tax of FIVE DOLLARS AND A HALF for a simple license, to do what is their inherent right to do. For a Government to throw obstacles of this sort, in the way of our people getting married, or to make the marriage contract a direct source of revenue, is not only bad policy, but it seems like a miserable little effort to contravene the laws of heaven. Infinitely better for all concerned, to pay a premium on good and righteous marriages, than to levy a heavy tax upon them.

Then that monstrous idea of making ministers of the gospel tax gatherers for the Government, by compelling them to collect from every party they marry, 75 cents, as the registration fee, or pay it, as we have often done, out of their own pocket, is too absurd, one would think, to find countenance for a moment in the judgment of any man of common sense, or in any mind cherishing the finer instincts of humanity. We trust the suggestions of the ministers of Saint John, in their appeals at different times to the Legislature on this subject, will find their embodiment in the new law under consideration.

We see the Board of Agriculture has voted in favor of pressing the Breeding Farm project upon the Government.

This wise provision will result in great good to the country; but like other good things is liable to abuse.

The North Shore members demand a subsidy for a steamer to ply between Shediac and Campbeltown, touching at intermediate ports, provided connection with Quebec boats can be secured.

There are vast resources in that Northern Country which would find their way into our market, if the people had suitable modes of transit. The "Intercolonial" will do much in this direction for our Northern Counties; but they must have suitable water conveyance as well.

Mr. Cudlip startled the House the other day, by introducing resolutions in favor of annexation to the United States. If Mr. Cudlip should annex himself to Brother Jonathan, however deeply such a step might be regretted; of course no person would offer any serious objection; but when he attempts by one fell stroke, to smash up present political associations, and to carry us all, whether we will or not with him into the arms of our Republican neighbors, we must remonstrate, and tell our representative very respectfully but very plainly, that he was not sent to Fredericton by the loyal people of St. John, to engage in any such *treasonable business*. Mr. Cudlip is worthy of all honor; but as a politician, we regret to say, that he utterly fails to do justice to himself. He seems, in fact, outside of his legitimate sphere of action. One always regrets, when he sees talents and energies that might be so usefully employed in the walks of commerce, turned into channels for which they have no congeniality or adaptation. We most heartily endorse the idea advanced by several of our contemporaries, that this *annexation cry*, come from what source it may, can only tend to retard the progress of such commercial arrangements between the United States and the Dominion, as the interests of both countries demand.

FREDERICTON, March 18.—Mr. White introduced a bill to repeal the Act authorizing municipal Council of Carleton to take compensation for their services, and a bill changing the time of holding the Sessions of the Council.

Mr. Lindsay presented several petitions against these bills.

Mr. Lindsay introduced a bill to increase the capital of New Brunswick Stave Company.

Mr. White introduced a bill to divide the parish of Simonds, Carleton.

Bill authorizing the sale of land in Chatham for school purposes agreed to.

Mr. Needham moved resolutions concerning the salaries of Judges of Maritime Provinces, and gave notice of an address to the Governor General praying that they may be raised.

The address was presented to His Excellency at three o'clock by the whole House.

MARCH 22.—Messrs. McQueen, Babbitt, Flewelling, Keans and Peck were appointed a Committee to investigate the affairs of the Crown Land Department.

Bill to amend the act to authorize the city of Fredericton to borrow money in aid of the Branch Railway, agreed to.

Provincial Secretary gave notice that he will move the House into suppy, Thursday, and laid the correspondence in regard to Immigration before the House.

The Bill respecting the law which permitted mail carriers to cross ferries free was amended so as to refer to mails carried under contracts entered into before the Union, and agreed to.

Hibbard withdrew his address asking for copies of papers connected with Western Extension, after being informed by the Provincial Secretary that the original documents will be laid before the Railway Committee. Hibbard said he had reason to believe that bridges on that road are not being built according to Government Specifications.

Needham made a speech in moving an address to the Governor General, praying for the equalization of Judges' salaries, in which he declared that he is neither a rebel nor an annexationist.

MARCH 23.—Progress was made in a Bill to authorize the construction of a Public Wharf in Chatham.

A Bill to change the time of holding the Sessions of Municipal Council of Carleton was agreed to.

A Bill to empower the Local Government to appoint and displace Magistrates was discussed freely in Committee of the Whole, and agreed to without amendments.

McAdam introduced a bill to establish a new polling place in St. Stephen, Charlotte.

The petition of the Freeholders of Northumberland, praying that Gough may be unseated, was not received, as their was no recognizance attached to it.

The Board of Agriculture has suspended Sunbury Agricultural Society for one year.

The barn attached to the residence of J. W. Brayley was partially destroyed by fire last night.

CARLETON NAIL FACTORY.—We notice that the Nail Factory on Water Street, Carleton, owned by F. Collins, Esq., is doing a very extensive business. This Factory employs over thirteen men and boys, and runs six machines, making six different kinds of nails, averaging in size from one inch and a sixteenth up to an inch and a quarter. These machines are driven by an engine of fifteen horse power. We were told by the foreman, Mr. Danforth, that they manufacture on an average over 40 kegs of nails each day. Putty is also made in connection with this Factory.—*Journal.*

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—Nathaniel L. Price to be Registrar of Probates for the County of Victoria, in the room of William Hartt, resigned.

Donite Richard to be a Commissioners under the Act to facilitate the settlement of Crown Lands, for the part of the County of Kent lying north of the Kouchibouguacis River.

John Herrington of the City of St. John, City Marshal; David A. Keith, of the Parish of Havelock, in the County of King's; Jacob Corey, of the Parish of Brunswick, in the County of Queen's; Joseph McCordick, of the Parish of Salisbury, in the County of Westmorland, to be Wardens in their respective Counties, under the Act 25th Victoria, Chapter 21, entitled "An Act for the protection of Moose."

NOVA SCOTIA.

A great meeting has been held in Yarmouth, N. S., to discuss the political situation. This occurred in consequence of the postponement of the election. There is an obvious change in the current of political thought in Yarmouth. Several of the staunch Anti-Confederates like Mr. Howe, seem disposed to make the best of the present combinations, and hope for a brighter day. If the Dominion Government can get reciprocity, Yarmouth will share largely in the benefits. In the absence of that we are not surprised that a majority of the people should oppose Union with Canada. Mr. Moses is again spoken of as a candidate, but we hear nothing definite with regard to any change in the programme. It is thought that Mr. Killam's election is safe.

The cloud of uncertainty still broods over Hants County election. Mr. Howe is well nigh restored to health, but we have not heard of any decided action with either party recently. The papers for and against Mr. Howe seem equally sanguine with respect to the result of the contest. The *Unionist*, which under the leadership of Mr. McCully, stood up so earnestly for Confederation, is quite as severe in its denunciations now of Mr. Howe as a Confederate as it was when he was on the side of the opposition. A few weeks will decide the question.

The *Emulous* which sailed from Halifax on the 18th of last August with passengers for New Zealand, arrived at Otago, N. Z., on the 15th of December following. Thus making the passage in a little less than four months.

THE UPPER PROVINCES.

MONTREAL, March 22.—Writs for Yarmouth, Hants and Richmond elections were sent from Ottawa on Saturday by special messenger. The elections are to be held on the 18th of April.

The Education bill of the Quebec Government is extremely liberal. It provides for a council of public instruction of twenty-one members; fourteen Catholics and seven Protestants. This Council to have two Secretaries and to be divided into two Committees, to which all matters specially affecting Protestants and Catholics shall be referred. The grant for superior education is in future to be divided between the two creeds, according to population. When over ten of the Catholic members of the Council of Public Instruction or five of the Protestant members shall be of opinion that the interests of the Protestants and Catholics should be altogether separated, they may sign a document to that effect to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and by order in Council, the Council of Public Instruction shall be divided into two Councils, one Protestant and one Catholic. Immediately after its separation, all Government grants whatever shall be divided between the majority and the minority, according to their respective populations in Montreal and Quebec. The Corporation is authorized to raise money for School purposes. This money they shall pay to School Commissioners according to assessment roll as between Catholics and Protestants. Under the old law, all the money of Government grants and assessments was divided on a basis of population. In the country districts, taxes levied on public institutions and corporate bodies are to be passed to the School Commissioners of the majority, to be divided among the Trustees of dissentient schools in the same proportion as the Government grant, that is, in proportion to the number of children attending schools. This is an advance upon Upper Canada legislation. The leader of the Opposition, Mr. Jolly, promised his hearty support to the bill.

MONTREAL, March 23.—Second reading of school bill came up in Quebec Assembly, this evening, and a lengthy discussion followed. Bill will no doubt pass by a large majority, but Senator Cauchon and many friends of the Government oppose it as being too liberal.

It is rumored in Quebec, seemingly well authenticated, that so far from the military being withdrawn from Quebec there will be a considerable augmentation of the forces; that four regiments will be stationed there and that it is to be the head quarters of the Commander-in-Chief.

One hundred and two bills were introduced, and 495 petitions presented to the Quebec Parliament this session.

The great cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, bruises, weakness of joints, contracted muscles, &c., &c., is Dr. Dow's Sturgeon Oil Liniment. It is prepared according to the strictest rule of pharmacy and chemistry, and is the best that can be made.

If your horse is suffering from cold or catarrhal fever symptoms—cough or nasal discharge of a brownish color—the best and surest remedy is Professor Clark's Derby Condition Powders.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, March 23.—There is no quotable change either in money or gold markets.

Business generally shows increased activity, and better confidence prevails since the inauguration of Gen. Grant.

Congress will probably close its session next week.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, March 20.—Mr. Gladstone's bill to put an end to the establishment of the Church of Ireland, and to make provision in respect of the Royal College of Maynooth, came up again in the House of Commons last evening, and was debated at great length.

John Bright took the floor and delivered a long and able speech in favor of the measure.

LONDON, March 22.—In the House of Commons today, Mr. Fortescue, Chief Secretary for Ireland, said the Government did not intend to extend clemency to any other Fenians now in prison.

The debate on the Irish Church Bill was resumed. Sir Roundell Palmer made a speech favoring the disestablishment, but opposing disendowment, and said he would propose and urge modifications of the bill in committee.

John Duke Coleridge, Solicitor General, advocated the bill, approving it in all points.

Gen. Almonte, formerly conspicuous in Mexican affairs, died in Paris yesterday.

AFFECTIONS OF THE CHEST AND THROAT.—Persons afflicted, however slightly, with any weakness of the Chest or Throat, involving either the Larynx, Trachea, Bronchial Tubes, or the Lungs themselves, should on the first symptom commence with FELLOWS' COMPOUND SYRUP, as by its use diseases of those organs (even Consumption in its primary stage), are speedily cured, and more alarming symptoms prevented. This we are enabled to state most positively.

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Chemist St. John, N. B.

More than forty years have elapsed since *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* was first invented, during which time hundreds of thousands have been benefitted by its use. Probably no article ever become so universally popular with all classes as Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Pills which contain antimony, quinine, and calomel, should be avoided, as severe griping pains would be the only result. The safest, surest, and best pills are *Parson's Purgative or Anti-Billious Pills.*

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The TROCHES are offered with the fullest confidence in their efficacy; they have been thoroughly tested, and maintain the good reputation they have justly acquired. For Public Speakers, Singers, Military Officers, and those who overtax the voice, they are useful in relieving an Irritated Throat, and will render articulation easy. To the soldier exposed to sudden changes in the weather, they will give prompt relief in Coughs and Colds, and can be carried in the pocket to be taken as occasion requires. Sold at 25 cents a box.

Thursday, Feb. 18, 1869. (2m.)

NOTICE.

The Charlotte County Quarterly Meeting will be held with Bocabec church, on the first Friday in May next. Service to commence at 3 o'clock P. M.

Charlotte County Baptist Missionary Board will hold its next session in the Baptist chapel in Bocabec, on the 8th of May 1869, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

J. A. STEADMAN, *Sec.*

☞ Receipts for the "Christian Visitor," up to March 18.—If any mistakes or omissions occur, please inform the office:—

		By Rev. J. Sterling:	
John Ross,	$1.00	John Babbitt,	$4.66
Welkins Fitzmorris,	1.00	David Roberts,	2.00
	Acknowledgements by Rev. D. W. Crandall.		
Chris. Herseman,	$2	Job Anderson,	$1
Daniel Crandal,	1	D. Purrington,	2
Thompson Hicks,	2	W. H. T. Sumner,	4
William Smith,	1	Solomon Trites,	1.50
Rev. Thos. Blakney,	1	Oliver Jones, Esq.,	4
George Mitten,	2	A. N. Palmer,	6.50
Chris. Bowser,	2	Hon. A. J. Smith,	4
Dea. John Crossman,	2	Jacob Crocker,	1
Samuel Crossman,	1	Hiram Hicks,	6
E. O. Bolmer,	1	Dea. John Ford,	2
Charles Crossman,	2	Capt. Atkinson,	7
John Crossman, jr.,	2	Dea. Titus Hicks,	2
Capt. E. D. Chase,	2	James R. Ayer,	3
George Bowser,	1	M. Grace,	4
G. L. Kinnear,	1	Johnston Cleaveland,	7.50
Mrs. E. Bowser,	1.35	Nathan Hicks,	6
James E. Dobson,	1	Moore McDonald,	1
Rev. D. Lawson,	2		
		By Barnes & Co.	
James McAlary,	$1	M. Wortman,	$2
Thomas Bell, (388)	2	J. L. Gunter,	2

BURTON'S TOBACCO ANTIDOTE.—This article is said to destroy the appetite for Tobacco. For sale at 50 cents. J. CHALONER,
March 11. Druggist.

SKELETON SKIRTS! SKELETON SKIRTS! SKELETON SKIRTS!—500 Skeleton Skirts, (very slightly soiled) will be sold very Cheap. They are double spangled and 3 inch Tape, a superior article. W. G. LAWTON,
Feb. 25. Corner King and Canterbur-streets.

☞ On Wednesday next, March 31st, the Rev. Timothy Harley will deliver a lecture in the Brussels Street Church on "*The Life and Labours of Rev. C. H. Spurgeon.*" Having been acquainted for twelve years with Mr. Spurgeon, and having been baptized and instrumentally prepared for the ministry by that eminent servant of God, Mr. Harley will be able to give a full account of Mr. Spurgeon's great work, and to furnish many anecdotes and items of information not generally known. As the price of the tickets is but ten cents, and may easily be obtained of any of the deacons of the Brussels Street Church, it is earnestly to be hoped that a large number of tickets will be sold. Proceeds to go toward the payment of the debt on the church.

The Rev. G. M. W. Carey, M. A., will preside.

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LIBERAL TERMS GIVEN.

W. H. OLIVE, AGENT,
March 11.—1m No. 11 King-street.

MARKETS.

Revised every Wednesday, for the Visitor.

Butter—		No. 1....	$24.00 a 25.00
Per lb.	25 a 26	No. 2.....	18.00 a 20.00
Candles—per lb.		No. 3.....	10.00 a 12.00
Dips.....	13 a 15	**Broostook Clear,**	
Moulds.....	0 a 15	Nos. 1 & 2.	0.00 a 40.00
Coals—per chald.		Pkg. 3....	0.00 a 30.00
Gowrie.....	a 5.00	" 4....	0.00 a 20.00
Eng. (b. house)...	a 6.50	Shingles....	2.00 a 4.50
Liverpool.....	a 5.00	**Pine Timber**	
Scotch,.....	4.00 a 5.00	per ton....	12.00 a 15.00
Grand Lake.....	a 5.00	**Molasses—**	
Sydney.....	a 6.50	Porto Rico...	0.48 a 0.50
Joggins, best		Barbados....	0.44 a 0.46
retail.....	4.50 a 5.00	Cienfuegos..	0.45 a 0.47
Anthracite,		N. S. Cuba,..	0.00 a 0.00
per ton.....	7.00 a 0.00	Matanzas....	0.00 a 0.00
Coffee—per lb.		Trinidad and	
Ceylon,.....	0.20 a 0.23	St. Kitts...	0.00 a 0.00
Java.....	0 22 a 0.23	**Oakum**—per cwt.	
St. Domingo..	0.17 a 0.18	Liverpool....	8.00 a 9.00
Jamaica.....	0.18½ a 0.20	Machine.....	9.00 a 0.00
Cordage—per lb.		**Oils**—per gal.	
Manilla.....	a 0.16	Sperm.....	2.50 a 0.00
Hemp.....	a 0.11	Pale Seal....	0.80 a 0.00
Wire Rope.....	a 0.09	Straw Seal..	0.70 a 0.75
Spun Yarn and		Rf. Whale...	1.05 a 1.30
Seizing.....	a 0.14	E. W. Lard..	1.00 a 1.10
Dried Apples—		Olive.....	1.60 a 0.00
Per lb.....	0.13 a 0.14	Albertine....	a 0.00
Fish—per qtl.		Lubricating .	a 0.80
Codfish.....	4.00 a 4.25	Kerosene....	0.46 a 0.47
Pollock.....	2.50 a 2.75	**Paints—**	
Ling.....	4.00 a 0.00	No. 1 W. Lead.	a 10.50
Shad, No. 2...	0.00 a 8.00	B. Paints....	8.25 a 8.50
HERRINGS—per bbl.		DOMESTIC—100 lbs.	
Bay.....	.0.00 a 3.50	WhiteLead 7.50	a 9.50
Split.....	3.25 a 3.50	Col'd Paints 6.50	a 7.50
Shelburne...	4.00 a 4 25	**Provisions—**	
Labrador....	0.00 a 6.00	M. Pork.....	a 26.00
Smoked Herrings—		Prime Pork..	a 23.00
Digby, No.1.	0.00 a 0.70	Canadian and	
" No.2.	0.55 a 0.00	P.E.I.mess	20.00 a 22.00
G. Manan—		M. Beef.....	16.50 a 17.50
No. 1.....	0.15 a 0.20	Hams pr. lb..	0.14 a 0.16
Flour and Meal—		Shoulders...	0.10 a 0.11
Extra State...	5.50 a 5.75	**Rice**—per 100 lbs.	
Canada Sup...	5.00 a 5.25	Arracan.....	4.25 a 4.75
Choice do....	5.25 a 6.50	**Sugar**—per lb.	
Family.....	6.00 a 6.50	Brig't P. Rico	0.10 a 0.10½
Pastry.....	7.25 a 7.50	Barbados....	a 0.09½
Corn Meal....	4.00 a 4.15	Crushed.....	0.13 a 0.14
Oatmeal.....	6.75 a 7.00	**Seeds—**	
Rye Flour....	6.00 a 6.25	Red Clover,	
Grain—per bush.		per lb....	0.14 a 0.16
Corn.....	0.00 a 1.00	White Dutch,	
Barley.....	0.00 a 1.00	per lb.....	0.35 a 0.40
Oats.....	0.00 0 a.65	Timothy, per	
Leather—		bushel.....	2.00 a 3.00
N. Y. Sole....	0.25 a 0.27	Flax p. bush.	1.00 a 1.50
Harness.....	0.25 a 0.30	**Salt—**	
C. Skins (F.).	1.00 a 1.40	Coarse, bags.	0.75 a 0.80
" (D.).	0.80 a 0.90	Fine "	a 1.50
Sole.....	0.25 a 0.26	**Soaps**—per lb.	
" (For.)....	0.25 a 0.26	Pale.....	0.07 a 0.08
Patna Kip....	0.00 a 1.60	Common	a 0.05½
Lumber—		**Tea**—per lb.	
PINE S. BOARDS.		Congo.....	0.35 a 0.45
(sap).....	13.00 a 14.00	Souchong....	0.45 a 0.60
Aroostook..	14.00 a 15.00	Oolong.....	0.48 a 0.60
Box Shooks.	0.50 a 0.60	**Tobacco**—per lb.	
CLAPBOARDS.		Isabella.....	0.37 a 0.38
(extra)...	30.00 a 35.00	St. John.....	a 0.35

FREIGHTS.

Deals—							
Liverpool	.75	0 a 00	0	Cork Quay	.75	0 a 00	0
To London	.75	0 a 00	0	W. C. I.	.80	0 a 82	0
Do. (tm. dls.)	.00	0 a 00	0	Newry	.80	0 a 00	0
B. Channel	.73	9 a 00	0	Lumber, Cuba	5 00	a 6 00	
Dublin	.77	6 a 00	0	To Boston	8 75	a 4 00	
Belfast	.00	0 a 77	6	Providence	5 00	a 5 50	
Warrenpoint	.00	0 a 73	9	New York	5 00	a 6 00	
Clyde	.71	8 a 75	0	Philadelphia	6 00	a 7 20	
Londonderry	.73	9 a 75	0	Box Shooks	0 15	a 0 20	

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, by Elder John Perry, Mr. George B. Kellem, of Salisbury, to Miss Prier A., eldest daughter of Mr. Jacob Scofield, of Studholm, K.C.

On the 13th inst., at the Wesleyan Parsonage, Petitcodiac Station, N. B., by the Rev. Isaac N. Parker, George N. Boyd, Esq., of Elgin, Albert County, N. B., to Miss Lavinia, daughter of William Drummond, Esq., of Upham, King's County, N. B.

On the 19th inst., at the Wesleyan Parsonage, Petitcodiac Station, N. B., by the Rev. I. N. Parker, Samuel L. Chittock, Esq., of Corn Hill, Havelock, King's County, N. B., to Miss Maggie, only daughter of the Rev. Mr. Smith, of Anagance, Parish of Sussex, King's County, N. B.

DIED.

On Tuesday, the 23d inst, after a lingering illness, which she bore with Christion fortitude, Mary J., relict of the late Wm. Scoullar, Esq., aged 51 years, leaving a large family to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate mother.

At Mosquito Cove, 22nd inst, Minnie Blanch, only child of Donald S. and Mary McKenzie, aged 2 years.

At St. Francis, V. Co., on 3rd February last, of consumption, Marybee Sturgeon, aged 25 years, leaving a husband, father, three sisters, and other relatives to mourn her early demise. The deceased was baptized about four years before her death, having been converted under the labours of the Rev. Mr. Estabrooks. She then joined the Baptist Church in that place. Having since lived a life of faith, she died in the hope of a glorious immortality.

On the 5th inst., Deacon James Calhoun, of Hopewell, A. C., aged 75 years.

At Gilroy, Santa Clara Co., California, on the 28th of January last, aged 4 years and 3 months, Allan DeWolfe, only child of Stephen P. and Wannie A. Sanders, and grandson of the late Mr. Joseph Alline, of this city.

["Christian Messenger" please copy.]

SHIP NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN—ARRIVED.

19th—Schr. Lively, 88, McDonald, Boston, via Portland, J. & S. Leonard, ballast: ship Whittier,——, Swap, Newburyport, Wm. Thomson, ballast.

20th—Brigt. Alva, 158, Armstrong, Turks Island, via Bermuda, C. E. Robinson, salt; schr. Wellington, 42, Eagles, Halifax, G. A. Lockhart & Son, gen. cargo.

22d—Barque Excelsior, 595, Bowers, Boston, L. Stewart, ballast; Mexican, 220, Walsh, Boston, W. Davidson, bal.; schr. Maggie Quinn, 104, Kingston, Boston via Porland, W. H. Quinn, hay; Odessa, 92, McLean, Providence, J. F. Marsters, ballast; Duke of Newcastle, 85, Finlay, Boston via Portland, Scammell Bros., general cargo; Jessie, 72, Foster, Boston, G. Eaton, general cargo.

CLEARED.

18th—Steamer New Brunswick, 935, Winchester, Portland, B. Ansley and others.

19th—Schr. Calvin, 168, Clark, Philadelphia, D. J. Seely, boards and laths; brigt. Iris, 234, Hatfield, Barbadoes, James Domville, boards.

20th—Schr. Dauntless, Shaw, Boston, Jewett Bros.

22d—Schr. Rosilla B, 107, Granville, Boston, M. Pomares.

BOARDING.—MRS. S. D. MILLER wishes to inform her friends, or any person wishing to procure a quiet, respectable Private Boarding House, that she has taken that large and pleasantly situated house, No. 6, Leinster Street, owned by James Milligan, Esq., and is prepared to make a few boarders very comfortable.

☞ Two or three gentlemen and their wives could be well accomodated. March 25.

FELT HATS.

SPRING STYLE 1869.—Just received—a large assortment of Spring Styles of Felt Hats, viz: Alpine, in Black, Brown and Drab; General Prim; Boz; Velocipede; Lancaster; Empire; Ounce; Alpine Planters; National; French Planters; Promenade; White House, &c. &c.—Wholesale and Retail. C. & E. EVERETT,
March 24. 15 King Street.

CHEAP CORNMEAL.—100 bags Cheap CORNMEAL. For sale low by [Feb. 18.] C. M. BOSTWICK.

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LEATHER BELTING AND RUBBER BELTING.—The Subscriber has received, and has now in stock, some of the very best Leather and Rubber Belting ever imported into this market. The principal part of his Leather Belting is from the celebrated makers, Messrs. Hoyt Bros., of New York, and his Rubber Belts from the well known firm of the Boston Belting Company. These Belts are all warranted to be as represented, and any belt proving BAD may be returned and another had in its place.

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PACKING OF ALL KINDS.—Rubber Patent, Plain, Mixed and Manhole Lubricating of all sizes. Flax, Hemp, Jute, (imported and domestic) Lath Ties, Paling Ties—together with a full assortment of every description of Hard and Flexible Rubber Goods—all of which will be sold at the lowest possible rates, by

March 25. Z. G. GABEL.

1869.

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

Goods entering United States duty free will be forwarded with a certificate.

Invoice and Clearing Certificate must be left at the Company's Office, otherwise they will not be received.

B. ANSLEY, AGENT.

St. John. N. B., March 25, 1869

EMPRESS!

FIRST TRIPS OF THE SEASON.

Digby, Annapolis, Windsor and Halifax.

STEAMER "EMPRESS" will leave for DIGBY and ANNAPOLIS on THURSDAY, 25th, at 8 a. m., and on MONDAY, 29th, same hour.

For WINDSOR, on TUESDAY EVENING, 30th inst., at high water.

Through Tickets to Halifax for sale at the Office, and on board the steamer.

THOS. HATHEWAY, AGENT,
March 25. 40 Dock Street.

AYER'S REMEDIES.—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Ayer's Pills, Ayer's Ague Cure, Ayer's Hair Vigor. Received and for sale by

ROBINSON BROS.,
March 25. 48 Prince William Street.

RADWAY'S REMEDIES.—Radway's Ready Relief; Radway's Regulating Pills; Radway's Renovating Resolvent or Sarsaparillian. Received and for sale by

ROBINSON BROS.,
March 25. 48 Prince William Street.

CAULIFLOWER SEEDS.—Large Asiatic, Early Erfurt, Welchern, Waite's Alma, Dwarf, Mammoth. Warranted fresh at (March 25.) HANINGTON BROS.

CHEAP CLOTHING!

AT THE WOOLEN HALL, 21 King Street.—JAMES MCNICHOL & SON.—Black Cloth Coats, from $5 to $12; Tweed Coats, from $4 to $10; Doeskin Coats, from $4 to $10; Black Pants, from $3 to $6; Tweed Pants, from $1.75 to $4; Doeskin Pants, from $3 to $5; Black Cloth Vests, from $1.50 to $3; Tweed Vests, from $1.25 to $2.50. Remember the place,—Woolen Hall, 21 King Street.

March 25 JAMES MCNICHOL & SON.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

MAILS for Digby, Annapolis, and the Western part of Nova Scotia, per *Empress*, will be made up at this Office on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, at 7 o'clock in the morning, commencing on the 25th inst.

For Parrsboro,' Windsor and Halifax, on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, on and after 30th inst.

J. HOWE.
Post Office, St. John, March 20, 1869. [March 25.

WANTED.—An experienced CUTTER, at the North American Clothing Store.
March 25 R. HUNTER.

DRY AND TARRED SHEATHING PAPER.—C. G. BERRYMAN, Barlow's Corner, 5 King Street.—A large stock of the above on hand at lowest market rates.
March 25. C. G. B.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.—60 hhds. Bright Porto Rico Sugar, very choice; 50 hhds. New Crop Cienfuegos Molasses. For sale at lowest market price.

W. V. GRAVES,
March 25. No. 3 Nelson Street.

TO RENT IN PARADISE ROW, PORTLAND—The COTTAGE, with Garden attached, now occupied by Mr. George B. Beacall, pleasantly situated, suitable for a small family. Water on the premises. Apply to

FRANCIS CLEMENTSON,
March 25. Dock Street,

CELERY SEEDS.—Seymour's New Red Celery; Cole's Crystal White Celery; Red Solid Celery, White Solid Celery. The best choice varieties. For sale by

March 25. HANINGTON BROS., Foster's Corner.

FLOWER SEEDS.

137 VARIETIES, a few of which are as follows:—Alyssum; nine sorts Aster; Balsam; Daisy; Tassel Flower; Canary Flower; three sorts Candytuft; Canterbury Bells; Corsation, Sardinian and German Cockscomb; Convolvulus; Coreopsis; Escholtzia; Chinese Primrose; Forget Me Not; Heartsease or Pansy; Carter's extra choice Everlasting Flowers; Hollyhock; Larkspur; Malope; Marigold; Mignonette; Nemophila; Sweet Peas, six sorts and mixed; Petunia; Phlox; Portulaca; six sorts Pinks, including the celebrated Heddwig's or Diadem Pink; Scabious; Snapdragon; eight sorts splendid Stocks, all blooming first season; Tropoleum; Verbena, three sorts; Wallflower; Acacia; Glaxinia; Godidio or the bride; Sanvitalia; Zinnia; Gladiolus Bulbs; Anemone Bulbs. (March 25.) J. CHALONER.

COFFEE! COFFEE!—Just received ex schr Welington, from Halifax, 12 sacks Jamaica Coffee. For sale cheap. JOSHUA S. TURNER,
March 25 22 Water Street.

DRIED APPLES.—Landing ex schr. Jessie—10 barrels Dried Apples. For sale by

March 25 C. M. BOSTWICK.

WHITE BEANS.—10 brls. White Beans, landing ex schr. Jessie, from Boston. For sale low by

March 25 C. M. BOSTWICK.

BALL KNITTING COTTON.—Just received—in White, Unbleached and Assorted Shades of Drab.
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
March 19. No. 2 Market Square.

JOHN ARMSTRONG & CO.—Just received—5 cases Very Superior CANADIAN TWEEDS, Latest Spring Styles. An inspection solicited.
March 18. JOHN ARMSTRONG & CO.

BABBITT'S CORCENTRATED POTASH.—This POTASA surpasses any other article in use for Soap making. 10 cases, containing 720 lbs., put up in 1 lb. cans. Just received and for sale by

March 18. T. B. BARKER & SONS.

JUST received, per steamer via Portland, and in Store: 600 dozen MILL FILES, of Butcher's, Brannall's and Ibbotson's makes, at W. H. THORNE'S,
March 18. Cor. Dock Street and Market Square.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Ottawa, 3rd March, 1869.

THE Commissioners give notice that in consequence of the late storms having interrupted the mail service over the country, the plans for the three further sections to be let, will not be ready for exhibition until TWELFTH MARCH, and Tenders will be received up to 7 o'clock, P. M., on MONDAY, 5th APRIL, 1869.

A. WALSH,
ED. B. CHANDLER,
C. J. BRYDGES,
W. F. COFFIN,
March 18—6i Commissioners.

SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER.

MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON,
March 18. No. 2. Market Square.

YARMOUTH AND BOSTON

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY!

THE New A 1 Sea-going Steamship "LINDA, J. M. DAVIS, Commander, will be placed on the route between

Yarmouth, Boston and St. John, on Thursday, March 18.

sailing as follows:—

Yarmouth for Boston, Thursday,	March	18, 8 a.m.
Boston for Yarmouth, Wednesday,	"	24, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for St. John, Friday	"	26, 5 p.m.
St. John for Yarmouth, Tuesday,	"	30, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for Boston, Wednesday,	"	31, 5 p.m.
Boston for Yarmouth, Monday,	April	5, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for St. John, Wednesday,	"	7, 5 p.m.
St. John for Yarmouth, Friday,	"	9, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for Boston, Saturday,	"	10, 5 p.m.
Boston for Yarmouth, Wednesday,	"	14, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for St. John, Friday,	"	16, 5 p.m.
St. John for Yarmouth, Saturday	"	17, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for Boston, Monday,	"	19, 5 p.m.
Boston for Yarmouth, Saturday,	"	24, 5 p.m.
Yarmouth for St. John, Monday,	"	27, 5 p.m.
St. John for Yarmouth, Wednesday,	"	28, 5 p.m.

Yarmouth for Boston, Saturday, 1st May, at 8 a. m., from which time weekly trips will be made—leaving Yarmouth for Boston every Saturday, at 6 p.m. Boston for Yarmouth every Tuesday, at 6 p.m. Yarmouth for St. John every Thursday, at 6 p.m. St. John for Yarmouth every Friday, at 6 p.m.

The Steamer connects with all other lines from Boston and Saint John.

Freight taken at moderate rates, and through bills of lading signed.

C. McLAUCHLAN & CO., AGENTS, St. John.
J. O.