J. F. BOULTON,
BARRISTER-AT-LAW!
SOLICITOR-IN-CHANCERY,
CONVEYANCER, &C.,
Aumond's Buildings, Rideau Street.
Ottawa, Jan. 12, 1866. 21

TINSMITHS.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, FOUR good Tinsmiths. Steady workmen will receive the highest wages.
Apply *at once to*
ESMONDE BROS.,
43, Sparks Street.
Ottawa, January 12, 1866. 21-tf

JAS. JOHNSTON'S
UNION HOUSE,
NORTH GOWER.
☞ Good Stabling and an attentive Hostler.
January 11, 1866. 20-y*

Upper Town Skating Rink.

THE UPPER TOWN SKATING RINK
IS NOW OPEN
TO SUBSCRIBERS AND THE PUBLIC

Season Tickets, Genelemen,	$3 00
" " Ladies,	1 50
Single Ticket for Skating	12½

A BRASS BAND will be in attendance every Monday and Thursday.
W. CARTNEY.
January 11, 1866. 20-tf

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE
AND ATHENÆUM.

THE SECOND LECTURE of the Second Course will be delivered by C. LeSueur, Esq., on FRIDAY next, at 8 o'clock, p. m., Subject—"Glimpses of Nature in some of her grand and and beautiful aspects."

Family Tickets for Course	$1.00
Single Admission	12½cts.

Tickets can be had from the Librarian at the Institute, and from any of the Trustees.
J. P. ROBERTSON,
Rec. Secretary.
Ottawa, Jan. 10, 1866. 19-tf

GENUINE
Wheeler & Wilson's
LOCK STITCH
Sewing Machines!

HIGHEST PREMIUMS AWARDED AT each and all of the Great International Exhibitions of Europe for the last four years, including
The World's Fair London 1862
THE GREAT DUBLIN EXHIBITION, '65,
As well as all the great Association Fairs of the United States.
☞ Also Planer and Kayser's unequalled No. 2 and 3 for light and heavy leather work, harness stitching, etc.
☞ Needles, Oil, etc., for sale. Stitching done to order. All kinds Sewing Machines repaired.
G. A. WALTON,
AGENT.
OFFICE: 27, Sparks street, Centre Town.
Ottawa, Jan. 9, 1866. 6-y

AMERICAN INVOICES—DISCOUNTS.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
Customs, Quebec, 6th March, 1863.

IT IS DIRECTED BY THE HON. THE Finance Minister that hereafter Weekly Notices be published and furnished to Collectors of Customs, as to the rate of discount to be allowed on American Invoices, which is to be in accordance with the price of gold as represented by Exchange, at a rate equal thereto. Such notices to appear every Saturday in the *Canada Gazette*.
R. S. M. BOUCHETTE.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, CUSTOMS,
Ottawa, 5th January, 1866.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ABOVE Order, notice is hereby given that the authorized discount is declared to be 31 per cent, which per centage of deduction is to be continued until next Weekly Notice, and to apply to all purchases made in the United States during that week.
R. S. M. BOUCHETTE.
Ottawa, January 9, 1866. 18-tf

Ordnance Lands—Ottawa.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a large number of building lots, situated in north Rideau street, north Patrick street, north St. Andrew street, south Bolton street, east Nelson street, east Gloucester street, east Cobourg street, west Cobourg street, east Wellington street, south Parry street, Franklin street, north and south, south Ottawa street, south Park street, and Rideau street, will be offered for sale on WEDNESDAY, the FIRST day of FEBRUARY, 1866, at the hour of noon, at the Russell House Hotel, Ottawa, by H McLean, Auctioneer.
Lists of the lots and terms of payment may be had on application at the office of the undersigned, in Ottawa.
By Order of
The Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands,
WILLIAM F. COFFIN,
Ordn. Lands Agent.
Ordinance Lands Branch,
Crown Lands, Ottawa.
Dec. 14th, 1865. 5-tel

LOST.

ABOUT the middle of November last, a rough board box, 2 feet long by 1 foot wide, containing a drawing-room lamp. The box was either left at the Grand Trunk Station, Quebec, or taken from the cars of the O. & P. Railway, and was addressed, J. G. Vansittart, Ottawa.
Parties giving such information as will lead to the recovery of the above will be liberally rewarded on application to
I. M. TAYLOR,
Agent O. & P. Railway.
*** *Citizen* copy.
Ottawa, Jan. 3, 1866. 13-b

Oatmeal! Oatmeal!

North Gower! North Gower!

THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to inform the inhabitants of the County of Carleton and surrounding country, that he has one of the best mills in the Province, worked by horse power, and giving the meal in a pure and perfect state, and at prices that will insure satisfaction to all parties.
The above firm is situated about one mile from North Gower Corners, and is known by the name of the
"FARMER'S OWN MILL!"
The present prices are $5.00 per barrel for the best pure meal, and at exchange 14 lbs. of meal to the bushel.
ROBERT THOMPSON.
January 3, 1866. 13-t

WANTED.

A THOROUGH SERVANT, WHO CAN Wash and Cook. Must have a character from her last place. Apply at the Albion Hotel, near the Court House.
Ottawa, December 18, 1865 d-t

OTTAWA,
The capital of Canada.

TO LEASE!

The Building formerly known as
THE BRITISH HOTEL!
Situated on the
CORNER of SUSSEX & GEORGE Sts.

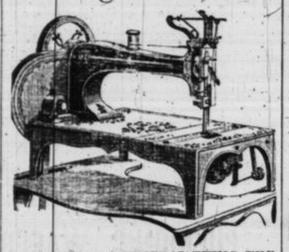
THE LOCATION OF THIS HOTEL IS IN the most central and best business part of the city. It is constructed of stone, has a frontage of 66 feet on Sussex Street, with piazza to three stories, and a frontage on George Street of one hundred and fifty-six feet; is four stories high, has had a wing of one hundred and sixteen feet in length added to it within the last two years; has been thoroughly renovated, and has ample accommodation for two hundred guests.
The Hotel contains eighty rooms, comprising single and double-bedded rooms, sitting rooms, gentlemen and ladies' parlors, a dining room 60 feet by 33 (second to none in the Province), bath rooms, &c., &c.
It has also detached from the main building a Billiard room, ice house, larder, laundry, stables, &c., &c.
The premises are covered with tin; are enclosed and secured by fire-proof walls, and are insured under a first-class risk. They are within less than five minutes' walk of the Parliament Buildings, and, *as the first session of Parliament to be held in Ottawa* will take place at an early day, they offer a rare chance to any gentleman who thoroughly understands keeping a
First-Class Hotel!
Hotel accommodation is at present so much wanted in this city, this house, under proper management, could not fail to prove a remunerative and safe investment.
Suitable parties, wishing to rent or purchase, will be dealt with liberally on application (post-paid) to the subscriber.
JAMES SKEAD.
Ottawa City, C. W.,
January 10, 1866. 19-tf

SKATES, TOYS,
AND PERFUMERY,
AT THE
SHEFFIELD HOUSE
24, SPARKS STREET.
E. R. MacGillivray & Co.,
Direct Importers.
Ottawa, January 10, 1866. 19-y

Smoking. Smoking.

JUST RECEIVED, AT
A. ROBERTSON'S,
OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
ELGIN STREET.
The following choice brands of Tobaccos:
PLANTER'S PRIDE! GOLDEN LEAF!!
Rough and Ready,
HONEY-DEW! VIRGINIA!!
Eldorado, Navy,
PLANTATION! KILLIKINICK!
Solace,
FINE TURKISH SMOKING!
Together with a lot of other brands too numerous to mention.
If you want a good SEGAR,
CALL AT ROBERTSON'S.
If you want a splendid PIPE,
CALL AT ROBERTSON'S,
Opposite the Post Office, Elgin Street.
Ottawa, Jan. 10, 1866. 19-d

SINGER'S
Sewing Machines,



WHILE, AS A GENERAL THING, THE Sewing Machine people are candid enough to acknowledge that our machines are unequalled for MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, they are almost sure to assert, in the same breath, that Singer's "Letter A" or Family Machines are not as good as theirs! This is a mere trick of the trade, and we confidently invite those interested in the subject to examine for themselves, and see what our
"Letter A" Family Machines
With all the improvements which have brought them to their present perfection, are capable of doing.
It is absolutely necessary to see our FAMILY MACHINE in operation, so as to judge of its great capacity and beauty. It is fast becoming as popular for
FAMILY SEWING!
as our Manufacturing Machines are for manufacturing purposes.
Call and examine, and decide for yourselves.
A. C. BEACH & CO.,
Agents.
OFFICE—No. 62, Sparks Street, opposite Bishop's Hotel, Ottawa.
Ottawa, Jan. 10, 1866. 19-tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!
OYSTERS,
FISH & GAME.
A. FOSTER,
(FORMERLY OF QUEBEC,)

BEGS to inform the public in general that he has taken the premises, on York street, third door from the By-ward market, where he will keep constantly on hand, in season, a large supply of Oysters, Haddock, Cod, Lobsters, and all sorts of Game, which will be sold at the cheapest rates, and delivered free to any part of the city.
☞ A call is respectfully solicited.
Ottawa, Jan. 6, 1866. 16-d

LIFE, GROWTH AND BEAUTY.

Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorer and Dressing Invigorate, strengthen and lengthen the hair. They act directly upon the roots of the hair, supplying required nourishment, and natural color and beauty returns. Grey hair disappears, bald spots are covered, hair stops falling, and luxuriant growth is the result. Ladies and Children will appreciate the delightful fragrance and rich, glossy appearance imparted to the hair, and no fear of soiling the skin, scalp, or most elegant head-dress.
Sold by all Druggists.
Depot 198 & 200 Greenwich St. N. Y.
Sold by George Mortimer, John Roberts W M. Massey, H. F. McCarthy, and J. Skinner in Ottawa.
Ottawa Dec. 29, 1865. 10-y

MACGEE & RUSSELL

HAVE MUCH PLEASURE IN SUBMITTING THE FOLLOWING
FOR INSPECTION:

New Glasgow Wincies,
New Perth Wincies,
New Aberdeen Wincies,
New Chambery Wincies,
New French Twilled Cobourgs,
New French Merinoes,
New All-Wool Plaids,
New Fancy Dresses,
New Balmoral Skirtings,
New Paisley Shawls,
New Tasmanian Shawls
New Reversable Shawls,
New Woollen Shawls,
New Cloth Jackets,
New Whitney Jackets,
New Astrachan Jackets,
New Snow-Flake Jackets,
New Cloth Circular Mantles,
New Trimmed Hats,
New Trimmed Bonnets,
New Astrachan Caps and Setts,
New Cottons and Prints,
New Printed Shirtings,
New Flannels and Blankets,
New Canadian Tweeds,
New Scotch Tweeds,
New English Tweeds,
New Mantle Cloths,
New Overcoatings,
New Fancy Flannel Shirts
New Plush Muffs,
New Hosiery and Gloves,
New Scarfs, Ties, Collars, &c,
New Clouds, in plain and fancy
New Wool Hoods for Ladies,
New Woollen Jackets,
New Lambs'-Wool Underclothing,
New Chest Wrappers,
New Infantees and Bootees,
New Gaiters, &c., &c,

M. & R. being convinced that nothing can ensure public support but
Selling Goods of First-Rate Quality!
They have, in the selection, scrupulously avoided every article of an inferior description. They can, therefore, with confidence,
Warrant the Entire Stock!
To be of sound and unblemished fabrics. The extremely MODERATE PRICES affixed to every article cannot fail to convince purchasers that superior quality and exceeding cheapness are combined to the greatest possible extent.
MACGEE & RUSSELL.
Ottawa, December 28th, 1865. 9-d

GARLAND, MUTCHMOR & Co.'s
IMPORTATIONS.
Having been the LARGEST!

AND THEIR STOCK HAVING BEEN REPLENISHED BY IMPORTATIONS EX *S. S. BELGIAN, NORTH AMERICAN and NOVA SCOTIAN*, they now offer the Largest Stock and most Complete Assortment of every description of
DRY GOODS!
IN THE CITY, COMPRISING
Shawls, Dress Goods,
French Merinoes, Cobourgs,
Winceys, Flannels, Blankets,
Cloths and Tweeds,
Gloves, Hosiery, Bonnets,
Hats, Mantles, Nubias, Jackets, Scarfs, &c., &c.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.
They devote special attention to this branch of their business, having received by late Steamers,
12 Bales New Carpetings,
2 Cases English Floor Cloths,
1 do Hearth Rugs.
THEIR STOCK IS AGAIN
WELL ASSORTED
AND WILL BE KEPT SO BY
Importations by Succeeding Steamers.

Their Buyer being about to leave for Europe, the
WHOLE STOCK will be OFFERED CHEAP
To make Room for Spring Importations.
☞ INSPECTION INVITED. ☜
No. 20 Sparks Street, Central Ottawa.
Ottawa, December 18, 1865. 1-tf

GREAT
Christmas & New Year's Sale
COMMENCING THIS DAY,
Of FIRST CLASS DRY GOODS!
—AT—
Jas. BROUGH & Co.'s
☞ 9 & 11 SUSSEX STREET. ☜
JAS. BROUGH & Co.,

RESPECTFULLY INVITE ATTENTION TO THEIR GREAT CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S SALE of FANCY GOODS. At no former time has there been offered such inducements to *CASH BUYERS* as at the present, nor a more favorable opportunity for purchasing CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS could not be desired.
TO-DAY
Several EXTRAORDINARY CHEAP LOTS, at and UNDER
HALF PRICE!
WILL BE PLACED ON THE COUNTERS OF THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS.

Millinery Department!

THE ARRANGEMENTS IN THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT ARE SO COMPLETE, under the Superintendence of a *FIRST CLASS MILLINER*, that orders to any extent can be executed with the greatest care and punctuality.
SALES for CASH.
All GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES and ONE PRICE.
Ottawa, December 18, 1865. 1-tf

THE
Western INSURANCE Company,
(LIMITED,)
OF ENGLAND.
CAPITAL, - - - - $5,000,000.
Established in connection with the Western, Manchester and London Life Assurance Society, Founded in 1842.
FIRE AND LIFE POLICIES ISSUED, and Losses paid by the Head Office in Canada (Messrs. Scott & DeGrassi, Toronto), without reference to England.
Agent for Ottawa and vicinity,
HENRY GRIST,
OFFICE—Sussex Street, 3 doors below York.
Ottawa, Dec. 19, 1865. 2-tf

Established in 1850.
HENRY GRIST,
(LATE OF QUEBEC,)
Departmental, Parliamentary, and Patent Right Agent.
PARTIES HAVING BUSINESS TO transact, will save time and trouble by consulting Mr. Grist.
OFFICE:—3 doors below York, on Sussex Street, in the same building with Messrs. Buckley & Scott, Solicitors.
Ottawa, Dec. 19, 1865. 2-tf

HENRY GRIST
HAS FOR SALE BANK, STEAMBOAT Oil, Copper, and Gas Stocks; Debentures, Mortgages, &c.
OFFICE:—On Sussex Street, 3 doors below York, over Campbell & Co.'s Grocery Store.
Ottawa, Dec. 19, 1865. 2-tf

HENRY GRIST,
LAND AGENT, &c
SELLERS AND BUYERS OF REAL Estate may consult Mr. Grist free of charge.
Stocks purchased and sold. ☞ Money for Investment.
FOR EXCHANGE.
Property in the City of Hamilton, C. W., for property in Ottawa.
OFFICE,—Sussex Street, nearly opposite Solis & Co.'s Oil and Lamp Store.
Ottawa, Dec. 19, 1865. 2-tf

COAL OIL.
Received this day 1 Car-load Hartford Oil.
SEE OUR NEW
Regulating Flame Burner!
Breaks no Chimnies!
Does not Smoke!
☞ Sole Agents for this place:
COAL OIL DEPOT,
84, SUSSEX STREET.
SOLIS & LEAVENS.
Ottawa, Dec. 29, 1865. 10-a

JAMES HOPE,
Manufacturing Stationer and Bookbinder.
IMPORTER OF
GENERAL STATIONERY, ARTISTS' MATERIALS, SCHOOL BOOKS, BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS and CHURCH SERVICES,
Corner of Sparks and Elgin Streets, OTTAWA.

A FULL AND VARIED STOCK OF the following MISCELLANEOUS and COUNTING-HOUSE STATIONERY, always in stock:—
Walking Sticks,
Wafers,
Wedding Stationery,
Writing Inks, (all makers,)
Wax Tapers and Stands,
Wafer Stamps,
Whist Counters,
Writing Pads and Cases,
Writing Desks,
Writing Parchments.
Visiting Cards,
Tin Foil,
Time Books,
Thermometers,
Thumb Tacks,
Tape Lines,
Timber Tables,
Twine Boxes and Twine,
Tin Paper Cutters and Rulers Combined
Tracing Cloths and Paper,
Tourists' Writing Cases,
Tissue Papers,
Tinted Cards,
Tinsel Papers,
Steamer's Wood Books,
Skeleton Books,
Section Paper,
Stamp Act,
Swartwout's Patent Paper Fasteners,
Silver Pencils and Penholders,
Silk Taste,
Sponge Holders,
Surface-Colored Paper,
Shanty Ledgers,
Stationery Cabinets and Cases
Sketch Books and Blocks,
Slates and Slate Pencils,
Sealing Wax,
Scrap Books.
Rulers,
Rodger's Knives,
Ready Reference Files,
Reeves' Colors, &c.,
Rowney's Pencils and Colors,
Quill Pen Machines,
Quills and Quill Pens,
Patent Finger Dampers,
Papeteries,
Photograph Frames and Albums,
Promissory Notes,
Portable Copying Presses,
Patent Scale Rulers, various sizes,
Paper Ties,
Portfolios,
Pocket Inks,
Pencil Leads,
Propelling Pencils,
Porcelain Slates,
Printers' Cards,
Perforated Boards,
Pencil Sharpeners,
Playing Cards,
Photographic Albums,
Programme Cards and Pencils,
Portable Writing Desks,
Paper Cloth for Working Plans,
Pocket Books, Ledgers and Diaries,
Pens, Gold and Steel, (various makers)
Pencil Cases,
Perry's Pencils,
Penny's Metallic Books,
Penholders,
Penmakers,
Penknives,
Pasteboards,
Papers, (all kinds),
Order Books,
Oil Colors in Tubes,
Oiled Paper,
Ox Gall,
Newspaper Fyles,
Notarial Seals and Wafers,
Monocromatic Boards,
Mapping Pens,
Mucilage,
Mottoes for Confectioners,
Mounting Boards,
Metal Inkstands,
Metallic Books,
Memorandum Books,
Mathematical Instruments,
Marking Ink,
Marble Papers,
Manuscript Books.
Letter Books and Files,
Ledgers,
Law Forms,
Ivory Tablets,
Ivory and Boxwood Scales,
Interest and Exchange Tables,
Ivory Knives and Folders,
Ink, (various makers),
Ink Pencils, Red, Blue and Black,
Ink Erasers,
Indian Rubber,
Inkstands,
Horne & Hope's Progressive Series of School [Copy Books,
Harp Fyles,
Gum Tickets,
Gilt Mouldings,
Gilt Papers,
Gold Ink,
Gold Shells,
Gold Pens, Holders & Pencils,
Glass Inkstands,
Faber's Pencils,
Feather Dusters,
Files and Letter Clips
Fancy Envelopes,
Fancy Notepapers,
Foreign Note & Letter Paper
Envelope Cases,
Erasing Knives,
Eyelet Machines,
Excise Inks,
Envelopes,
Elastic Bands,
Embossed Papers,
Enamelled Cards and Card Boards,
Date Books,
Day Books,
Daily Journals and Diaries,
Drafts,
Dice and Dice Boxes,
Drawing Pins and Pens,
Drawing Books and Pencils,
Drawing Papers and Boards,
Damping Brushes,
Cribbage Boards,
Carmine and Blue Pencils
Chalk for Black Boards,
Colored Crayons,
Crayon Studies,
Copper Foil and Lead,
Colors in Powder, for Wax Flowers,
Crayon Holders,
Colored Surface Papers,
Colored Glazed Papers,
China Palettes,
Continuous Drawing Papers,
Crayon Boards and Papers,
Copying Brushes,
Copying Presses,
Copying Letter Books,
Copy Books,
Canes,
Chess Boards and Men,
Camel Hair Brushes,
Carbonized Pens,
Bills of Exchange,
Black Lines,
Bill Stamps,
Bankers' Bill Cases,
Bristol Boards,
Boxes of Water Colors,
Bill Head Cases,
Bookbinder's Materials,
Bookbinder's Cloths and Leathers,
Bonnet Boards,
Blotting Papers,
Blotting Books, Cases, and Pads,
Black Bordered Letter and Notepapers,
Black Bordered Cards and Envelopes,
Backgammon Boards,
Bill Books,
Bankers' Pass Books,
Barnard's Carbonized Pens,
Almanacs,
Albums,
Account Books.
JAMES HOPE,
Corner Sparks and Elgin Streets.
Ottawa, Jan. 12, 1866. 1-d

Just Received,
AND
FOR SALE CHEAP,
100 bbls. Mess Pork.
C. SPARROW, Jr.
Ottawa, January 11, 1866. 20-tf

Mechanics' Institute & Athenaeum
SECOND COURSE OF LECTURES.

THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE AND Athenæum respectfully announces that the Second Course of Lectures will
Commence on Friday,
January 5th, 1866.
LECTURES.
The Managing Committee has the pleasure to state that the following will be the order of the Lectures:—
Jan. 12—P. Le Sueur, Esq.—"Glimpses of Nature in some of her grand and beautiful aspects."
Jan. 19—Rev. J. H. Borthwick, M.A.—"The Revival of Literature in the 13th and 14th Centuries."
Jan. 25—Walter J. Henry, Esq., M. D.—"Labour and its reward."
Feb. 2.—T. C. Clarke, Esq.—
Feb. 9.—G. H. Perry, Esq., C. E.
Feb. 16.—W. D. Le Sueur, Esq., B.A.—"The Science of Languages."
Feb. 22.—Rev. Bedford Jones, M.A., D.C.L.—"Improvement."
The Lecture will open each Evening at Eight o'clock.
Tickets for the Second Course, or Single Tickets, can be had from the Custodian at the News Room.
C. R. CUNNINGHAM,
Chairman, M. C.
W. P. LETT, Corresponding Secretary.
J. P. ROBERTSON, Rec. Secretary.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Ottawa, Jan. 5, 1866. 15-tf

Central Canada Oil Comp'y.

THE UNDERSIGNED will be in Ottawa on the 9th January, inst. He will remain three or four days to sell stock of the Central Canada Oil Company. All parties desirous of securing Scrip, will find him at his rooms, Russell House.
A. W WOOLLEY.
Ottawa, Jan. 6, 1866. 16

TOBACCOS! TOBACCOS!
J. G. ZIMMERMAN
RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Ottawa and vicinity, that he has opened
A NEW STORE
ON THE CORNER OF METCALFE AND SPARKS STREETS,
In Kavannagh's old stand, where he has on hand a splendid assortment of
Fine-Cut and Plug Tobaccos
Meerschaum and Briar-Root Pipes,
And a large lot of FANCY GOODS, Musical Boxes, which play all the popular tunes; together with a lot of other articles too numerous to mention.
☞ *PLEASE CALL AND SEE.* ☜
J. G. ZIMMERMAN.
Ottawa, Jan. 4, 1866. 14-3m

Cloth Factory at Ottawa
FOR SALE.

THE EXECUTORS to the Estate of the late Thos. Mackay, have decided to offer for sale that valuable water power establishment known as the
"Rideau Falls Woollen Mills,"
Which have been worked for the last nine years by H. O. Burritt, Esq.
The water power is from a perpendicular fall of forty feet, situated immediately outside of the City of Ottawa, and is abundant and permanent at all seasons.
For further particulars apply at the office of the
MACKAY ESTATE.
New Edinburgh,
Jan. 4, 1866. 14-a

FOR SALE.
1 RUSSIAN SLEIGH.
1 SETT OF TANDEM HARNESS,
(*In good order.*)
1 DOG CART,
(*Nearly new.*)
For further particulars, apply at the office of the
MACKAY ESTATE.
New Edinburgh,
Jan. 24, 1866. 14-a

THOS. NELSON,
BOOT MAKER,
WELLINGTON STREET,
OPPOSITE DR. VAN CORTLANDT'S,
OTTAWA.

HAVING had many year's experience in some of the best establishments in the metropolitan cities of Canada, he feels confident that all orders entrusted to his care will be executed in the best style, and guaranteed to give satisfaction.
Ottawa, Jan. 4, 1866. 14-y

GOVERNMENT HOUSE—OTTAWA,
Saturday, 16th day of December, 1865.
PRESENT:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

HIS EXCELLENCY was pleased to lay before the Council a Report from the Commissioner of Customs, dated 15th December, 1865, and approved by the Hon. the Minister of Finance, stating that under authority of chapter 17 of the Con. Stat., Can., Sec. 24, an Order in Council was passed on 28th April, 1853, directing "that Goods *bona fide* exported to this Province from any country, but passing in *transitu* through another country and under Bonds shall be, until it shall be otherwise ordered, valued for duty as if such Goods were imported direct from such first mentioned country into this Province," and submitting that it would be desirable to extend said Order in Council to *free* as well as dutiable Goods.
Whereupon His Excellency in Council was pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that free Goods passing through a foreign country consigned directly to Importers in Canada, shall hereafter be put on the same footing as dutiable Goods.
Signed,
WM. H. LEE,
C. E. C.
January 1, 1866. 12-tf

Sealed Tenders,
Addressed to the undersigned,
WILL BE RECEIVED
At this Office, until
Saturday, 13th of January,
Next, at noon, for the construction of
TWO BRIDGES
OVER THE
RIDEAU CANAL,
One near Beckett's Landing, and the other near Mutchmor's Cut, Nepean.
Plans and specifications of the Bridges may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Superintendent of the Rideau Canal, where forms of tender can also be had.
Parties tendering must give the names and address in full, and also the signatures of two responsible persons willing to become sureties for the due performance of the work.
Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for Bridges near Beckett's Landing and Mutchmor's Cut."
The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest, or any Tender.
By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department Public Works,
Ottawa, Dec. 29th, 1865. 11-j13

VERDICT IN FAVOR OF
THE "TEA POT!"

Some dealers in Tea, Sugar, Coffee, and Spices,
From various causes were vieing in prices,
Till rivalry into fierce quarrel was veering,
Which timely was checked by some stranger appearing.
"Fie! fie!" he exclaimed, "let this quarrelling cease,
Yours passions restrain, and disturb not the peace;
'Tis QUALITY, only, that's worth finding out—
Let's fairly and calmly put that to test,
And we shall find out the cheapest and best;
And when 'tis decided, proclaimed let it be,
Who sells the best Coffee and who the best Tea."
The plan was approved of, and judges elected,
Whose honest opinions had ne'er been suspected;
When this Tea, and that Tea, they tasted in turn,
And then tried the Coffees from out a new urn—
And in a few seconds returned to decide;
"Unbiassed, and void of all prejudice, we
Unite in asserting that ROBINSON'S TEA
We've put in each possible way to the test,
And find it to be really the CHEAPEST and BEST;
And as for their COFFEES, we also declare,
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