To CORRESPONDENTS.—"S. M. G."—We have changed the number of Mordecai Starkey's paper, according to your statement. He is now credited to $18, May 1870.

"THOMAS DAVIS."—We have made the correction to which you referred.

"J. S.," *Beaver River.*—We do not know how the mistake you write of, could have occurred; we are willing, however, to accept your statement of the matter, and enter the number accordingly.

"D. J. H."—The number to which you have paid, is 856. The number on the wrapper was probably put on hurriedly, and hence the error.

☞ A letter from Rev. A. Taylor next week

THE NEWS and THE PRESS.

JANUARY 7, 1870.

WOODSTOCK AND RIVIERE DU LOUP RAILWAY.—The necessity for the construction of this line, is receiving some considerable attention. Alfred Whitehead, Esq., a most reliable gentleman, and who has a practical knowledge of Railways, is interesting himself in the matter. We believe the speedy construction of the proposed line is important, and we hope to know very soon that means have been adopted that will insure success. The *Telegraph* says:—

It it understood that the government of New Brunswick at its late sittings, passed an order authorizing negotiations to be entered into with the government of Quebec, with a view of so extending the lines of Railroad from Woodstock and River de Loup, respectively as to effect a junction at no distant day. The matter will, in the first instance, be the subject of correspondence, and probably in the next of conference. There may be some uncertainty as to the precise point to which the extension from River du Loup might be brought. That would be a matter of negotiation. It is evident, however, from the nature of the cause, that if the negotiations succeed, a connection at some point, with our present railroad system would be formed.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A CHILD.—A Mrs. Fleming, residing in the City, in company with her husband started to drive to Milkish on New Year's day for the purpose of attending the funeral of Mr. Fleming's father. They intended going by way of Gondola Point, and at the Seven Mile House the mother put the child to the breast and wrapping it up carefully proceeded toward the Nine Mile House. Arriving there and uncovering the child it was found quite dead. There is little doubt, that being too closely muffled up and having been kept closely pressed in the mother's arms, the little one was smothered. It was a very sad accident, and will doubtless afford a useful lesson to mothers who are obliged to take their children but during the winter.—*Tel.*

SALE OF THE HARBOR FISHERY LOTS.

The East Side Fishery Lots were sold on Tuesday forenoon by Mr. Stewart. Those of Navy Island have been divided according to the new system into large or Weir Lots, instead of the small ones as formerly. It will be remembered that the sum realized for these lots, though they are called East side lots, does not all go into the East Side fund, one third being appropriated to that of the West side. They were sold by number, as follows:—

No.	1. James Wilson,	$485
"	2. James Wilson,	765
"	3. City,	
"	4. City,	
"	5. W. Belyea,	26
"	6. James Wilson	465
"	7. W. Duhuam	145
"	8. George Collard	705
"	9. George Collard,	300
"	10. James Wilson,	495
"	11. W. Dunham,	50
	Total	$3345.

Sum realized under old system in 1869 ..... $1460 95

The Straight Shore Lots brought $76 30. The Bluff Weir was reserved by the city on account of being under dispute.

The sum realized from these lots last year was $62. The Courtenay Bay lots which sold last year for $185 realized this year $92. This shows a total for East-side this year of $3,513.30 against $1,707.95 last year, or an advance of about 100 per cent in favor of 1870.—*Tel.*

WEST SIDE.

The West Side Lots, comprised in the two plans, known as the Shore plan and Flats plan, were sold by Messrs. Hubbard & Wakefield, in the afternoon. Those on the Shore Plan brought $420,55 in all. The most important of these sold for $200 to John S, Wilmot

The Flats Lots realized $2251,40, of these 12, from A. to L. were sold to Mr. John Christopher for $469, 40. The others were sold as follows:

M—Belyea and Theal,	520.00
N—Coram and Beattie,	361.00
O—Wm. Colwell,	430.00
P—Belyea and Theal,	471.00

The fishing privilege to the East end of Partridge Island was sold to John Christopher for $500. No. 1 Sand Point to John Coram for 20 cts., and a Net Berth at Rodney Wharf to Samuel Mayes for 20 cts.

The whole amount realized for the West Side Lots was $2656.45 against $2306.95 last year, an increase of $340.50 in favor of 1870.

UPSET.—Mr. Hamm's coach, drawn by four horses, with a load of passengers from the Fredericton train, was upset at the corner of the Bridge Road and Main street, Portland, Monday afternoon. Mr. Robert Shives, Mr. Atherton, Rev. Mr. Kellogg, Mrs. Estey and another lady were inside the coach, but all escaped with little injury. The driver, Hugh McDevitt, is pretty badly hurt, but no bones broken. The upset was caused by the driver, who, to avoid some slovens on the road, crossed the horse railway track, but when the leaders got over, turned too short; the forward wheels crossed the rails all right, but the hind wheels slewed on the track, bringing the forward wheels under the body of the coach, and upsetting it. There were some persons on the top of the coach, but they did not receive any injury. The coach is considerably damaged on one side.—*News.*

We understand that Mr. A. Whitehead, C. E., has completed the location for an extension of the Woodstock Railway from its present terminus to a point on the Maduxnakik, near the site of Wardsworth & Stickney's new mill. The location is in every respect a favorable one.—*Sentinel.*

THE HALIFAX POST OFFICE.—"E. W. Chipman" complains through the Halifax papers that he has been unable to obtain postage stamps at the Post Office in that city, and that thereby a large number of letters from Newfoundland, consigned to his care, to be forwarded to England, France and other places, are prevented from being sent. He also states that he is getting in a position to prove that a letter of his, containing $500 in checks, has been detained in the Post Office for four weeks.—*Tel.*

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Last Wednesday Thomas Guynon, a brakeman on the Pictou train, when near Fletcher's Station, leaned over the side of the car, and his head coming in contact with the notice board on a bridge he was knocked off, fell into the river and was drowned. His body was subsequently recovered. Deceased was about 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and family of five children. He had been in the employ of the Railway Department for 10 years.—*Ib.*

WRECK AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The Schr. *Annie*, of Pictou, N. S., from Halifax for Liverpool, ran ashore on the 22nd ult. on the eastern head of the entrance to Liverpool harbour, and became a total wreck. The captan mistook a light in a dwelling house for that on the point, and in the darkness the accident occurred. A passenger named Mullins, belonging to Guysboro' County, on a visit to his friends, and one of the crew, a Frenchman, were washed overboard, but escaped with some severe bruises, being thrown up on the rocks by the waves. A boat, manned by three intrepid young men, put off and rescued Capt. Wooden and the rest of the crew, at the peril of their own lives. The vessel and cargo were totally lost. Captain Wooden has been going to sea for 40 years, and this is the first serious accident he ever met with.—*News.*

CANADA NO LONGER A REFUGE FOR THIEVES AND SWINDLERS.—The Quebec *Mercury* says that yesterday (Jan. 1) an important act passed at the last session of the Dominion Parliament, with the view of preventing Canada being made an asylum for thieves and swindlers, goes into operation. This act provides that if any person takes into Canada, or has in his possession therein, and property stolen, or obtained by fraud or false pretences, in any other country, in such manner that the stealing or obtaining it in like manner in Canada would be a felony or misdemeanor, then the taking of such property there, or having it in possession with a knowledge of its being unlawfully obtained, shall be an offence of the same nature and punishable in the same manner as if the stealing or unlawful obtainance had taken place in Canada.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The amount of specie in the vault of the Bank of England has decreased £37,000 since Dec. 23.

The receipts of wheat from America are still very heavy. There is a great accumulation of wheat both here and at Liverpool. The *Statistical Journal* of this city says, there are now seventy four more cargoes afloat bound to England than at the corresponding period last year.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Heavy gales have prevailed all around the coast the last few days. Many shipwrecks attended in some instanaes with loss of life have been reported. Barque *Edwin Burke*, from Montreal for Greenock, was driven ashore on the coast of Ireland The captain and seven of the crew were drowned. The vessel will probably be a total loss.

LIMERICK, Dec. 31.—A fearful gale from the north west occurred here to-day. Trees were uprooted, chimneys thrown down, and, in some instances, houses prostrated. Ten persons are known to have lost their lives, and many others have been badly injured.

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The trial of Trauppmann for the murder of the Kinck family terminated in his conviction and sentence of death. When the verdict was announced the prisoner rose, and smilingly thanked the Court.

ROME, Dec. 31.—The session of the Æcumenical Council yesterday lasted five hours. The subject under discussion was "Whether philosophy was heterodox."

LONDON, Jan. 2—The damages by the recent floods in England and Wales are estimated at £500,000; in some sections the lowlands are unfitted for use until spring.

On New Year's day the Emperor of the French received the members of the diplomatic corps. In answer to the usual address he returned his thanks, and said that the presence of all the Foreign representatives was a proof of the friendly relations existing between their respective Governments and France.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—The speech of the Emperor at Paris on Saturday forms the theme of conversation and newspaper comment here to day.

The *Times* says the Emperor promised new liberties and that French liberties are already, irreconcilable with the pretensions of Rome.

In Paris, the Emperor's speech and the formation of a new ministry have had an unusually favorable effect in monetary circles.

LONDON, Jan. 4—A Madrid despatch of to-day says a decided negative has been received from Italy in the matter of the candidature of the Duke of Genoa. As a consequence Gen. Prim and all the rest of the Ministers have resigned.

LONDON, January 4.—King Victor Emmanuel has at last decisively refused to permit the Duke of Genoa to become King of Spain.

Prim and his associates in the Cabinet, were so fully committed to the young Duke, that they have felt compelled to resign. It is thought not improbable that Admiral Topete may now return to the Cabinet.

LONDON, January 5.—Greville Nugent has been elected to Parliament from Longford, over Mr. Martin, the Fenian candidate.

According to the very latest accounts, the war in Paraguay is at an end.

Lopez hurdled into Bolivia, with his family.

The members of the new French Ministry were received yesterday afternoon by the Empress Eugenie, who gave them a very gracious welcome.

UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The President has received by the hand of Vincent Colyer what he and Senator Sumner promise to be a very important document. It is a long memorial from the property holders in Victoria, setting forth the reasons why British Columbia should not be annexed to the Dominion of Canada, and why it should be annexed to the United States. The President is asked to aid in the accomplishment of the desired result.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Severe rain storm and gale Saturday night and Sunday has prostrated telegraph wires in every direction.

Severe damages reported to the Hudson River Railroad by breaking up of ice.

The Cuban Junta in New York has issued a circular denying Spanish assertion that the insurrection is nearly crushed out.

The public debt statement for December shows the following—total reduction in the debt, $4,800,000; Currency balance in hand, $12,000,000; Coin balance, $100,000,000 certificates, $40,000,000.

NEW YORK, Jan.—The Captain and crew of the brig *Moonlight*, from St. John for Matanzas, which was lost on the Sand Keys, have arrived at Cardenas.

The storm of Saturday night and Sunday did great damage to railroads and other property all the way from Washington to Maine.

In Michigan there was a severe snow storm.

NEW YORK, January 5.—A difficulty in San Francisco between the Western Union Telegraph Company and their operators is alleged to have originated in an attempt to reduce wages, has resulted in a grand strike of operators in almost all the Western Union offices throughout the whole country.

NEW YORK, January 5.—Gold 119½ to 120.

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

Free Baptist Church, Charlotte Street.
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, Secretary. 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 f 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, they can do so by forwarding their subscription to Mr. George F. Atherton, Fredericton, who will 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, } Committee.
(tf) GEO. F. ATHERTON,

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 Jan. 7.

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

Thos. Slipp, $2.50, 889; Bernard Gedney, 2.20, 876; Wm. Keith, Esq., 2, 884; G. W. Boyer, Esq., 2, 869; Jehial Humphreys, 1, 852; T. H. Ackerson, 2, 852; Enoch Noble, 2, 884; Isaac Tracy, 2, 886; W. G. Gaunce, 2, 886; Jas. Simpson, 5, (U. S. cy.,) 832, John Stocktord, 1, 854; Wm. White, 1, 860; Samuel Nickerson, 2, 836; Moses Crowell, 2, 890; Jeremiah Harding, 2, 891; Caleb Spinney, 2, 886; Mrs. D. Nickerson, 1, 868; Thos. Davis, 2, 885; S. D. Nevers, 2, 826; Fred. Perley, 2, 864; Geo. Coulihard, 4.20, 884; Thos. C. Atherton, 2, 832; A. G. Ingraham, 2, 832; G. F. Atherton, 2, 884; Stephen J. Clark, 2, 832; Miss C. Holder, 2, 884; J. H. Shaw, 2, 884; A. G. Todd, 2, 844; H. S. Clark, 2, 832; Geo. Flewelling, 2, 853; C. H. Holder, 1, 824; G. L. Slipp, 2, 864; J. P. Blair, 2, 866; C. H. Roberts, 4, 885; J. W. Wiggins, 2, 884; R. McLeod, 2, 884; William Cosman, 2, 884; S. A. Dibblee, 2, 864;

FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

Moses Boyer,	$2
Israel Merrett and wife,	5
James W. Boyer and wife,	5
Shepherd Boyer and wife,	2
George L. Boyer and wife,	5
Aaron McLeod,	1
	$20

WM. PETERS, Treasurer.

E. M. Truesdale, Woodstock, is general agent for the INTELLIGENCER.

☞ Our Local Agents are quite generally known, and are always prepared to receive and remit renewals and new subscriptions.

☞ All our Ministers are authorized to act as Agents for the INTELLIGENCER.

☞ This is the time to look after subscriptions now due, and also to solicit new names.

☞ Thanks to those who have paid up so promptly during a few days. Yet there are many more we want to hear from.

COUNTRY MARKET.

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

Thursday, Jan. 6, 1870.

Butter, rolls, per lb.,	24 to 25c.
Do. Dairy packed per lb.,	22 to 23c.
Do. Store,	20 to 22c.
Lard, per lb.,	17 to 18c.
Eggs, per dozen,	25 to 28c.
Oats, (Prov.) per bushel,	42 to 44c.
Oats, (P. E. I.) "	44 to 46c.
Potatoes, kidney, per bushel,	55 to 60c.
Potatoes, "	45 to 50c.
Cheese, Dairy, per lb,	12 to 15c.
Beef, "	5 to 7c.
Mutton, "	5 to 7c.
Veal, "	none
Lamb, "	6 to 7c.
Pork, "	8½ to 9½c.
Chickens, per pair,	45 to 50c.
Geese, each,	50 to 70c.
Turkies, per lb	14 to 16c.
Ducks per pair,	50 to 70c.
Carrots, per brl	901 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

MR. JAMES I. FELLOWS, Manufacturing Chemist.

SIR—For several months past, I have used your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites in the treatment of Incipient Pathisis, Chronic Bronchitis, and other affections of the Chest, and I have no hesitation in stating that it ranks foremost amongst the remedies used in those diseases. Being an excellent nervous tonic, it exerts a direct influence on the nervous system, and through it it invigorates the body.

It affords me pleasure to recommend a remedy which is really good in cases for which it is intended, when so many advertised are worse than useless.

I am Sir, yours truly,
Z. S. EARLE, JR., M. D.

St. John, N. B., January, 1868.

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

There is probably, no way in which we can benefit our readers more, than by recommending to them for general use *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* It is adapted to almost all the purposes of a Family Medicine: and as a specific for coughs, colds, whooping cough, soreness of the chest, lame stomach, rheumatism, spitting of blood, and all lung difficulties, it has no equal that ever we saw or heard of.

The propriety of giving condition medicine to horses, cattle, and sheep, was discussed and admitted by many of the Agricultural Societies throughout the State last fall, and we believe that in every case but one, they decided in favor of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders.* Good Judgment.

An extensive merchant at the North writes to the agent of Clark's Derby Condition Powders, "We have sold all kinds of Condition Powders, but have never supplied our customers with any that gives as much satisfaction as the Derby Condition Powders. You will do well to replenish our stock immediately." Our readers will bear in mind that as a remedy these powders are not confined to horses alone—they are equally beneficial in diseases common to cattle and sheep.

When winter sets in, the human constitution undergoes many trials, particularly diseases of the Lungs. A preparation which effectually controls these diseases, is DR. WILSON'S PULMONARY CHERRY BALSAM. Its importance can hardly be over-estimated for preserving health and life itself. This preserving power is admirably displayed by the rapidity with which it subdues and controls all Coughs, Colds &c., relieving the respiratory organs from undue congestion. With this Balsam at hand, neither great judgment or much experience is required in keeping free from all the Pulmonary diseases through the trying time of winter.

No better Family Medicine can be had then DR. WILSON'S FAMILY ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS. A box of these, used according to directions, will not fail to cure. Most of the diseases to which all are liable are specially removed by the use of these Pills.

Rheumatism, Lumbago, and all pains which prevail so during this inclement month, and annoy so much, can be speedily removed with DR. DOW'S STURGEON OIL LINIMENT; the advantageous properties of which, over all pains of the muscles and cords, have long been established. Dr. Dow faithfully tried it in his own practice for sixteen years before advertising. For horse flesh it is the best medicine in existence.

MARRIAGES.

At her father's residence, on the 30th ult., by the Rev. I. E. Bill, Mr. Thomas Thompson, of Carleton, St. John, to Miss Minnie, youngest daughter of Deacon William Colwell.

On the 29th ult., by Rev. Wm. McCarty, in Studholm, K. C., at the residence of the bride, Mr. David Low, to Miss Janet C. Schofield, all of the above place.

At the house of the bride's father, on the 25th ult., by the Rev. J. Noble, Mr. Ezekiel Dunfield, of Havelock, K. Co., to Miss Lavinia J. Colpitts, of Salisbury, W. Co.

On the 3rd inst., by the same, at the house of the bride's father, Mr. James Burlock, of Havelock, to Miss Mary J. Chesnut, of Sussex.

On the 22nd ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Samuel Downey, Mr. Otis Hoyt, to Miss Adrianna Hoyt, both of Sunbury Co.

On the 25th ult., by the same, Mr. Norman Hoyt, eldest son of Capt. H. Hoyt, to Annie G., eldest daughter of Henry DeWitt, Esq.

On the 26th ult., by Rev. D. W. Crandal, Mr. Andrew Craig, of the parish of St. George, to Miss Esther Jane Palmer, of the same place.

At Waterboro', Q. Co., by the Rev. James Trimble, on the 22d ult., Mr. John Wasson, of Newcastle, to Miss Mary Ann Elkin, daughter of Deacon Robert Elkin.

On the 26th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Elgin, Little River, by Rev. J. C. Steadman, Mr. John R. Gildart, to Miss Rosanah E. Prasser, all of Albert, N. B.

In Calais, on the 23rd ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Mr. Eddy, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Hopper, Capt. Geo. W. Lord, of Ellsworth, to Miss Mary O., only daughter of O. B. Rideout, Esq.

At Trinity Church, Digby, by the Rev. Henry Yewens, Rector, Mr. Frederick Ladd Jones, son of James Jones, Esq., Digby, to Catherine, daughter of John C. Wade, Esq., Queen's Counsel and late Speaker of the House of Assembly of Nova Scotia.

DEATHS.

On the 3rd inst., Grace Morton, infant daughter of Frederick and Sarah Pheasant, aged 11 months and 7 days.

On Friday evening, 31st ult., Alice Maud, only daughter Leveret and Eliza Gerow, aged ten months and seventeen days.

In Fredericton, on the morning of the 30th ult., after a short illness, Mr. Robert Stephenson, aged 49 years, leaving a wife to mourn her loss.

In Newcastle, on the 19th Dec., Stephen Ross, in the 70th year of his age, leaving a wife and 10 children to mourn the loss of a kind husband and an affectionate father. The deceased was highly esteemed, and as death came he entertained a hope of heaven. May the Lord comfort the mourning relatives.

At his own residence, Coverdale, Little River, on the evening of the 3rd Sept., Robert Dowthwright, aged 60 years, leaving a wife, two sons and five daughters to mourn their loss.

On the 4th ult., Eliza C., youngest daughter of Rubin and Catherine Osborne, aged eight months.

Recently at Coverdale, Peninsula P., daughter of Edwin Milton, aged 3 months.

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At Florenceville, Nov. 30th, Leander, son of Deacon John Boyer, of Florenceville, aged 18 years, son of Mr. James F. Gray, of Weymouth. The deceased fell from the mainmast head, struck upon the shear poles, rolled overboard and sank before any assistance could be rendered.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN—ARRIVED.

Dec. 31.—Bark I. G. Bigelow, Corning, Halifax, C. McLauchlan & Co., bal.; brigt. Clara, Martin, Boston, R. Robertson & Sons, bal.; schrs. Bride, Erb, Boston, master, bal.; Progress, Cosman, Boston, D. J. Seely, bal.; Arnica, Bradley, Providence, Scammell Bros., bal.

Jan. 3.—Barque Janet, Parker, Boston, Melick & Jordan, bal.; brigts. Valero, ——, Londonderry, Wm. Thomson, bal.; Ida, Willingdale, New York, R. Robertson & Sons; Florence, Page, New York, L. H. DeVeber & Sons, bal.; schrs. Teleumah, Hall, Boston, Luke Stewart, bal.; D. B. Everitt, Hooper, Boston, Luke Stewart, bal.; Lena Hume, Appleby, Eastport, Luke Stewart, bal; Ottawa, Brewster, Portland, L. H. DeVeber & Sons, flour to H. W. Chisholm; Ambro, Norris, New York, C. E. Robinson, bal.; Osseo, Walsh, Portland, R. R. Sneden, flour to H. W. Chisholm; Montebello, Watters, Portland, Scammell Bros., flour to H. W. Chisholm; Aloe, Martin, Boston, F. Tufts, bal.

4.—Brigts. Lizzie Troop, Newall, Boston, Troop & Son, bal.; Ruby, Leary, Philadelphia, Oulton Bros., coal; schr. Bucco, Chalmers, Providence, A. Cushing & Co., bal.

CLEARED.

Dec. 31—Bark Susan A. Dudman, Rogers, Dublin, Geo. McKean; schrs. Adelia, Trafton, Philadelphia, D. J. Seely; Snow Bird, McLauchlan, Newport, orders, S. T. King & Sons; Mary E. Staples, Dinsmore, Cardenas, orders, A. Cushing & Co.; brigts. H. H. Wright, Mayers, Matanzas, orders, John Robertson; Hannah G., Atkinson, Matanzas, Wm. Thomson; Golden Light, Anderson, Havana, A. Cushing & Co.; New Zealand, Lindgreen, Barbadoes, James Domville; schrs. W. K. Chapman, Peck, Cardenas, Wm. Thomson; Canella, Taylor, Cardenas, Wm. Thomson; Gold Hunter, Price, Providence, R. Rankin & Co.

Jan. 3.—Schrs. N. J. Milner, Dunham, Philadelphia, L. Stewart; Navita, Burk, Havana, A. Cushing & Co.; Tropic Bird, Barbarie, Havana, A. Cushing & Co.; Emily S., ——, Boston, A. W. Masters & Co.

4.—Schr. Quoddy, Fanning, Havana, W. Thomson.

5.—Ship Herbert Beech, Young, Warrenpoint, G. McKean; bark Tidal Wave, Barnes, Matanzas, for orders, W. Thomson; brigts. Leona, Edgett, Cardenas, M. Fomares Mary Givan, Robertson, Cardenas, Scammell Bros.; schr. Prairie Bird, Thompson, Cienfuegos, J. C. Brown.

OLIVE BRANCH LODGE, NO. 25, BRITISH TEMPLARS.

Tea Soiree at Holderville, Long Reach, Parish of Kingston, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 19.

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

S. I. HOLDER, }
S. M. HOLDER, } Committee.

Dec. 31—2w*

BARNES, ANDERSON & KERR have received during this week, per mail steamers, the following New Goods—Another supply of Figured Woollen Goods, same as sold during the first of the season, consisting of Ladies' Fancy Wool Neck Ties, Ruffles and Collarets, and Children's Wool Muffs and Collars. Also, 2 cases Haberdashery, 2 cases Grey Waterproof Tweeds, 1 case Tartan Dress Serges, 1 case containing Green Wool Curtain Repps, Black Deeskins, French Merinoes, and new style Muslin Drilling.
LONDON HOUSE RETAIL,
Jan. 7 3 and 4 Market Square.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—On and after the 1st January, 1870, the Postage on Letters, passing between the United Kingdom and New Brunswick, when sent by the Halifax, Quebec or Portland Packets, will be reduced to SIX CENTS the single rate, and EIGHT CENTS when sent via New York.
JOHN McMILLAN,
Dec. 31st, 1869. [Jan. 6—3i] P. O. Inspector.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—Commencing on Saturday, the First of January, 1870, the Postage Rate for Letters to the United Kingdom, will be reduced to SIX CENTS, via Halifax, Quebec or Portland. Via New York, EIGHT CENTS.
P. O. St. John, Dec. 30th, 1869 J. HOWE. Jan. 6

HANINGTON BROS. tender their many friends "The Compliments of the Season," wishing them all "A Very Happy New Year" Jan. 6

OPERA GLASSES.—A lot of very superior Opera Glasses, with high magnifying power. For sale low by [Jan. 6] T. B. BARKER & SONS.

FELLOWS' COMPOUND SYRUP.—15 gross Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites received this day. For sale, wholesale and retail, at manufacturer's prices.
HANINGTON BROS.,
Successors to Fellows & Co.,
Jan. 6 Foster's Corner.

CLOSE OF THE GRAND EXHIBITION AND FANCY BAZAAR AT STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON'S IN A FEW DAYS.—One-third of their Toys, Bohemian Vases, Wax Flowers, Fancy Boxes, etc., etc., being unsold, will be run out at a further reduction of 10 per cent They have adopted this course in preference to risking the chance of any being left over till next year. Ladies still unsupplied ought therefore to come at once and make their purchases.
Jan. 6 STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON.

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.
HANINGTON 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. HANINGTON BROS.,
Dec. 31 Foster's Corner.

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

LONDON GOODS.—Just received per English steamers, via Halifax and Portland—5 cases and 2 casks Druggist's Sundries, Medicines and Smallwares. For sale by
Dec. 23 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

JUST RECEIVED.—1 ton Sheet Zinc; 2 doz. Ash Sifters.
Dec. 23 W. H. THORNE.

CHRISTMAS.—Perfumed Satchels, Hillirope, Patchouly, Millefleurs, etc., etc., very fragrant.
ROBINSON BROS.,
Dec. 23 No. 1 King Street.

FANCY PIPES, CANES, PURSES, &c.—Genuine Meerschaum Pipes and Fancy Pipes, in great variety; Plain and Mounted Canes of many kinds; Purses, Portmonaies, Pocket-Books, Cigar Cases, Cigar Holders, etc. Wholesale and Retail by
Dec. 16 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

PHOTOGRAPHIC DEPOT.—Just received—2,000 Card Mounts, 60 doz. Ferrotype Plates, ass'd; Collodions, Varnish, Chemicals, etc.; 2 reams Albumen Paper. For sale low—wholesale and retail. ROBINSON BROS.,
Dec. 16 No. 1 King St., Barlow's Corner.

FRESH ELEME FIGS.—Just received—5 cases very choice Figs. For sale by J. S. TURNER,
Dec. 16 24 Water Street.

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.

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 500 Cords 8x5x4 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,
General Superintendent.
Railway Office, St. John, N. B., 24th Dec., 1869.
Dec 30 1 till 15 Jan.

DRY GOODS AT COST.—For Christmas Week.—STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON, in order to afford their numerous friends an opportunity of making a serviceable and substantial Christmas present, will sell their fresh and beautifull assorted stock of Fancy Dresses and Silks, at cost, for one week only.

In connection with the above they will also show a full variety of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, at greatly reduced prices, all of which are this seasons importation. Blankets, Flannels and Winceys, at nominal prices. 6 cases Fancy Goods, ordered expressly for Christmas Presents, expected per steamer, if not in time for Christmas will for New Years, and will be cleared out at cost.
STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON,
Dec. 30 No. 46 Prince Wm. Street.

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.

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.

PER STEAMER FROM ENGLAND, via PORTLAND.—2 casks and 1 Case containing Fire Irons, Shovels and Tongs, Spoons, Whiplashes, Weights, Padlocks, Slate Pencils, Rules, &c., &c., at
Dec. 30 W. H. THORNE'S.

MARRIOTT'S GLOVES.—We have just received a full stock of the above Celebrated Kid Gloves, in black.
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
Dec. 30 No. 2 Market Square.

CHRISTMAS.—Just received from W. G. T. TAYLOR, an assortment of his Beautiful Photographs of New Brunswick Scenery, comprising views on the Restigouche, Miramichi and St. John Rivers, the Grand Falls, the Cathedral and University Fredericton, etc.
ROBINSON BROS.,
Dec. 30 No. 1 King Street.

HAIR BRUSHES.—A splendid assortment of Hair Brushes, at low prices. For sale by
Dec. 30 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON have received per Steamship Nova Scotian, 8 packages New and Seasonable Goods, consisting of Winceys, Tweeds, Doeskins, Union and Wool Flannels, Grey Cotton, Square and Long Shawls, nicely assorted; Tartan Shawls in all the Clans. All of which will be sold at our usual low prices—wholesale and retail. Also—1 case Repellants and 1 case Clouds and Nubias.

Xmas Week will show some Special Bargain Lots. Inspection invited.
Dec. 23 STAPLES, SPENCER & HAMPSON.

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

ORANGES, ORANGES.—Just received per steamer from Boston—20 boxes Oranges, in fine order. For sale cheap. JOSAUA S. TURNER,
Dec. 24 24 Water Street.

TOILET BOTTLES.—An assortment of Beautiful Toilet Bottles, just received and for sale by
Dec. 23 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

NEW CLOUDS.—Just opened—One case Clouds, assorted, all prices, from 25 cents to 90 cents.
Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street,
Dec. 24 SIMON NEALIS.

EVENING DRESSES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—White, Figured and Striped Grenadines; White Ground Grenad