Esquimaux Coats at Devlin's.

LOCAL NEWS.

GAME.—An immense arrival of Game, Prairie Chicken, Quail and Partridge, direct from the prairies, at the Queen. 1558a

POLICE COURT.—There was no case for trial at this Court on Saturday.

The market was fairly attended on Saturday. Wood was in good supply.

CITY COUNCIL.—A meeting of the new City Council will be held this evening.

NO PRISONERS.—There were no prisoners arrested during either Saturday or Sunday nights.

WOLVES.—It is said that wolves are so numerous in the country to the east of the Lievres River that they are driving the deer in great number to the Ottawa river.

ANNIVERSARY.—The Missionary Anniversary of the Wesleyan Methodist body will be held in the Metcalfe street Church this evening. Eloquent addresses will be made by popular speakers.

BROKE THROUGH.—The ice up the river has been so bad that no less than twelve teams, it is said, broke through in one day above the High Falls a short time ago.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—On Saturday evening last a meeting of the "United Total Abstinence Society" was held in the rooms of the "Immigrants Aid Society's" room, Aumond's Block. There was a fair attendance, and the proceedings were very interesting.

BAD CONDUCT.—The rude and rowdy conduct of certain parties who attended the Readings in Gowan's Hall on Friday evening last, was a subject of annoyance to both readers and audience. The names of these parties will surely be made public if their bad conduct is continued.

RAIN.—The mild weather of the past few days culminated yesterday evening in a heavy fall of rain which converted the surface of the snow into a sheet of glare ice. Walking, in consequence, was difficult and disagreeable.

☞ Just Received, Tommy Cods, and nice fresh fat Bulk Oysters, by the pint quart or gallon. Try them.
J. BUSS & Co.,
27 Sussex-st.

LECTURE.—The lecture on Saturday evening in the Mechanics' Institute, under the auspices of the Ottawa Literary and Scientific Society was well attended. The lecturer was Mr. Blain de St. Aubin. The subject was ably handled, and the lecture interesting and instructive.

Arrivals at the Union House on Saturday were:—George Watson, Cumberland; John Heming, Carleton Place; J. Ritchie, Montreal; R B Hall, do; G Dumouchel, Aylmer; T I Walsh do; R A Larm, do; J P Curran, do; K M Fenwick, Kingston; L G Reed, Belleville; P Dion, Theresa; James B Williams, Tamwet; Robert Barclay Hanbury, Portland Place, London.

Arrivals at the Russell House on Saturday were:—John Converse, Montreal; W McNaughton, do; J Provencher, Nicolet; A Elliott, Almonte; W Edwards, Montreal; James H Pearl, Montreal; W J Cullogh, Brockville; John Burke, Toronto; R Watson, Almonte; L G Reed, Belleville; A Gowdey, Montreal; L Rose, London.

O. B. G. A. SOCIAL.—We learn with pleasure that the Ottawa Brigade Garrison Artillery intend holding a social on Thursday evening next in the late barracks, better known as the British Hotel, corner of George and Sussex streets, for the particular benefit of the fine band of the Brigade. The room will be decorated, well heated and made as comfortable as possible for the occasion. The socials of this Brigade are always one of the best of local entertainments, and this one will in no respect be behind any former one. The object of the entertainment should of itself make it popular.

☞ 50 dozen Velveteen Hats, from 25 cents upwards. A large assortment of flowers and Feathers. Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.
At the "Golden Lion."
R. L. JAMES & Co.

ROBBERY.—On Friday last a gentleman living in Lower Town discovered that he had been robbed of one hundred dollars. A servant girl named Mary Preu, who had left his employ the day before, was immediately suspected, and upon the case being reported to the Police, and after investigation made by them it was discovered that the girl was really the thief; that she had given a friend thirty dollars of the money, and with the balance had left town. The thirty dollars given to the friend were recovered. Efforts are being made to receive intelligence of the whereabouts of the thief and balance of the cash.

Militia Appointments.

Ottawa Brigade of Garrison Artillery, No. 3 Battery, Gloucester.—Captain Charles E. Perry is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

MEETING.

An assembly of the citizens of all nationalities in the city of Ottawa, was held in the hall of the French Canadian Institute, on the 13th of January, 1871, for the purpose of relieving the French widows, orphans and wounded, left in destitution by the war now raging.

Mr. Turgeon having been called to the chair, explained in both languages the object of the assembly, after which were proposed and unanimously carried the following resolutions:

Moved by S. Drapeau, President of the French Canadian Institute, seconded by Aldermen Heney, that this meeting, without regarding the causes of the present bloody conflict in France would express its sincere sympathy for the unhappy families, afflicted by the disastrous war in that country, in order to alleviate the misery of their condition, and to add a mite to the relief of the widows and orphans.—Carried.

Moved by the Honorable James Skead, seconded by Doctor Beaubien, that this meeting of citizens of all origins in this city desires to second the generous initiative taken by the other cities of Canada, and offers to the widows and orphans of France that share of assistance, which benevolence ever calls from the friends of humanity.—Carried unanimously.

Moved by Mr. John Clancy, seconded by Dr. St. Jean, that in order to give effect to the foregoing motions, it is resolved that a Committee of a certain number of persons be formed to collect the contributions of our citizens, and that the persons thus chosen do form, with the officers of this meeting, a standing Committee to carry out its purposes.—Adopted unanimously.

Moved by W. Mackay Wright, Esq., seconded by M. Leduc, N. P., that a subscription list be now opened, and lists for the several streets of the city, and for adjoining localities be distributed among the persons to be named at the present meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. N. Germains, seconded by Mr. John Kelly, that the Hon. James Skead, J. M. Currier, M.P., Dr. Grant, Alonzo Wright, M.P., the members of the neighbouring constituencies, and the President of this assembly be charged of collecting the subscriptions of His Excellency the Governor-General and the Ministers of the Federal Government, and that all the collected sums be published in the papers of this city in the ordinary manner.—Carried.

Moved by James Skead, Senator, seconded by W. Mackay Wright, Esq., that H. V. Noel, Manager of the Quebec Bank, be named Treasurer of the collected subscriptions, and that to the Secretary of this meeting be entrusted the care of sending the total amount to the French Consul in Quebec, with a letter of sympathy, in the name of the contributors.—Carried.

On a motion of Hon. James Skead it was resolved that three citizens would be appointed to collect subscritions of each ward in the following order:—

The portion of the city on the north and west of Pooley's Bridge—Mayor Rochester, Messrs. Rajotte and Mr. McGillivray.

WELLINGTON WARD—Dr. Martin, Messrs. Daniel O'Connor, E. P. Dorion, C. W. Bangs.

ST. GEORGE'S WARD—Messrs. Joseph Aumond, Wm. Mosgrove, Wm. Kehoe.

BY WARD—Messrs. Horace Lapierre, Dr. St. Jean, Mr. F. Macdougall, Mr. N. Germain.

OTTAWA WARD AND NEW EDINBURGH—Alderman Martineau, Messrs. Chas. Goulden, Thomas Pruneau, John Guerard, Mr. Petreault N. P., J. Riche, W MacKay Wright, Esq., B. Turgeon, G. Leduc.

Proposed by W. McKay Wright, Esq., seconded by Chas. Leduc, Esq., that the President do now leave the chair to be replaced by Alderman Heney.—Carried.

Proposed by W. MacKay Wright, Esq., seconded by Mr. Leduc that thanks be tendered to Mr. Turgeon for the zeal displayed by him in the cause.—Carried.

Proposed by Mr. Eugene Tetu, seconded by Mr. J. Jackson, that a copy of these resolutions be sent, for insertion, to each journal of this city.

T. M. TETU,
Secretary.

GLEANINGS.

English shillings have been coined for 364 years.

There are seven female sculptors from America studying in Rome.

The splendid collection of Sevres china at Sevres has been destroyed by Prussian officers.

A London banking house has formally prohibited any of its clerks, having a salary less than $800 a year, from getting married.

The "Ascension of the Virgin," by Rubens, at Dusseldorf, has been injured. The painting is on wood, which has burst, owing to overheating of the room.

The London Athenaeum says that Algernon Swineburne's new poem will be named "The Levy of Mystery," and the critics are awaiting its appearance with avidity.

A Paris correspondent writes: "All the animals in the Zoological Gardens have been killed except the monkeys; these are kept alive from a vague and Darwinian notion that they are our relatives."

The London *Times* is reaping a harvest from the personal cards which the French refugees in London address to their friends in Paris, and thus communicate their conditions and wishes.

Two men were recently convicted at the Mansion House, London, for picking pockets. Sir Robert Carden sentenced them to three months' hard labor, and gave directions that they should not be supplied with the usual Christmas and New Year's dinners, but have only the ordinary prison fare. While honest poor people were starving, Sir Robert said, thieves ought not to be sumptuously fed.

There is a papier mache church actually existing near Bergen, Germany, which can contain nearly 1,000 persons. It is circular within, octagonal without. The reliefs outside, statues within, the roof, the ceiling and the Corinthian capitals are all papier mache, rendered water proof by a saturation of vitriol, whey, or the white of eggs.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Gold 107¼.
Cotton, 15¾.

Flour very firm; receipts, 13,000 barrels; sales, 9,500 barrels, at 5 40 to 5.70 for Superfine State and Western; 6 15 to 6 65 for Common to Choice Extra State; 6.10 to 6 70 for Common to Choice Extra State and Western; 6.20 to 6.75 for Round Hooped Ohio.

Rye flour steady, at 4.00 to 5.40.

Grain—Wheat, firm; receipts, 8,000 bushels; sales, 20,000 bushels, at $1.49 to 1.49 for New Spring; $1.48 to $1.52½ for Winter Red and Amber Western.

Rye quiet

Corn firmer; receipts, 3,000 bushels; sales, 38,000 bushels, at 80c for New Mixed Western.

Barley, quiet; sales, 93,000 bushels Bay of Quinte at $1.09.

Oats, dull; receipts, 80,000 bushels; sales, 19,000 bushels, at 59c to 62c for Ohio State and Western.

Pork, quiet; sales, 5,000 barrels at $20.75 to $21 for New Mess; $19.50 to $20 for Old Mess.

Lard firmer, at 11½c to 12½c for Steam; 12¾ for Kettle Rendered.

Butter, steady, at 12c to 40c for State.

Cheese quiet, at 12 to 16½c for Common to Prime.

Petroleum, 13¾ to 13¾

London Markets.

LONDON, 1.30 a. m., Jan. 14.—Consols opened at 92¾.
Bonds, '67, 88¼; receipts unchanged.
5 20's unchanged.
Erie 18¼.
Illinois Central 114.
Atlantic and Great Western, 28.
Cotton dull, unchanged.
Lard 58.

Liverpool Markets

LIVERPOOL, 11:30 a. m., Jan. 14.—The stock of cotton in port is 445,000 bales, including 289,000 American Common at 32s. 6d.
New Pork easier.
Lard 59s.
Uplands, 7½.
Orleans, 8¼ to 8½.

NOTICE TO SHIP BUILDERS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at this office until SATURDAY the 4th day of February next, at noon, for the construction of two Steamers, one of which is to be built at Rainy Lake, and the other at the Lake of the Woods, North West Territory.

Specifications can be seen at this office on and after the 20th inst.

Tenders to be separate and endorsed respectively "Steamer for Rainy Lake," and "Steamer for Lake of the Woods"

The signatures of two solvent, reliable persons residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract must be attached to each tender.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order
F. BRAUN
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Jan. 12, 1871. 1563 4

DR. DUCHENOIS,
Residence and Surgery, Kent Street Ottawa.

Dry Goods.

WHOLESALE.

RECEIVED THIS WEEK:

1 Case Light Grey Etoffe.

1 do Cadet " "

1 do 34 inch Factory Flannels.

2 Bales 8lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.

2 Bales 9lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.

2 Bales 9½lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.

3 Bales 10lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.

500 Cotton Bags.

1,500 Linen "

6 Bales Black Wadding.

MAGEE & RUSSELL.

January 13, 1871.

GREAT CLEARING SALE.

PATTERSON & BRYSON

Have commenced selling off their entire stock of

WINTER GOODS

At prices regardless of cost in order to make room for larger

Spring Importations.

CANADIAN BLANKETS, TWEEDS, etc., at Factory Prices.

DRESS GOODS,
All the winter stock to be sold at reductions of from 20 to 25 per cent.

The entire stock of WOOLEN GOODS, consisting of Opera Cloaks, Mantles, Breakfast Shawls, Clouds, Mufflers, etc., etc., at cost price.

WINCIES, worth 20c for 16c.
PRINTS, do 20c do 15c.
Set RIBBED HOSE, worth 55c for 45c.
JOUVIN'S GOLD MEDAL KID GLOVES at 50c.

Best 36 inch GREY COTTON, very heavy, worth 15c for 12½. White Cottons, equally cheap.

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Ottawa, Jan. 3, 1871.

T. Hunton, Shoolbred & Co,
47. SPARKS ST. 49
Will receive this week "per Express," from LONDON, England,
2 CASES OF MILLINERY,
Containing the VERY LATEST Styles in
Bonnets, Hats,
and some very Choice things in
Flowers, Feathers and Trimmings.
Per S. S. "MORAVIAN."
1 Case Extra Cloths, in the new
Satin Cloths,
Fashionable Trimming to match all cu-
Dress Goods.
—ALSO—
1 Case of Newest
Mantle Cloths.
The "OLIVE GREEN" appears still prove the most fashionable, and of the above, we are in receipt of ten pieces
"New Seal and plucked Otter Skins hand."
Fancy Wove Goods still arriving.
Clouds, Breakfast Shawls, Ties, &c.,
in endless Variety.
T. HUNTON, SHOOLBRED & CO
47 and 49 Sparks Street.
Ottawa, Oct. 11 1870.

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No. 27 SUSSEX-ST.,
Are receiving daily, the following kinds of Fresh Fish, which they will deliver promptly to any part of the City, viz.:
TOMMY CODS,
SMELTS,
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PIKE,
PICKEREL
TROUT,
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LOBSTERS
and OYSTERS.
—ALSO—
BULK OYSTERS,
By the
Pint,
Quart,
and Gallon.
☞ Remember the Place,
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A very fine assortment of
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RING AND JEWEL BOXES.
☞ REMEMBER THE OLD STAND ☜
No. 7
AND AT THE
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OTTAWA, December 22, 1870 1546y

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The Proprietor begs to inform the lovers of THE TEA POT and the public generally, that the alterations are now completed, the whole premises having been thoroughly renovated and stocked with
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Of the very best quality. He is now prepared to execute orders Wholesale and Retail, and every article will be guaranteed, as they have been selected with the greatest care.
Teas in great variety,
Coffee—the very best—roasted and ground daily,
Raisins, Currants, Figs, &c., &c.,
Port Wine, Sherry Wine, Brandy,
English Old Tom Gin—Booth's, Berrard's & Thompson's.

An Old Lady's Evening Wish.

My wishes sear not very high,
Nor do they widely roam
These moderate wishes are confin'd
To comforts found at home.

Give me what enjoy so well—
A snug domestic scene;
And take my word, I fell myself
As happy as a Queen,

I'll tell you what I wish for now—
'Tis not a large desire;
I wish to sit at perfect ease,
Beside my evening fire.

I wish a friend or two would call,
To ask me how I do;

Then truly happy I should be,
And they'd be happy, too.

I'd set the tea things on the tray,
And we should all agree,
While taking ever-welcome cups
Of JOHN HILL'S wholesome tea.

The tea would gladen every heart,
And brighten every face;
And nothing more could we desire
In such a happy case.

With JOHN HILL'S Tea I always crown
The comforts of my home;
And when I can partake of this
My wishes seldom roam.

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Invested in Canada, - - - $230,000.

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Will be found moderate as compared with that required by other Companies in Canada and a comparison is solicited.

TABLE I.
ASSURANCES ON SINGLE LIVES,
WITH PROFITS,
UNIFORM RATES OF PREMIUM,
Annual Premium for Assurance of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (£205 Stg.) at Death with Participation.

Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.
	$ c.		$ c.		$ c.		$ c.
15	16 11	23	19 65	31	24 62	39	31 19
16	16 51	24	20 21	32	25 29	40	32 18
17	16 90	25	20 78	33	26 00	41	3 6
18	17 34	26	21 39	34	26 75	42	37 93
19	17 73	27	22 08	35	27 52	43	34 84
20	18 17	28	22 75	36	28 41	44	35 79
21	18 64	29	23 37	37	29 29	45	36 79
22	19 13	30	23 99	38	30 24	50	43 54

TABLE II.
ASSURANCES ON SINGLE LIVES,
WITHOUT PROFITS.
UNIFORM RATES OF PREMIUM.
Annual Premium for Assurance of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (£205 Stg.) at Death without Participation.

Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.	Age next Birthday.	Annual Premium.
	$ c.		$ c.		$ c.		$ c.
15	14 29	23	17 42	31	21 74	39	27 60
16	14 69	24	17 93	32	22 36	40	28 46
17	14 93	25	18 42	33	22 95	41	29 31
18	15 31	26	18 96	34	23 66	42	30 16
19	15 68	27	19 55	35	24 35	43	30 97
20	16 11	28	20 11	36	25 11	44	31 96
21	16 47	29	20 66	37	24 92	45	32 85
22	16 92	30	21 21	38	26 73	50	39 18

Premiums Payable Annually, Half yearly or Quarterly.

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Before 31st JANUARY, 1871,
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SECRETARY FOR CANADA:
GEORGE WILLIAM FORD,
H. P. HILL, Agent for Ottawa.
January 5. 1871. 1556 1m

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CHERRY WHISKEY
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SHERRY,
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IN WOOD AND BOTTLE,
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Ottawa, December 31, 1870 1552 2

ANNUAL MEETING,
CITY OF OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.
On FRIDAY, 20th instant, the Annual Meeting of the CITY OF OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, will be held at the CITY HALL, at the hour of 3 P.M., when the Report for the past year will be presented, and the election of Officers for the current year take place. All parties wishing to vote at the election, must pay their subscriptions for the present year, previous to the election.
AS WOODBURN,
Secretary.
OTTAWA, January 11th, 1871 1562 1w

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METCALFE AND QUEEN STREETS,
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Ottawa Dec 3, 1870 1530 m

PROTESTANT ORPHANS HOME.
The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the PROTESTANT ORPHANS HOME of Ottawa, will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 18th of JANUARY, at 12 o'clock, in the WEBSTER HALL, Albert street.
A preliminary meeting, for the nomination of Officers, will take place on TUESDAY evening, the 17th of JANUARY, at 7 o'clock, in the WEBSTER HALL.
ELLEN MOSS,
Cor. Secy.
Ottawa, January 11, 1871. 1560 2

LISGAR.

[L.S.]

CANADA.

VICTORIA, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.,

To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in anywise concern—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

JOHN A. MACDONALD,
Attorney General,
Canada.

WHEREAS it is in and by an Act of the Parliament of Canada, made and passed in the Thirty-third year of Our Reign, intituled: "An Act to amend and continue the Act 32 and 33 Victoria chapter 3; and to establish and provide for the Government of the Provinces of Manitoba, amongst other things in effect enacted; that on, from, and after the day upon which We, by and with the advice and consent of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, under the authority of the One hundred and forty-sixth Section of the British North American Act, 1867, shall, by Order in Council in that behalf, admit Rupert's Land and the North Western Territory into the Union of the Dominion of Canada, there shall be formed out of the same a Province, which shall be one of the Provinces of our Dominion of Canada, and which shall be called the Province of Manitoba, and be bounded as in the said Act of the Parliament of Canada, now in part in recital, is particularly mentioned and described. And it is further in and by the said Act now in part in recital, enacted that on, from and after the said day on which our Order in Council shall take effect as aforesaid, the provisions of the British North America Act, 1867, shall except those parts thereof which are in terms made, or by reasonable intendment may be held to be specially applicable to or only to affect one or more, but not the whole of the Provinces at the time of the passing of the said Act now in part in recital, and except so far as the same may be varied by the said Act now in part in recital, be applicable to the Province of Manitoba in the same way and to the like extent as they apply to the several Provinces of Canada, and as to the Province of Manitoba had been one of the Provinces originally united by the said Act, that is to say, by the British North America Act, 1867. And it is further in and by the said Act now in part in recital enacted, that the said Province shall be represented in the first instance in the House of Commons of Canada by four Members, and for that purpose shall be divided by Proclamation of Our Governor General into four Electoral Districts, each of which shall be represented by one Member, provided that on the completion of the Census in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty one, and of each Decennial Census afterwards, the representatives of the said Province shall be readjusted according to the provisions of the fifty-first section of the British North America Act, 1867.

AND WHEREAS we did, by and with the advice and consent of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, under the authority of the one hundred and forty-sixth section of "The British North America Act, 1867," by Our Order in Council bearing date on the twenty-third day of June now last past, Order and Declare that, from and after the Fifteenth day of July, One thousand eight hundred and seventy, Rupert's Land and the North Western Territory should be admitted into, and become part of, the Dominion of Canada;

AND WHEREAS by virtue of the Act of Parliament of Canada, hereinbefore in part recited, there became, and was formed, on, from, and after the Fifteenth day of July, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy, the Province of Manitoba, now one of the Provinces of the Dominion of Canada bounded as in the last mentioned Act is particularly mentioned and described;

AND WHEREAS for representation of the said Province of Manitoba in the House of Commons of Canada, as in the Act of Parliament hereinbefore in such respect recited, provided, it is expedient that We do, by Proclamation, divide the said Province into four Electoral Districts;

Now Know Ye, and We do, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, and by and under the authority of the Act of the Parliament of Canada, hereinbefore in part recited, by this Our Royal Proclamation, divide the Province of Manitoba, in Our Dominion of Canada, into four Electoral Districts, for the purposes of representation in the House of Commons of Canada, each of which said Districts shall be represented by one Member, and which said Electoral Districts shall be respectively known by the names or designations hereinafter set forth, and shall be composed of such portions of the Province of Manitoba as are hereinafter particularly described, that is to say:—

Electoral District number One to comprise, of the Electoral Divisions recently established by the Proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, for the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba, those known as

Headingly, or No. 8,
Saint Charles, or No. 9,
Saint James, or No. 10,
Saint Boniface, West and East, or Nos. 11 and 12,
Winnipeg and St. John, or No. 18,
Kildonan, or No. 19.

Such Electoral District number One, to be called and known as the Electoral District of Selkirk.

Electoral District number Two to comprise all the settlements on the Red River, and in the neighborhood, lying between the south line of Electoral District number One, and the Frontier of the United States, including the settlements on the Seine, at Oak Point or Saint Anne, such Electoral District number Two to be called and known as the Electoral District of Provencher.

Electoral District number Three, to comprise all the settlements on the Red River, and in the neighborhood between the north line of Electoral District number One and the northern frontier of the Province, including those at Broken Head River, such Electoral District number Three to be called and known as the Electoral District of Lisgar.

Electoral District number Four, to compose all the settlements on the Assiniboine and Lake Manitoba, and all other settlements to the westward of the west ern line of Electoral District number One, such Electoral District number Four to be called and known as the Electoral District of Marquette.

Of all which our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern, are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed: Witness our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honorable John Baron Lisgar, of Lisgar and Baillieborough, in the County of Cavan, Ireland, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and a Baronet, one of the Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and St. George, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Prince Edward. At Our Government House in Our City of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion, the TENTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the Thirty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
EDUARD J LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.
Ottawa, January 16, 1871. 1565 3

LISGAR.

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CANADA:

VICTORIA, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, summoned and called to a Meeting of the Parliament of Canada, at the City of Ottawa, on the First day of FEBRUARY next, to have been commenced and held, and to every one of you—GREETING:

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands Prorogued to the First day of the month of FEBRUARY next. Nevertheless, for certain great causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to Prorogue the same to WEDNESDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of the month of FEBRUARY next, so that neither of you or any of you on the said FIRST day of FEBRUARY next, at Our City of Ottawa, to appear are or be held and constrained, for We do well know you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, that on WEDNESDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of the month of FEBRUARY next at Our City of OTTAWA, aforesaid, personally you be and appear for the DESPATCH of BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our said Parliament of Canada of the Common Council of our said Dominion may, by the favor of God be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada, to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Our Beloved, the Right Honorable John Baron Lisgar, of Lisgar and Baillieborough, in the County of Cavan, Ireland, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and a Baronet, one of the Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and St. George, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Prince Edward. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this Fifth day of January, in the year Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the Thirty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By command,
J C AIKINS,
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