The C. and P. R. Railroad, which happily crowds with the Portland Railroad.

To those who have doubted the ultimate accomplishment of the work, we have but to point out how, under difficulties of no ordinary character, the Railway has been thus far persevered in; and we can only entreat our friends, now that they see this work fairly in train for accomplishment, not to slack in their endeavors, but to continue that devotion to this public advantage, without which it has ever proved visionary, to expect to see a country prosper.

We understand that a strong memorial has been addressed to the Government, by the Directors of the Railway Company—setting forth the importance of the Road to this District, as well as to the Province at large. And we think it would be well if our Members were also instructed to urge this point most strenuously.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.

TWO MEN SHOT AND ONE PROBABLY KILLED.

From the Rochester Daily Democrat, Extra.

About eleven o'clock on Saturday night, the citizens on the east side of the river were shocked with the report that two men had been deliberately shot, in a public street and within a few rods of several shops and taverns which were still open, and in the immediate view of several persons who were passing within three or four rods of the spot when the tragedy occurred.

The circumstances as near as we can learn them, are substantially as follows:—

About half past ten o'clock three young men, John Burns, James Ball and David Malarky, went to a small red house at the junction of Franklin and Main streets, and within two or three rods of Alexander's tavern, for some purpose which as yet has not been fully or satisfactorily developed. The house is occupied by Thomas Hisam, a young married man, whose sister also resides with him. Hisam and his wife and sister, alledge that the young men threatened violence to them and the house, and they ordered them away. Hisam finally took his gun, which appears to have been loaded, (as he says in consequence of their having been there before in a similar manner) and threatened to shoot them if they did not leave. They did retire outside the gate into the street, when Hisam deliberately drew up the gun and fired at Burns and Ball who were standing near and almost in range of each other. Both instantly fell. On examination it was found that nearly the whole charge of shot entered in and near Burns' right eye, penetrating the brain and rendering him senseless. When last heard from, (one o'clock this morning,) he was thought to be nearly dead, and suffering the most intense agony. His parents, who were soon called, at the first sight of their son, became perfectly frantic. It was a horrible and sickening sight.

Ball received ten of the shot, one near the left ear and the other above it, but is believed he is in no danger. Malarky was standing a short distance from the others and received no injury, although he says Hisam previously struck him with the breech of the gun and threatened to shoot him.

Hisam, though he made no attempt to escape, was detained by several citizens until arrested by constables Van Slyck and Bradshaw. A brief examination was had before Justice Wentworth, which will be resumed this morning.

We learn by a telegraphic communication, from the office of the Democrat, this morning, that Burns died yesterday, and that Hisam has been examined and committed for murder.

HEALTH OF MONTREAL.—Understanding that there have been, and still are, unfavorable reports respecting the sickness among the Emigrants, and the present health of the city; we deem it but just and proper to give from authentic information an impartial statement of facts. The city at present is unusually healthy in its accustomed population; and while there prevails among the Emigrants the diseases incident to long voyages, and dense and crowded crews, there is no cause for alarm whatever. We were apprehensive that such reports concerning the health of the city might prevent the usual introduction of strangers and travellers from the United States and other places; and feel warranted in stating from the best authority, that there is not the least foundation for such unfavorable rumors. In confirmation of our statement we subjoin the following weekly returns of interments in the City of Montreal:—

MALES.	
Boys	31
Married Men	3
Widowers	3
Bachelors	7
Total	44
FEMALES.	
Girls	28
Married Women	11
Widows	2
Unmarried	7
Total	48
Total Interments in the City	92
Of whom were Emigrants	45
	47
Corresponding Week last year	69
Less this year	22
At the Emigrant Sheds	173

—*Pilot.*

The Wheat Crop

THE CROPS.

We have gathered together a vast number of extracts from the upper country newspapers, respecting the state of the growing wheat crop. It seems universally conceded, that the Spring Wheat never looked better; while a great many contradictory tales are told of the Fall Wheat.

☞ From the statements, we believe that in the front Townships nearly one-half of the Fall Wheat has been affected by the Fly, but that in the back Townships the evil is not nearly so great. Most accounts speak well of the state of the Spring crops; the crop of Hay particularly will be very large. We have had more favorable accounts from the Niagara District than before.—*Toronto Globe.*

We regret that we have to stop the Press to say that the Hessian fly has within the last two or three days, made its appearance in the neighborhood. So rapid and withal so destructive are its ravages, that our informant saw a field of wheat being ploughed up, in which a few days ago, not the slightest trace of it could be perceived.—*Woodstock Herald.*

We are sorry to observe in the accounts which continue to reach us, evidence that the ravages of the Fly have extended over a very large portion of Western Canada. The *Picton Sun* states that in the Prince Edward District, "some fields are so entirely destroyed as not to be worth harvesting." The editor of the Hamilton *Journal & Express*, has seen several fields of Wheat, in the Gore District, entirely destroyed by the fly, and ploughed up. The Kingston *News* of the 25th, says, the fall wheat in that neighborhood does not look well, much of it having been winter-killed; but makes no mention of the fly. The *Guelph Advertiser*, says, the injury done by the fly in that neighborhood is partial, and that the fall wheat is generally good; better, perhaps, than in many parts of the Province.

In the Home District we fear the extent of the damage done by the fly, is considerable. We have examined some fields five or six miles from this city, where, on pulling up the wheat, we found the worm at the root; in some instances, as many as a dozen in one stalk. The crops look prickly and some of them will not be worth harvesting. In those spots in a field where the crop is rank and strong, very little impression has been produced upon the appearance of the wheat; this however, arises not from the fact that these parts have not been attacked by the insect, but because there appears to be sufficient vigor in the plant to withstand the attack. The insects, however, are less numerous where the crop is most forward and strong than in weak and late sown crops.

☞ THE WHEAT CROP.—We have had great pleasure in receiving assurances from a great many parts of the District, that the remarks in a former *Chronicle* on this important subject are only true of particular localities, and that according to present appearances the wheat crop, although below an average, is by no means so much so as to justify any apprehensions of scarcity. The Hessian fly has however done a great deal of damage, and the object of the Farmers must be to destroy this baleful insect, lest, as in New Jersey and Lower Canada, it should increase to such an extent as to stop the cultivation of wheat, for a time.—*Niagara Chronicle.*

WHEAT CROP.—The late cold weather has had a favorable effect on the wheat crop. The worst is over, the fly have apparently escaped, and we are now promised a rich harvest.—*Milt. Republican.*

APPEARANCE OF THE POTATOE DISEASE IN IRELAND.—We copy the following notice from the letter of the Dublin correspondent of the *Times*:—

"The weather continues most propitious, and the accounts of the grain crops from all quarters are of a highly cheering nature.—There is however one drawback to this gratifying intelligence, viz., that the fatal potatoe pestilence has indubitably shown itself in various parts of the Queen's County, and in the vicinity of the town of Carlow. The sick is described as looking healthy, presenting no external appearance of disease, but on close examination of the root, near the tuber, the disease was quite visible, evidently progressing upward, and in a state of transition from a sickly state to decomposition; and what is more extraordinary, the seed was in some cases sound, and the stalk green and healthy. This is a bad augury; but it is well to be prepared for failure thus early, that hopes may not be raised which in all human probability will not be realized."

We regret to say that letters received by us this morning from Belfast and Waterford contain rumors to the same effect; but from other parts of the country the accounts are very satisfactory. It affords, however, some consolation, even if we are compelled to anticipate the failure of this crop, that not above one fourth of the usual amount has been planted; and that the breadth of land sown with wheat, oats and other cereals is much greater than that of last year.—*Bell's Weekly Messenger.*

Some specimens have been shown us of fall wheat affected with the Hessian fly, and from all reports, the ravages of this insect, both in Canada and the United States, promise to be very extensive this season. Our opinion is, that the fly generated during the decomposition of manure, which in this country is not prepared in the manner it requires to be, nor in accordance with the improved methods that are practised by those who have subjected agriculture to scientific rules. The preparation of manure has of late years become one of the most important branches of the farmer's art, and without some knowledge of it, his labors must often prove unsuccessful, and his inability to account for his want of success will often occasion a repetition of the same misfortune, one year after another in succession. From our inspection of several plants, the insects are in chrysalis at the lowest part of the stem, and immediately above the root. As they are lodged in a deep furrow formed in the stem, it is evident that the eggs are deposited there during the early germination of the seed, and hence it is natural to infer, that in fall wheat, the deposition of the eggs takes place in the fall of the year. Whether they are, or are not, the product of manure imperfectly decomposed, is a question that can very readily be decided. All that is required to land that had been supplied to effect this is a classification of the results on land that had been supplied last year with imperfectly decomposed manure, on land whereon the manure was thoroughly decomposed, and thirdly, on land that received no manure. No doubt some attention should be paid to localities, the nature of the soil, and the sort of manure, and also to early or late sowing. But, on the whole, it appears in every way undergoing decomposition to produce vermin that the fly is produced by this cause.—*British Colonist.*

☞ We took a ride yesterday a few miles into the country, chiefly for the purpose of examining the crops; and we are sorry to say that they present a very discouraging appearance. There is such damage done by the Fly, that whole fields are rendered quite useless. In no part will there be an average Crop.—*Brantford Courier.*

CROPS IN NORTHERN PENNSYLVANIA.—The Wilkesberre Advocate says: "Passing through a portion of this valley a few days since, we were gratified with the favorable prospect presented by the growing crops. Generally they look well, and promise an abundant harvest. Apple and other fruit trees now give assurance that there will be an abundance of fruit".

CROPS IN LOUISIANA.—The Carrol Watchman, published at Lake Providence, in Louisiana, under date of 8th inst., says: "Since our last paper was issued, we have paid a flying visit to many of our patrons and friends in Joe's Bayou and a portion of our Bayou Macon. Almost all the planters with whom we have conversed, concur in the opinion, that, should the season prove favorable, the crop will be as large as can be picked."

We are informed that below Berthier *en haut* and Point du Lac, including all the lower part of Machiche—an area of about 26 miles—there has not been sown one bushel of wheat this season. The same remark applies to the island below Berthier and Sorel. This district used to be a portion of the wheat country. We are also told that farmers in that neighborhood have been offering 10s. a bushel for buck wheat, hoping to sow a little when the waters shall recede. The cause of this difficulty is that the spring inundations having been so late in failing, the ground has not time to mature.—*Quebec Mercury.*

Facts and Scraps, original and select.

☞ AN ALTERATION.—To-day we redeem a pledge made some time ago, that of enlarging the *British Whig* to the size of the *Montreal Herald*, *British Colonist*, &c. In doing so, we have deemed it necessary to imitate these papers in another respect, that of making the publication a morning instead of an evening business. Henceforward the *British Whig* will be printed as usual, on Tuesday and Friday nights, but not published until the following mornings. This change possesses many advantages, which, being of a personal and pecuniary character, we shall not trouble the reader with: the only advantage to him is, that instead of waiting for his newspaper, and and receiving it at uncertain times, he will be sure, provided he live within the limits of the city delivery, to find it always on his breakfast table. Meanwhile, no alteration should be made in the time of sending in advertisements, for as we said before, the *British Whig* will be made up and printed at night, to be ready for the morning delivery. We have not fully determined, whether the mornings of publication will be Tuesdays and Fridays, or Wednesdays and Saturdays. Whichever suit the mails better will be preferred.

☞ NEWS FROM EUROPE.—Three steamships are now on their way to the United States. The *Sarah Sands*, the new French steamer, *Union*, and the regular English steamer of the 19th June. It is not certain at what time the two first named vessels sailed; but it is presumed, that they are both over due. As June has but 30 days, the news by the English steamer will not be due here until Monday, allowing 14 days for the passage, and one day for its reaching Kingston. The expected intelligence is looked forward to with great anxiety; the knowing ones confidently predict a great rise in the value of Bread-stuffs, and will unquestionably be on the *qui vive* to snap up bargains. We need not caution holders to be on the look out; for too many of them were bit on the arrival of the last news.

☞ EXCURSION OF THE HOOK & LADDER COMPANY.—We beg leave to remind our readers of the Excursion to Ogdensburgh, of the Volunteer Hook & Ladder Company, on Monday next. This being the first excursion of the season, and the route selected, through the Thousand Islands, being so beautiful and picturesque, we feel assured they will be well patronised. The Committee of Management request us to state, that the boat will start precisely at the hour appointed, 6½ o'clock, A. M., in order to give persons an opportunity of visiting the Wind Mill, below Prescott, and the surrounding scenery, and will leave Ogdensburg, on her return at 5 o'clock., P. M. punctually.

☞ CONCERT OF THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.—This excellent Society give their last Concert this season to-morrow Evening at the Court House. The programme is well selected, and many additions are made to the number of those who are kind enough to perform. The public should patronage this Society largely, because they bestowed the whole of their last Concert's receipts in the cause of charity, leaving themselves in debt for the whole of the expenses.

☞ EMIGRANTS AT MONTAÇAL.—The Emigrants, who daily arrive here, come in a dreadful plight. The deaths at the emigrant sheds are dreadfully numerous. Twenty-five deaths a day have been about the average at the sheds. Great dissatisfaction prevails at this pouring out of paupers upon us, and, however reasonable this feeling certainly is, it has given occasion for a great deal of nonsense to be talked about, the cruelties of the English aristocracy, &c. However, the thing to say the least of it, is most disgraceful. A remonstrance from the House of Assembly is to go home by this mail to the Imperial Authorities.—*Montreal Herald.*

☞ ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH FROM HALIFAX TO QUEBEC.—*Halifax, June 17.*—We beg to call the attention of our readers to the Report of the Committee appointed at the Public Meeting held at the Masonic Hall in February last, to take this subject into consideration. We have seen the list of subscriptions, and are happy to state that the Committee have already taken stock to the extent of £500 and upwards. An appeal will be made to the public in behalf of this useful enterprise, and as we perceive by late advices from Canada that the line from Quebec to Metis is now building, there is a prospect, if the example of the Committee be followed, of having the Telegraph in operation before the winter sets in.—*Montreal Herald.*

☞ A CURSE FOR THE IRISH GENTRY.—The families of the gentry and the middle classes are leaving the island and flying to England, to Wales, or to Scotland. With these depart the natural hopes, the last natural stay of Ireland.—A few more of an emigration like this, and a new element will be added to the perplexities of politics. A new body will demand relief, the clamor for assistance. While the Irish peasantry are the objects of national bounty and the subjects of legislative anxiety, the Irish gentry will entail another curse, but in a different shape from any that has hitherto been suggested or dreamed of. Instead of looking out a colony for the lowest of the Celtic population, it will be necessary to find one for their gentry and their middle classes.—*Times.*

HOW VERA CRUZ WAS TAKEN.—We (*Daily News*) present our readers with an extract by a gentleman who was an eye-witness of the operations at Vera Cruz. His account differs somewhat from that furnished by the American prints, but having heard the statement of avowed partisans, perhaps it is well that we should read that of an impartial (or it may be prejudiced) observer:—

"On board H. M. S. Daring, Sacrificios, 26th of March, 1847:—Last night the town of Vera Cruz and the Castle of St. Juan de Ulloa capitulated to the Americans. The terms I cannot ascertain with certainty, but of this I am satisfied, that the latter have gained no honor in the business. It has been a dastardly affair on the part of the Yankees. Since the 9th instant they have had Vera Cruz surrounded by 14,000 to 15,000 men, and, though it was only defended by 4000, one-half of whom were militia, they dared not attack it like men, but from a distance threw shells into it until one-fourth of the town was in ashes, and a great number of women and children destroyed. The Mexicans have shown uncommon pluck. The Americans gave it out that their fleet attacked it on the other side. They have not however, had the courage to try their strength on the castle, (notwithstanding their heavy fleet,) but have contented themselves with ignobly shelling helpless Vera Cruz.

INTRODUCTION OF DISEASE INTO THE COUNTRY.—We understand that an Irish emigrant recently arrived at the residence of his brother, a farmer in Chinguacousy, Mr. John Cooper, where he took ill and after a few days died. It appears that the illness of which he died was of a contagious nature (typhus fever,) and from exposure to it during attendance upon him, Mr. C. caught the same fatal disease which soon terminated his existence. They were both interred some few days since, in the burial ground near the village of Churchville.

Cooper was the third husband of the widow he has left behind him, who it is said is at the present time dangerously ill.

It is to be feared that a great amount of disease will be introduced into the country this season, by the arrival amongst us of such vast numbers of emigrants as have and are still coming.—*Streetsville Review.*

☞ ESCAPE OF A CONVICT.—Peter Davis, a colored man, sentenced for execution at the late Assizes for the Western District, has succeeded in making his escape from the gaol. A reward of *fifty dollars* has been offered for his apprehension! This does not look much like a desire to lay hands on him again.—*News.*

☞ The election for Dorchester will take place on the 20th inst. Messrs Lemieux, Elmer, Duchesnay, and T. C. Oliver are the candidates. Mr. Lemieux's return is considered certain.

☞ Mr. McDonald, (Kingston) in answer to an enquiry, stated that the Ministry had the subject of King's College under consideration, and that their intention with regard to it would be laid before the House in the course of a week.

☞ *The Official Gazette*, of Saturday, contains a proclamation of His Excellency, appointing Smith Bay, in the District of Prince Edward (Lake Ontario,) a port of entry and clearance, and another, lowering the tolls on Agricultural Produce passing the Lachine Canal, to one Farthing from one Half penny per bushel.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Monday Evening, June 28.

FLOUR.—Since the arrival of the *Cambria* the transactions have been on a limited scale, holders generally being unwilling to submit to the decline. Last week there were sales at 35s. 6d. to 36s. for Extra, and 36s 6d. to 37s. for Superfine; but to-day the market is very flat, and sales could not be effected except at a material reduction on these rates.

WHEAT.—Of which the receipts have been heavy partakes of the same languor as Flour. There have been few sales at 7s 5d to 7s 9d. for middling and 8s. to 8s. 4d. for prime samples U. C. mixed.

Provisions have been in active demand, at improved prices. Sales of Pork to some extent have been made at $20½ for Mess, $16½ Prime Mess, $14½ Prime, and 12½ Cargo, and higher prices are now asked.

Ashes are dull at 35s. 3d to 25s. 3d. for Pots, and 25s 6d. to 26s for Pearls.

FREIGHTS.—Flour per barrel, 6s. to 6s. 3d. Wheat per Quarter, 11s. to 11s. 6d.

EXCHANGE.—Private Bills, at 90 days, 6½ to 6¾ per cent; Bank, 60 days, 8 per cent; Drafts on New York, at 3 days, 1¼ per cent.

Arrivals at H. A. Mills' National Hotel.

June 30th — Mr. J. Marshall, New York; Mr. D. Hunt, Mr. W. Laungworthy, Utica, N. Y; Mr. G. C. Quick, Mr. Beasly, Maryland; Mr Lawrence, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Henry Keeney, M. Stone, Buffalo, N. Y;

July 1st.—Mr. R. J. McDonald, and Lady, Fredericksburgh; Mr. F. Frelic, and three Ladies, do. Mr. Morrison, Mr. Osborne, Cape Vincent; John Church, Esq., Adolphustown; Mr. John H. Butters, Mr. W. Groves, Mr. Steers, Toronto; Mr. George Ross, Belleville; Mr. W. Wilson, and lady, Sackets Harbour.

July 2nd—John P. Thompson, Clinton Co. N. Y. Mr. John Hays, Cincinatti; S. B. Hance, Montreal; Mr. Rouse, Clayton; Mr. O. Pense, Kingston; Mr W. Sullivan, Picton; Mr. Charles Ellis, and lady, Miss Newton, Clayton, N. Y.

DIED.

At Syracuse on the 27th inst. after a long illness, Mr. ADAM ASHLEY, Printer, aged 39 years.

EXCURSION TO OGDENSBURGH

OF THE

KINGSTON VOLUNTEER

HOOK & LADDER COMPANY,

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF THE

CHIEF ENGINEER

OF THE

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

On Monday, July 5th,

THE STEAMER

UNICORN,

WILL leave Brown's Wharf, foot of Johnston Street, at half-past six, A. M., calling at French Creek, thence proceeding down through the beautiful and romantic scenery of the Thousand Islands, stopping at Prescott; and any of the party wishing to remain to view Wind Mill Point, so celebrated in Canadian history, will be called for in the afternoon. The Boat will leave Ogdensburgh at 5 o'clock in the Evening.

Kingston, July 2, 1847.

CONCERT.

THE KINGSTON

Philharmonic Society

WILL give their LAST CONCERT during the present Season, at the COURT HOUSE,

On Saturday Evening, July 3rd,

At half-past seven o'clock.

Each Subscriber's Card will admit himself and Lady.

Non subscribers may obtain Tickets of admission, (2s. 6d. each,) at the principal Hotels and Book Stores.

The following is a Programme of the performance:

PART I.

1.—*Overture*—Massaniello ..... Auber.
2.—*Glee*—Ye Shepherds tell me ..... Mazzinghi.
3.—*Song*—The meadows look cheerful O'ne'er ....
4.—*Solo*—Violin ..... Mayseder.
5.—*Song*—Norman ..... Bellini.
6.—*Quartette*—Robert Devereux ..... Donizetti.
7.—*Comic Song*—Wedlock ....

PART II.

1.—*Overture*—Barber of Seville ..... Rossini.
2.—*Rondo*—Hark 'tis the Indian Drum, Bishop.
3.—*Comic Song*—Analyzation ....
4.—Piano Forte ....
5.—*Concert* ..... Haydn.
6.—*Glee*—Hark the Lark ..... Crouse.
7.—*Recitation*—Sadie's Daughter ..... Cherry.

Kingston, July 1, 1847.

THEATRE ROYAL.

MR. SKERRETT has the pleasure of announcing that he has prevailed on that celebrated artist,

MR. WALLACK,

Of the Theatres Royal, Covent Garden, and Drury Lane, to visit Kingston for THREE NIGHTS ONLY, who will make his first appearance on MONDAY, July 5th.

To give effect to the delineations of this great actor he will be supported by the entire of Mr. Skerrett's Company, the reputation of which is too well established in Canada to need comment.

To prevent disappointment, the Manager respectfully states the Company can play in Kingston only the three nights of Mr. WALLACK's engagement, as they open *the new Theatre Royal* in Montreal, on Saturday, 10th July.

ON MONDAY EVENING, JULY 5.

Will be presented Shakespeare's celebrated Play, (in 5 Acts,) of the

MERCHANT of VENICE.

SHYLOCK ..... Mr. WALLACK.

MISS ST. CLAIR.

Principal Dancuse of the Park Theatre, New York, and MRS. CHARLES HILL, will dance the

Spanish Bolero.

To conclude with the celebrated Farce, written expressly for Mr Wallack, in which he will sustain his original character of Dick Dashall, entitled

MY AUNT.

DICK DASHALL ..... Mr. WALLACK.

In consequence of the great expense attending this engagement, the prices will be, Boxes 5s., Pit and Gallery, 2s. 6d.

Doors open at half-past Seven. Curtain to rise punctually at 8 o'clock. No admittance behind the scenes. Children in arms not admitted.

Tickets to be had and places secured at the Theatre, from 10 till 2.

☞ OPEN FOR THREE NIGHTS ONLY

SOLE LESSEE ..... Mr. SKERRETT.
STAGE MANAGER ..... Mr CHAS. HILL.

Kingston, June 29, 1847.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Courts of the Midland District and Quarter Sessions in and for the said District, will be holden at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, on TUESDAY the 6th day of JULY next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, of which all Coroners, Justices of the Peace, Bailiffs, Constables, and all others in any wise concerned, are required to take notice.

THOMAS A. CORBETT,
Sheriff M. D.

Sheriff's Office,
Kingston, 29th June, 1847.

TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

THE Committee of Management of the Collins' Bay TOTAL ABSTINENCE Society, beg leave to inform the friends of Temperance, throughout the Midland District, and public generally, that a grand

Temperance Demonstration,

will take place the 15th of July, in the Beach Grove, on the rear of Mr. Gould's Farm, 2nd Concession, Township of Kingston, and immediately opposite J. Ashley's Esq.

Ample Refreshments will be provided *gratis*, for the Members of the several Sister Societies of the District, who may feel it their interest to attend.

Several able Speakers are expected to address the Meeting, on the subject of Total Abstinence.

Signed by order of the Committee.

C. W. P. DE LA ARMITAGE.
Chairman

Kingston, July 1st, 1847.

Herald to copy twice.

Lands for Sale.

THE Subscribers have the following Lands in the MIDLAND DISTRICT for Sale:

South ½ Lot No. 1 in the 3d Con. Pittsburgh, 50 acres.
No 10 in the 7th Con. Richmond, 200 acres.
South ½ Lot No. 39, in the 7th Con. Camden, 100 acres.
West ½ Lot No. 15, in the 4th Con. Kennebec, 100 acres.
Lot No. 9, 5th Con. Olden, 200 acres.
Lot No. 18, 6th Con. " 200 acres.

CUMMING & MACDONELL,
Solicitors &c.

Kingston, June 29th, 1847.

LUMBER.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale on reasonable terms, at the Village of Portsmouth,

200,000 *feet Seasoned Lumber, assort'd*,

½ to 2 inches thick. Also, a large quantity of Oak Plank, Waggon Tongues and Hubbs, Pine and Hardwood Scantling, Spruce Spars of various dimensions, and Round Cedar in lengths, from 20 to 40 feet.

JAMES FISHER.

Portsmouth, June 29, 1847. 52-1m

ICE.

W. H. ALEXANDER,

BEGS respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Kingston that he is prepared to supply families every morning at their own residences with ice. The quantity given will be from 14 to 20 lbs. The charge for the season will be six dollars. Strict punctuality will be observed in the delivery. Orders left at Mr. Robert McCormick's, Princess Street, will meet with prompt attention.

W. H. A. takes this opportunity to inform his friends and the public, that he still continues to manufacture his celebrated STOUGHTON BITTERS, in bottles, at 1s. 3d. each.

Also,—CHAMPAGNE BOTTLED CIDER, a superior article, always on hand at 6s. 3d. per dozen.

Kingston, 17th May, 1847.

NOTICE.

THE Business heretofore carried on by ABRAHAM FOSTER, in his own name, will be continued from this date, under the Firm of A. & A. FOSTER.

ABRAHAM FOSTER,
ARTHUR FOSTER.

Kingston, 14 June, 1847. 51-1m

FRESH IMPORTATIONS

Of Wines, Liquors, &c.,

Comprising an assortment of Fine and Common Wines & Liquors, &c.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

AT the Stores of the Subscriber, North Corner of the Market Square, Kingston.

WINES.

Fine Old Port,
Hunt's & Sandiman's Port,
Brackburn's Madeira,
Lewis & Co's Madeira,
Pale, Gold, Brown } Sherries.
L. P. Tenerifft,
Clarke and Rogdes'ville Claret,
"Grape" & King Brandy—Champagne, very fine.

—ALSO,—

Old Cognac, Pale Brandy,
Hollands, Scheidam,
Jamaica Spirits,
Fine Pale Brandy, in bottles,
Rum,
Genuine Scotch Whiskey,
Canadian Whiskey.

With a variety of Liquors, suitable for the season, such as
Pine Apple Syrup,
Raspberry Syrup,
Strawberry Syrup,
Lemon Syrup, &c. &c.

For Sale by WILLIAM J. MARTIN.

Market Square, Kingston, June 1847.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber begs to acquaint his Friends and the Public, that although he has disposed of his Blacksmith Shop, he has not left Kingston, nor does he intend to leave,—but that all orders left at the Blacksmith Shop, or at his residence, next door, will be punctually attended to, as usual.

THOMAS PAUL,
Veterinary Surgeon.

Kingston, June 18, 1847. 49-tf

THE COLONIAL

LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Registered and Empowered under Act of Parliament, 7 & 8 Vict., Chap. 110.

CAPITAL—£500,000 STERLING.

ESTABLISHED FOR THE PURPOSE OF EFFECTING

ASSURANCES ON THE LIVES

Of Persons resident in, or about to proceed to the Colonies of Great Britain, India, or other places Abroad.

EDINBURGH ..... 1, George Street.
LONDON ..... 4, A. Lothbury.
GLASGOW ..... 35, St. Vincent Place.
MONTREAL ..... 19, Great St. James Street.

GOVERNOR:

THE RT. HON'BLE THE EARL OF ELGIN AND KINCARDINE,
Governor-General of Canada.

THE CAPITAL of the Company is £500,000. All the Directors are Shareholders of the Company.

THE RATES

Have been formed on the most correct observations which exist as to the value of life.

THE PROFITS

Of the Company will be ascertained, and divided at certain intervals, when each Policy having a right to participate in the Profits, will share in the Fund to be allocated for Division among the Assured.

ADVANTAGES.

Among other advantages held out by this Company, to which the attention of the public is especially requested, the following may be particularized:—

I.—The *Security of a large guaranteed Capital.*

II.—The *Moderate rate of Premium*, which may be paid yearly or half-yearly, at the option of the party assuring.

III.—The *increased facilities to the assured* as regards *Residence and Travelling*—the limits being generally very extensive; and in particular *the assured being at liberty to pass by Steam-vessels, or sailing packets between any North American port and any European port, at any time of the year, without extra charge.*

The assured need thus be under no apprehensions of losing the benefits of their policies, by the omission—perhaps inadvertent—on their part, to give the notice required by other Companies, of their intention to cross the Atlantic.

IV.—The *prompt dispatch in the disposal of business*—the Board of Directors, at Montreal, being invested with full powers to examine into, and accept of proposals, putting the Company on the risk at once, without communicating with the parent Board.

V.—The *Exemption from Stamp Duty, Entrance Fee, or any other Expense in effecting Assurances.*

VI.—The fact of the Company being *wholly a Life* Assurance Office—unconnected with either Fire or Marine Insurance.

Copies of the Company's Prospectus—Tables of Rates for Assurance—WITH PROFITS—without Profits—on Single Lives—Joint Lives and Survivorships—for the whole term of Life, or for a limited period—together with every other information—may be obtained on application at the Offices of the Company.

By order of the Directors,

A. DAVIDSON PARKER,
Manager for Canada.

BRANCH IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL,
No. 19 Great St. James Street.

DIRECTORS.

Hon. PETER M'GILL—Chairman.
DAVID DAVIDSON, Esq.
ALEXR SIMPSON, Esq.
HEW RAMSAY, Esq.
CHRISTR DUNKIN, Esq.

MEDICAL ADVISER:

GEO. CAMPBELL, Esq., M. D.

SOLICITOR;

JOHN ROSE, Esq.

MANAGER;

ALEXR. DAVIDSON PARKER, Esq.

Branch Offices, with Boards of Management, have also been established at the following places in British North America:—

NEW BRUNSWICK—Head Office, St. John; Agent, DUNCAN ROBERTSON, Esq.
NOVA SCOTIA—Head Office, Halifax; Agent, JAMES STEWART, Esq. C. J. STEWART, Esq AS ABOVE.
FOR WEST INDIES—At Jamaica, Trinidad, Barbadoes, British Guiana.
FOR AUSTRALIA—In Sydney and Adelaide.
FOR CAPE COLONY—In Cape Town.
FOR EAST INDIES AND CEYLON—In Calcutta, Madras Bombay, and Columbo.

June 16, 1847.

FRESH FRUITS.

JUST RECEIVED,

RAISINS,	ALMONDS,
Prunes, in Jars,	Brazil Nuts,
Preserved Ginger, in pots,	Filberts,
Figs,	Walnuts,
	Pea Nut,

Candied Lemon and Orange.

Wholesale and Retail, by

WILLIAM J. MARTIN.

Market Square, Kingston, 12th June, 1847.

AUCTION SALE,

(If not previously disposed of by Private Sale)

ON SATURDAY, 3rd JULY, the whole of the Stock of

Horses, Harness, Buggies,

CABS, SLEIGHS, &c. &c.

Belonging to Mr. A. McDONELL, consisting of the following:

4 Horses, 3 Cabs,
10 Setts Double and Single Harness,
3 Buggies, 3 Double Sleighs,
4 Single Sleighs, 3 Double Cutters,
18 Buffalo Robes.

A quantity of Horse Clothing, &c. &c.

Also—An Excellent Lumber Wagon.

Sale at 10 o'clock, A. M., opposite the subscriber's Auction Room, Market Square.

Terms Cash.

WM. McMILLAN,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, 22d June, 1847.

FRESH TEAS.

FOR SALE by the Subscriber, at his Store, where *Choice Family Groceries*, may be obtained at low Prices. Amongst the Teas are—

Fine Imperial, Twankay, Pouchong, Gunpowder, &c., in chests, half-chests, and caddies
Old and Young Hyson, Souchong, Pekoe,

With a variety of Sugars, Pickles, Sauces, Brooms, and other Articles, in this line, innumerable.

WILLIAM J. MARTIN,
Market Square.

Kingston, June 21, 1847.

To the Lovers of the Weed.

WILLIAM J. MARTIN,

OFFERS for Sale, Wholesale or Retail, an assortment of

Havanna, Principe, Panatela, and other Cigars, of the choicest brands,

—ALSO,—

Cavendish, Honeydew,
Oronoko, Aromatic,
Choice Cut for chewing, Porto Rico,
And Turkish TOBACCOS.

Market Square, Kingston, June, 1847.

KINGSTON BUILDING SOCIETY.

THE SECOND LOAN MEETING

WILL take place at the District Court House, on Monday the fifth day of July, 1847, at seven o'clock P. M., when the Directors will proceed to lend or advance

£600

Of the Funds of the Society, which, will be put up to Competition in single sums of £100, and in manner provided for by the Directors. The fourth Instalment being due on that day, the Treasurer will be in attendance at 6 o'clock, P. M., to allow Members, who are unable to attend at his office during the day, to pay up their Subscriptions before the Chair is taken.

N. B.—Those Members in arrear are hereby respectfully requested to pay up the instalments due on or before the 1st day of July.

By order,

GEORGE BAXTER,
Sec. and Treasurer.

Kingston, June 21, 1847.

CANADA AND NEW YORK EXPRESS.

T. ALLEN & Co.

WILL despatch one of the Firm, to New York, every week, making the trip between Kingston and New York, as regularly as circumstances will permit. All Parcels, Commissions and Messages are to be left with the Subscriber, at Greer's Wharf.

EDWARD HARVEY,
Agent.

Kingston, June 18, 1847. 49-3m

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

And Jewellry.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received since his commencement in Business, begs to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has just received a splendid assortment of

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,

Consisting of Leavers, Lepines, &c., which he offers low for Cash.

—ALSO,—

About 40 Cases of American Clocks, Which will be sold Wholesale and Retail.

A Rich assortment of Jewellry, Plated Goods, &c., of the most modern paterns.

WM. HURDLE.

WANTED—An Apprentice to the Watch Making Business. W. H.

Kingston, June 15th, 1847. 1m

JOHN VANSTONE,

Veterinary Surgeon,

BEGS to inform the Inhabitants of Kingston and its neighborhood, that he intends to Practice in Kingston, and having devoted a considerable portion of his time to the study of the Profession, at the Veterinary College, London, he flatters himself that with his usual care and attention to business, he will give the utmost satisfaction to those who may favor him with their commands.

Application to be made at Mr. Bamford's Hotel, Princess Street.

Kingston, June 15, 1847.

NOTICE.

NOTWITHSTANDING the partial destruction of our Forwarding Premises by fire, we beg to announce to our numerous Correspondents, that no interruption to our business will take place. Our Craft are all in active operation, and we have made such arrangements in the Post, as will enable us to receive and give despatch to our up and down freight.

We have already commenced the erection of a spacious block of Fire Proof Buildings, which will be ready for the Fall Business; these with an increased number of first class Barges, now building, when added to our powerful Tug Line, will enable us to do business in a safe and expeditious manner.

JOHN H. GREER, & Co.

Kingston, 4th June, 1847. 1m.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of the late ARCHIBALD McNEIL, Esq., of Napanee, will please settle their accounts immediately, either with one of the undersigned, or Mr. MICHAEL McCABE of Napanee; and all those having claims against the Estate, will present them with proper Vouchers, to the same parties, or some one of them.

SAMUEL CLARK,
THOMAS DOWNEY,
JOHN A. MACDONALD } Executors.

Dated 29th May, 1847. 3m.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

JUST RECEIVED AT THE

ATHENEUM BOOK STORE,

The following School Books:

BOSTON ACADEMY, (Music.)
Olney's Geography and Atlas,
Kirkham's Grammar,
do. Elocution,
Walker's Dictionary,
Finnock's Goldsmith England.
do. do. Rome,
do. do. Greece.

June 8th, 1847.

INCOMPARABLE

Black Japan Ink

MANUFACTURED, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, *AT THE ATHENEUM BOOK STORE.*

KINGSTON, CANADA WEST.

GEORGE SPANGENBERG,

JEWELLER & SILVERSMITH,

KING STREET, KINGSTON,

WOULD respectfully tender his thanks to his Customers, and to the Inhabitants of Kingston generally, for the very liberal support they have extended to him since his commencement in business, and begs to intimate that he has just received, in addition to his former extensive Stock, a large assortment of

WATCHES, JEWELLRY AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

Together with a large variety of *Fancy Articles*, to which he invites their attention; and all of which he offers to sell on reasonable terms.

June 18, 1847. 49-1m.

LAND FOR SALE.

400 ACRES OF LAND for Sale, in the Township of Seymour, Newcastle District, being Lots Nos. 17 and 18, in the 9th Concession; 40 Acres of which are cleared, and has a large Log House, and a Frame Barn, 50 feet by 30; Outhouses &c