

"At a meeting held yesterday of the subscribers to the proposed company for connecting Montreal with Toronto by the Electro-Magnetic Telegraph, the company was organized under the title of "The Montreal and Toronto Electro-Magnetic Telegraph Company," and a provisional committee was appointed to make all the necessary immediate arrangements."

In a recent number we published a copy of the order in Council by the British Government, by which the Royal assent was given, to us, we believe all the bills which passed our Provincial Parliament, but which were sent home as referred to her Majesty's pleasure, we regret that any delay took place about these bills, and we have expressed ourselves strongly upon their reservation, and more especially upon the hesitation of the Colonial Office, or the British Board of Trade, in giving immediate assent to the measure, or claiming any right to interfere in the matter. However, that assent is now given, and all we have to do, is to make up for lost time, and take active measures to get the stock taken up, stock which we are sure will be superior in value to the best English or American Rail Road stock, which has ever been in the market. All we have to do, is to furnish Capitalists with such data, as will make this apparent,—a thing easy enough to do, effectually, but for the prejudices which have been created against all "North American" securities by the repudiation in the United States, and so ignorant are British Capitalists of the real character and condition of Canada, that they do not know the difference, either of Canadian habits of mind, and Canadian integrity, as compared with some of the States of America. We hope our local committee will not delay to draw up a declaration, calculated to remove this impression, and accompany it with such statistics as will demonstrate the fact of the large amount of revenue, which will most assuredly be derived from the undertaking, as well as of its cost of construction, and the expences of locomotion.

We are glad also to perceive, that our brother Colonists in Montreal are beginning to discover that, which impartial observers have long ago seen, that the interests of Canada East and those of Canada West are, and ought to be, one. There has been a mutual kind of jealousy existing, if we may believe some portions of the press, arising out of a rivalry between the wholesale merchants of Montreal, and the newly organized wholesale establishments of Canada West.

We have always regarded this charge as one not affecting the minds of the more intelligent of the Montreal Merchants, because they must see, that if the facilities of communication tend to increase the number of Canada West Merchants, they must see that, by their objecting to it, and throwing obstacles in the way of such facilities, would only be stimulating the former to make greater exertions and to form new and to them more disadvantageous commercial connexion; the consequence of which would be, that Montreal would not only lose by a divided trade, but by our intercourse with New York, Boston, &c., she would lose it altogether.

To oppose the progress of commercial enterprise is like attempting to dam the St. Lawrence, or to stop the Niagara Falls; you may impede them for a moment, but it will be but for a moment, when they will themselves create a power vastly greater than all human efforts. We are also glad to see that the inhabitants of Montreal have at length discovered that the legitimate line of communication to the west, is by Prescott, Kingston, Belleville, Cobourg, &c., on to Toronto and Hamilton, and that the great Provincial interest of Canada will be most effectually promoted, by establishing lines, not only of railroad, but of magnetic telegraph communication in that direction.—Now that the legal, or we ought to use an American word, say the governmental obstacles are removed, we are thrown upon our own resources, and we hope that Montreal, Kingston, Toronto and Hamilton, the first and the last as the termini, and the others as intermediate cities on the line will exert their combined energies for the completion of these important Provincial works. We pledge ourselves for the hearty co-operation of Kingston.

The public are respectfully acquainted that JAMES CULL, Esq., Agent and Manager, has received full instructions, with prospectuses, &c., &c., for effecting Life Insurances in the National Loan Fund Life Assurance Compy., particulars of which may be known by application at his office, Ontario St., or at the office of the *Chronicle* & *Gazette*, Brock Street.

At the commencement of a new year what can a man do better than to effect an Insurance on his life for the benefit of his wife and family in case of his death?

Mr. Crane, an old and respectable inhabitant died suddenly in this city on Monday last, we believe of a disease of the heart.

PITTSBURGH ELECTION.—Mr. Marks and Mr. Birmingham have been elected as District Councilors for this Township. Little or no opposition was offered to Mr. Marks. Mr. Birmingham was elected by a majority of 15 or 20.

LORD CATHCART.—In answer to a correspondence we state that Lord Cathcart does not receive any part of the seizes; nor did he ever receive both parts; but while he was Administrator he received half Civil pay, which, with the Military pay, was an equivalent in the full pay of Governor General.

Since Lord Cathcart has been Governor General, he has received no military pay; but only his pay as Governor General, and his allowances as Commander in Chief.

What has been published by others to the contrary, only shows an complete ignorance of these or other matters on which they write.—[Argus.]

#### OBITUARY.

Died, in this City, yesterday, much regretted George WHEATLEY YARKE, Esquire, in the 43d year of his age. He had been a Gentleman for some weeks past, and, entering into man's service, formed the village of Kidderminster, and entered the valuable Mills at that place, he was universally beloved not more for his strictly upright and honorable conduct, than for an ardent of manner to radiate his own. By his death his family has sustained a loss irreparable, and no man was ever more sincerely regretted by his intimate friends.

The funeral will take place on Saturday next, at 2 o'clock, p.m., when friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend.

#### WISTER'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

This medicine, prepared by a long experienced and skilful physician, tested and approved by a great number of intelligent, discriminating and respectable persons in various parts of the country, is now received and used with entire confidence and with great success by those afflicted with pulmonary complaints. It is also recommended as a valuable medicine for other diseases, such as colds, coughs, and particularly diseases whose tendency is to consumption. Should its efficacy continue as it has thus far been proved in various obnoxious cases, it will indeed be a most valuable medicine.

There is nothing like it.—Dr. Bartholomew's Pick Exporter Syrup has won for itself a reputation for curing colds, coughs, throat and lung affections, unequalled by any other medicine. This article is now used by almost every family in the city, and has given the highest satisfaction in every case, where used for the above complaints; and it has gained this general fame by its own intrinsic worth, and not by column newspaper advertisements, as most other medicines strive to make them sell.

Those suffering with the prevailing disease of the throat, will find this the cheapest and most effectual remedy that can be had.

For sale by N. Palmer, and Chas. Brent, Kingston.

#### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Cataraqui Bridge Company, will be held on MONDAY, the 25th day of January, 1847, at the office of the said Company, at 1 o'clock, P.M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, according to law, and transacting other business connected with the Bridge.

The accounts of the past year will be then and there submitted for the inspection of the Stockholders.

THOS. GLANSUP,  
Secretary & Treasurer, C. Bridge Co.,  
Cataraqui Bridge Office,  
Kingston, 5th January, 1847.

#### EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND IN THE HURON TRACT.

#### NOTICE TO OLD SETTLERS, EMIGRANTS AND OTHERS.

#### THE CANADA COMPANY

HAVE again thrown open all their Lands in the HURON Tract for disposal, by way of LEASE for TEN YEARS—NO MONEY BEING REQUIRED DOWN. The Rent payable on the 1st February in each year, is not much more than the Interest upon the unpaid Freehold at any time within the ten years, at a fixed price named in the Lease, is secured to the Settler, who would thus save all further payments of Rents.

The Huron District is known to be one of the most healthy and fertile Tracts of Land in Canada—it has more than doubled its population within four years. The Huron Tract in the year 1842, contained 7101 souls—in June last year, the Huron District numbered 14,983 souls, according to the Official Returns.

The above Lands are in blocks, therefore, affording facility for the undivided settlement of Families, of old Settlers and their Offspring.

Maps, Printed particular, and every requisite information upon the Huron and the Canada Company's other lands in the Province, will be furnished FREE OF CHARGE, by applicat<sup>n</sup> (if by letter postpaid) to the Canada Company's Office, at Toronto, and Goderich and Stratford, in the Huron District.

CANADA COMPANY'S OFFICE,  
Frederick Street,  
Toronto, 1st January, 1847.

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#### Commercial Sale Rooms,

WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION BY THE SUBSCRIBERS, ON THURSDAY, THE 14<sup>th</sup> INSTANT, AT ONE O'CLOCK, THE FOLLOWING:

STAPLE GROCERIES, FISH, FRUIT, AND LIQUORS, VIZ:

2 Cases White Clayed Havana Sugar,  
1 Hhd. Refined Lead do  
5 Barrels Bright Muscovado do

30 Half Chests Fine Young Hyson Tea,  
20 Caddies do  
25 Boxes Imperial and Gunpowder do

5 Half Chests Tawny do

5 Superior Old Hyson do

10 Boxes Souchong and Pouchong do

10 Boxes Bloom Raisins,  
10 Drums Turkey Pigs,  
30 Barrels Hand Packed Winter Apples,  
Greenings, Spitzenbergs, Russets and Pippins,

2 Tiers Carolina Rice,  
25 Boxes Tobacco (Honeydew, Nailrod and Cavendish),

30 Jars and Kegs Rose Scented Snuff,  
15 Boxes Angel & Co's patent No. 1 Starch

2 Boxes Sperm Candles, —

2 Crates Assorted Crockery,

8 Boxes and Half Boxes Pipes,  
10 Dz. Common Tumblers, Jars and Bottles Mustard, Corn Brooms, &c. &c.

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20 Barrels No. 1 Nova Scotia Herring,  
15 Quintals No. 1 Table Codfish,

2 Hds. Cognac Brandy, Testas & Co's,

2 Hds. Sherry Wine,

2 Madeira,

500 Pieces English Room Paper Assorted Patterns,

The usual terms.

OLIPHANT & WATT.

Kingston, 4th January, 1847.

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#### Commercial Mart.

#### ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ON FRIDAY, 8th January, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold without reserve, the

BOOK DEBTS, NOTES, &c.,

belonging to the Estate of Messrs. ROSE & CORBET, amounting to about £400, which will be sold at as much in the pound, as per schedule.

Terms CASH.

By order of the Assignee.

WILLIAM WARE.

Kingston, 4th Jan'y, 1847.

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#### Treasurer's Statement.

A STATEMENT of the RENTS of MAH. KET BUILDING, MARKET GROUND, and MARKET TOLLS, per rate by the Town Council, and ordered to be paid.

RENTAL BUILDINGS:

Butchers Shambles, £261 6 6  
7 Shops, 175 0 0  
Exchange or Free Church, 63 0 0  
Post Office, 50 0 0  
Custom House, 40 0 0  
News Room, 30 0 0  
Old Fellow Room, 17 10 0

RENTERS' CELLARS:

Frosting on Ontario St., 114 0 0  
" Market St., 210 0 0  
" Brock street, 41 0 0

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RENT OF MARKET GROUNDS:

Nob. Palmer, 35 0 0  
Thomas Smith, 48 14 0  
Hope & Barclay, 24 11 8  
John Mical, 41 6 8  
William Garret, 24 11 8  
Lots Nos. 1 & 2, 30 5 0  
Board of Ordnance, 99 0 0

303 9 0

380 0 0

£2017 5 6

WM. ANGLIN,  
City Treas'r.

Treasurer's Office,  
Kingston, Jan. 4th, 1847.

COMMERCIAL MART.

#### SALE OF HORSES, SLEIGHES, BOBS, &c.

ON FRIDAY, 8th January, at 11 o'clock, will be sold without reserve, A fast running Cheasnut Poney, quiet to drive, with Cutter and Harness, 2 Single Sleights, One double do, 1 Single, with Cushions, An Elegant Wolf Robe, One Raccoon Robe, 6 Buffalo Robes.

WILLIAM WARE.

Kingston, 4th Jan'y, 1847.

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NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE, that the Committee appointed by the District Council to receive the Bond from Mr. WILLIAM FERGUSON, the newly elected Treasurer, have this day judged said Bond amongst the Records of the District, and directed Mr. Ferguson to open the Treasurer's Office in the District Clerk's Room, in the Court House, on the 1st January,—to whom alone all persons will hereafter pay the District Rates, and with whom all other District business connected with the Treasurer will be transacted.

[Signed.] J. B. MARKS,  
Warden.

District Council Office, Kingston,

31st December, 1846.

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City Papers to copy till forbid.

#### NOTICE.

THE Public are hereby notified that I am the only legally appointed person to receive all Rates and Assessments and other monies due to the Midland District, and Collectors and others are cautioned against paying the same to any other person, as I am the only one who can give them a legal acquaintance.

DAVID JOHN SMITH,  
Treasurer.

Middle District, 5

Kingston, 2nd January, 1847.

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All city papers will copy the above.

#### Commercial Mart.

#### SALE OF PRINS, GROCERIES, &c. &c.

ON FRIDAY, 9th January, 1847, at 11 o'clock,

Will be sold on account of whom it may concern—

2 Cases London & Manchester Prints, and immediately after the usual variety of Staple Groceries, by the Package.

WILLIAM WARE.

Kingston, Dec. 31, 1846.

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All city papers will copy three weeks.

JAMES FRASER,  
Treasurer.

Kingston, 29th Dec., 1846.

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The British Whig, and Bellville Intelligencer will copy for stamp.

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JOHN MACAULAY,  
JOHN MACPHERSON,  
JOHN R. FORSYTH,  
Executors.

Kingston, 28th Dec. 1846.

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The underigned begs to inform the Debtors to the Chronicle & Gazette Office, previously to the 17th Sept., 1846, that Mr. Wm. Burke will leave in a day or two