappers of each paper issued this week, will have on it the number to which the subscriber is paid. The present number is 833. If the number on the wrapper is below this, the subscriber is indebted (besides the advance subscription), for the number of papers necessary to make it 833; if above this, he has paid in advance for the number of papers which added to 833, will make the number on wrapper. This course followed heretofore, has been good for both subscribers and proprietor. Many forget when the time for renewal arrives, and unintentionally fall into arrears. To those who have made advance payment, we tender our thanks, while we look confidently to all others for prompt remittances. At no season of the year are we more in need of funds than at the present. Printing bills, &c., must be paid. To subscribers we look for the cash, hoping they will not disappoint, and thus embarrass us.

If mistakes occur on the wrappers, we have only to be notified, and the necessary corrections will be made.

ITEMS.—Excursionists can, on New Year's Day, make the trip from this city to Fredericton and return, *same day*, for one fare.—The *Telegraph* says the Intercolonial Railway is to pass directly through the town of Amherst. The Engineers have indicated the exact course of the road, and the Station grounds have been selected.—Two stabbing affrays are reported at the Police Office this week; neither are supposed to be serious.—Silas Alward, Esq., delivered a lecture in the Sons of Temperance Hall, under the auspices of Victoria Division, on Wednesday evening, subject, "The North West Territory."

A literary and musical entertainment was given by the Young Men's Christian Association, of Central Norton, Christmas Eve.—A very handsome sewing machine was presented to Mrs. Lathern, wife of Rev. John Lathern, of the Centenary church, on Christmas Eve. The gift was from members of the congregation.—The Steamer *Linda* is having a new boiler made by Mr. J. W. Fleming, of this city. It will cost $4,000.—The scholars of the Congregational Church Sabbath School, numbering over a hundred, were each presented with a Christmas gift, by the superintendent, Isaac Burpee, Esq.—E. N. Sharp, Esq., for some time connected with the *Telegraph and Journal*, has accepted a position on the staff of the *Halifax Citizen*, which is to become a daily.—The Semi-nannual examination of the Baptist Seminary, was held on Thursday, the 22nd inst. The Lieut. Governor, Dr. Jack, and others, were present, and expressed themselves well pleased with the exercises.—As a party of boys were being brought home from the Sheffield Academy for their Christmas holidays, the team (Senator Glazier's) broke through the ice, and the boys had a narrow escape.—The Fredericton *Reporter* is informed that a petition is being quietly circulated in St. John, the object of which is to have the Post Office Department removed from Fredericton to this city. The *Reporter* thinks that St. John is very anxious to injure the capital.—George L. Hatheway, Esq., lectured in the Parish of Bright one day last week, on Education. The lecture is well spoken of.

A petition praying for a commutation of the sentence of J. A. Munroe, has been in circulation for some days. It was signed by all of the Jurymen who sat on the trial, but it has since transpired that they signed without reading the document, and after its publication in the *Globe*, a few days ago, they held a meeting, at which they appointed their foreman, Mr. McLellan, to request its return. Their recommendation to mercy was made because some of the number were opposed to capital punishment, and in sympathy for the relatives and friends of the culprit. They are still willing to sign a petition worded in a proper manner and in accordance with the facts.

The following is said to be a copy of the document to which they have appended their names, but now object to:

That John A. Munroe, a prisoner confined in the gaol of the said City and County, was indicted, tried, and found guilty, at the Circuit Court lately held in St. John, for the murder of one Sarah Margaret Vail, and has been sentenced to death.

That the evidence adduced on the said trial against the said John A. Munroe was almost entirely circumstantial, and the Jury in finding their verdict against the prisoner most strongly recommended him to mercy.

That no adequate motive for the commission of the crime has ever been assigned, and the affair is wrapt in mystery—that the prisoner has, until this charge was preferred against him, borne the character of a very quiet, inoffensive man; and had deservedly obtained the confidence of the public in his profession as an architect.

That, under the very peculiar circumstances of this case, your petitioners are convinced that it would be much more satisfactory to the public mind, and more completely meet the ends of justice were the death penalty remitted, and the sentence commuted to imprisonment for a term of years or for life.

Your petitioners therefore most earnestly pray that Your Excellency will be pleased to take the case of the said John A. Munroe into your most favorable consideration, and extend to him the clemency of the Crown, by commuting his said sentence.

Owing to the illness of Mr. John March, the platform of the Institute was occupied on Monday evening, by John Boyd, Esq., who repeated his very popular lecture—"Seeking one's Fortune," before a large and delighted audience.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.—The Treasurer of the St. John Industrial School acknowledges with many thanks the receipt of $82,50 from the Prince's Ball Committee; $40 from John Walker, Esq.; $22.74 from the young ladies of Mrs. Hunt's Seminary.

The Moncton people expect that the Intercolonial Railway will come into their town, near the Moncton Steam Tannery; and, if so, that the Grand Junction Station will be located a short distance further up, (that is West), than the present Station. They anticipate a large advance in real estate and rents in 1870. —*Telegraph.*

FROM MIRAMICHI TO ST. JOHN VIA FREDERICTON.—We understand that arrangements have been made and will go into operation in a few days, for the conveyance of passengers from Miramichi to Fredericton, and thence by Railway to St. John. Travellers will have the advantages of comfortable stages, furnished by Mr. Orr—no detention before taking the cars—and through tickets for the whole way at a cost of $6.50. This is cheap travelling, and the route will probably be a favorite one, particularly in the winter. —*Tel.*

THE PARLIAMENT of the Dominion of Canada has been summoned for the despatch of business on the 15th of February.

Mrs. Chandler, mother of the Hon. E. B. Chandler, was buried at Amherst last Lord's day, aged 99 years.

A Halifax paper is glad to learn that Mr. Sydenham Howe, son of the Hon. Joseph Howe has been, or is about to be, appointed Dominion Auditor at Halifax. The salary of the office is $1600. Mr. Howe for some time held the responsible position of Chief Clerk in the Provincial Treasurer's office and gave every satisfaction in the discharge of his duties. Mr. T. F. Knight, present Dominion Auditor, is to be the Inspector of Customs, a new office, we believe.

WRECK AND LOSS OF LIFE.—During the storm of Wednesday night, the schooner *Arno*, belonging to Richard A. Grots, of Hillsboro', was wrecked at a point between West Beach and Black River, and two lives lost. One was named Brewster, the brother of the Captain, and the other named Glasgow, brother of Mr. Glasgow, senior, of Carleton. Mr. Glasgow was a passenger, and is a man well advanced in years, leaving no family. The vessel is a total wreck, her cargo of poultry, etc., we learn, is strewed along the shore.—*Globe.*

The following is the Captain's statement: The vessel was on her way from Harvey to St. John with a cargo of produce. About tour o'clock in the afternoon, the wind blew so hard that they were forced to lay to, but after five or six hours when it was evident that the schooner was drifting toward the shore, the Captain thought that the only thing to do in order to save life was to wear her and seek for a place to run ashore. About ten o'clock she struck on Reed's beach, near M'Coy's head. The sea broke so heavy that all on board took to the cabin, with the hopes that she would not go to pieces; but soon it was evident that the schooner was breaking up, and they all went on deck, and clung to the rigging for support. The captains brother, Nathanial Brewster, was swep off the deck almost immediately, the rest clung to the rigging till the masts went, when Mr. Francis Glasgow, of Carleton, was swept off by the sea. The rest managed to catch hold of some part of the schooner which saved them from a watery grave. Samuel Stevens almost lost his life; the Captain caught him just as he was going over the rail. The cook, Henry Card, had his hands badly bruised with the main boom. They were tour hours on the wreck, when the Captain saw that same effort must be made to get ashore. As the schooner was far up on the beach the Captain was successful in getting ashore by dropping into the surf on the receding of the waves. The rest seeing him safe followed and were thus rescued. In the morning the bodies of the Captain's brother and of Mr. Glasgow were found on the shore.—*News.*

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The *Times* to-day speculates on the action of the Œcumenical Council. It expects some concessions to the enlightened sentiment of the age, but predicts that the dogma of Papal infallibility will be decreed. It believes that the political aims of the Jesuits will be nullified by the European Governments.

General satisfaction is expressed at the acquittal of Overend, Gurney and others, of the charge of fraud.

LONDON, Dec. 25.—The King of Italy will have an interview with the Emperor of Austria on the 15th of January.

General Sickles has submitted to the Spanish Government a proposition for guaranteeing the neutrality of Ocean Cables.

The holders of Erie Railway shares in England have made arrangements through a committee to test their power of obtaining redress in the Courts of the United States.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The radical journals of to-day say that 74 non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Paris garrison have been arrested for having formed a republican and socialistic society.

It is now asserted that the ministry will resign to-morrow. The city is full of rumors as to the names of their successors, but they cannot be traced to any trustworthy source.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A considerable reduction of the Italian army is proposed.

The Swedish government has decided that lighthouse dues are not collectable twice in the same month from the same vessel.

The Dalmatian rebels have laid down their arms.

The Treaty between England and China had been signed by the Chinese Government. Among the important points granted to foreigners is the opening of two new ports to commerce.

The *Times* to-day has an editorial on the Alabama claims question, charging Mr. Fish, American Secretary of State, with arguing that England should apply different principles to the American than to any other nation, that Great Britain should have let them had arms and denied them to the rebels, and should have legislated, if necessary, against the latter.—If the Union army were unable to repress the rebels at home, England was much less able to check them here. War is always a heavy burden on neutrals, and the civil war in America was a particular grievous calamity to England.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The regular session of the French Corps Legislatiff began to-day, and, as was anticipated, the members of the Imperial Cabinet resigned. The Emperor has written a strong letter to M. Ollivier, inviting him to name a new ministry disposed and competent to carry into effect the ideas of the Senatus Consultum.

During the performance at the theatre in Bristol last night, there was an alarm among the audience, and in the efforts of the crowd to escape from the building, eighteen persons were killed and many injured.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—The funeral of ex-Secretary Stanton will take place on Monday. All the public buildings in Washington are draped in mourning.

Christmas is observed by general suspension of business throughout the country.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Provisional Government of Rupert's Land, Red River country, has issued a declaration of independence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—A Washington despatch says the public debt statement will show a decrease of seven and a half millions for December.

A despatch from California says an earthquake on Sunday night was felt throughout Western Nevada. The shocks continued all night. The Virginia City down train on the Carson road was thrown from the track.

An advertisement is printed calling for guides, soldiers preferred, to go to the Red River Republic. Late advices from the Red River country state that the failure of Col. Dennis of McDougall's staff to enlist and arm the Indians saved the life of McDougall and his suite. Had a single half-breed been killed every one of the Canadian party would have been murdered.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A defalcation of $150,000 has come to light in the Merchants' Exchange National Bank of this city.

Postmaster General Creswell is here arranging for the prompt forwarding of foreign mails, the steamship companies having given notice that they will not carry the mails for the sea postage after the reduction of rates which goes into effect January 1st.

Special dispatches state that the Duke of Argyle will specially represent the English Government at Washington in the new attempt to adjust the Alabama claims.

Money continues easy. Cold 119¾. Very little demand. Foreign exchanges a shade lower. Bankers 60 day bills on London 108¾ a 108⅞. In gold very little doing.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Free Baptist Church, Waterloo Street,

REV. J. T. PARSONS, PASTOR.

Preaching on the Sabbath at 11 o'clock, a. m., and 6 o'clock, p. m. Social Service at 3 o'clock, p. m.

Social meetings every Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Strangers visiting the city are cordially invited to attend.

Free Baptist Church, Carleton.

REV. G. A. HARTLEY, PASTOR.

Preaching on the Sabbath at 11 o'clock, a. m., 3 o'clock p. m. Social Service at 6 o'clock, p. m.

HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

As I expect to be absent from the city for several weeks, I request all Missionaries laboring in connection with our Home Mission Society to send their Reports to the Rev. J. T. Parsons, St. John. Applications for labour, and all correspondence in connection with the Society, should be addressed to Bro. Parsons, who has kindly consented to act as Corresponding Secretary during my absence.

Dec. 3—u I G. A. HARTLEY.

MONUMENT FUND.

The undersigned having been appointed a Committee, by the Free Baptist Church of Fredericton, to solicit subscriptions for a Monument, to the memory of the late Rev. E. McLeod, and to erect the same, beg to say to such as wish to contribute, that they can do so by forwarding their subscriptions to Mr. George F. Atherton, Fredericton, who will duly acknowledge the same.

The Committee intend ordering the Stone so soon as sufficient means are at their disposal.

The manument *will be erected*, but its value will depend upon the liberality of the contributors.

ELIAS SHEPHERD,
E. C. FREEZE,
(tf) GEO. F. ATHERTON, } Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Session of the Free Baptist Yarmouth and Shelburne Quarterly Meeting, will convene with the church at Session Hill, Yarmouth County, on Friday, the 4th of February, 1870, at 2 P. M. It is desirable that each Sabbath School in connection with the Q. M. send a delegate for the purpose of forming a S. S. Convention.

W. C. WESTON, *Q. M. Clerk.*

Barrington, Dec. 20, 1869.

Receipts for the Religious Intelligencer to Dec. 31.

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

A. Taylor, $?, 884; John Brown, 2, 845; Hugh Brown, 1, 824; Alex. Brown, 1, 844; Thos. Roach, 2, 904; Mrs. R. Roach, 2, 864; Stephen Gorum, 2, 884; Mrs. Teakles, 2, 884; E. Beasty, 2, 883; W. L. Eagles, 2, 832; D. McKenzie, 2, 884; Israel Troop, 2, 833; Miss Lottie Ritchie, 2, 870; George Morten, 2, 873; A. D. Freeze, 4, 893; John Fowler, 2, 32; R. B. Merritt, 4, 888; Thos. W. Currie, 1, 833; John Sanders, 1, 804; Chas. Steele, 2, 872; Thomas Perry, 4, 904; Calvin Sollows, 2, 885; Clement Perry, 2, 885; Hallett Cole, 2, 782; Chas. M. Cushing, 2, 884; Rev. Edw. Weyman, 2, 884; John Burpee, 2, 830; Wm. Cliff, 2, 827; Miss S. A. Thomas, 2, 885; J. Logan, 1, 832; Alfred Hatch, 48 cts, 852; Michael White, 2, 830; Miss S. A. Murray, 1, 853; John Atherton, 2, 884.

"RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCER" FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

We will acknowledge, as soon as received, under this heading, all moneys forwarded to us for the FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY, and remit the same to the Treasurer.

Previously acknowledged,	$152.64
Michael White, Nashwaak,	2.00

CORRECTION.—The acknowledgment for Foreign Missions, week before last, should have been *Wm. Hay*, Norton, and not Wm. Haney.

COUNTRY MARKET.

Reported for the *Intelligencer* by MR. J. W. POTTS, Produce Dealer, No. 6 Market Street.

Thursday, Dec. 23, 1869.

Butter, rolls, per lb.,	24 to 26c.
Do. Dairy packed per lb.,	22 to 24c.
Do. Store,	21 to 22c.
Lard, per lb.,	17 to 18c.
Eggs, per dozen,	24 to 25c.
Oats, (Prov.) per bushel,	43 to 44c.
Oats, (P. E. I.) "	44 to 46c.
Potatoes, kidney, per bushel,	60 to 65c.
Potatoes, "	50 to 55c.
Cheese, Dairy, per lb.,	12 to 13c.
Beef, "	5 to 7c.
Mutton, "	5 to 6c.
Veal, "	none
Lamb, "	5 to 7c.
Pork, "	7½ to 9c.
Chickens, per pair,	45 to 50c.
Geese, each,	60 to 80c.
Turkiys, per lb.,	14 to 16c.
Ducks per pair,	60 to 80c.
Carrots, per brl.,	90 to 1.00
Beets per brl.,	1.25 to 1.50
Buckwheat Meal, per 100,	1.80 to 2.00
Grey, do. do.,	2.25 to 2.50

ENFEEBLED EXISTENCE.—When the weather is wet, the winds chilly, and our temperature so changeable, Dr. Wilson's Pulmonary Cherry Balsam should always be at hand. By means of it, the slightest cough may be checked at once, and any tendency to consumptive habits overcome without delay. This balsam, will, without pain or inconvenience, check incipient inflammation of the air passages and prevent the accumulation of phlegm, so distressing to the patient. The hard, dry cough, so fatal to elderly people, is safely and certainly relieved by the salutary effect of this balsam.

There are certain seasons in every year changes in the blood of every person; changes which may cause serious results; changes which may bring on serious diseases; changes which may lead to loss of life if not attended to at once. Take warning in time before it is too late. Purify your blood with Dr. Wilson's Family Antibilious Pills, the most life invigorating medicine in the world.

Our experience of Dr. Dow's Sturgeon Oil Liniment is that persons who use it once come back again for more, as it gives them every satisfaction. It is every day becoming more and more popular.

We do not recommend Clark's Derby Condition Powders to cure a confirmed case of heaves, but they will relieve it, and in recent cases effect a cure. Farmers, teamsters, and those having charge of horses, would save time and money by having these powders always on hand, to administer on the first symptoms of decline or disease.

A gentleman from Bethel Hill, Me., says that Messrs. Allen Bros. Proprietors of Philip Allen's Print Works, R. I., were down to Bryant's Pond recently, trouting, when one of them was attacked with sciatic rheumatism so suddenly, that he had to be carried from the pond to his hotel; a bottle of "Johnson's Anodyne Liniment" was resorted to, and he was out next day.

How are you to-day? I'm not feeling well, bilious and sick headache; have been looking round for a box of "Parson's Purgative Pills," but our traders are all sold out.—Country paper.

FELLOWS' COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES is the only preparation known which gives prompt and and permanent relief in Disease of the Lungs and Bronchial tubes. It restores the secretions to their healthy condition, allays inflammation of the mucous membrane, and is the most certain remedy for Debilitating Maladies. Full directions accompany each bottle.

Sold by Apothecaries. Price, $1.50 per bottle, or six for $7.50. James I. Fellows, Chemist, Manufacturer, Saint John, N. B.

MARRIAGES.

On the 22d inst., at the Farmer's Hotel, Waterloo St., by Rev. J. T. Parsons, Mr. Thomas Welch, of West Isles, Charlotte Co., to Miss Elizabeth McKenzie, of this city.

On the 23d inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Charles Stewart, assisted by the Rev. G. M. W. Carey, Celia, second daughter of Jacob Wilson, to George H. Clark, all of this city.

On the 8th inst. by the Rev. I. E. Bill, Mr. Isaac Sharp, of Carleton, St. John, to Miss Sarah Jane Osborne, of the same place.

At the Free Baptist Parsonage, Springfield, on the 2nd inst., by Elder John Perry, Mr. Moses A. Innis, to Miss Rachel Belding, all of Norton.

On the same, on the 25th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. D. Fenwick, of Studholm, to Laura, eldest daughter of James E. Johnston, Esq., of Norton.

On the 19th inst., by the Rev. G. W. Orser, Mr. James H. McIlravey, to Miss Elizabeth Dow, both of Brighton, C.C.

On the 4th inst., by Rev. Edward Weyman, at his residence, William Guiggin, of the Parish of Studholm, to Rebecca Harris, of Salisbury, W. Co.

On the 24th inst., by the same, at his residence, George A. Folkins, of the Parish of Studholm, to Mary Ann Hamm, of the Parish of Johnston, Q. Co.

On the 22nd inst., by the Rev. J. G. McKenzie, Mr. Jas. Taylor, to Miss Mary A. Watters, all of Burton, S. Co.

On the 23rd inst., by the same, Mr. Charles A. Meede, to Miss Emily A. Armstrong, all of Burton, S. Co.

At the residence of the bride, in Studholm, on Thursday evening, 23rd inst., by Rev. W. McCarty, Weeden Fowler, Esq., of Hammond, to Miss Margaret E. Ryan, daughter of Geo. Ryan, Esq., M. P.

On the 1st Nov., at the Baptist Parsonage, St. Andrews, by the Rev. I. E. Bill, Jr., Edward Seelye, to Miss Lavinia Cowley, both of the Parish of St. George.

On the 15th Nov., at the Baptist Church, St. Andrews, by the same, Robert McWheney, to Miss Sophia Talton, both of St. Andrews.

At the Baptist Parsonage, St. Andrews, by the same, Mr. Hillman Hanson, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Delme, all of the County of Charlotte.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. W. A. Corey, Mr. John Alfred White, of Havelock, to Miss Matilda J., daughter of Elisha Case, of Springfield, K. Co.

At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. H. Hughes, on the 2nd of Oct., Mr. J. H. McKenzie, of Yarmouth, to Miss Lucy McKenzie, of Freeport.

On the 19th Nov., by the same, Mr. John Thompson, of Westport, to Miss Rebecca Ann Ellis, of Freeport.

On the 25th Nov., by the same, Mr. George Buckman, of Westport, to Miss Mirilah Peters, of the same place.

On the 30th Nov., by the same, Mr. Morris McDermond, to Miss Phebe Buckman, all of Westport.

On the 12th inst., by the same, Mr. John Pugh, of Westport, to Miss Phebe Morrell, of the same place.

On the 11th Nov., by the Rev. Thos. Todd, Mr. Charles Hilson, of Amherst, N. S., to Miss Zena E. Wheaton, of Sackville.

On the 15th inst., by the same, Mr. Thomas Angevaine, of Wallace, N. S., to Mrs. Lydia Bulmer, of Sackville.

On the 23rd inst., by the same, Mr. Weldon Richardson, to Miss Lois Wrye, both of Sackville.

On the 24th inst., by the same, Mr. Amos Troop, to Miss Annie Sears, both of Point Midgic.

On the 26th inst., by the same, Mr. James Hopkins, to Miss Maggie Smith, all of Sackville.

DEATHS.

On Friday, 24th inst., after a short illness, Stephen K. F., son of Willet C. and Emeline James, aged 2 years and 5 months.

At Newtown, K. C., on Sabbath, 16th inst., resting on the atonement of Christ, Mr. Jas. Tamlin, aged 61 years.

FURS WANTED AT LEMONT'S VARIETY STORE.—4000 Fox, 300 Bear, 500 Fisher, 500 Otter, 300 Cross Fox, 3000 Beaver, 200 Silver Grey, 500 Coon, 2000 Minks Sable, 1000 Lucifee. LEMONT'S VARIETY STORE.
Cash and the highest prices paid.
Moccasins and Overshoes in variety.
Fredericton, Dec. 31

FLANNELS.—White, Scarlet, Grey, Blue and Fancy Flannels of every description, at low prices.
200 pairs Blankets, best value in the city.
Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street.
Dec. 31 SIMON NEALIS.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN—ARRIVED.

Dec. 23.—Bark Bessie Simpson, Gibbs, Boston, Luke Stewart, bal.; schrs. Mary E. Staples, Dinsmore, Lubec, Luke Stewart, bal.; Unexpected, Ludlow, Providence, O. Emery & Co., bal.; Navita, Ford, Boston, F. Tufts, bal.; Janet S., Somerville, Providence, Scammell Bros., bal.; Black Bird, Carver, Portland, Scammell Bros., bal.; Ospray, Johnston, Newport, Scammell Bros., bal.; Armanella, McLean, Boston, Scammell Bros., bal.

24.—Schrs. Walter Scott, Syphers, Providence, Scammell Bros., bal.; Ada, Belyea, New York, G. W. Gerow, gen. cargo; Ralph Souder, Crosby, Philadelphia, Luke Stewart, coal—cargo to R. W. Chisholm; A. F. Randolph, Shields, Philadelphia, R. R. Sneden, coal—cargo to R. W. Chisholm; Quaddy, ——, Lubec, Luke Stewart, bal; Gipsey, Bonnell, Providence, J. F. Marsters, bal.; Violet, Smith, Boston, O. D Wetmore, gen. cargo.

26.—Dugomar, Hayes, Boston, J. C. Brown, bal.; barque Howard, Reynolds, Boston, C. McLauchlan & Co., bal.; schrs. Bell Barbour, Bissett, Portland, Scammell Bros., flour; Aurora Borealis, Hamm, Portland, Scammell Bros., flour.

28.—Brigts. Florence, Pye, New York, L. H. DeVeber & Son, bal.; Anna Lindsay, McAlmon, New York, Luke Stewart, bal; Choice, Brown, New York, F. Tufts, bal.; Iris, Hatfield, Bermuda, McLauchlan & Wilson, bal.

27.—Schrs. Adonia, Cochran, Boston, Scammell Bros., bal.; Melvina Jane, Smith, Philadelphia, R. R. Sneden, coal.

29.—Brigt. Marino, Phillips, Sydney, M. Pomeres, coal.

CLEARED.

Dec. 23.—Stmr. New Brunswick, Winchester, Boston, H. W. Chisholm; ship S. Vaughan, Shaw, Liverpool, A. Gibson; brigt. Union T., Tufts, Cardenas, for orders, Wm. Thomson; schr. Vincent White, Hatfield, Boston, Jewett Bros.; schr. D. W. Clark, Peck, Boston, Jewett Bros. and E. D. Jewett & Co.

24.—Brigts. C. T. Tomkins, Taylor, Havana, Wm. Thomson; Walthan, Hammond, Matanzas, for orders, A. Cushing & Co.; ship Peruvian Congress, Stockton, Liverpool, Kirk & Worrall; brigt Nellie Ware, Ware, Havana, Wm. Thomson.

27.—Brigt. Alice, Given, Cienfuegos, John C. Brown.

28.—Schr. Falco, Spragg, Holmes Hole, for orders, A. Cushing & Co.

29.—Schr. Western Star, Crowell, Cardenas, for orders, A. Cushing & Co.; brigt. H. Houston, French, Cardenas, Kinnear Bros.; bark Francis Bourneauf, Oliver, Dublin, H. W. Wilson.

OLIVE BRANCH LODGE, NO. 25, BRITISH TEMPLARS.

Tea Soiree at Holderville, Long Reach, Parish of Kingston, on Wednesday ev'ng, Jan. 12.

THE Committee beg to announce that every preparation will be made for a large attendance on the above occasion; and as the funds are to be extended in necessary repairs to the Baptist Church (in which the Soiree will be held) they expect a full house.

Addresses will be made by popular speakers, with Recitations and Music, during the evening.

Tea on the tables at 4 o'clock.

Tickets may be had of the Committee, and of John Crawford & Son, King Square, City.

S. I. HOLDER,
Dec. 31—2w* S. M. HOLDER, } Committee.

E. & N. A. RAILWAY.

1870. WINTER ARRANGEMENT. 1870.

ON and after MONDAY, 3rd January, 1870, Trains will run as follows:—

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No. 2 Train will leave Saint John at 9 a. m., and dividing at Painsec Junction at 4.05 p. m., will reach Shediac at 4.45 p. m., and Sackville at 6 p. m.

No. 4 will leave St. John at 4.45 p. m., and reach Sussex at 8 p. m.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No. 1 will leave Sussex at 6.45 a. m., and reach Saint John at 10.10 a. m.

No. 5 will leave Sackville at 6.45 a. m., and connecting at Painsec Junction with No. 3, which leaves Shediac at 8 a. m., will arrive in Saint John at 4 p. m.

(All these Trains will carry freight.)

Freight for Stations east of Sussex must be delivered at St. John the day preceding that upon which it is to be forwarded; and for Stations west, before 5 o'clock daily.

Freight to be forwarded from Sussex must be delivered at that Station at least *one hour* and from other Stations than St. John at least *half an hour* before the advertised departure of any Train.

The charges on all Freight must be paid before delivery of the Goods.

LEWIS CARVELL,
General Superintendent.
Railway Office, St. John, N. B., Dec. 29, 1869. Dec. 31

ROBINSON BROS.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,
Dealers in Photographic Goods,
No. 1 KING STREET, - - SAINT JOHN, N. B.
Dec. 31

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—We have received by last steamer to Halifax, direct from Dr. Holloway's establishment, 600 dozen Holloway's Pills and Ointment.
HANNINGTON BROS.,
Dec. 31 Foster's Corner.

DR. FISKE'S MOUTH WASH—For the Teeth and Gums.—A highly tonic dentifrice. Prepared and for sale by ROBINSON BROS.,
Dec. 31 No. 1 King Street.

FRESH HERBS, ROOTS, BARKS, &c.—Just received per steamer—500 pounds Fresh Herbs, Roots, Barks, Berries, containing a full and perfect assortment of all the medicinal herbs used. We are prepared to sell cheap—wholesale and retail. HANNINGTON BROS.,
Dec. 31 Foster's Corner.

MACKEREL.—50 half-barrels. No. 1 and 2 Mackerel, bright and in good order. For sale by
Dec. 31 G. BENT.

COTTON WARPS.—Blue and White Cotton Warps, best quality, always on hand.
Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street.
Dec. 31 SIMON NEALIS.

MEN'S SHIRTS.—Fancy Flannel Shirts; blue, Grey and Scarlet Flannel Shirts; White and Fancy Dress Shirts, Fronts and Collars, all at very low prices. Shirts of every description made to order at low prices, and warranted to fit. Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street.
Dec. 31 SIMON NEALIS.

1870.
INTERNATIONAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
ONE TRIP A WEEK.

THE Splendid Sea-going Steamer "NEW BRUNSWICK," S. H. PIKE, Master, will leave Reed's Point Wharf every THURSDAY MORNING, at 8 o'clock, for EASTPORT and PORTLAND Returning—Will leave Portland, at 5 p. m.; or after the arrival of the SOON TRAIN from Boston, for Eastport and St. John, until further notice.

FARES:

From Saint John to Eastport,	$1 50
" " to Portland,	5 00
By steamer and railway to Boston,	7 00

Winter Rates of Freight charged on and after December 15th.

Freights received on Wednesdays only, up to 5 o'clock, p. m.

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

State Rooms secured at the Company's Office, Reed's Point Wharf.

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

No claims for allowance after Goods leave the Wharf.

All Shipments of Goods to the United States must be accompanied with Invoice, and all amounts over $100, must have U. S. Consul's Certificate to prevent stoppage at Eastport.

H. W. CHISHOLM, AGENT.
St. John, N. B., December 28, 1869 Dec. 30

NEATS FOOT OIL.—1 brl of Pure Neats Foot Oil. Just received and for sale by
Dec. 30 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

OPERA GLASSES.—A lot of very superior Opera Glasses, with high magnifying power. For sale low.
Dec. 30 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON have just received 3 more cases of Winter Overcoats, including Beofers, etc., which they will retail at wholesale prices. Also—Another case of Wineys just opened.
Nov. 18 46 PRINCE WM. STREET.

BUCKSKIN GLOVES AND MITTS, lined and unlined.—Men's and Youth's sizes, warranted Real Buck, and made with the approved Fat Seams. Also—Extra Heavy Western Buck Gloves, for driving.
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
Nov. 18 2 Market Square.

MANTLES AND MANTLE CLOTHS.—Styles for Fall and Winter.—Real South Sea Sealskin Sacques. A great variety of Cloths, in imitation of Fur, comprising—Siberian Dog, South Sea Seal, Polar Sea Seal, Astracan Lamb, Polarain, Russian Otter, White Lambskins, &c.
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
Nov. 5 2 Market Square.

TARTAN FRINGES, Tartan Braids, Colored Silk Fringes, Gros Grain Ribbons. Received this day, via Halifax.
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
Nov. 4 No. 2 Market Square.

AYER'S ALMANACS, 1870.—Just received for free distribution.
HANNINGTON BROS.,
Nov. 4 Foster's Corner.

EXTRACT OF LOGWOOD.—1206 boxes Extract of Logwood, in ¼lb., ½lb., 1lb., 12lb., and 25lb. boxes. Just received and for sale by
G. BENT.

RUBBER BOOTS AND SHOES.—Ladies' and Gents' Arctic Gaiters; Ladies' Sandal Rubbers, very light and nice; Men's self-acting Rubbers. The above are of American manufacture, and are superior articles. For sale by [Nov. 25] Z. G. GABEL.

CLEAVER'S CHOICE TOILET SOAPS.—Wholesale and Retail.
ROBINSON BROS.,
Nov. 25 No. 1 King Street.

VULCANITE DRESSING COMBS, in great variety.—Wholesale and Retail. ROBINSON BROS.,
Nov. 25 No. 1 King St., Barlow's Corner.

PHOTOGRAPHIC STOCK.—100 ounces pure Silver; 120 pots Chloride Gold; 20,000 Card Mounts, ass'd; 60 boxes Plates, ass'd; Paper; Paper Mats; Cards; Chemicals, &c.
HANNINGTON BROS.,
Nov. 18 Foster's Corner.

ROSEINE.—In packets and bulk.
Nov. 18 ROBINSON BROS.

CAMPHOR ICE WITH GLYCERINE—For chapped hands, lips, &c. ROBINSON BROS.,
Nov. 18 1 King street, Barlow's Corner.

PURE GLYCERINE.—Wholesale and Retail.
ROBINSON BROS.,
Nov. 25 1 King, Cor. Prince Wm. St.

THE
WEED
SEWING
MACHINE,

For Family and Manufacturing purposes, made by the
NORTH AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE CO.,
ST. JOHN N. B.
PRICES REDUCED.

HAVING opened a Retail Store, No. 61 King Street, under our own control, thus saving Agents' Commissions, and with improved facilities for manufacturing, we are enabled to reduce our prices.

Every machine warranted and kept in repair free of charge for one year.

Duplicate parts supplied at a moments notice. Instructions for using the "Weed" Machine freely given at Retail Store.

Hundreds of the above Machines in constant use in the Dominion, and giving entire satisfaction. Large discount to Clergymen. RETAIL STORE, 61 KING STREET.

W. S. CALHOUN, Agent for the Dominion,
August 13 St. John, N. B.

I. & F. BURPEE & CO.,
42 and 44 Prince William Street.
DECEMBER, 1869.

ELECTRO-PLATE, SILVER AND FANCY GOODS.—Tea Services, Breakfast Castors, Cake Baskets, Side Dishes, Vases, Toast Racks, Cruet Stands, Sugar Bowls, Centre Dishes, Butter Coolers, Water Kettles, Fruit Stands, Card Baskets, Dessert Spoons, Dessert Forks, Mustard Spoons, Egg Spoons, Tea Spoons, Table Spoons, Table Forks, Salt Spoons, Sauce Ladles, Sugar Sifters, in Queen, Lilly, "Prince of Wales," and Beaded Patterns, Dressing Cases, Writing Desks, Parian Statues, Backgammon Boards, Games, Opera Glasses, Jewel Boxes, Dispatch Boxes, Bronze Ornaments, Chess Men, Albums, Ink Stands, Purses, &c. Best quality Ivory Handle Cutlery, Carvers and Steels, Britannia Metal Tea and Coffee Pots, Water Kettles and Dish Covers.

IN STOCK—700 pairs ACME SKATES. Which, with a large stock of other Goods, suitable for the season, will be sold at Lowest Prices. Wholesale and Retail.
Dec. 24 I. & F. BURPEE & CO.

CHRISTMAS WEEK.—Dress Goods, Mantles, Shawls, Furs, Berlin Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, and a great variety of Smallwares, suitable for Christmas Presents, at very low prices. Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street,
Dec. 24 SIMON NEALIS.

NEW CLOUDS.—Just opened—One case Clouds, assorted, all prices, from 28 cents to 90 cents.
Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street,
Dec. 24 SIMON NEALIS.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT,
OTTAWA, Dec. 17th, 1869.

AUTHORIZED discount on AMERICAN INVOICES until further notice, 18 per cent.

R. M. S. BOUCHETTE,
Dec. 30 Commissioner of Customs.

CORDWOOD CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until SATURDAY, the 15th January next, from persons willing to Contract for the delivery, during the present Winter, of about 600 Cords SOUND best MIXED HARDWOOD.

Persons tendering will state the quantity they propose to get, and the siding or place along the Line of the EASTERN EXTENSION RAILWAY, at which they will deliver the same. Security will be required for the faithful fulfillment of the Contracts.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to any of the Station Masters. LEWIS CARVELL,
Gene al Superintendent.
Railway Office, St. John, N. B., 24th Dec., 1869.
Dec 30—1 till 15 Jan.

DRY GOODS AT COST