AN IMPORTANT WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT is being made in the West, and is proposed to be made national. In Illinois Miss Frances E Willard is devoting herself exclusively to gospel temperance work, creating a higher public sentiment especially for the protection of homes. Among other things she is pleading for the legislative enactment of a local option law, with the provision that on this question, whether the grog-shop shall be licensed in any town or city, women shall be allowed the privilege of voting. The saloon is a deadly foe to the home. Nobody else has quite so deep an interest in the home as the wife and mother. To her the question of home-protection is one of utmost concern. The "woman's crusade" of prayer and entreaty against liquor saloons, four years ago, was a surprise, and introduced a new epoch in the temperance movement; but the greater surprise is that it was not sooner started. Women, no more than men, can shift their responsibility in this matter. The women of several states are awaking to the necessities and the practicabilities of the work.

☞ We are sorry to hear that diphtheria has visited the family of Licentiate Henry Hartt, and taken away one of his children. May the grace of God comfort the parents in their affliction.

☞ A London paper says the Duke of Connaught (Prince Arthur) is likely to be appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland before long.

☞ It is said that Rev. George Muller and wife will re-visit America next year. They are now in Switzerland, and will soon go to Spain, Italy and Germany, in christian work.

☞ Mr. Spurgeon is about publishing a volume of public addresses delivered by him on various occasions.

THE NEWS AND THE PRESS.

SAINT JOHN, N. B., DECEMBER 27, 1878.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Policeman John Cassidy's son, a lad of about fourteen years, was drowned while skating on the ice off Newcastle, Thursday. ....At Moncton on Wednesday evening, Mr. E. Collins, while coupling cars in the station yard, got his hand caught between the draw bars, breaking a number of the bones in it. There is danger of him losing a portion of his hand....There are about forty-five patients at the public hospital at present. Nearly all cases of fever have recovered. There are no cases of diphtheria under the treatment.... A sad drowning accident took place Saturday night on Belleisle Bay. Two brothers named Philip and Arthur Kenny, aged 22 and 19 respectively, son of James Kenny, of the Parish Kingston, started early in the evening to attend singing school some distance up the shore from their homes. They returned on skates in company with a number of other young men in the neighborhood, who one by one left them as they reached the shore opposite their respective homes, until the two brothers were left to proceed alone. A few minutes later they both skated into an open place in the ice not more than a quarter of a mile from their owr house. One of their sisters heard a cry from the ice and recognizing the voice of the elder of the two brothers, awakened her father and eldest brother, who had gone to bed. They made all haste to reach the water, but before they could render any assistance the cries had ceased and all was silent. The older of the two brothers was a powerful man and a good swimmer, and it is supposed that he could have saved himself, but that he lost his life in attempting to rescue his brother. ....A telegram to D. V. Roberts, Esq., reports the loss of the schr. *Ancona*, at Marblehead, Mass The crew were saved. The vessel was bound from Annapolis, N. S., to New York with a cargo of potatoes,—about eight thousand bushels. The *Ancona*, 161 tons register, was owned by Messrs. D. V. Roberts, Magee Bros., A. F Randolph, (of Fredericton) and the master,—Capt. Wasson. There was a little, if any, insurance....Mr. Domville, M. P., had the misfortune to break his arm, while skating on the Kennebeccasis, at Rothesay, on Saturday afternoon. The fracture is at the elbow.... The *Globe* says, a man named Henry Nash was brought into the city on Saturday night from Harvey by the Western train, and taken to the Hospital in a weak and unconscious state. He has slept in a barn at Harvey for a week without food or drink and when discovered he was so famished for want of nutriment that he was unable to give any account of himself. He was immediately despatched to the city and put in the Hospital, which place he was able to leave yesterday, and he was sent to the Lunatic Asylum, from which institution he said he had escaped. The keepers of the Asylum were notified, and they on seeing Nash recognized him and took him in charge again. Nash has a mania for committing suicide, but outside of that he is harmless....Mr. Fulton, principal of the Portland HighSchool, while skating on the Kennebeccasis, near the Ministers face, last Saturday, fell through and was with difficulty rescued by Messrs. Trueman and Flewelling, who had accompanied him....A special to the *Sun* from St. Andrews says, the small-pox is spreading in Dumbarton. A Mr. Murphy and his wife, and two others, are down with the disease....There is great alarm in the vicinity....The Provincial Government are acting nobly in their efforts to stamp the disease out.

NOVA SCOTIA.—A very sad case of suicide occurred at Barrington, N. S., on Thursday. A fisherman named William Morrisey—a man in good circumstances and about 53 years old—appears to have felt deeply the loss of his wife, which occurred a few months ago. So strong a hold had this taken on him that he shot himself yesterday in his own barn. His sons found him there, cold and dead. ....A child of Mr. Wm. Late, of Lawrencetown, N.S., was burned to death on Sunday night. She was asleep, and her clothes caught fire. Before the fire could be extinguished she was so badly burned that she died in a few hours....On Thursday afternoon a man named Edward Phipps, working at the Richmond depot, Halifax, shunting cars, was holding the handle which worked a switch, when a car jammed his left hand against the corner of another and cut his hand almost in two....The *Windsor Mail* says, we are happy to be able to correct the statement made in a former issue of the *Mail* relating to the drowning of Captain Seabrook, from his vessel in the English channel. Mr. Harry Seabrook, of Noel, has since received a letter from his brother, captain Seabrook, in England. The mistake was made by a friend in Glasgow, forwarding the news to Nova Scotia, as he supposed, on the account of the names being alike, he was the Hants County captain of that name. The Nova Scotian captain Seabrook was, when the letter was written, alive and well in England....Diphtheria continues it ravages at Bridgewater, N. S. In one family, last week, ten persons were stricken with it....The gale on Saturday night was felt pretty severely along the Atlantic shore. The following shipping disasters are reported:....Schr. *Nimlus*, ashore at Cape Negro, probably total loss....Schr. *Pioneer*, Lord, master, from P. E. Island for Boston produce laden, ashore at the Ovens, near Lunenburg, crew saved....The schooners *Java* and *Harvest Home* were considerably damaged in Lunenburg harbor....The Windsor *Mail* has heard a rumor that the Government contemplate taking some action in the matter of the W. C. Railway, between Digby and Yarmouth, and that a party of engineers are now on the way to Yarmouth to make a report of the present condition of the road. The *Mail* believes Mr. Odell, C. E., is in charge of the party....A man named Andrew Johnson fell through the iron bridge on the railroad near New Glasgow Monday evening. The ice being strong he was instantly killed. He is said to have been intoxicated....A despatch from Kentville says, the body of Samuel Bishop, aged 50, was found Sunday morning at Mill Brook. Deceased had been drinking the night before and is supposed to have fallen over the bridge, striking on his head, and was killed, by the blow, as a severe gash was found in his head. There was not a enough water in the brook at the time to drown him.

SAD LOSS OF LIFE.

The press despatches Monday night brought news of the schooner *Charlie Bell* on "Thumb Cape Island," and the loss of four lives. The vessel was bound from New York to St. John with a cargo of flour, provisions, etc, for Messrs. Hall & Fairweather, Turnbull & Co., and others. The disaster took place on Saturday night. According to the despatches four men were drowned—namely, James Wheaton, David Knox, Charles Kimball, and a person unknown. Much anxiety is felt by the relatives of the men, especially as the news so far received is of an indefinite character. Capt. Wm. Knox (not David) has a wife and eight children living at Oromocto. James Wheaton was a single man, and belonged to Long Island. Charles Kimball belonged to Long Reach. We are informed that the remaining two men on board were Benj Kierstead, who has a wife and two children in Carleton (St. John), and a single young man named Fox whose people live at Gagetown. The despatches make no reference to anybody belonging to the vessel being saved, and it is possible that one of these men left her before starting on the fatal voyage. The vessel was 105 tons register, and was built in 1873 at Cambridge, Q. C. She was owned by Messrs. D. F. George, of Fredericton, John Pickard, M. P., Howard D. Troop, and Capt. Knox. She was partially insured. A portion of the cargo was also insured. Capt. Knox, we believe, had his life insured, so that should he be among the drowned, his large family will not be entirely unprovided for. Their case, however, is a hard one. Some two years ago, Capt. Knox lost his house by fire.—*Globe.*

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—The Marquis of Lorne gave $400 to the city charities to-day, which Mayor Bangs divided equally between the Catholic and Protestant institutions.

OTTAWA, Dec. 25.—Mr. Tilley arrived here last night. To morrow evening temperance people will present him with an address, in the Dominion Methodist Church.

TORONTO, Dec. 25.—The recent snowfall is very heavy, ranging from one to three feet. By causing trains to be delayed and connections uncertain, it has proved injurious to business.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

GENEVA, Dec. 18.—The St. Gothard tunnel is approaching completion; 11,650 metres of mountain have been pierced, and only 2,260 metres remain.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The report that 150 lives were lost by the disaster to the steamer *Byzantin* is confirmed. Fourteen persons, only, were saved from the steamer.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A despatch received in Paris says only four persons, namely, the surgeon, first officer, chief engineer and one seaman escaped from the wreck of the *Byzantin*. The disaster occurred on Wednesday night during a gale. The *Byzantin* was on her way from Marseilles to Constantinople. She was proceeding up the Dardanelles when she ran into the British steamer *Rinaldo*, of 1660 tons burden, lying at anchor off Lataksy, bound for Hull. The *Byzantin* was 900 tons, and belonged to the Fiarssinet Company, of Marseilles. The *Rinaldo* returned to the Bosphorus.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A correspondent at Paris denies on most trustworthy authority that Russia has recalled the Afghan mission. Russia has only promised to do so.

A Peshawur despatch states that the expedition against the Zukker-Khels started on Thursday. The tribe musters 700 warriors. It is expected that if cornered they will fight until exterminated.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The papers publish leading articles eulogistic of Bayard Taylor.

General Grant contemplates visiting Ireland about Christmas accompanied by Ministers Welch and Noyes. The ill health of the ministers to England has delayed the journey somewhat. The General goes to Ireland as his last jaunt before his departure.

The employers in the manufactured iron trade in the north of England claim before the arbitrators five per cent reduction in consequence of the depression of business. The men claim that the price of labor is already lower than during the past 20 years.

An official notice is posted in the stock exchange announcing that four members have been expelled and two suspended for unfair dealings in Bank shares.

A Berlin special says that sorrow for the death of Bayard Taylor is universal. Many telegrams are arriving from all parts of the world tendering the sympathy to the bereaved wife and daughter.

A telegram from Lord Lytton, Viceroy of India, says:—Major Cavagnari confirms the news that the Ameer of Afghanistan has fled from Cabul to Turkestan. His son Ivkook Khan, has been released from confinement and left at Cabul. The Ameer has lost nearly all control at the place, and his soldiers were deserting."

COPENHAGEN, 22.—The Duke of Cumberland and Princess Thyra were married on Saturday evening.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—*Le Temps'* Moscow special says an express train on the Rostow and Vladi Kavkas Railway recently fell off an embankment, killing 23 persons, including General Hintze and several functionaries and officers of the army of the Caucasus. Thirty-eight persons were injured.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—It is reported in club and military circles that Count Schovaloff has notified the British Government that the Czar intends to propose the Duke of Edinburgh as Prince of Bulgaria. This proposal is intended as special sign of friendship of Russia toward England.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The weather is severe throughout Great Britain. There has also been a heavy snow fall here and in many parts of the continent. In Scotland especially it was severe and all the railways in the North are blocked. Two London mail trains are snowed up 12 miles from Aberdeen; seven trains are snowed up and traffic suspended. Snow was still falling last night. In some places it is over 12 feet high. It is the heaviest fall in 30 years.

A Paris despatch says that wolves have penetrated as far as the gates of Metz. There is more snow on the Vosges than the oldest inhabitant remembers.

Despatches from Switzerland report a heavy snow there.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—A French company, under the chairmanship of the Duke of Bassano, is forming for stimulating emigration.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The *Times'* financial article says: "The quiet feeling continues, and people begin to hope that in a few more days the worst will be over. The market will, no doubt, be much helped by the large influx of gold into the bank."

It is announced that the Duke of Edinburgh is about to be promoted to the rank of Rear-Admiral.

The severe weather continues throughout the United Kingdom, and distress increases. The Mayor of Sheffield announced yesterday that ten thousand dollars was required for the relief of the sick and hungry in that city.

A Vienna despatch says that 40 per cent. of the Bosnians who returned to their homes will perish by spring if the weather does not moderate.

The master builders of Sheffield have unanimously resolved to give notice of a reduction of wages in all branches of the building trade. In the cases of the masons and brick layers, plasterers and laborers, the reduction takes place January 1st, and joiners on June 29th, 1879.

LORNE, Ireland, Dec 24.—The steamship *State of Louisiana*, from Glasgow for New York, ran ashore this morning at Hunter's Rock, while entering Lorne Lough. The vessel will probably become a total wreck,

LONDON, Dec. 25.—A despatch from Copenhagen says a hotel keeper has been arrested on a charge of threatening to kill the King.

PESTH, Dec. 25.—*Pesther Lloyd's* St. Petersburg despatch says the Ameer of Afghanistan and a portion of the Russian mission have already passed the frontier, en route to Tashkand.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Several prominent German Socialists who have been exiled from Germany on account of their peculiar doctrines, arrived here this week.

It is stated that young Braden, who passed the best examination for midshipman on the British scholarship, but who will not be made a midshipman in the British navy because he refuses to renounce his allegiance to the United States, is to be provided for by our Secretary of Navy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The Russian steamers the *California* and *Columbus* leave Philadelphia for sea to-day, and when they arrive at three nautical miles from land they will hoist the Russian flag and be hereafter known as the *Europe* and the *Asia*. They are fully manned by Russian officers and sailors. It is not known to what part these vessels are destined.

ZANSVILLE, Dec. 21.—Judge Marsh sentenced Dr. Heyl, grave robber, to 2 years imprisonment and $5,000 fine. Eaton, his accomplice, got four months imprisonment and $100 fine.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—General Alphens S. Williams died this morning. His remains leave tomorrow in charge of a Congressional Committee for Deriot, Michigan.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—A polar wave struck this city on Saturday night which lowered the temperature to three above zero this morning. The storm came from the northwest and the wind attained 60 miles an hour during the night. Snow fell before midnight and now lies about four inches deep. Yesterday the weather moderated a good deal.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 23.—The Severest snow since 1871 visited this section last night, and is still raging. Three feet has fallen on level, and badly drifted. Trains on all roads hereabouts are delayed, and it is uncertain as to any trains leaving before night. It is very cold at various localities reported.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—A novel feature of Christmas in this city will be a grand distribution of provisions and groceries to the poor by Mayor Shelly. The citizens generally contributed.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 24.—A fire destroyed the barrel factories of the Standard Oil Company. Loss $20,000; no insurance. The factory employed 1000 men, and the producing capacity was 5,500 barrels daily. Work was temporarily suspended about a week ago on account of overstock. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Reports from points in the North-west show that the cold wave is widespread The thermometer ranged from zero to 30 below. The coldest was west of Sonix city. In this city it ranged from four to nineteen below for two days.

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Many of our subscribers probably take, or desire to take, one or more of the following publications. To make the cost to them as small as possible, we have made arrangements, by which we are able to furnish either of the publications named with the INTELLIGENCER at reduced rates:

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Scientific American Supplement,	("	" 5.00) @	4.00
Scientific American & Supplement,	("	" 7.00) @	5.60
Wide Awake, (monthly,)	("	" 2.00) @	1.50
Golden Hours, (monthly,)	("	" 1.60) @	1.10
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CASH!—In every case the cash must accompany the order, else no notice can be taken of it.

Valuable information—*Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* will positively prevent diphtheria that most to be dreaded of all dreadful diseases. Don't delay a moment, prevention is better than cure. No family should be without the anodyne in the house.

To partially atone for our many sins during the year now closing we wish to expose a fraud. We refer to the *large* packs of horse and cattle now sold. Sheridan's are absolutely pure and immensely valuable. This statement is true.

ANOTHER COMMUNICATION from Mr. Geo. Sewell dated Moncton, N. B., June 22, 1878.

J. H. Robinson, Esq.—Dear Sir—I wrote you in May last informing you of the wonderful cure your "Phosphorized Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Lactophosphate of Lime," had made in my case, and, at the same time promising to write you, from time to time to let you know how I was getting along. I am much better in every way; am stronger; can walk a good long distance without getting tired. Sleep well and eat a hearty meal. In fact I am a new man in every respect, and those who saw me three months ago and see me now, can hardly believe that I am the same person.

The above are facts, and believing that ingratitude is one of the unpardonable sins, I feel it a duty to tell you of what, under a kind Providence, your preparation has done for me. Wishing you every success, &c., &c.

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Received from Church, Corn Hill.

John B. Dunfield	$0 25	Mrs. Wm. O. Dunfield,	$0 25
John Brown	25	Mrs. Sarah Nickerson,	25
Alex. Brown	25	H. I. Goslin	25
Mrs. Wesley Weyman,	25	Hugh Brown	25
Mrs. O. Dunfield	25		
			$2 25

WM. PETERS, Treas.

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Received from Church at Corn Hill.

John Brown & family,	$1 00	John H. Branscombe,	$0 25
Alex. Brown	1 00	Abraham Branscombe,	25
Lansen Brown	25	Mrs. Ellen Branscombe	20
Hugh Brown	25	Wm. O. Dunfield	75
Mrs. Hugh Brown	25	Collection	55
Mrs. Agnes Brown	20	Abraham Harper	25
Ephraim Brown	10	Mrs. Sarah Nickerson	50
Ezekiel Dunfield	25	H. I. Goslin	50
Philip Dunfield	25	Mrs. Helen Brown	25
M. Beckwith	10	Able O. Brown	10
John B. Dunfield	1 00	James Dunfield	50
James Hughson	50		
			$9 25

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Acknowledgments for Religious Intelligencer, Dec. 27.

Benj. Cliff, junr., $2.00, 1300; H. B. Taylor, 1, 1300; E. Vanwart, 2, 1317; Mrs. D. Brown, 2, 1273; Rev. R. Colpitts, 2, 1378; D. A. Grant, 2, 1399, Mrs. L. H. Jones, 2, 1352; Chas. Allen, 2, 1174; Joseph Vanwart, 2, 1300; L. G. Slipp, 4, 1352; T. Connor, 2, 1350; Danl. McKay, 2, 1352; Miss E. V. Woodworth, 2, 1352; Leonard Keirstead, 2, 1350; Miss B. P. Briggs, 2, 1352; Mrs. J. Dennison, senr., 2, 1358; Mrs. John Grass, 3,20, 1270; Solomon Howland, 1,40, 1221; John Atherton, 2, 1352; Oran Smith, 2, 1309; B. H. Teakles, 4, 1356; Thos. Clark, 2, 1352; Oliver Jones, 2, 1358; R. W. Loring, 1, 1300; Miss Aurelia Larkin, 2, 1352; F. A. Perley, Esq., 1.05, 12-5; Mrs. Geo. Albright, 2, 1268; Jesse Parent, 2, 1352; Jas. Dennison, 2, 1218; John Burpee, 2.04, 1354; Amos Harper, 1, 1300; Mrs. Wm. Sleep, 2, 1352; Geo. W. Ebbett, 2, 1201; Alfred Patterson, 2, 1144; Thos. Nason, 2, 1328; Mrs. Jacob Gillis, 75 cts., 1300; John Brown, 2, 1296; James Hughson, 2, 1352; W. Woodwill, 2, 1303; Mrs. John Good, 2, 1352; G. L. Good, 2, 1352; John Roach, 2, 1352; Seth Erb, 1, 1326; Mrs. J. S. Coates, 5, 1352; Alex. Brown, 1, 1300; Mrs. A. S. Mace, 2, 1352; G. Hamilton, 6, 1300; Geo. Wallace, 2, 1352; R. McLeod, 2, 1249; John W. Good, 2, 1300; Wm. Erb, 1, 1330; Edwin Lewis, 2, 1357; Jacob Smith, 2, 1305.

MARRIED.

In Fredericton, on the 18th inst., by Rev. Joseph McLeod, Sarah Jane Ray, to William Adams, both of Prince William, York Co.

On the 17th inst., at the F. C. Baptist Church, Waterloo street, by Rev. J. T. Parsons, Mr. Frank E. Harding, of Boston, Mass., and Miss Jennie Forbes, of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

On the 23rd inst., at the same place, by the same, Mr. Perez Anderson, and Miss Mary Jane Ramsay, both of Saint John.

SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Dec. 20.—Stmr. City of Portland, Pike, Boston, H. W. Chisholm, mdse. and pass; schrs. Hopvine, Mowry, New York, G. W. Gerow, gen. cargo; Julia Clinch, Maloney, New York, D. J. Seely, gen. cargo.

21.—Bark Nicola, Harper, Boston, L. Stewart, bal.; schr. Don. Pedro, Peck, Boston, R. C. Elkin, gen. cargo.

23.—Bark Venice, Leavitt, Ostend; brigt. J. L. Stewart, Crane, Sydney, Prichard & Son, coal; schrs S. M. Bird, Merrill, Boston, L. Stewart, bal; Avon, King, Sydney, Wm. Thomson & Co., coal.

24.—Bark Ontario, Coalfleet, Swansea, Wm. Thomson & Co., bal; schr. Milo, Stewart, Boston, R. A. & J. Stewart, gen. cargo.

CLEARED.

Dec. 20.—Ships Lizzie G. Troop, Corning, Melbourne, Australia, R. A. & J. Stewart; State of Maine, Small, Adelaide, Australia, R. A. & J. Stewart.

21.—Ship Zambesi, Totherick, Bristol, R. A. & J. Stewart; bark Fannie M., Leary, Limerick, Guy, Bevan & Co; schrs. John A. Lord, Thomas, Havana, Lewis Rivers, Francis Arthemus, Cole, Boston, Miller & Woodman.

23.—Stmr. City of Portland, Pike, Eastport, H. W. Chisholm, mdse. and pass; brigt. Stockton, Allen, Cardenas, Miller & Woodman; schr. W. H. Maziller, Patterson, New York, E. G. Dunn.

24.—Schrs. Calvin, Odell, New York, J. Calkin; Rillie S. Derby, Naylor, Havana, A. Cushing & Co.

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VALUABLE INFORMATION.

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THE INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the Matter of Marshall D. Austin and Henry A. Austin, Insolvents.

There will be sold by public auction, at Chubb's corner, Prince William street, in the City of Saint John, on Wednesday, the 15th January, 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property and mortgages, viz:—

A MORTGAGE from Hugh McCafferty to V. S. White, assignee, on a house and leasehold lots on Bridge Street, Indiantown, for one hundred and seventy five dollars.

The valuable freehold property at present occupied by M. D. Austin, consisting of one lot on Main street, Indiantown, measuring fourty-four feet front, and extending back one hundred and fifty feet, with a large and commodious dwelling house in good repair; water on the premises. Also a lot on Cedar street, measuring forty-four feet front and extending eighty feet, with a good barn.

A mortgage from Guy McCallum and wife in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a property in the Parish of Chipman, Queens County, containing one hundred acres, more or less, for the sum of one thousand dollars.

A mortgage from William McCallum and wife in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a property in the Parish of Chipman, Queens County, containing seventy-five acres, more or less, for the sum of one thousand dollars.

A mortgage from John L. Alexander and wife in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a property in the Parish of Blissville, Sunbury County, containing two hundred and forty acres, more or less, for the sum of six hundred dollars.

A mortgage from William Fulton and wife in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a property in the Parish of Sheffield, Sunbury County, containing one hundred and fifty acres, more or less, for the sum of one thousand dollars.

A mortgage from Thomas E. Smith and wife, in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a valuable mill property in the Parish of Burton, Sunbury County, containing eight hundred and ten acres, more or less, for the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars.

A mortgage from A. McVicar and wife in favor of M. D. & H. A. Austin, on a property in the Parish of Waterborough, Queens County, containing three and one-fourth acres, more or less.

Also all the Book Debts, Notes of Hand, &c., &c., a list of which is open for inspection at the office of the Assignee, Indiantown.

Terms made known at sale.

By order of the Inspectors.

T. B. HANINGTON, Auctioneer. V. S. WHITE, Assignee.
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WILL be issued at all Booking Stations, at one first class fare, from Tuesday the 24th instant, up to and including Wednesday the 1st January, good for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

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