are no less famous than they are favorite with the fashionable pleasure travel of both Europe and America. And this is deservedly so, for they are run on the most liberal principles, whilst they are unquestionably the fastest ships on the Atlantic.

The influx of people at Toronto during the past week has been wonderful. Toronto, like New York, is blessed with a splendid first-class hotel, which is called the Rossin House. This house, like the Fifth Avenue, is unexceptionable in all good qualities; and last, but not least, the charges are in perfect keeping with the times.

The hotels at Kingston, Alexandria Bay, Montreal, Quebec, and in fact all along the great fashionable summer tour are good and well kept, and they have all reduced their prices of board in keeping with the times.

The weather is hot, but no inconvenience is felt from the heat.

Yours, &c,

ALONZO.

City Council.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening last. The Mayor occupied the chair, and the following members were present:—Aldermen Allen, G. Brown, Chown, H. Cunningham, J. Cunningham, Ditton, Gibson, Gildersleeve, Henderson, Kinghorn, Livingston, McMillan, Nulligan, W. Robinson, Sullivan, Wilmot. The Clerk read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was read from the Intercolonial Commercial Convention, inviting the representation of the city at a meeting at Portland, Maine, to be held on the 4th of August, to consider the best means to conduct the lines of intercourse between the Atlantic seaboard and the Pacific Ocean.—Referred to the Board of Trade.

A communication from the City Solicitor was read, stating that the Corporation had obtained a verdict in the case of Innes vs. Cunningham.

A communication from the County Treasurer was read, claiming on behalf of the County Corporation the amount of $12,102 12, as due by the City to the County.—Referred to the Finance Committee, who were instructed to take what legal advice they may think necessary, and to report.

PETITIONS.

Ald. H. Cunningham brought in the petition of Geo. McCullagh, to open a drain on the corner of Brock and Bagot Streets.—Granted on the usual conditions.

Ald. Kinghorn brought in the petition of J. & D. Cunningham, to lay down building materials.—Granted under the supervision of the City Engineer.

Ald. W. Robinson brought in the petition of —. Levey, and Ald. Dr. Sullivan brought in the petition of T. Bowes, to erect signs, both of which were granted on the usual conditions.

Ald. Chown brought in the petition of S. T. Drennan, requesting a reconsideration of the decision of the Arbitrators in his case in favor of the City Council, as indorser along with D. McKay on notes for the late firm of A. & D. Shaw.

The petition gave rise to long and animated discussion, and some warmth of feeling was displayed by members during the debate. A proposition to once more refer the matter to the Finance Committee was met by a strenuous opposition from that body, and distinctly refused to have anything more to do with it. At length a Special Committee was struck to consider the petition, composed of Ald. Henderson, G. Brown, H. Cunningham, Kinghorn, Gibson and Allen, and a Special Meeting of the Council was ordered for Monday next.

On motion of Ald. McMillan, seconded by Ald. Nulligan, it was resolved that the Messenger under the instruction of the Chamberlain, be directed to collect the rents from the butchers and others during the illness of the Market Clerk.

The proceedings of the Council terminated abruptly at ten minutes to eleven o'clock.

Dr. Tupper is on his way to Ottawa. Anti advices say that when he arrived at Halifax he was received with hisses, while the Anti delegates got quite an ovation. The accounts go further to say that a demonstration was attempted against him to throw him overboard, but such cannot be the case, as the opposite party are sufficiently strong to make such an attempt hazardous, to say the least.

The Cable news agent at the other end of the line seems to have attached considerable importance to the Irish Church Reform meeting which took place in London on Sunday. The quality of the assemblage, rather than its size, probably impressed him. There were only 2,000 persons present, which in a city of 3,500,000 could hardly with propriety be called a "crowd." But the flags in the procession were green in color, the meeting supported the Gladstone Suspensory Act, and there was no row. All this was probably noteworthy.

The Fisheries Act of last session contains a clause authorizing Government to raise a marine police force and employ vessels for their protection. No unusual steps, however, to carry out the law will be taken this year, and "La Canadienne" and the Government steamer usually stationed at Halifax will be the only craft kept in commission.

The Halifax papers continue to give glowing accounts of the prospects of the gold mining interests in that Province. The diggings at Sherbrooke still uphold the favorable reports that have always come from that locality. The week before last a bar of gold weighing 363 ounces, from the Dominion Company's claims, arrived at Halifax, and has been forwarded to Ontario. The Company has on hand about 15,000 tons of quartz ready for crushing, besides a splendid lot of specimens.

The most gratifying success has attended the establishment of post office savings banks in this country. Since the 1st of April last the deposits in about seventy offices in Ontario and Quebec amount to $202,586. Arrangements have now been made to open speedily about seventy more post office savings banks in parts not yet provided with such facilities, so that the advantages of the system will be more widely disseminated.

The Cable brings the good news for the consuming population in America, that the wheat crop in England promises a yield above the average this season. However a full month has to transpire before the English farmer can call his crop secure.

The Princess of Wales gave birth to a daughter, her fourth child, at half-past four on the afternoon of the 6th inst. A bulletin issued at Marlborough House on the morning of the 7th says that the Princess of Wales is progressing as favorably as possible, and that the infant Princess is quite well.

Western politicians are already at work regarding the filling up of the vacancy for the West Riding of York, in consequence of Mr. Howland's appointment. Mr. H. S. Howland, brother of the Governor; John McDonald, late member for west Toronto; and even the great Oonotio of the Globe are spoken of. The Globe is out in thundering tones against Mr. Howland's candidature, which discloses the fact that Mr. Howland will be the Government candidate.

THE GAME LAWS.—For the information of those who have not seen the new game law, attention is called to to the four following clauses:

No wild turkey, grouse pheasant, partridge or hare shall be hunted, taken or killed between the 1st day of January and the 1st day of September in any year.

No quail shall be taken or killed between the 1st day of January and the 1st day of October in any year.

No woodcock or snipe shall be taken or killed between the first day of March and the first day of September in any year.

No wild swan, goose of any description of wild duck shall be taken or killed between the 1st day of March and the first day of September in any year."

The above four clauses are those which fix the close season, by which it will be seen that no game bird of any kind can be killed before the 1st day of September, and that quail, as under the old law, are protected until the 1st day of October.

The law is absurd with respect to all descriptions of Wild Ducks, for the Wood Duck, or Summer Duck, is now in season and fit for the table. Early in August is the best time of Wood Duck Shooting.

THE FENIANS.—A "Chicago Volunteer," writing to his father in Toronto, says:—With reference to another Fenian raid on Canada, there is no excitement here at present. The Fenians are drilling every night, and it is estimated that there is about 10,000 of them in this city; they are composed of all the roughest class of laborers, and in fact they are of the worst character. But what is the use in having that number of men in Chicago, and about the same number in New York and Buffalo and many other cities in the United States and having no commander? It may just be compared to a flock of sheep running away for the want of a shepherd. The people of Canada need not dread an invasion this summer.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Presentation to Lord Napier.

London, July 21.

Lord Napier, of Magdala, to-day received the freedom of the city, and a sword from the corporation of London. The ceremony took place at Guildhall, and was witnessed by a large assembly. The Lord Mayor made the presentation. Lord Napier was loudly cheered by the audience, among whom were many of the principal officers of the British army. A grand banquet was given to-night in honor of Lord Napier at the Mansion House.

FROM OTTAWA.

Movements of Ministers—The Vacancies in the Cabinet.

Ottawa, July 21.

The Hon. Mr. McDougall left this morning for Toronto. Mr. Langevin arrived to-night from Quebec.

It is said an order has been issued from the Horse Guards forbidding officers from preaching. If so, it will stop the evangelical labors of some officers of the Prince Consort's Own Rifles stationed here, who have been holding regular weekly services.

A distinguished officer's lady has given $200 towards the Dominion rifle match prize fund.

Rumor has it that a Conservative will succeed Mr. Howland in the Privy Council, and a Reformer be called in as President in place of the late Hon. Mr. Blair.

Dr. Tache, deputy minister of agriculture, left for Quebec to-day.

Judge Lynch in Indiana.

THREE MEN HANGED.

Cincinnati, July 21.

Three men named Phil. Clifton, Charles Rosenberry and Val. Elliott, arrested for the attempted robbery of Adams' Express at Brownstown, Ind., on the night of the 10th inst., left here last night, under a strong squad, to be placed in the Brownstown goal. When the train reached a point near Seymour, it was stopped by a mob, the guard overpowered, and the prisoners hung.

Dominion Rifle Association.

THE PRIZE LIST.

The prize list prepared by the Council of the Dominion Rifle Association, was submitted to Sir George E. Cartier on Saturday, and approved by him. The present list is based on the Government grant of $5,000. The Council will issue supplementary lists from time to time as the extent of the contribution will warrant. The list has been prepared with good judgment and will cut a most wholesome competition. The following is a summary of the prizes offered:

A prize open to all comers, members of the Dominion Rifle Association, $600 in all, the highest amount to a single competitor being $250, the next highest competitor getting $100, the balance being divided among 25 competitors, in $20, $10 and $5 prizes; are 400, 600, 800 and a thousand yards. Open to any rifle in any position.

The Dominion of Canada prize open to to all certified and efficient members of regularly embodied corps of volunteer militia militia, and to members of the staff who are also members of the Canada Rifle Association. The first prize, to go to a single competitor, is $500; there are 30 prizes at $20 each, and 30 at $10 each, making the whole sum competed for $1,400. These prizes are to be competed for on two stages—the first at 300, 400 and 500 yards; the second at 600 and 700 yards. The Enfield and Snider Enfield to be used.

The Provincial Match will be shot for by 15 competitors from each Province. The 1st prize will be a piece of plate worth $80; the highest score will get $50, the next $30, next $20; ranges, 300, 400, 500, and 600 yards; five shots at each range; arms, Enfield and Snider Enfield; the prize of $800 to remain in possession of the winning Province, by which it is to be afterwards offered for competition.

The All-Comers' Intercolonial match will be open to all comers of any nation and any rifle coming within the Wimbledon regulation. 1st prize, $200; 2nd, $100; and ten prizes of $15 each; ranges 400 and 500 yards.

The Affiliated Association Prize is to be competed for by members of affiliated associations. The first prize of $2,000 will be left to the decision of the winning association, and will be paid to the treasurer. The highest individual score will get $50; 10 second highest, $15 each; the next ten, $10 each. Ranges, 300, 600, and 900 yards; open to rifles coming within the Wimbledon regulation.

Military District Prize—To be shot for by ten competitors from each district. The highest aggregate score, $400 in plate or money; highest individual score, $50; next ten highest, $10 each; next 10 highest, $5 each.

The Battalion Match—To be competed for by six from each battalion, officers and men: 1st prize, $250; highest individual score, $30; second highest, $20; ten next highest, $10 each; ten next highest, $5 each. Ranges, 300 and 500 yards; individual possession of the prize of $250 is to be decided by three shots each at 500 yards.

The military prize, open to non commissioned officers and men of H. M. regular forces in Canada:—1st prize, $40; 2nd do, $30; 3rd do, $20; 4th prize, $15; and 20 prizes of $5 each. Ranges, 300, 400, and 600 yards; Enfield and Snider Enfield rifles.

The committee have adopted the Wimbledon regulations of 1867, as far as applicable to the prizes to be offered.

Ordinary subscribers will be accepted up to the 15th of September. But associations intending to affiliate must send subscription and list of members not later than the 15th of August.

FROM MONTREAL.

Mortality—A Discreditable Affair.

Montreal, July 21.

Prayers was offered for rain in the churches on Sunday.

A driver named Roach under treatment for sunstroke in a fit of delirium leaped out of a three story window yesterday; both thighs were broken and the body fearfully mangled. He expired a short time after.

Farmers from St. Scholastique and other place report the roads in some places impassable on account of burning forests.

There were two cases of sunstroke recently. The mortality for the past week is 209, and for the corresponding week last year it was 331. There was seventeen cases of small-pox last week.

It is understood that the city battalions are to be disbanded and two efficient regiments, 750 strong each, are to be formed out of them under the new militia law.

It is said that one of our foremost citizens and eminent financial men is understood to be a party to a suit for the large sum of $100,000 damages in a case of a very discreditable nature. It is said that he induced a man to marry a cast off mistress, passing her off as his natural daughter. The swindled husband holds letters which will prove the truth of the whole affair. It is all the talk in religious circles and makes rather a sensation.

NEW RAILWAY.—A new railway from Carleton Place to Ottawa is spoken of and a staff of engineers is said now to be engaged in surveying a route. The distance between the two places is twenty-six miles, and it is believed the road can be cheaply constructed. The advantages it would be to cheapen the carriage of freight, especially in winter, from Ottawa to the extensive timber regions of the Madawaska and the Upper Ottawa, and also, if extended to Pembroke, to develope an important section of the country the resources of which are varied and valuable. It is thought the traffic of the Brockville and Arnprior railway would be considerably increased by this new enterprise.

Revengeful Act.

A MAN CUTS A BOY'S EARS OFF—INFIDELITY THE CAUSE.

Stratford, July 19.

On Saturday evening last a shoemaker named Thomas Hopwood, residing on Erie street in this town, cut the ears off his apprentice. The facts of the case are as follows:—

Hopwood has lately had reason to suspect an illicit intercourse between his wife and the boy in question. To prove this he, on Saturday, gave out that he was going to Toronto on business. He, accordingly, absented himself from the shop, his residence being above. About half-past twelve o'clock on Sunday morning he quietly entered the house, crept up stairs and there discovered his wife in the bed of his apprentice. Rage fired Hopwood's breast, and he seized his wife and maltreated her, after which he drew a revolver and threatened to blow Constable Wilson's (who was present) brains out unless he released the boy into his hands. Wilson gave up the boy and then went for a light. On his returning the boy met him, the blood streaming from his ears, or at least, the place where his ears ought to be. Hopwood made clean work of one ear, which is completely off. The other, the knife, (a shoemaker's) went through the ear into the boy's cheek, and left it hanging by a slender thread of flesh. The boy ran into the street, shouting murder, and, fortunately, Dr. Jackson was on hand to dress the wound, and sew up the remaining ear. The wonder here is that he did not cut the young rascal's throat. Great sympathy is expressed at Hopwood's affliction, which he feels very acutely.

FENIAN PICNIC.—A Grand Fenian picnic, review and sham battle, are to be held in Buffalo on the 27th inst. This looks rather mysterious, and perhaps a battle may take place that won't be all sham.—Syracuse Courrier.

THE CROPS.—In consequence of the prolonged term of hot weather, the harvest is fully two weeks earlier through the Province than expected in the Spring. The wheat crop is invariably good, and the larger portion will be securely housed during the ensuing week. Agriculturally the season is one of the most prosperous known in the history of Canada, and the circumstance is a surety of good times to come.

EARLY BARLEY.—On Friday last, A. Waddell Esq., began to cut a fine field of barley, which was sown by him as early as the 7th of April. The grain was very superior. Several farmers ridiculed the idea of sowing barley so early on the ground in which it was grown, but the result proves that early sowing is the best.—Cobourg Sun.

THE FENIAN LEADERS.

Congress at Buffalo.

Buffalo, July 22.

A mysterious Congress of Fenian Senators from every section of the Union assembled here this morning. The meeting was unknown to the rank and file of the organization, and speculation is rife as to its object. Senators Fitzgerald, of Cincinnati, Cunningham of Syracuse, Harlton, of New Jersey, Finnegan, of Michigan, Gallagher of this city, and other prominent Senators, are present. General John O'Neil, President of the Fenian organization, arrived last night; General Spear, commander in-chief, is expected tonight. The session of this congress are held with closed doors and armed sentinels.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 23, 1868.

THE COMMON SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.—These examinations were continued yesterday with the Orphans' Home School in the morning, and Princess Street School in the afternoon. When the examinations are concluded, we will give a general notice of them.

☞ The Lady Macdonald Presentation piano is now on its way to Ottawa, in charge of Mr. Reyner of this city.

14TH VOL. RIFLES.—The volunteers of this battalion are requested to comply with the recent order calling in the arms, accoutrements and uniforms for inspection. No pay will be issued until all are returned to the armouries.

☞ The "Pride of the Wave" (Mr. Cunningham), and the "Canadian Life" (Mr. Jamieson), are among the Canadian boats entered from Kingston for the yacht race at Cape Vincent to-day.

THE WEATHER.—The weather this week has been more rational. The heat is no longer complained of, and the work of the harvest goes bravely on.

☞ The Rochester Union is responsible for the statement that parties at Oswego, Ogdensburg and other lake and river towns, are dissatisfied with the present steamboat arrangements, and have moved to bring out an American line to run the South shore. Capt. Chapman, a wealthy citizen of Morristown, is a prominent mover in the scheme.

☞ The Band of the Christian Brothers' School left for Watertown yesterday afternoon. Last night they gave a concert in that place.

MILITARY ITEMS.—About 23 men and 12 horses of the 13th Hussars passed down from Toronto to Montreal yesterday morning in the steamer Corinthian.

A company of the R. C. Rifles leaves next week for Quebec province to relieve another company stationed there, which will return to headquarters.

The half-yearly Inspection of the Garrison takes place on Friday and Saturday. The Inspecting General arrives from Montreal in the R. M. steamer this afternoon.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.—Within the past two or three days several steamboat accidents have occurred at this port, which comprise quite a chapter in themselves. The propeller Bruno, on her way from Chicago to Montreal, broke her shaft on the lake on Saturday night, and was towed into Timber Island by the steamer Passport, where she remained until the tug Frances went up and towed her into this port next day. Having transhipped her heavy cargo, she was yesterday hauled out on the marine railway for sundry repairs, awaiting the arrival of a new shaft. The steamer St. Helen, while on her trip from Trenton, became disabled at the Stone Mill a wharf by the breaking of her shaft-pin. She was towed into this port on Tuesday afternoon by the tug Ellen Jeffers, to get her damages repaired. Yesterday she was enabled to continue her trip to Montreal. While the St. Helen was lying here, the small steamer Bruce, a "Bay" boat, while alongside of her, with a heavy load of passengers on board, also broke her crank-pin, which also caused a delay till yesterday to make repairs. The steamer Columbian was also detained here on Tuesday for about twenty-four hours, owing to a small break in her machinery. Yesterday morning she left for Ogdensburg at the regular hour. The str. Rochester, which was hauled out at the marine railway on Saturday last for trifling repairs, resumed her trips to Oswego on Tuesday.

The Canadian ss. Hibernian arrived at Quebec yesterday morning with 372 passengers.

The merchants of Belleville, to the number of 97, have signed an agreement to receive and pay American silver according to the Toronto platform, to come into effect on the 1st of August.

The following new post offices were established in Ontario on the 1st of July:—Chesley, Co. Bruce; Dunsinane, Co. Bruce; Hartley, Co. Victoria; Ingoldby, Co. Peterboro'; Lavant, Co. Lanark; McNab, Glengarry, Co. Glengarry; Moffatt, Co. Halton; Parker, re-opened, Co. Wellington; Roma, Co. Ontario; Rob Roy, Co. Grey; Silver Creek, re-opened, Co. Halton; Skipness Co. Bruce; Wareham, Co. Grey; Warminster, Co. Simcoe. Post Offices closed—Adare, Co. Middlesex; Glastonbury, Co. Addington. The name of the Osprey P. O., Co. Grey, has been changed to Maple Valley.

Mr. J. W. Langmuir, of Picton, the new provincial gaol inspector, has made a very favorable impression, and in general opinion the Ontario Government have put the right man in the right place.

The fishermen of Prince Edward Island have a larger and better equipped fleet this year than ever they have had before, and it is believed that the catch of mackerel will be unusually large. From Newfoundland the most cheering accounts have been received. Such an abundant supply of fine fish had not been seen for thirty years! However, all the fishermen cannot engage in the fishery, not having the necessary outfit; one third are absolutely idling away their time, because they have neither boats, hooks, lines, nor food to enable them to prosecute the voyage.

POLICE COURT, Wednesday.—The docket this morning presented another batch of old offenders, who, from the excessive heat, could not resist taking "just one glass," and that glass invariably leads them into the hands of the police, who are always on the watch for such characters. The first on the list was our old friend Archy Buchanan, who was as usual charged with being a drunken vagrant. The Magistrate informed him that as he was not in a fit state to take care of himself he should commit him to gaol. Archy received this information without a murmur, and was ushered away to his old friend the Gaoler, for a period of ten days. Emma Sherwood, who just happened to come to the city yesterday, fell in with some friends, and of course took a glass, and another, until, to her surprise, this morning she found herself before the Police Magistrate, charged with being drunk and a vagrant. She pleaded hard, and was finally allowed to return to her place at Waterloo. Eliza Mills, a hard looking case, was charged with the same offence, and fined $2 or 10 days in gaol. Two drunks were fined $2 each.

Arrivals at the Burnett House.

July 21st.

C Oliver, Dayton; P G Childs, Cleveland, J Burnett, Whitby; P Hanson, New York; D Campbell, Wellington, Mrs Lozier and daughter, Hamilton; Capt Moody and lady, Canton; J S Bliss, Watertown; A Hill, Hamilton; F Hooker and wife Chicago; John Sutherland, Coburg; W B Adams, Toronto; G G Willis, Brooklyn; Mrs Scott, daughter and son, Boston; R H Wilson, Barrie; O Frost and daughter, Albany; W Van Namee New York; W F Stanton, Trenton, N Y; J Bell and wife, Utica; A J Corkindale Picton.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel.

July 21st.

N Chisholm, Montreal; A Stokes, Boston; G Walley, do; M Smiller, Montreal; F D Howell, Loreville; W Brooks, do; G Hooper wife and son, San Francisco; Mr Hackett, New York; Mrs Hackett, do; Master Hackett do; F Clifton, Ottawa, J S Van Wyck, New York; G Pengnet, do; F C Townsend, do; A Haldman, do; S Weddle, do; Thos S Wright and wife, New Orleans; J Benson, Nepanee.

COMMERCE AND MARINE.

Kingston Money Market.

July 22nd, 1868.

The Brokers of Ontario St. report—Silver buying at ¼ discount, selling at ¼ discount.

Greenbacks. { Bills 80c. Silver 70c.

Gold in New York at 12 o'clock, 142½.

Sterling exchange at New York 109.

Current Prices of Grain.

July 22nd, 1868.

The Grain Buyers of Ontario St. set report—

Fall Wheat	0 00 to 0 00	per Bushel.
Spring do	1 00 to 0 00	" "
Rye	0 0 to 0 00	" "
Barley	0 00 to 0 00	" "
Peas	0 00 to 0 00	" "
Oats	0 to 40	" "
Buckwheat	00 to 00	" "

Montreal Markets—Yesterday.

Flour—Superior Extra, 0,00 to 0,00; Extra, 0 00 to 0,00; Fancy, 0,00 to 0,00; Welland Canal Super, 6,55 to 6,60; Super No. 1 Canada wheat, 6,50 to 7,00; Super No. 1 Western wheat, 6,50 to 6,55; Super No. 2 Western wheat, 6,00 to 6,20; bag flour, 3,25 to 3,40. Wheat—Canada Fall, 0,00 to 0,00; Spring, 1,56 to 1,56; Western, 0,00 to 0,00. Oats—per 32 lbs, 00 to 00. Barley—per 48 lbs, 0,00 to 0,00. Butter—Dairy, 00 to 00c; store-packed, 00 to 00c. Ashes—pots, 5,50 to 5,60; pearls, 5,40 to 5,50. Gold in New York at 12 o'clock, 143¾. Pork—mess, 24,50 to 25,00; prime mess, 16,50 to 17 00. Prime 16,00 to 16,25. Peas, 0,00 per 66 lbs. Rye Flour, 0,00 to 0,00.

Flour—market dull and a tightly easier with drooping tendency, but little business reported. Grain—wheat—sales of car loads from store at 1,55; other grains nominal. Provisions firm at generally unchanged rates. Ashes—pots less inquiry, but rates unchanged. Pearls—rates nominal; more in request.

New York Markets—Yesterday.

Stocks strong. Flour unchanged; sales are 7,100 bbls at 6,25 a 6,80 for superfine state and western; 7,70 a 8,25 for common to choice extra western. Rye flour steady at 7,50 a 9,00. Wheat quiet; sales are 21,000 bush at 2,00 for No. 1 spring; small lots at 1,85 for No. 2 do; 2,35 for amber western. Rye quiet; receipts are 525 bush. Corn scarce; receipts are 8,000 bush; sales are 9,000 bush at 1,05 a 1,21 for mixed western afloat. Barley nominal. Oats active and firm; receipts are 10,000 bush; sales are 98,000 bush at 83½c for western in store 86 do afloat. Pork firmer and quiet at 28,20 a 29,30 for new mess; 28,00 a 28,25 for old do. Lard quiet and firmer at 16¼ a 17½c.

Chicago Markets.—July 21st.

Flour firm. Wheat—Minnesota brands in good demand; buyers at $1 73; sellers at $1 74; since Change sales at $1 73. Corn steady and in fair demand at an advance of ½c; sales No 1 at 92¾ to 92⅞c; No 2 at 91½c to 92c. Oats firmer and scarce, and advanced 1c to 2c; closing steady at 63c. Rye in fair demand at $1 12 to $1 15. Barley quiet; sales by samples on track at $2 20. Provisions quiet; mess pork, $28 50; dry salted shoulders, 11½c. Freights—Corn to Buffalo, 3c.

Vessels Passed Through the Welland Canal.

July 21.

DOWN.

Leader, Toledo to Ogdensburg, lumber. Barks—Malia, Wallenburg to Kingston, timber; Prince of Wales, Cedar Creek to Kingston, timber; John Breden, Chicago to Kingston, wheat.

UP.

Schooners—Brig Orkney Lass, Kingston to Cleveland, iron ore. Schooner Sweet Home, Kingston to Clarkville, light.

Port of Kingston.

INWARDS, July 21st.—Sloop Monitor, Pittsburg, 24 cords wood, L Noble; scow Clipper, Dog Lake, 55 cords wood, C. Gildersleeve; str Kingston, Hamilton, gen cargo; scow Mary, Cranberry Lake, 30 cords wood, C. Gildersleeve.

OUTWARDS, June 21st.—Schr Gazelle, Toronto, 1,802 bags salt; str Kingston, Montreal, gen cargo.

INWARDS, July 22.—Str Bruce, Belleville, gen cargo; str City of Ottawa, Ottawa, do; str St Helen, Trenton, do; str Spartan, Montreal, do; prop Colonist, Hamilton, do.

OUTWARDS, July 22.—Str Bruce, Cressy, gen cargo; str City of Ottawa, Ottawa, do; str Spartan, Hamilton, do; str Rochester, Belleville, do; str St Helen, Montreal, do; str Corinthian, Montreal, do.

Kingston Markets.

July 22nd.

Superfine Flour ℔ barrel	$6 50	@ 7 00
Superfine Flour ℔ 100 lbs	3 50	" 3 75
Wheat, Spring ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Peas ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 75
Barley ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Rye ℔ bushel	0 75	" 0 00
Oats ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Buckwheat per bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Indian Meal ℔ bag	1 15	" 1 25
Oatmeal ℔ barrel	7 00	" 7 10
Potatoes per bush	0 00	" 0 00
Turnips ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Carrots and Beets ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Onions ℔ bushel	0 00	" 0 00
Butter, fresh, per lb	0 17	" 0 20
" By the tub	0 00	" 0 00
Beef ℔ 100 lbs	6 00	" 0 00
Fresh Pork per 100 lbs	0 00	" 7 50
Mess Pork	19 00	" 19 00
Prime Mess ℔ bbl	14 50	" 15 00
Hams ℔ lb	0 15	" 0 18
Shoulders (smoked) per lb	0 12	" 0 12
Bacon per lb	0 10	" 0 12
Mutton per lb	0 5	" 0 0
Veal ℔ lb	0 4	" 0 5
Lamb	0 0	" 0 7
Cheese ℔ lb	0 10	" 0 12
Eggs ℔ doz	0 12	" 0 18
Honey per lb	0 00	" 0 00
Turkeys each	0 00	" 0 00
Geese each	0 00	" 0 00
Fowls ℔ pair	0 45	" 0 50
Chickens (Spring) per pair	0 25	" 0 35
Ducks ℔ pair	0 00	" 0 0
Green Apples ℔ bbl	0 00	" 0 00
Apples, dried per lb	0 12	" 0 13
Hay ℔ ton	12 00	" 12 00
Straw ℔ ton	8 00	" 0 00
Timothy Seed ℔ bushel	2 00	" 2 25
Clover Seed ℔ bushel	5 00	" 6 00
Wood ℔ cord	3 50	" 4 0
Wool ℔ lb	0 25	" 0 35
Pot Ashes ℔ cwt	5 21	" 5 25
Hides ℔ 100 lbs	6 00	" 7 0
Sheep & Lamb Skins	0 25	" 0 30
Calf Skins per lb	0 10	" 0 12

BIRTH.

In this city, on the 14th inst, the wife of T. H. Butler, Esq, Lincoln, Ill., of a daughter.

DIED.

At Kingston, on the 15th of July, in childbed, Fanny Coverdale, aged 38, the beloved wife of John Creighton, Esq.

In Toronto, on the 14th inst., Richard Bell, aged 69 years.

In Toronto, on the 14th inst., George Lamb Holm.

In Toronto, on the 15th inst., John Dane, aged 31st.

At Saltfleet, on the 17th inst., Henrietta Anderson, aged 78 years.

In Toronto, on the 11th inst, Mr. Patrick Leary, in the 62nd year of his age.

At Toronto, on the 18th inst., Mrs. Wm. Stevenson, aged 94 years.

At Perth, on the 8th inst., Mrs. Mary Garvin, aged 87 years.

At Perth, on the 14th inst., Mr. James Doran, aged 36 years.

At Perth, on the 14th inst., Mr. John Kidd, aged 60 years.

WANTED,

AN experienced Cook and Laundress. Inquire of the Steward at the Kingston Hospital.

Kingston, July 21st, 1868. 2n171

FIREMEN'S EXCURSION TO BELLEVILLE ON Wednesday, Aug. 5th.

☞ For particulars are Large Posters.

Kingston, July 22, 1868. 172&30

TO-DAY. YACHT RACE AT CAPE VINCENT. THE STEAMER

WATERTOWN, ON THURSDAY, July 23rd, will leave Kingston at 7:45 A.M. for Cape Vincent.

Returning, will leave Cape Vincent at 5 P.M., giving parties time to participate in the Race and get home again by daylight.

Fare there and back, 50 cents.

☞ Yachts to start at 11 A.M.

G. M. KINGHORN.

Kingston, 22nd July, 1868. 171

Valuable Farm FOR SALE.

ALL that valuable property situated in the Township of Pittsburg, Front Road, twelve miles from the city, better known as the Fairman Property, containing Two Hundred Acres of Land, more or less, well watered, thirty acres well timbered, a good Stone House, two Barns, Sheds, Stables, &c., &c., in good repair.

The property will be sold en bloc, or in part, to suit purchasers.

For particulars apply to

WM. MURRAY, Auctioneer.

Kingston, July 21, 1868. 171

Insolvent Act of 1864, and Amendments Thereto.

In the matter of WILLIAM MANTON, Jr., an Insolvent.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that I, the undersigned, R. M. Rose, of the City of Kingston, have been appointed Official Assignee of his estate and effects; and they are required to produce before me, within two months from this date, their claims upon the said estate under oath, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it; and if none, stating the fact, with vouchers in support of such claims.

R. M. ROSE, Official Assignee.

Kingston, July 21, 1868. w2m172&30

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the matter of JOHN McKAY, Sen., an Insolvent.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until THURSDAY, the 23rd JULY, for the Stock-in-Trade of the Insolvent, amounting, per Inventory, to $3,000. The Stock and Inventory can be examined during the interval.

R. M. ROSE, Official Assignee.

Kingston, July 16, 1868. d1w167

Insolvent Act of 1864, and Amendments Thereto.

In the matter of DONALD MACKAY, of the City of Kingston, Merchant Tailor, an Insolvent.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an Assignment of his estate and effects, under the above Act, to me, the undersigned Assignee, and they are required to furnish me, within two months from this date, with their claims, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it, and if none, stating the fact, the whole attested under oath, with the vouchers in support of such claims.

HENRY CHARLES VOIGT, Official Assignee.

Kingston, July 15, 1868. 167

ARMY CONTRACTS.

SEALED TENDERS in duplicate, addressed to Senior Commissariat Officer, Kingston—the service or supply being marked on the envelope—will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock, noon, on FRIDAY, the 14th August next, for the following supplies and services for ONE YEAR from 1st October, 1868, to the 30th September, 1869, at Kingston, Ottawa and Prescott.

GENERAL SERVICE.

Fresh Meat	at — per 100 lbs
Bread	at — per ditto
Forage	at — per ration
Firewood	at — per cord
Candles, Tallow Mould	at — per 100 lbs
Coal Oil	at — per gallon
Wicks for coal oil lamps	at — per dozen
Coals	at — per bushel
Water for Troops at Fort Henry and Point Frederick	at — per 100 gals
Do. at Cataraqui Cottage	at — per diem
Do. at Ottawa	at — per 100 gals
Land Transport—Cartage (Cab hire at Kingston.)	

Separate Tenders will be required for each of the above services.

Forms of Tender, and all other necessary information can be obtained at this office, and also at Ottawa.

No Tenders, except those on the printed Forms, will be noticed.

Persons tendering for the supply of Fresh Meat, Bread, Forage and Fuel are notified that in the event of their Tender being accepted, they will be required to lodge in the Bank of Montreal a cheque, payable to the Senior Commissariat Officer, for an amount calculated at one quarter of a month's average for such supply, as a guarantee of good faith. This sum will be forfeited in the event of refusal to complete under formal Contract the offer made by Tender.

Commissariat, Kingston, 17th July, 1868. 168

Insolvent Act of 1864, and Amendments Thereto.

In the matter of DONALD MACKAY, of the City of Kingston, Merchant Tailor, an Insolvent.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified to meet at the Office of Messrs. Kirkpatrick and Son, Barristers, in the City of Kingston, on TUESDAY, the Fourth day of August next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of advising the Assignee as to the disposition of the Insolvent's estate and effects, and ordering the affairs of the estate generally.

HENRY CHARLES VOIGT, Official Assignee.

Kingston, July 16, 1868. 167

COMMON SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

THE Semi-Annual Examinations will begin on TUESDAY, JULY 21st, at 9 o'clock, A.M., and will be continued in the following order until completed:—

Gordon Street, Thursday, 23rd, forenoon.
Williamsville, " " afternoon.
Wellington Street, Friday, 24th, Girls' Department.
Wellington Street, Monday, 27th, Boys' Department.
Johnson Street, Tuesday, 28th, Girls' Department.
Johnson Street, Wednesday, 29th, Boys' Department.
Queen Street, Thursday, 30th, Girls' Department.
Queen Street, Friday, 31st, Boys' Department.

In the Central Schools the Junior Classes will be examined in the forenoon. The afternoon examinations will begin at 2 o'clock. Parents, Guardians, and the public are invited to attend.

SAMUEL WOOD, M.A., Local Superintendent.

Kingston, July 14th, 1868. 165

LOST OR STRAYED

FROM the Artillery Park, on Friday, the 10th inst., A RED COW, in full milk.

A handsome reward will be given to the person returning her to the owner,

THE REV. S. B. WINDSOR, Corner of Sydenham and Colborne Sts.

Kingston, July 15, 1868. 167

Herr Dreisbach's MENAGERIE AND HOWE'S TRANSATLANTIC CIRCUS, CONJOINTLY, FORM THE BEST AND LARGEST SHOW Of the season. The widely-known and deservedly popular HERR DREISBACH PRESENTS HIS Entire Caravan

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EIGHTEEN FULL DENS of Living Animals from all parts of the Globe.

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Look at the Array of Talent:—Mlle. Gertrude's Elite Troupe of Enchanting Quadrupeds, late of the Hanlon Brothers' Troupe, who, with Exquisite French Poodles, Tiny Ponies, Cunning Monkeys and Educated Goats, gives a most novel and amusing series of performances.

Mlle. Gertrude will also introduce the Wonderful Dog Apollo, who, on the back of the Pony Diana, will ride a Complete Equestrian Scene, including Running-Vaulting, Object-Leaping, and Pirouettes, the only Dog that ever accomplished such feats.

THE TRANSATLANTIC CIRCUS presents for the first time in America the GIFTED