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.—There were no prisoners in the Police Station last night.

The tax gatherer of Pembroke is stirring up the inhabitants who are behind in their payments

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

COLD.—The weather on Saturday night and yesterday was the coldest we have experienced this season.

MINSTRELS.—As will be seen by advertisement, Whitmore & Clark's excellent Minstrel troupe will perform in the Rink Music Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings next. They are sure of crowded houses.

The Hon. C. L. Tilly, C. B., Minister of Customs, will deliver a temperance lecture under the auspices of the Perth Temperance Society, in the Town Hall Perth, on Friday evening 27th.

POLICE COURT.—Two women were charged with drunkenness and riotous conduct One was discharged as she was an immigrant and promised to behave herself. The other, Walsh by name, was sent to jail for three weeks.

A boy for assaulting a companion was fined two dollars and costs.

ALMONTE COUNCIL.—At the first meeting of the Almonte Council the following officers were elected: Clerk, Wm. Templeman; Treasurer, James H. Wylie; Assessor, John Menzies; Collector and Overseer of Highways, Henry Patterson Poundkeepers, James Forgie, Francis Coburn, and Geo. Williams.

CONCERT. — To-morrow evening the second promenade concert of the Ottawa Brigade Garrison Artillery takes place in the Rink Music Hall. A capital programme has been prepared, and the band of the Brigade will do excellent justice to it in its performance of the different selections. The progress of the band of late has been very good, and it now plays really good music.

FIRE.—The pump factory of Mr. Nicholas Thompson, in Almonte, was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday morning. The fire was first discovered between two and three o'clock, and at that time had gained such headway that no effort could be made to save any of the contents of the building, which consisted of 100 pumps, 100 bedsteads, 80 handspikes, a steam engine, pump machinery, turning lathe, tools, &c. The loss, we should judge, will be between $1,200 and $1,500.

PROMENADE CONCERT.—The attention of our readers is especially requested to the advertisement in another column concerning a promenade concert for the benefit of the now really excellent band of the Ottawa Brigade Garrison Artillery. It is surely the duty of our citizens to aid by all means in their power the sustentation fund of a band which would do credit to any city in the Dominion, and which is almost a necessity in the absence of a regular military band at the capital city in the Dominion.

SEE TO IT.—In order to reduce the stock to the lowest possible point before stock taking, goods will be sold at such prices as cannot fail to have the desired effect a
R. L. JAMES & Co.

FIRE.—Between three and four o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in a shed in the rear of P. Cassidy's Hotel, corner York and Dalhousie streets The shed was small, and the fence connecting it with the hotel being quickly pulled down prevented the fire communicating to the latter. The shed and a portion of the fence was burned but no further damage was done. The fire was extinguished with snow and palesful of water. The "Ottawa" engine was on the ground but its services were not needed, nevertheless credit is due them for their promptness. The loss is trifling. The origin of the fire is unknown though it is generally supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

GRAND BALL AT ARNPRIOR.—On Friday next the 27th inst. a grand ball well be given by the leading gentlemen of Arnprior, in Arnprior. The managers are will known, and it is safe to say everything that experience and ability can suggest will be done to make the entertainment a pleasant one. Music will be supplied by Gowans excellent band, and this will be sufficient guarantee for the quality of the music to be furnished. The tickets have been put at the moderate price of two dollars. A large number of Ottawa people have expressed a determination to be present on the occasion. We wish the good people of Arnprior every success in their efforts to afford amusement. There can be no doubt of the two necessary elements of success a large attendance and good music.

Presentation.

On Saturday evening the 21st inst, the teachers and children of the Hull Mission Sabbath School took advantage of their Superintendent, Mr. W. J. Topley, meeting with them for singing practice, to present him with a large family bible, and the following address:—

HULL, Jan. 21, 1871.

To W. J. Topley, Esq.

Well beloved friend and teacher. We take this opportunity of presenting you with a small token of our respect and esteem, and also as a mark of the affection with whichwe regard youand appreciate the zeal and patience with which you have at all times since your coming amongst us laboured in the Christian work of instructing the youth and children of this Sabbath School in a knowledge of the Blessed Redeemer.

We believe that you will prize the gift, not only for the love which prompted us to present it to you, but also because it is the Word of God from which we feel you have learned the doctrines of Eternal Life through a Crucified Saviour, and which we see you daily endeavouring to instill into the hearts of your fellow beings.

And we sincerely pray our Heavenly Father that He may grant you an increased and abundant supply of health, Faith, Hope and Love, so that your hands may be strengthened in the field in which you are now labouring of instructing the young in the Divine truths of the Gospel as contained in His Holy Word, and thereby add jewels to the Crown which faith in Christ Jesus will enable you to wear in our Father's Mansions in Heaven, where we hope we may all meet when our Father in Heaven calls us away from earth.

Mr. Topley was completely taken by surprise. He, however, made a very feeling reply, heartily thanking them one and all for the gift and address, and the feeling which prompted them to give it to him, and hoped that he might always so live and act that they would always cherish the same kindly feelings towards him.

Extraordinary Trial at Aylmer.

JUDGE LAFONTAINE CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

A trial of a very important and extraordinary nature viz.: that of a charge of forgey brought against Judge Lafontaine by Mr. Peter Aylen, Barrister of Aylmer, came off in Aylmer on Saturday afternoon last at three o'clock.

The term forgery is apt to sound very alarming at first, its general use being to distinguish the serious and by no means uncommon felony of one man writing the name of another to a commercial paper. Such are the more common cases with which to the general public the expression forgery is ascribed, and it was with no little excitement, then, that the intelligence was mooted from mouth to mouth that a judge was to be tried for the vulgar crime of forgery. But as the nature of the case was learnt it was discovered that although the charge was really for forgery it was a charge of forgery of a very high order, if such a distinction can be made. Judge against him. The particulars of this singular case are well known in legal circles, but are so little understood by the general public as to warrant their recital. On the occasion of Judge Lafontaine's presiding over a Court held in Aylmer in July last, Mr. Aylen in the course of practice before the judge in a moment of excitement used very strong language, for which he was immediately punished by the Court. In awarding this punishment Judge Lafontaine stated that it was not the first time he had suffered indignity and insult from Mr. Aylen, and he was determined to put an end to such conduct. The words of the judgment rendered against Mr. Aylen are to the effect that the court must proceed quietly, that Mr. P. Aylen is interdicted to practice as an attorney for 10 years, and to suffer one month's imprisonment for using insulting language, and using to the court the expression "that's not true." Owing to the exertions of Mr. W. McKay Wright the term of ten years interdiction was altered to five. Mr. Aylen on the other hand held that this interdicted him from being esquire, and not from practising his profession, and that this the Judge discovered and forgel the document fifteen days afterwards on which the charge is now based. Accordingly, on Saturday afternoon last the trial of Judge Lafontaine was begun before a bench of magistrates, consisting of Messrs. Klock, Foran, Prentiss, Bouvier, Tetrault, Wright, McConnell, McLean, Devlin, Ritchie, McGorrie and Chamberlain. An attempt was made to have the case conducted privately, but failed. The trial then took place in the public court room. Mr. Aylen represented his own case, while Messrs. Fleming and W. McKay Wright appeared for the defence. After a careful hearing of evidence and considerations of the case the magistrates discharged Judge Lafontaine. The Judge will begin the usual Court to-day. The division of the Bench of Magistrates was ten for acquital and four against. Out of the four who were against the Judge four were interested.

BREAKFAST—EPPS'S COCOA—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"The very agreeable character of this preparation has rendered it a general favourite. The *Civil Service Gazette* remarks:—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills." Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in tin-lined packets, labelled—James Epps & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London.

BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, ASTHMA, and all disorders of the Throat and Lungs, are relieved by using Brown's Bronchial Troches."

"I have been afflicted with Bronchitis during the past Winter, and found no relief until I found your BRONCHIAL TROCHES."
C. H. GARDNER,
Principal of Rutger's Female Institute, New York.

"Almost instant relief in the distressing labor of breathing peculiar to Asthma.
REV. A. C. EGGLESTON, New York.

"It gives me great pleasure to certify to the efficacy of your Bronchial Troches, in an affection of the throat and voice, induced by public singing. They have suited my case exactly, relieving my Throat and clearing the voice so that I could sing with ease.
T. DUCHARME,
Chorister French Parish Church, Montreal."

"When somewhat hoarse from cold or over-exertion in public speaking, I have uniformly found Brown's Troches afford relief.
HENRY WILKES, D. D.,
Pastor of Zion Church, Montreal.
Sold by all Dealers in Medicines at 25 cents

By H. McLean, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE
—OF A—
TIMBER LIMIT

The subscriber will sell by AUCTION at the

UNION HOUSE

In this City,

On THURSDAY, the 26th January Inst., at 12 o'clock, Noon,

The following described Timber Limit, viz:

License No. 234, on Constance Creek (being a portion the Limit owned by the late ARTHUR McARTHUR in his life-time) containing 14 square miles, covered with the best quality of White Pine Timber in sufficient quantities to last for years to come, with Roads cut, &c, and the distance to draw from ¼ to 5¼ miles.

There are 1,000 Logs now cut on the limit and 3 pieces Timber made and laid up and 40 pieces sided, all of which will be sold with the limit

Terms and conditions made known at time and place of sale.

E. McLEAN, Auctioneer
and Real Estate Agent.
Ottawa, Jan. 13, 1871. 15 3td-d&w.

NOTICE.

Plans and Estimates will be received by the Corporation of the City of Ottawa, at the Office of the City Clerk, until MONDAY THE TWENTIETH DAY OF FEBRUARY next, for the construction of the following works:

A new Bridge across the Rideau Canal from Rideau to Sparks and Wellington-sts.; a new Bridge across the "Gully" in Victoria Ward, in a line with Queen st.; and a new Bridge across the Canal from Maria to Theodore st.

Ground Plans can be seen at the Office of the City Engineer, where any information required as to the various locations indicated can be obtained.

By order,
WM. P. LETT,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Ottawa,
January 17, 1871. } 1567td

☞ City papers will copy until the 20th February, 1871.

THE GREAT FAVORITES ARE COMING!

WHITMORE & CLARK'S
MINSTRELS AND BRASS BAND

CLARK & HARDY, Proprietors.
Will give one of their original entertainments
At OTTAWA MUSIC HALL,
On THURSDAY and FRIDAY Evenings, JANUARY 26th and 27th.

The present Organization consists of 4 Comedians 3 Clog Dancers, 3 Song and Dance Artists, Orchestra of 6 pieces, a full Quartette, Brass Band of 12 pieces, led by F. J. ALLEN, assisted by HERMAN MULLER, the celebrated trombone Soloist, re-engagement of the celebrated SIMPSON BROTHERS, late of CARNCROSS & DIXON'S Minstrels, Philadelphia, who as Clog Dancers have few equals and no superiors CHARLEY AUSTIN, the great Song and Dance Man, MASTER JOHNNY, the Champion Single Clog, EDDIE LINCOLN, the popular Balladist, THOMAS MAYNARD, the celebrated Violinist and Leader of Orchestra JOHNNY ARMSTRONG Flute and Piccolo, said to be the best in America, extraordinary engagement of MONS. GOB, the Great French Juggler and Dancing Barrel Performer. The Managers take great pleasure in announcing this artist in connection with their Mammoth Minstrel Troupe, in all his wonderful acts of Juggling, Dancing Barrel, Balancing, &c. in which he challenges the world; the whole being under the direction of
GEORGE M. CLARK!
The GREAT VOCALIST, WM. A COMICSINGER AND
HANK WHITE!
THE OLD VETERAN COMEDIAN,
which is enough to warrant them a full house.
Doors open at 7 o'clock. Commence at 8 o'clock
ADMISSION ..... 25 cts
RESERVED SEATS ..... 50 "
S. F. HARDY,
Manager.
G. S. HOLDEN, Agent.
Ottawa, January 2nd, 1871 1570d

BOARD.

The undersigned is prepared to receive a few more Boarders two or three months.
MRS. KENNEDY
Wellington Block,
Sussex-street.
Ottawa, January 20th, 1871 1570 3

CARD OF THANKS.

MANNERS begs leave to tender their sincere thanks to the Fire Brigade of Ottawa, and those persons who worked so willingly to save their property from the fire on THURSDAY Morning, January 19th Instant.
Ottawa, Jan. 20, 1871 1569 2

RECEIVED THIS DAY
—FROM—
QUETTON, ST. GEORGE & CO,
ROUSILLON VIN ROUGE, $1.25 Per GALLON.
ROUSILLON PORT.
ALICANTE,
VIN de GRAVES,
ANGLADE,
MONTILLA,
MARSALA,
MADEIRA.
J. P. MACPHERSON,
Wine Merchant,
Elgin Street, Ottawa.
Ottawa January 20, 1871

Wants.

WANTED,
A situation as COOK, by a middle-age Woman, is a Protestant.
Apply to
MRS. WINMORE,
Wellington street.
Ottawa, Jan. 17, 1871 1567 3

WANTED,
for a Single Gentleman, One (or Two Small) Rooms, unfurnished, with or without Board. Apply, with address and terms, to X, Box 40, P.O., Ottawa
Ottawa, January 17, 1871 1566tf

WANTED TO RENT.
A PIANO. Address, stating terms,
F.
Times Office.
Ottawa, January 17, 1871 1566 6

LOST.
On the night of the 12th, at GOWAN'S HALL a GOLD BRACELET. Any party finding the same will be handsomely rewarded, by leaving it at C. T. BATE & Co.
Ottawa, January 13, 1871. 1561 4

TENDERS
Will be received up to the 24th Inst., for furnishing BENCHES and DESKS for the CHRISTIAN BROTHERS SCHOOL.
For particulars apply to the undersigned,
WM. FINLEY,
Chairman
Board R. C. Separate Schools
Ottawa, Jan. 19th, 1871. 1568tf

ENGLISH BUNN HOUSE,
37 Sussex Street.
C. BARTLET begs to remind the public that he will commence the Muffin Season this Day. All orders sent to any part of the city. He also begs to remind the gentlemen that he is buying in a large stock of Confectionery Ornaments for Christmas, from England, from the best houses in the line in London. Rich Bon Bons, of every variety. Fancy Boxes, Cake Ornaments, a Number of Shell boxes, from Brighton, England. Also, a great variety of other goods fit for Christmas and New Year's Presents, too numerous to insert in this advertisement. He therefore begs an early call, and inspect for yourselves, as he is certain he will have the largest and best assortment in the trade. Also, a very large assortment of rich Cakes, ornamented and plain, Fruit, Citron, Seed, Genoa, Madera, Pound Cakes, Macroons, Sponge, Lady's Fingers. All kinds of Jellies. A large assortment of preserves in pots to suit customers. Sweets of every kind in great variety. An immense stock of Fancy Hearts, Wholesale and Retail.
N.B.—Tea and Coffee Hot at all hours of the day. Refreshments of every kind always on hand. Oyster Patties and Oysters Cooked in any style on the shortest notice.
Ottawa, Dec 22. 544d

WEDDING BELLS.
The New Magazine for 1871.
PART I. NOW READY,
Containing the latest Fashions, several new and complete Stories, Ball Room Guide, Etiquette for Ladies and Gentlemen, and besides many other Novelties, the opening Chapters of the following original narratives of Home Life, and exciting interest, viz.:—
BLESS HER HEART, or MY LOVE NELLY, by James Greenwood.
LEFT TO HER FATE, by the Authoress of the COTTAGE GIRL.
THE BROKEN WEDDING RING.
Lady Plausible Teasem's letters to her Neice.
Price, 20 cents monthly; $2.25 per year.
To be had also in Weekly Numbers; Price, three cents. No. 1 and 2 now on Sale.
Publishers' Agents, C. E. HUCKETT & Co., 69 Sparks Street, Ottawa.
Ottawa, Jan. 18, 1871. 1567tf

J. B. BUSS & CO.
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,
HERRINGS,
CODFISH,
BRIMS.
MULLINS,
SEABASS,
FLAMBERS,
PIKE,
PICKEREL
TROUT,
HADDOCK,
LOBSTERS
and OYSTERS.
—ALSO—
BULK OYSTERS,
By the
Pint,
Quart,
and Gallon,
☞ Remember the Place,
J. B. BUSS & CO.,
27 SUSSEX STREET.
January 13, 1871.

TOYS!
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FANCY GOODS
—FOR THE—
MILLION.
GO TO
H. H. PALMER'S
AND INSPECT HIS
STOCK OF JEWELLERY
—AND—
FANCY GOODS.
A very fine assortment of
LADIES CARD CASES,
RING AND JEWEL BOXES.
☞ REMEMBER THE OLD STAND ☜
No. 7
AND AT THE
NEW STORE,
No. 29 SUSSEX ST.
NEXT DOOR TO
J. B. BUSS & Co.
OTTAWA, December 23, 1870 1564y

Groceries.

DIRECT IMPORTATIONS
Ex. Ships COGNAC, NEREO, UNION and CITY of QUEBEC, from the different places of Growth.
It is now AN ESTABLISHED FACT
If you want any First-Class BRANDIES or WINES and the best Family Groceries, you must go to
Thos. Patterson,
No. 26 Rideau Street.
The following Goods in Stock and for Sale:
BRANDIES.—Pure and unadulterated, good for any use, always on hand in Wood or Bottle.
PORT WINE—Pure and reliable (20 years old) for Medicinal purposes and the only House in the City that imports such WINES direct to order.
SHERRY WINES—Various grades, very, very Pale, (delicious favour) Splendid Wines at a price to defy competition.
GIN—John De Kuyper & Sons Double-Berried, First-Class.
SCOTCH WHISKEY - Old and Mild, (full strength.)
RUM,
OLD RYE,
FAMILY PROOF,
AND
HIGHWINES,
of the best kind.
PORTER AND ALES.—Guiness's Dublin and Dawes, Lachine, in splendid order
COFFEE.—Delicious Flavour Fresh Roasted and Ground Daily.
TEAS.—The best qualities of Black, Japan and Green, new crop and fragant.
SUGARS and SYRUPS of all kinds.
CHEESE.—Fine old (Rossors and Factory) the best.
PICKLES and SAUCES, Jams and Jellies from Crosse and Blackwelle, in great variety.
FRUITS.—The finest table and cooking raisins that can be had, large fresh and rich flavored.
CURRANTS—Quite fresh and Candied Peels.
SPERM CANDLES and fancy perfumed soaps, the greatest variety in the city, and made to order by Field of London, England. There is an endless variety of those fine goods worthy of SPECIAL ATTENTION FOR FAMILIES, being of the finest qualities atmoderate prices
Everybody should know that to use good goods saves money. TRYTHEM.
Ottawa, December 5, 1870.

Dry Goods.

BALL DRESSES.
GARLAND, MUTCHMOR & CO
Are now Shewing
NEW WHITE, PINK, BLUE, GREEN MAIGE and BLACK
TARLATANS.
BLACK SILK GRENADINES.
WHITE MAIGE and FRENCH GREY
JAPANESE SILKS.
WHITE PINK, BLUE MAUVE, GREEN and DRAB
GLACIE SILKS.
WHITE and MAIGE GRO de SUEZ. WHITE, BLUE and BLACK
DRESS SATINS.
OPERA CLOAKS Ready made and Made to Order.
GOLD and SILVER FLOWERS.
FROSTED FLOWERS.
SCARLET VELVET FLOWERS.
MALTESE VALANCENES, and HONITON
REAL LACES.
IMITATION LACES.
LACE and MUSLIN SETTS.
WHITE KIDS, etc.
☞ INSPECTION INVITED.
Ottawa, Jan. 6, 1871.

JAMES PRACOCK,
FURS,

FURS. FURS.
FURS.
I beg to intimate that my FUR STOCK is now complete in every
DEPARTMENT.
AN EARLY CALL IS SOLICITED.
☞ Remember the place,
32 Rideau Street.
OPPOSITE OLD STAND.

PRIVATE BILLS
The time limited by the House of Commons for the reception of PRIVATE BILLS will expire on WEDNESDAY, the 8th of March next.
W. B. LINDSAY,
Clerk House of Commons.
Ottawa, January 13, 1871 1554:f13

Dry Goods.

WHOLESALE.
RECEIVED THIS WEEK:
1 Case Light Grey Etoffe.
1 do Cadet " "
1 do 34 inch Factory Flannels.
2 Bales 5lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.
2 Bales 8lbs. Cornwall Grey Blankets.
2 Bales 9lbs. 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 commeneed 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 15c.
PRINTS, do 20c do 15c.
Set RIBBED HOSE, worth 75c 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.
PATTERSON & BRYSON.
53 SPARKS STREET,
Opposite BATE & Co.
Ottawa, Jan. 8, 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 our
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.

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 in 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 re-adjusted 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, is 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 western 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,
EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada

Ottawa, January 16, 1871. 1565

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

OTTAWA, 6th January, 1871.

Authorised discount on AMERICAN INVOICES until further notice; 10 per cent.
R. S. M. BURGESS,
Commissioner of Customs

Ottawa, January 21, 1871.

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THOMAS ISAAC,
DEALER IN
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HENRY'S STONE BUILDING,
Wellington Street, Upper Town, Ottawa
Cooking and Fancy Stove
Coal, Steel, Iron, Rope,
Twine, Glass, Oil,
Putty, &c.,
Always on Hand.

OFFICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at this office until FRIDAY the 20th instant noon, for the performance of certain repairs to the works at the Calumet, Chats, and Chaudiere Stations on the Ottawa River, and also at Stations on the Petewawa and Gatineau Rivers.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the Superintendent of the Ottawa River Works, where printed forms of Tender and any other information can also be obtained, on and after 23rd instant.

The signatures of two solvent and responsible persons willing to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract must be attached to each tender.

Separate Tenders will be required for the works at each Station, and must be endorsed, viz:—

Petawawa Station.
Calumet do
Chats do
Chaudiere, Hull and Gatineau Stations.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Jan. 20, 1871. 1570 4

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 Our 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 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 nor any of you on the said FIRST day of FEBRUARY next, at Our City of Ottawa, to appear are to be held and constrained, for WE DO WILL THAT 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 and the Common Council of our said Dominion may, by the favor of God be ordained.

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