ANNUAL FESTIVAL
OF THE
Kingston Mechanics' Institute.

THE Mechanics' Institute will hold their Annual Festival in the

CITY HALL,

On the evening of Friday, the 19th of December. Chair to be taken at 7 o'clock.

The Evening's entertainment will consist of a Lecture and a

GRAND VOCAL CONCERT!

The services of Professor Hinds, of Trinity College, Toronto, have been procured for the Lecture. Subject: The relation of Chemistry to Geology; with illustrative experiments.

By the kind permission of Col. Burton, the

SPLENDID BAND

of the 9th Regt. will take part in the Concert, assisted by Mr Ambrose and several amateurs who have kindly volunteered their services.

Tickets: Gents. 5s; Ladies, 2s 6d; to be had at the Book Stores, Messrs J. D. Bryce & Co., and Messrs J. D. & J. Ramage, from the Members of the Committee and at the door.

Children under 14 years of age, 2s 6d. Procurable at the door only.

The excellent Quadrille Band of the 9th Regt. will be in attendance.

Young Men's Christian Association.

WINTER COURSE OF LECTURES.

THE Lecture Committee beg to announce that they have made arrangements for the delivery of a very interesting course of Lectures during the Winter, among which the following may be expected:—

18th Dec. The Rev. Canon Bancroft, of St. Johns, C. E. Subject: Ancient and Modern Eloquence.

8th Jan. Principal Dawson, of McGill College, Montreal. Subject: Nature as represented in the Hebrew Scriptures.

15th Jan. The Rev. R. F. Bowes, of St. Catherines (formerly of Kingston). Subject: The Apostle Paul.

12th Feb. The Rev. William Bond, of Montreal. Subject: Sabbath-schools, their use and influence.

26th Feb. The Rev. John McLeod, of Montreal. Subject: Sketches of travel in the Old World.

12th March. The Rev. Dr George, of Queen's College. Subject: The poetical element in the Scottish character.

26th March. The Rev. K. M. Fenwick, of Kingston. Subject:——

Lecture evenings, as usual, Thursdays, in the City Hall, commencing at half-past seven.

No Course Tickets will be issued this season. Admittance 7½ each. Member's Tickets (admitting the member only), can be had on Application to the Treasurer, L. Johnston, Esq., Bank of British North America, who will receive the annual subscription for 1857 before issuing them. All Clergymen admitted free.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Armstrong, of the Village of Napanee, in the United Counties of Frontenac, Lennox and Addington, has been filed in the Insolvent Court for the said United Counties, and the interim order for protection has been given to the said Thomas Armstrong, under the provisions of an Act of this Province passed in the eighth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in Upper Canada, and for other purposes therein mentioned," and under the provisions of a certain other Act of this Province, passed in the nineteenth year of the reign of her Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of the Insolvent Debtors Act of Upper Canada, and for the relief of a certain class of persons therein mentioned," the said Thomas Armstrong is hereby required to appear in Court before me *Kenneth Mackenzie*, Esquire, Judge of the County Court for the United Counties of Frontenac, Lennox and Addington, acting in the matter of the said Petition, on the 26th day of December 1856, at eleven o'clock A.M., for the purpose of being there and then examined touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Act.

All persons indebted to the said Thomas Armstrong, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Arthur Stevenson, of the Village of Napanee, the Official Assignee, nominated in that behalf by the Judge acting in the matter of the said petition.

P. O'REILLY,
Clerk I. C.

S. Bowlands, Solicitor for Insolvent

TO ARCHITECTS.

THE Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Hamilton, hereby give notice that it is their intention to have erected, in their said city, public buildings for the purposes of a chief and general Market, together with Council Chamber, Public Offices and Halls, the cost of the whole not to exceed the sum of £30,000, and that plans for the same will be received on or before the 1st March next. As an arrangement for the proposed buildings, it is suggested, that those for the Market block shall consist of an Arcade, extending from the present market-place to Merrick street, with Public Halls at either end, having Shops or Stores underneath, the object being to render the project as remunerative as possible, having in view, however, a commodious and well-arranged Market. Competitors are, nevertheless, to exercise their own taste and judgment, as to the arrangement of buildings and the character of the design. The spare ground, not required for market purposes, to be appropriated for Shops, such Shops to form part of a general design in connection with the public buildings, but not to be included in the general estimate.

The Council Chamber and public Offices to consist of a separate building, with Bell and Clock Tower, having a front on James street and another on the Market-place.

The whole to be substantially built of Stone or white Brick, faced and ornamented with Stone.

A plan of the ground, for the site of the buildings, will be seen at the Office of the City Engineer.

Competitors will inscribe on their plans a motto, and an envelope with same motto on the outside, containing the name of the Competitor, to be addressed to the undersigned.

The following premiums will be given for the three most approved designs:

First,	£125
Second,	75
Third,	50

The City Council reserve the right of retaining the first-premium, should the Architect whose plan is approved be employed to execute the design.

By order,
THOS. BEASELEY,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Hamilton.
Dec. 11, 1856.

THE undersigned begs to inform the public that he has been appointed the general agent for British North America, of the Anchor Fire and Life Insurance Company, an Institution of high standing in England, in which every confidence may be placed; and he is now prepared to issue Policies.

GRANVILLE MOYLE,
General Agent for British North America.

Dec 10, 1856.

Anchor Insurance Company!

FOR LIFE, FIRE AND ANNUITIES
67, CHEAPSIDE, LONDON,
AND
KINGSTON, CANADA.
ESTABLISHED 1842.

CAPITAL: ONE MILLION.

PAID UP £90,000: INVESTED, £98,000.

DIRECTORS.

William Lee, Esq., M. P., Chester Square, London; and Holborough House, Kent; Chairman.

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PHYSICIAN.

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London and County Bank, Lombard Street.

MANAGING DIRECTOR,—Thos. Cave, Esq.

General Agent for British North America,
GRANVILLE MOYLE, Esq.

Auction Sale by Jackson.

THE Sale of RAILWAY PLANT and MATERIAL at Belleville, Napanee and Brighton, advertised to take place at the several places named on the 2nd, 9th and 16th December, respectively, is POSTPONED.

The day of sale will be made known in a future advertisement.

JACKSON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, 28th November, 1856.

Times and Beacon Office, Kingston.

To Policy holders in the Athenæum Fire Assurance Company.

TAKE NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS of the Athenæum Fire Assurance Company having been transferred to the Times & Beacon Fire Assurance Company, all payments for renewals of assurances in the Athenæum Fire Assurance Company must be made at the Offices of the Times & Beacon Company; and no receipts but those given by the undersigned Manager of the Times & Beacon Company, will be valid hereafter, for such Assurances. Policy-holders who are desirous of having their Policies exchanged are to forward the same forthwith to the Offices of the Times & Beacon Company.

JAS. SYDNEY CROCKER,
Manager for British North America.

Kingston, 11th Dec, 1856.

TO THE LADIES—DRESSMAKING.

PERFECT and easy Patterns taken by Fowler's Improved Model, by which ease and accuracy are combined, and a perfect fit guaranteed. The art taught, and model provided for Two Dollars. Patterns taken, 1s 3d. Orders left at E. H. Hardy's Store, Princess Street, will be attended to. MRS E. KEMPSTER

Southern Military Academy Lottery,
CLASS L.

To be drawn in the City of Mobile, Alabama, in public, on Tuesday, December 30, 1856, on the plan of

SINGLE NUMBERS!

John Hartel and W. W. McGuire, Esqs., Commissioners.

30,000 TICKETS—3,280 PRIZES!
MORE THAN ONE PRIZE TO EVERY TEN TICKETS

NOVEL SCHEME!

1 Prize of	$40,000	1 Prize of	$1,000
1 "	12,000	10 Prizes of	200
1 "	5,000	100 "	100
1 "	2,000	100 "	70
1 "	1,000		

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 Prizes of $150 approximating to $40,000 are $600; 4 of 125 approximating to 12,000 are 500; 4 of 100 approximating to 5,000 are 400; 4 of 75 approximating to 2,000 are 300; 8 of 50 approximating to 1,000 Prizes are 400; 40 of 25 approximating to 200 are 1,800—3,000 of 40 are 120,000—3,280 Prizes amounting to $204,000.

Whole Tickets $10, Halves $5, Quarters $2½.

3,000 Prizes of $40 will be determined by the last figure of the number which draws the $40,000 Prize. For example—if the number drawing the $40,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the tickets where the number ends in 1, will be entitled to $40. If the number ends with No. 2, then all the tickets where the number ends in 2, will be entitled to $40, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificate of Package	10 Whole Tickets	$60
" "	10 Half Tickets	30
" "	10 Quarter "	15

Address orders for Tickets, or Certificates, either to

S. SWAN & Co., Atlanta, Ga.
or S. Swan, Montgomery, Ala.

PLAN OF SWAN & Co's. LOTTERIES.

39,000 numbers corresponding with those on the Tickets, are placed in one Wheel. The Prizes are placed in another wheel. A number is drawn from the Number wheel, and at the same time a prize is drawn from the other wheel. The Prize drawn is placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

In ordering Tickets, enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.

The List of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

☞ Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

☞ Remember that every Prize is drawn, and payable in full, without deduction.

☞ All Prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of 30 days, in full without deduction.

All communications strictly confidential.

Prize Tickets cashed or renewed in other Tickets at either office.

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to inform the inhabitants of Kingston and vicinity, that he has received his annual consignment of Books and Engravings from London, Chancery Lane, and which he will offer for Sale, by Public Auction, at the commencement of New Year, of which Due Notice will be given.

Catalogues may be had about the first of January.

JAMES LINTON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, December 9th, 1856.

PIANOS! PIANOS!

FOR Sale or to Rent, from some of the best Manufacturers, three excellent 6 and 6½ Octaves PIANOS, from New York, on Consignment.

Prices, £60, £15, and £25—or to be rented at £12, £10, and £8, per annum. Credit will be given to purchasers.

Apply to
JAMES LINTON,
Agent.

Dec. 5th, 1856.

AUCTION SALE
OF
Fresh Groceries,
AT THE STORES OF
Hugh Fraser, Ontario Street,

ON WEDNESDAY, the 17th December, 1856, there will be offered to the trade on liberal terms an extensive assortment of Fresh Teas, Muscovado and Refined Sugars, Syrups, Molasses, Rice, Coffee, Herrings, Codfish, Fruits, Spices, Salt in bags, Wines, Oils, and General Groceries.

CATALOGUE.

Hhds and bbls bright Muscovado Sugar,
Bbls Montreal Refined Sugar,
Tierces Superior Molasses,
Bbls Refined Syrup,
Half chests and catties of very Superior Fresh Teas in Hyson, Young Hyson, Twankay, Gunpowder, Souchong, Oolong, Congou, Caper, Orange and Flowery Peccoe, &c.,
Boxes Fresh MR Layer Raisins,
Bbls Superior Zante Currants,
Boxes Prime Honeydew Tobacco, 5's, 8's, 10's and ¼ lb lumps,
Grass Cut Chewing Tobacco,
Bags Double Sifted Black Pepper,
Bags Allspice,
Matts Cassia,
Bales Bourbon Cloves,
Kegs Ground Ginger,
Jars Coleman Mustard,
Boxes Pure Oswego Starch,
do Pulverised do. do.
do Waterford Batton Blue,
Reams Assorted Wrapping Paper.
Bags Prime Laguira Coffee,
Pockets Old Government Java Coffee,
Boxes Superior Table Codfish,
Bbls No. 1 Canso Split Herrings,
Boxes No. 1 Dried Herrings,
Bbls Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil,
Bbls No. 1 Lard Oil,
Bbls Pure Cod Oil,
Cases Olive Oil, qts and pints,
Cases Castor Oil,
Bbls Spirits Turpentine,
Tierces and kegs Sal Soda,
Kegs Carbon Soda,
Boxes Refined Saleratus,
Boxes Cream Tartar,
Boxes No. 2 Liverpool and Common Soap,
Boxes Genuine Castile Soap,
Boxes Brown Windsor Soap,
Boxes Belmont Sperm Candles,
Dozen Corn Brooms,
Dozen Patent Pails,
Boxes Window Glass,
Epsom Salts, Black Lead, Blacking in Tins, Card and Box Matches, Chalk, Chip Logwood, Dry White Lead, Pott and Post Paper, Nutmegs, Filberts, Pot Barley, Jamaica Ginger, Carraway Seeds, Corks, Clothes Pins, Alicant and Jute Matts, Snuff, Indigo, Madder, Liquorice, Orange Peel, Bottled Mustard, Vermicelli, &c.

ALSO.

180 Boxes Scotch and Montreal Pipes,
8 Cases Superior Sardines, 100 tins each,
7 do do Lobsters, 4 doz. each,
500 Bags Liverpool Salt,
75 Boxes Castile Soap,
25 Bags Superior Patna Rice,

TOGETHER WITH

Port and Sherry Wine in quarter casks, very choice Pale Brandy in cases, Claret in cases, Bourdeaux and Canadian Vinegar, &c.

Sale at one o'clock punctually.

WM. McMILLAN,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, 8th Dec., 1856.

IN STORE FOR SALE,

50 hhds Muscovado Sugar	1000 sacks Dairy Salt
100 bbls do	30 Crates Crockery
100 do crushed do	500 Jars Coleman's Mustard
1000 chts Tea, Green & black	30 cses lbs and ½lbs, Davies' do
150 catties do do	10 bbls London Pickles
50 bgs Green Coffee	10 trcs Bordeaux Vinegar
10 do Roasted do	50 bbls Canada do
150 bxs Tobacco	50 bgs Rice
25 bbls Cod Oil	25 M Cigars
25 do Seal do	3 cses Liquorice
50 do Elephant do	100 bxs Glasgow Pipes
10 do Olive do	200 do Montreal do
10 cses Salad do	10 bbls Jamaica Ginger
400 quintals Codfish	10 bgs African do
300 bbls Herrings	75 do Pepper
50 hlf do do	50 do Allspice
25 bbls Mackerel	10 chts Cassia
300 bxs Digby Herrings	3 bales Cloves
5 cses Lobsters	1 case Nutmegs
25 kgs & tins Lochline Herrings	5 bbls S S Almonds
5 bbls sea Salmon	15 bxs sweet-shelled do
10 do lake do	5 bales Filberts
5 hlf do do do	5 bags Walnuts
9000 bbls Whitefish	100 bxs Pearl Starch
100 hlf do do	10 do Pudding do
25 puns Molasses	75 do Saleratus
50 bbls do	50 hlf do do
7 trcs Scotch Treacle	500 bxs Soap
100 bbls Syrup	100 doz Pails
25 do Currants	50 do Brooms
300 bxs Raisins	50 do Hambro Line
100 hlf & qr do do	5 coils Leading Line
200 bxs Malaga Figs	30 bles Cotton Twine
50 hhds Brandy 'United Vineyards'	20 do Salmon and Hemp do
50 cses do do do	25 do Seamless Bags
74 do Bordeaux	15 do Corks
20 hhds Gin, "De Kuyper's"	25 bxs P C Blacking
25 cses do do	25 Gross Tins do
2 puns Scotch Whisky	10 bxs Clothes Pins
25 brls London Porter	10 kgs Baking Soda
100 bskts Champagne	2 trcs Washing do
8 csks Soda ash	10 bbls Epsom Salts
1 do Palm Oil	2 csks Sulphur
20 do Whiting	50 Jars Snuff
800 tins Paint	1 case Indigo
50 bbls Rosin	500 reams Paper
100 do Pitch	21 bbls Sago
200 do Liverpool Salt	1 bbl Canary Seeds
450 do Onondaga do	21 bbls Hemp and Canary do
70 do Cadiz do	20 bbls Pot Barley
	75 do Oatmeal

J. CARRUTHERS & CO.

Kingston, Dec. 11th, 1856. tf

First Frontenac Cavalry.

THE FIRST Frontenac Cavalry will entertain Major Strange and the officers of the Troop at Stenson's Hotel, on Thursday the 18th December.

Tickets may be obtained of Sergt. Major Gibson, Sergt. John Reese, John Strachan, George Elliott, and Wm. Keeley.

JAMES GIBSON,
Sergt. Major.

Dec. 8, 1856.

MARYLAND LOTTERIES.
FOR DECEMBER, 1856.

R. FRANCE & CO., Managers.

A Grand Maryland Lottery
ON THE
HAVANA PLAN!

GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY OF MD.

EXTRA CLASS 7.

To be drawn in Baltimore, Maryland, Saturday, December 20th, 1856.

Prizes amounting to $132,600

Will be distributed according to the following Splendid Scheme:—

20,000 Numbers!—1,000 Prizes! Prizes payable in full without Deduction.

SCHEME.

1 prize of	- - -	$40,000
1 prize of	- - -	14,940
1 prize of	- - -	10,000
1 prize of	- - -	5,000
1 prize of	- - -	3,000
2 prizes of	- - -	2,000
3 prizes of	- - -	1,500
3 prizes of	- - -	1,000
187 prizes of	- - -	200

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 of $150	Approximating to		$40,000
4 of 100	"		14,940
4 of 90	"		10,000
4 of 80	"		5,000
4 of 70	"		3,000
8 of 60	"		2,000
10 of 40	"		1,500
12 of 30	"		1,000
748 of 10	"		200
1,000 prizes	-	-	$132,600

Whole Tickets $10; Halves $5; Quarters $2.50.

BRILIANT SCHEME.

Grand Consolidated Lottery of Md. Extra Class 7, to be drawn in Baltimore, Md., Saturday, Dec. 27th, 1856.

SCHEME.

1 prize of	- - - - -	$65,000
1 prize of	- - - - -	35,000
1 prize of	- - - - -	16,820
4 prizes of	- - - - -	10,000
20 prizes of	- - - - -	5,000
10 prizes of	- - - - -	2,500
10 prizes of	- - - - -	1,750
173 prizes of	- - - - -	700
66 prizes of	- - - - -	300
66 prizes of	- - - - -	200
66 prizes of	- - - - -	100
4,158 prizes of	- - - - -	40
25,740 prizes of	- - - - -	20

30,316 prizes, amounting to $1,141,140.

Tickets $20—Halves 10—Quar. 5—Eighths 2.50

☞ All orders for tickets or packages in any of the Maryland Lotteries, will receive prompt attention, and the drawing mailed to all purchasers immediately after it is over.

Address T. H. HUBBARD & Co.
No. 39 Fayette-st, or Box, No 40,
Baltimore, Maryland.

FOR SALE.

FRESH ARRIVALS AT THE STORES OF THE SUBSCRIBER.

300 packages fresh teas, assorted qualities.
25 hhds Porto Rico Sugar.
50 bbls crushed Sugar.
200 boxes Layer and M. R. Raisins.
20 bbls fresh currants.
200 boxes Scotch and Montreal pipes.
75 boxes Belmont Sperm Candles.
50 boxes genuine Castile Soap.
150 boxes Liverpool and Montreal Soap.
50 bbls No. 1 split herrings.
20 boxes table codfish.
25 bags Patna Rice.
8 cases Sardines.
10 cases Lobsters.

AND

500 bags Liverpool Salt in prime order.

HUGH FRASER.

Kingston, 14th November, 1856.

NOTICE.

THE General Annual Meeting of the Members of the "Kingston Permanent Building Society," for the Election of Directors, will be held at the City Hall, in the City of Kingston, on Wednesday, the 17th day of December, instant, at six o'clock in the Evening.

By Order of the Board.
GEORGE BAXTER,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Kingston, Nov. 29th, 1856.
City papers to copy until day of Meeting.

OMNIBUS FARES.

To and from the Railway Station.

GEORGE MINK,

BY PERMISSION of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, begs respectfully to inform the Public that he has made arrangements with the G. T. R. R. Company to RUN HIS OMNIBUSSES in connection with their trains, to and from Kingston and the Railway Station, calling at all the Hotels and other Public places.

Passengers leaving their Orders at the Omnibus Office, two doors below the British American Hotel, or at the Subscriber's Inn, will have immediate attention.

FARE, including ordinary Baggage, to and from the Railway Station and the City

A YORK SHILLING.

☞ Parties giving their Checks to the Sellers of George Mink's Tickets in the Cars, will get their Baggage selected and taken care of.

GEORGE MINK.

Nov. 11, 1856.

** Cobourg Star and Brockville Recorder to copy two weeks.

Private Bills.

PARTIES intending to make application to the Legislative Assembly for PRIVATE or LOCAL BILLS, either for granting exclusive privileges or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, for regulating surveys or boundaries, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties—are hereby notified that they are required by the 62nd, 63rd, and 64th Rules, (which are published in full in the Canada Gazette) to give TWO MONTHS NOTICE of the application in some newspaper published within the County or Union of Counties affected; sending copies of the first and last of such notices to the Private Bill Office, Toronto.

ALFRED TODD,
Clerk of Private Bill Office.

Toronto, 6th Nov. 1856.

BOARD OF COMMON SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

NOTICE.

PARTIES desirous of obtaining employment as Teachers under the Board of School Trustees in this City, during 1857, will please send their applications before the end of the present month to

A. J. O'LOUGHLIN,
Sec'y.

Kingston, Dec 9th, 1856.

Colonial Life Assurance Company.

THE TENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held within the Company's Office, No. 5 George Street, Edinburgh, on Saturday, the 1st of November, 1856—GEORGE ROSS, jun., Esq., Advocate, in the Chair.

THE Balance Sheet of the Company's Affairs, as at 25th May, 1856, the Report by the Auditor, and various statements showing the progress of the Company, were submitted to the Meeting. A Report by the Directors was also submitted, in which the following results were stated:—

Amount proposed for Assurance during the year,	£413,572 13 11
Amount of Assurance effected during the year	339,623 6 0
New Premiums corresponding to Assurances accepted	13,061 4 6
Amount of Claims by death during the year	17,916 5 0
Accumulated Fund	223,790 4 5
Annual Revenue	76,686 16 2
Total Assurance in force as at 25th May, 1856	1,688,063 15 2

The following Tables exhibit the progress of the Company since its establishment:—

DATE.	New Assurances effected in each year.	No. of Policies issued in each year.
Nine months ending May 25, 1847.	£102,274 11 0	112
Year end'g May 25, 1848.	160,502 12 0	215
" " 1849.	129,938 15 0	205
" " 1850.	162,492 8 0	241
" " 1851.	184,408 13 7	274
" " 1852.	205,111 17 0	319
" " 1853.	256,311 11 10	478
" " 1854.	308,368 17 10	523
" " 1855.	319,371 3 8	531
" " 1856.	339,623 6 0	512
Total from 1846 to 1856	2,168,403 15 11	3410

CLAIMS BY DEATH COMPARED WITH THE ANNUAL REVENUE OF EACH YEAR.

DATE.	No. of Deaths.	Claims by Death.	Revenue of each year.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Nine months ending May 25, 1847	0	0	5,293 13 1
Year ending May 25, 1848	2	870 15 3	15,712 11 0
1849	6	3,449 19 0	15,290 11 6
1850	13	3,689 13 0	20,423 10 9
1851	13	4,699 18 0	26,550 1 4
1852	19	6,249 19 0	31,323 7 5
1853	21	8,240 15 0	37,235 11 0
1854	12	6,649 15 0	41,613 3 0
1855	21	7,299 16 0	53,623 3 0
1856	32	11,339 16 0	66,451 10 0
Total from 1846 to 1856	121	56,678 2 3	76,686 17 2

The Report gave much satisfaction to the Meeting, and was unanimously approved of.

A vote of thanks was then given to the Board of Directors at home and abroad, and to the various office-bearers of the Company, after which the meeting separated.

By order of the Directors,
WILL. THOS. THOMSON, Actuary.
B. CLUNIE GREGOR, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE FOR CANADA:
67 GREAT ST. JAMES STREET,
MONTREAL.
A. DAVIDSON PARKER,
Manager for Canada.

Kingston Board.

Hon. John Macaulay, Chairman.
Hon. John A. Macdonald, M.P.P.
Thomas A. Corbett, Esqr.
John Mowat, Esqr.
James Morton, Esqr.
John R. Forsyth, Esqr.
Alexander Campbell, Esqr.
W. G. DRAPER, Agent.

A STRANGE HEIFER, about two years old, came into the premises of the subscriber, about two or three months since. The owner may obtain the heifer on application to

GEORGE HARGIN.

Waterloo, Dec. 6, 1856.

Information is wanted of Denis Scanlan, who left his home at Gananoque in the middle of summer, and has since worked on the Grand Trunk Railway works in the neighborhood of Kingston. His wife, who is now living at Mr O'Reilly's, on the Montreal Road, is anxious to learn what has become of him.

INFORMATION WANTED.

OF WILLIAM and JAMES McGUNIGLE, or William Hunter, who emigrated about 1835 for Canada, from the townland of Mullenaturnog, County Tyrone, Ireland. Their brother is anxious to hear from them. Direct John McGunigle, Armagh Inn, Kingston, Canada West.

Kingston, 10th Dec. 1856.

Canada papers will confer a favor by copying.

NOTICE.

I THE Undersigned, an Attorney of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, at Westminster, and a Solicitor of Her Majesty's High Court of Chancery in England, intend to apply, at the next Session of Parliament of Canada, for an Act to authorize the Court of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas and Chancery in Upper Canada, to admit me to practice as an Attorney and Solicitor therein respectively.

WILLIAM ROBERT MINGAYE.

Kingston, Upper Canada,
10th Nov, 1856.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!! OYSTERS!!!

THOMPSON & ROWE, Rome, New York, have established their Depot for Oysters by Can, Keg, or in Shell, at D. Heist's Restaurant, No. 4, Wellington Buildings, Wellington Street, Kingston.

Kingston, Pittsburgh & Gananoque Joint Stock Road Company.

ELEVENTH AND LAST INSTALMENT.

A FURTHER and last Instalment of ten per cent on the Capital Stock of this Company, is hereby required to be paid by the Stockholders of the Company to me on or before the 26th December next.

WILLIAM FERGUSON,
Treasurer,
K. P. & G. J. S. R. C.

Kingston, 24th Nov., 1856.

Wanted Immediately.

TWO Salesmen for a First Class Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Establishment, to whom Liberal Salaries will be paid. Apply, by letter post-paid, enclosing reference, to X. Y. Z., at the British Whig Office, Kingston.

Nov. 19, 1856.

Genuine Havana Cigars.

THE Subscriber has just received direct from Havana, a few thousand Choice Brunda Cigars. Also, 20,000 Manilla Cheroots, (finest quality.)

E. W. PALMER,
Chemist & Druggist,
Market Square.

GORE BANK.

DIVIDEND No. 37.

A DIVIDEND of Four per cent. for the half year ending the 31st December current, is this day declared payable to Shareholders or their Attornies duly constituted, on the Sixth day of January, 1857.

Dividends on Instalments in New Shares will be paid at same rates.

The Transfer Books will be closed on the 16th current, and be re-opened on the 6th January.

Shareholders who reside in Canada East will be paid at the office of the Bank of Upper Canada in Montreal. Those who reside in and near Kingston, at the office of the Bank of Upper Canada in Kingston,—and those who reside in and near Toronto, at the Bank of Upper Canada.

By Order
A. STEVEN,
President.

Gore Bank,
Hamilton, Dec. 2, 1856.

GORE BANK!

AT a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Gore Bank, held at the Bank this day, ANDREW STEVEN, Esq., was Elected a Director, in place of the late Colin C. Ferrie, Esq., deceased. Afterwards, the said ANDREW STEVEN was unanimously Elected President, and WILLIAM G. CRAWFORD, Esq., was appointed Cashier.

By Order,
STEVEN,
President.

Gore Bank, Hamilton,
Dec. 2, 1856.

FIREWOOD.

WANTED at the Kingston Station of the Grand Trunk Railway, 2000 cords of firewood, to be delivered during the next six months. Tenders to be addressed to

DARNTON HUTTON,
Resident Engineer,
Belleville.

Nov. 19th, 1856.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for December for sale at the City Book Store.

Kingston, Nov. 20, 1856.

OYSTERS.—The best plate of Oysters in the City may be had at any times at Schaffer's Saloon, nearly opposite Ireland's Hotel.

RECEIVED by A. Livingston, Princess street, an extensive and varied Assortment of Natural Preserves—in glass jars.

Assorted Jellies.
Jams.
Orange Marmalades, &c,
Also 1 case Preserved Salmon.

Fort Gaines Academy Lottery.
CLASS 22.

To be drawn in the City of Atalanta, Georgia, in Public, on

Saturday, December 20, 1856, on the Plan of Single Numbers.

CAPITAL, $40,000.
3,280 PRIZES,

MORE THAN ONE PRIZE TO EVERY TEN TICKETS!

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!

1 Prize of	$40,000	1 Prize of	$1,000
1 "	12,000	10 Prizes of	200
1 "	5,000	100 "	100
1 "	2,000	100 "	70
1 "	1,000		

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 Prizes of $150 approximating to $40,000 are $600; 4 of 125 approximating to 12,000 are 500; 4 of 100 approximating to 5,000 are 400; 4 of 25 approximating to 3,000 are 300; 8 of 50 approximating to 1,000 Prizes are 400; 40 of 15 approximating to 200 are 1,300; 3,000 of 40 are 120,000.—3,280 Prizes amounting to $204,000.

Whole tickets, $10; Halves, $5; Quarters, $2½.

3,000 Prizes of $40 will be determined by the last figure of the number that draws the $40,000 Prize. For example,—if the number drawing the $40,000 prize ends with No. 1, all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $40. If the number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 2 will be entitled to $40, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Certificate of Package of 10 Whole Tickets, $60; 10 Half do. $30; 10 Quarter do $15.

Address orders for Tickets or Certificates either to

S. SWAN & Co., Atalanta, Ga.,
or S. SWAN, Montgomery, Ala.

FOR SALE at the Canton Tea Warehouse:—

Barrels No. 1 Herrings,
Quintals No. 1 Table Codfish,
Boxes Digby Herrings,
Cases Lobsters,
Tins Sardines,
Hhds Muscovado Sugar,
Barrels do.
do Crushed Sugars,
do Yellow Refined do.
Barrels and kegs Honey Syrup,
do Molasses,

PAUL & LAIDLAW.

Valuable Property for Sale.

TWO Brick Buildings situated at the West end of Bagot Street, near the Park, and just opposite Judge McKenzie's new building, also 95 feet of land adjoining the same. It will be sold as a whole, or otherwise to suit purchasers.

The above property will be disposed of on reasonable terms as the proprietor intends leaving the City.

For further particulars apply to Geo. Davidson, Esq., or M. Doran, at Kingston Foundry.

Kingston, Dec. 6, 1856.

Commercial Bank, M.D.

DIVIDEND NO. 47.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of *Four per Cent* on the paid up Capital Stock of this Institution, for the half year ending 31st December next, has been this day declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Offices on and after Friday the 2d day of January next.

Dividend on Instalments upon new shares will be paid at the same rate.

The Transfer Books will be closed on 13th December and reopened on 2nd January.

By order of the Board,
C. S. ROSS,
Cashier.

Commercial Bank, M.D.,
Kingston, 24th November, 1856.