Post Office Time Table.

MAILS GOING EAST:

By Day Express Train close at 10:00 p.m.; Arrive at 1:00 p.m.
By Night Express Train close at 3 p.m.; Arrive at 8:00 a.m.

GOING WEST

By Day Express Train close at 8:30 p.m.; Arrive at 4:00 p.m.
By Night Express Train close at 3 p.m.; Arrive at 8:00 a.m.

FOR UNITED STATES

Via Cape Vincent, close at 1 p.m. daily, and arrive at 7:30 a.m.

BRITISH MAILS

For Cunard Line, will be closed every Monday at 7 p.m.
Bremen Line, every Tuesday at 7 p.m.
For Canadian Line, every Friday at noon.

(Papers and Letters should be marked for the Line on which they are intended to be forwarded.)

G. T. R. TIME-TABLE.

Trains arrive and depart from the Point Station as follows:—

EXPRESS TRAINS GOING WEST 2:30 a.m.
Arrive at.....6:15 p.m. and 3:30 a.m.
Depart at.....6:25 p.m.; depart 3:40 a.m.
Local Train arrives at 6:45 a.m. Leaves going east.

EXPRESS.....1:30 p.m. and 1:45 a.m.
Arrive at.....1:00 p.m. and 1:45 a.m.
Depart at.....arrives at 8:15 a.m.; depart at 1:00 p.m.

☞ The Official Advertisements of the City and County, Notices of the Sheriff and Clerk of the Peace, those of the Post Office, and those of the Grand Trunk Railway and Steamboat Lines are always published in the BRITISH WHIG.

To Advertisers.

All Contract Advertisements, that is Advertisements not charged full Tariff rate, are payable in Cash.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

The Daily British Whig.

"Optimus est Orbem Dicor."

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 11, 1868

REMINDERS.

SALES, MEETINGS, AMUSEMENTS, &c.

AUCTION SALE of Billiard Tables by J. J. Linton, in Wilson's Buildings, this morning at eleven o'clock.

REAPING TRIAL on Mr. Duff's Farm, Head of Princess Street, to-day at twelve o'clock, noon. Farmers and others invited.

LAUNCH of a vessel at the Shipyard this afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

It is said the Recordership will be offered to Angus Morrison, who can hold this office and retain his seat in the House.

The London Times intimates that the Mexicans will be severely chastised if Juarez does not make ample reparation for the insult offered to Capt. Bridge, of H. M. ship Guanticleer.

The telegraph is an uncertain instructor. On Tuesday it said that no special instructions were given to Minister Johnson in regard to the Alabama claims. Now it says that he was instructed to pursue the same course as his predecessors regarding these claims, and that his instructions are also to negotiate a treaty as to the rights of naturalized citizens, similar to the one between Prussia and the United States.

Baron Stoeckl, the Russian Minister, has presented to President Johnson an autograph letter from the Emperor of Russia, congratulating him on his acquittal of the impeachment charges. It will be remembered that Congress in 1866 passed a series of resolutions congratulating the Emperor of Russia on his escape from assassination. Now, the Emperor reciprocates by expressing his kind feelings to the President by congratulating him on his escape from removal. It is said that Baron Stoeckl received the letter some time ago, but held the same until the passage of the Alaska appropriation bill.

Late advices from Kentucky, state that Governor Stevenson's majority will reach seventy thousand. Complete returns show that there is a large increase in Democratic majorities, and a falling off the Radical vote.

RAISED.—The floating elevator Hope, which sunk last week at the wharf of the Montreal Transportation Company, was raised on Saturday by Messrs. Calvin & Brock's workmen and divers, well supplied with pumps. She is now hauled up at the Shipyard, awaiting repairs.

La Crosse at Prescott.

By telegraph from Prescott we hear that a very exciting match at La Crosse came off there yesterday afternoon between the Montcalm Club of Ottawa and the Prescott Club, the latter winning three straight games—time 5, 14, and 25 minutes; total 44 minutes.

The Montcalm Club is one of the two strong Clubs upon which Ottawa prides itself. A comparison with the time of the match between the Prescott Club and the Kingston Club, in June last, tells strongly in favor of the latter. The time on which Prescott won here was 38, 15, and 37 minutes—total, 1 hour and 30 minutes.

THE EDITOR'S TABLE—No. 452.

Contributions of last week:—

THE LIVING AGE for Aug. 8th. Littell & Gay, Boston. 18 cents.

EVERY SATURDAY for Aug. 8th. Ticknor & Fields, Boston. 10 cents.

THE CANADA LAW JOURNAL for July. W. C. Chewett & Co., Toronto. $3 Cash.

THE PRIZE LIST of the Provincial Agricultural Association for 1868.

The Provincial Show, which takes place this year at Hamilton, in the week beginning Sept. 21st, promises to be a very good one. The Premiums advertised are greater this year than ever, amounting to more than $12,000. The competition is open to all the world. Intending Exhibitors can procure copies of the Prize List at the offices of the Secretaries of the County and City Societies; and those who do not, should study the Advertisement which appears in the British Whig and other newspapers.

THE SPECIAL REPORT of the Systems and State of Popular Education on the Continent of Europe; in the British Isles, and the United States of America. By the Rev. Dr. Ryerson. A Blue Book. 8vo., pp. 198.

It may be recollected that the Superintendent of Education for Ontario went to Europe some year or so ago, to look at Education abroad, and the above is the result of his labors. As Dr. Ryerson, unquestionably, is the ablest man in Canada, in whatever way he may be taken, this Report should be another token of his great intellect and capacity. We have not time to peruse it with the care the subject deserves, but from what we have seen, we are here presented with the logical scenes exhibited in its many pages.

MUSKOKA GLEANER.—We have received a copy of the "Settler's Guide," a periodical issued at Muskoka Village, setting forth the advantages of that section of the Grant country for immigration. The Territory to the North of us, between the River Severn and Lake Nipissing, and comprises 1,500,000 acres of good arable land. Rail and steam communication with Toronto.

THE MERCHANTS' HAND BOOK.

Attention is directed to an advertisement in another column in reference to "The Merchants' Hand Book," a publication containing the customs tariff and excise regulations, with much other useful information. Mr. Ira Cornwall, jr., the agent for the work, is in town, and is the only person authorized to sell the work.

FROM HALIFAX

Agitation—Dominion Members—The Legislature.

Halifax, Aug. 8.

The local Government and Assembly will, it is understood, propose to devise means of continuing lawful and constitutional agitation. They will probably reply to the Duke of Buckingham's despatch, and urge that as the Dominion Government has not proposed measures of relief as his despatch seemed to promise, Nova Scotia has the right to renew the demand for separation from the Dominion.

The idea is retained of requesting members of the House of Commons to absent themselves from the sittings of the Dominion Parliament. Several Dominion members refuse to commit themselves to that course.

The adoption of the resolution is a triumph of the moderate wing of the repeal party, as all the members of the Local Legislature yielded and voted for the resolution. It puts at rest all apprehension of violent measures.

It is now believed that the Legislature will attend to the business of the country, which has been neglected since the Dominion was inaugurated.

Though the crisis may be said to be past, considerable interest is felt to know what course the Local Government will propose to the Legislature on Monday. If some scheme of agitation is not proposed the extremists will be dissatisfied.

The West York election attracts some attention here. Unionists and Anti's both remark the development of Ministerial weakness.

Messrs. Howe, McLellan and Savary are spoken of as willing to accept it fully and unreservedly.

To-day has been a regular holiday. The Union Protection Fire Company had a fine procession, seen by great crowds.

An oration was delivered, and the corner stone of the monument, in memory of their comrades, was laid.

The fire engine and axe companies made a magnificent appearance with decorated engines and allegorical designs. After the procession they were inspected by General Doyle, Sir John A. Macdonald and Lady, Hon Messrs. P. Mitchell and Macdougall.

Great cheers were given for the Government, Sir John A. Macdonald and the ladies of Canada.

The Nova Scotians have discovered another grievance. A piper named Donald Ross had ordered a set of bag-pipes from Scotland, and the 'pipes' on being entered at the Customhouse, was charged duty, just as other musical instruments are when imported. The Repealers deem this a sad grievance! Why should "Donald Ross" be exempted any more than any one else? And the Minister of Customs of his own mere motion has no power to exempt any imported article from the payment of duty. Besides, the duty levied on bag-pipes is no higher now than it was previous to the Union.

*** The duty was levied improperly. The bag-pipes are not a musical instrument, whatever else they may be.—ED. BRITISH WHIG.

*** The English never liked the bag-piper. Dr. Barker is an Englishman.

PIPE MAJOR BLOODY FIRST.

From Murray Bay.

SHOCKING MURDER OF A MINER.

Murray Bay, Aug. 6.

Great excitement prevails in this locality in consequence of a man named Ouellett, a miner, having been brought in to day and lodged in the District Gaol on a charge of murdering a fellow miner at the Moise River. It is said Ouellett committed the crime thinking his victim possessed a good deal of money, but only seven dollars was found on his person by the murderer.

More Fenian Rumors.

The Nashville (Tenn.,) Press and Times says:—"The Fenians are making active preparations for an early movement. We learn from reliable private sources that the time and manner of the invasion has been decided on at the recent conference in Buffalo during the month of August, the movement will take place. There will be no scattering of forces this time. The principal body of Fenians is formed east of Illinois. All those not immediately situated in the Eastern States and New York, east of Elmira and Oswego, will congregate on the Niagara River, about 12,000 men. The remainder will be congregated near Ogdensburg—about 14,000 men. The concentrations of the troops will be effected with the utmost rapidity, and the invasion effected from these two points. The final preparations are now being made all over the States. The two companies here in Nashville are completing their organization. Last night the first company organized by electing Capt. M. J. Houston, a soldier in the regular army for fifteen years, and was almost literally riddled with balls in Indian fights and during the recent war, to command. The other company will hold an election in a day or two. We look for stormy times among our Fenian friends in a few days.

The Pall Mall Gazette grows eloquent over the abuse of English hotel-keeping. It says: "We cannot get too fit to use from our English ponds, but the article is not so difficult to obtain as to excuse the barbarism of hotel-keepers and others sending tepid water to their guests to drink. Few Londoners have an idea of the miseries which people are called upon to endure who are obliged to stay in London hotels. They are fleeced in the most shameless and outrageous manner. The bill for a gentleman and his daughter staying one week at a West end hotel—a very inferior hotel, withal having an imposing appearance to the passer-by—was lately charged £32 3s. The wines used had only cost £1 of this sum, and the total was swelled by enormous charges for every trifling article used. A few morsels of ice were sent up when specially sent asked for, and from 8d. to 9d. a day was charged for them. We doubt whether there is a first rate capital in the world where so much extortion is practised, and so little comfort given, as in the great hotels which have been opened of recent years. Is it any wonder that so many strangers retain anything but pleasant recollection of London?

FROM OTTAWA.

Salt Well—Plumbago Mines.

Ottawa, Aug. 8.

Mr. Gow, M.P., states that a salt well, water which compares favourably with the Goderich wells, has been discovered in Gloucester Township, 12 miles from this city.

Mr. Smith, of the Civil Service Commission, and Auditor-General Langton leave on Monday for Quebec, to join their colleagues in the investigation of the management of Public Offices belonging to the Dominion.

Plans and maps of the Canada Central Railway from Ottawa to Carleton Place, were sent in the Public Works Department to day.

The Buckingham and Templeton Plumbago Mines are attracting a great number of speculators, amongst others has been Mr. O'Neil, Advocate of Quebec, holding valuable lots adjoining the mines of the Canada Plumbago Company. The prices offered are liberal, but not enough to induce sale.

Ottawa, August 8.

The Canada Gazette contains a proclamation of her Majesty's sanction to the Canadian extradition act, also a copy of a circular from the Foreign Office relative to the equalization of different port and navigation dues exacted upon foreign shipping in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands.

Notifications have been received at the Governor-General's office that the Prussian government and the Senates of Hamburg, Lubeck and Bremen have withdrawn the commissions of their consuls at Montreal, New Brunswick and Quebec.

New Insolvents—J. W. Manning, Montreal; W. & A. Austin, Brantford; Romain & Clarke, Brantford; Wm. Gordon, North Williamsburg; Alfred Burguignon, Berthier; Thos. Wilson, Mount Forest; Wm. Tewksbury, Resch township; Archibald McLean, Pendleton, county of Prescott; Martin Nestor, St. Catharines; S. M. Sanderson & Co., Toronto; Louis Roberge, La Presentation; Alphonoz Guerin, Francis O'Hara, and Cleophas St. Jean Montreal; Bernard Goldberg, Hamilton.

Destructive Fire.

WOODS ON FIRE—RAILWAY STATION DESTROYED WITH OTHER PROPERTY.

Stayner, August 9.

During the last week the woods for several miles in all directions around Stayner have been on fire, causing much anxiety and alarm to the inhabitants of the village. On Friday last it approached so close that it required all their efforts to save the village. On Saturday, about ten o'clock, the wind blew a hurricane, and in an hour the building of the Northern Railway was on fire, and with 800 cords of wood was destroyed. Some nine or ten houses and a large quantity of lumber were also destroyed.

August 10.

The fire here destroyed eleven houses, including the railway station and the freight and trunk houses. The track around the station was partially destroyed, and about three miles north the track was damaged for half a mile, and a culvert destroyed. Mr. Cumberland, the managing director, arrived on Saturday, and temporary repairs were immediately commenced, so that the train which left Toronto on Saturday afternoon arrived at Collingwood on Sunday morning. There will be no further detention of trains. The burnt-out people are comfortably housed in the vicinity.

THE WEATHER AND CROPS.—The wheat has been nearly all secured, and it is gratifying to be able to state that, despite the forebodings to the contrary, it has generally turned out an average yield. Other grains coming in late will be equally good, except oats, which in some localities are said to be short; and peas are generally regarded as a failure. The weather, since the showers of last week, has been more temperate, the evenings and mornings are cool and the days sufficiently warm to force forward the growing crops. Potatoes suffered much from the drought, but may grow much in the two or three weeks in which they have yet to grow before coming to maturity. Altogether the crops are an average in this section of country; nor do we find that the blessings of Providence have been withheld from us so much as short time ago it would appear, in this respect.—Cobourg Sentinel.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

London, Aug 7.

The Right Hon. Stephen Lushington of the Court of Arches, is dead.

Paris, Aug. 7.

Gen. Fluery has issued a circular calling for the purchase of additional supplies of horses for the army.

Constantinople, Aug. 7.

The Sublime Porte has formerly proclaimed the eldest son of the Viceroy of Egypt, the rightful and legimate successor to the Viceroyal throne, in the event of the death of Ismael Pasha.

Florence, Aug. 7.

The Italian government has agreed to pay that portion of the debt of the former papal provinces, which is held in France, and look to the provinces for reimbursement.

Liverpool, Aug 7.

Jeff. Davis appeared on the Change today, and was most enthusiastically cheered.

The Levant Post says the Cretans have officially requested Victoria to assist them.

PURCHASE OF MCGILL SQUARE BY THE CITY.—At a special meeting yesterday afternoon, the City Council resolved to purchase the McGill square property for a public park, $5,000 are to be paid down; a Grand Trunk mortgage for $18,000 is to be handed over to the Bank of Montreal, which we suppose, is willing to accept it; and the balance is to be made up from Walks and Gardens' property. We believe the purchase is a good one. The property is central, and well worth the money, and its acquisation now will enable the city to dispose of the present City Hall and grounds upon advantageous terms before many years, if one may judge be the rapid way in which the Esplanade is now filling up.—Leader.

Gold News.

A very valuable discovery has been made on Lot. No. 6, 8th con. Marmora. The property is now in the hands of Messrs. Fitzgerald, Kennedy, Gilbert & Co., who are exhibiting some very fine specimens of quartz rock very rich with gold. Mr. Gilbert states that he intends removing his mill from El Dorado for the purpose of erecting it on or near Lot. No. 5, 8th con. Marmora. He further states that he traced the lead over a mile, and in every instance when tested found gold.

Discoveries equally as valuable have been made in the 9th concession of the same township. The advantage of this quartz rock, and that of the Feigle and Powell mine, is that it does not contain any sulphurets.

The Anglo-Saxon Mill has been running this week, and works very satisfactorily.

The quartz crushed will not be cleaned up until the end of the month, at which time they expect to have 100 tons crushed.

The recent discoveries in Marmora and Elzevir have caused a considerable rise in gold stock in Toronto, and have given fresh impetus to mining interests in the Hastings Gold District.

A crusher is about to be erected in Hungerford, near Bogart's. Mining has been going on in that locality during the last season, no less than five shafts, varying from 12 to 20 feet, having been sunk. Some new parties have become possessors of the property, and so well satisfied are they of the various tests which have been made in Boston and elsewhere, and the appearance of the mine, that they have determined to erect a crusher at once. Part of the machinery is here, and we believe the remainder will be made in Belleville. The contract for building has been given out, and from the fact that they have ordered 50,000 brick for the chimney, and a quantity of fire brick, it is supposed they have some new process for getting the gold out.

The large expenditure which is being made in the Hastings Gold District in building crushers and similar, is pretty good evidence that gold exists in paying quantities, for it is not likely that experienced miners would expend so much capital without a a prospect of a sure return.—Intelligencer.

LOSS OF THE SCHOONER ROYAL ALBERT. NARROW ESCAPE OF OFFICERS AND CREW.—The Oswego Palladium of Saturday says:—At 10 o'clock last night the schooner Royal Albert, Captain Peter Crouley, left this port loaded with 270 tons railroad iron for Toledo. At midnight the pumps were tried and everything was found in good shape. Capt. Crouley then went to bed, and about half past one o'clock the mate, Mr. Holliday, called him, and stated that the vessel was making water freely. The Capt immediately came on deck, and lifting the midship hatch, jumped into the hold. He found the water knee deep above the railroad iron, and saw at once that there was no prospect of saving the vessel. He came again on deck, put the vessel in stays, and stood in for land. She commenced lurching, and the men were ordered to get the boat ready. The order was promptly obeyed, and the crew had just got into the boat when the schooner lurched, and while the boat was yet within thirty feet of her, went down head foremost out of sight. This occurred about forty minutes past one o'clock, thirty miles up the lake, abreast of big Sodus, and about ten miles out. The Captain lost his money and clothing, as did almost one of the crew. The men in the boat got a quilt up for a sail to steady her, and were overhauled and picked up this morning after daylight by the schooner White Oak, by whom they were brought back to this city. It is thought that the Royal Albert sank in 300 feet of water.

The Albert was owned by Mr. Harry Holland, of this city. He paid for vessel and repairs $10,000. She was insured for $7,000. Mr. Holland had invested his all in this vessel, and the loss will fall heavily upon him. He is an enterprising, thorough-going business man, having for many years held the responsible position of first clerk in the firm of Smith & Peat.

Had it not been for the timely discovery of the leak by the mate, the probabilities are that there would have been loss of life. The escape was a most providential one.

From Montreal.

Montreal, August 8.

Myland, of the 100th Regiment, was today committed for trial at the Queen's Bench for shooting Constable Labossiere.

The Chief of Police while searching a house last night, fell down a trap door into the cellar.

Dr. Sicault, druggist, has been fined $50 and costs for selling a bottle of port wine without license. The defendant urged that he sold it in good faith, it being pure wine kept for sick persons.

The Hudson's Bay Bill.

The Bill introduced into the Lords by the Duke of Buckingham, at the instance of the Government at Ottawa, passed its third reading in the Commons on the 24th ult. The particulars of the measure have not reached us, but we believe that powers are given in it by which Canada can acquire the whole of the Hudson's Bay and North West Territories upon reasonable terms. If upon the meeting of parliament it can be shown that the negotiations for the acquisition have been pushed to proximate completion, and that the action of our own legislature is alone wanted to sanction the arrangement, it will be taken by the Western public very much in the light of a set-off as against the Intercolonial, which is distasteful enough. With the North West annexed, and a railway built between Fort William and Fort Garry, a revolution may be effected in Canadian affairs which will be not less important in its character as affecting us, than the vast development of the west is to our American neighbors.

SEEDLESS MELONS.—To raise watermelons without seeds, the following plan has been successfully adopted by a planter in Caddo parish, La. After the vine is about two feet long, cover the vine at a point intermediate between stem and root. After it has taken root where it is covered, divide the vine between the old and new root, and the result will be that the melons will be seedless without imparing their quality.

American Dispatches.

MURDER.

St. Louis, August 7.

The Sheriff of Burton County attempted to make an arrest of a member of the Ku-Klux-Klan in Vidalia last Saturday. They were fired upon, killing the Sheriff's brother and another assistant. All the desperadoes escaped.

FANATICAL PLOT.

Nashville, Aug. 7.

The Union and Desbatch, a democratic newspaper, published a charge this morning, that white and colored men had entered into a plot to burn Nashville, Murfreesville, Columbia, and Pulaski, murdering men, women, and children. It is supposed that some crazy fanatics were at the plot, as it really exists. An investigation is to be had.

BURGLARY—A COURAGEOUS BOY.

Philadelphia, Aug. 7.

The night before last burglars entered a house in the western part of the city, but were frightened off by a boy aged 12, who got a gun and threatened to shoot them. Last night the boy was on watch, and they returned, and made a bold attempt to enter; the boy fired and killed one of them, named Sweeny, blowing the liver entirely out of his body.

STEAMSHIP STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Belfast, Me., Aug. 8.

The steamship "Wm. Tibbets," from Boston, while entering the harbor last evening, was struck by lightning. Several persons were injured, including the pilot, whose recovery is doubtful. The hull of the steamer is not damaged.

MANLY ACTION.—The esprit de corps of the literary profession in New York was never better illustrated, than in the case of one of their members—the late "Miles O'Reilly," who died the other day. He had just achieved, after a long and laborious newspaper career, an official position which, had he lived, would have made him pecuniarily independent in two or three years. He was Registrar of New York city. His untimely death leaves his family poor, and his professional brethren, of all shades of politics, from the Tribune to the Herald, have agreed to demand of Governor Fenton the appointment for the unfulfilled portion of the terms some responsible man, a friend of that deceased, pecuniarily independent, who will hold the office for two years or more, and hand over the emoluments—forty thousand a year—to the bereaved family. Horace Greeley leads in the movement. We daresay such things might be done here on a smaller scale, but we never heard of them, and we don't expect to hear of them.—Telegraph.

STRANGE AFFECTION.—The affection sometimes manifested by children for animals generally repugnant to human beings is strikingly illustrated in the case of a little girl named Carroll, who lives in Troy, N.Y. She has been frequently observed, after having obtained a a piece of bread, to sit down a few feet from a large rat hole situated under a neighbouring stoop, and, holding out a piece of the food, call, 'Here, yatty, yatty.' A large sized rat creeps out at length, and without hesitation or fear feeds from her hand. The affection existing between the animal and child has been witnessed by the neighbors, who bear testimony to the strange circumstances.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—Ohio, June 13.—Dear Sir,—It is with pleasure that I recommend the use of your Pain Killer. In a household family it is invaluable. I have used it in my family for the last three years, and at all times found it a sure cure for Cholera Morbus, Colic in the Stomach, Diarrhoea, and all pain complaints. No family should be without it in the house. Respectfully,

JAMES HOLMES.

THE WESTERN HARVEST.—The Chicago Journal of Saturday last says one week more of good sunny weather will insure the safe and successful gathering of the largest crop ever grown in the Northwest. The corn and potato crops also promise unprecedented abundance.

COMMERCE AND MARINE.

Kingston Money Market.

Aug. 11th, 1868.

The Brokers of Ontario St. report—
Silver buying at ¼ discount,
" selling at 4 discount.
Greenbacks. { Bills 66c. Silver 60c.
Gold in New York at 12 o'clock, 147½.
Sterling exchange at New York 9½.

Current Prices of Grain.

Aug. 11th, 1868.

The Grain Buyers of Ontario St. best report—

Fall Wheat,	0 00 to 0 00	per Bushel.
Spring do.,	1 50 to 0 00	" "
Rye,	0 70 to 0 00	" "
Barley,	0 00 to 0 00	" "
Peas,	70 to 0 00	" "
Oats,	45 to 45	" "
Buckwheat,	00 0 00	" "

Montreal Markets—Yesterday.

Flour—Super Extra, 0,00 to 0,00; Extra, 7,00 to 7,15; Fancy, 0,00 to 0,00; Welland Canal Super, 6,70 to 6,80; Super No. 1 Canada wheat, 0,00 to 0,00; Super No. 1 Western wheat, 6,62 to 6,70; Super No. 2 Western wheat, 6,00 to 6,10; bag flour, 3,40 to 3,55. Wheat—Canada fall, 0,00 to 0,00; Spring, 1,55 to 1,57; 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 17c. Ashes—pots, 5,75 to 5,80; pearls 5,50 to 5,52½. Gold in New York at 12 o'clock, 147½. Pork—mess, 00,00 to 00,00 prime mess, 00,00 to 00,00. Prime 16,00 to 16,25. Peas—0,00 per 66 lbs. Rye Flour 0,00 to 0,00.

New York Markets—Yesterday.

Flour easier; receipts are 4,400 bbls; sales are 5,900 bbls at 7,70 a 8,40 for superfine state and western; 9,00 a 10,00 for common to choice extra state; 9,00 a 11,20 for common to choice extra western. Rye flour firmer at 8,00 a 10 25. Wheat improved and quiet; receipts are 78,000 bush; sales are 8,000 bush at 1,95 for No. 2 Spring; 2,05 for No. 1 do.; 2,45 for white Michigan; 2,77 for choice white state. Rye scarce and firm. Corn active; receipts are 300,000 bush; sales are 196,000 bushels at 1,07½ to 1,10 for unsound; 1,11 a 1,14 for sound mixed western afloat. Barley nominal. Oats active and firmer; receipts are 160,000 bushels; sales are 100,000 bush at 82 a 83c for western afloat. Pork firmer; fair demand at 28,85 a 29,00 for new mess; 28,25 a 28,50 for old do. Lard easier at 18 a 19c for steam; 19 a 19½c for kettle rendered.

Customs Imports.

Aug. 8th.

Brig Lafayette Cook, Toledo—109 pcs oak, 15 pcs ash, 4 pcs walnut, Calvin & Brock.

Sch M L Brock, Toledo—115 pcs oak, 24 pcs ash, 9 pcs walnut, Calvin & Brock.

G T R, Coatticook—240 boxes sugar, J Carruthers & Co; 75 bbls, 21 boxes sugar, J Carruthers & Co.

Str Columbian, Oswego—5 bbls apples, 2 bbls peas, 3 crates peaches, 1 crate tomatoes, R Town; 22 crates tomatoes, W Cathen.

Str Rochester, Oswego—50 bbls, 50 sacks flour, M Morrison; 2 hhds glass ware, V Ockley.

Sch Prince Alfred, Chicago—15,850 bsh wheat, G M Kinghorn.

BIRTH.

On the 9th inst, the wife of Thomas Drummond, Esq., of a Daughter.

On Friday last, the 7th of August, the wife of Mr. John Branigan, Kingston, of a son.

DIED.

In the Township of Kingston, on Sunday, the 9th of August, Alexander Thom, Jr., Esq., formerly of Dublin, Ireland.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral from his late residence, Five Mile House, on TUESDAY, at TWO o'clock to Waterloo Cemetery.

At Lindsay, on the 3rd instant, the wife of D. Macdonald, Esq, Merchant, aged 31 years.

To Builders.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of THURSDAY, the 13th instant, for the erection of a Stable and Fence Wall on the Post Office property in this city.

The lowest nor any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the office of

JOHN POWER.

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Ottawa, Aug. 7th, 1868.

AUTHORIZED discount on AMERICAN Invoices until further notice: is 32 per cent.

R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,
Commissioner of Customs.

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THIS MORNING.

Billiard Tables FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

J. J. LINTON has received instructions to sell on the premises known as the DOMINION BILLIARD ROOMS (Wilson's Buildings), on

TUESDAY, August 11th,

Two American Billiard Tables, in good order, by best makers; One English Table, nearly new. The above are complete, with an addition of two Sets Pool Balls, and all the appurtenances for English Pool.

☞ Positively no reserve, as the Tables must be sold.

Terms Cash.

Sale at 11 o'clock, A.M.

J. J. LINTON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, July 27th, 1868. 176

TO-DAY.

GRAND REAPING TRIAL

ON

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11th,

AT THE FARM OF

JOHN DUFF, ESQ.,

Head of Princess Street, Kingston.

ALL Reaping Machine Agents are expected to bring one of their best Machines to test them with other manufacturers'.

Farmers, be sure to attend and see the Self-Rakers work. The best in the Dominion will be on the ground.

To commence Reaping at 12 o'clock, Noon.

For further particulars enquire of

A. CHOWN,
No. 7 Bagot Street.

Kingston, Aug. 7th, 1868. 186

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

ALL parties indebted to the following Insolvent Estates are requested to pay up their accounts to the undersigned before costs are incurred:—

The Estate of John McKay, Sen.,
" " " Thos. G. Bothwell,
" " " William Manton, Jr.,
" " " Jessie Ferguson.

R. M. ROSE
Official Assignee.

Kingston, Aug. 8, 1868 2dw187

Dry Goods Salesmen WANTED.

THREE DRY GOODS SALESMEN, who understand the business thoroughly. Apply to

MACNEE & WADDELL,
Princess Street.

Kingston, August 5th, 1868. 184&32

LOOK OUT FOR THE Silver Question ON Monday, Aug. 10th.

Kingston, Aug. 3, 1868. 182

Credit Sale.

THE Subscriber will sell on easy terms of credit, the following property:—

4 Mares, supposed to be in Colt, 1 Excellent Brood Mare and Colt, 8 Good Farm Horses, 4 Double Sets Second-Hand Harness, 4 Single do., 2 Light One Horse Waggons, 2 do, with Springs, 4 Two Horse Spring Waggons, 1 Cab Body, 1 Excellent Straw Cutter, 2 Buggies, several Cutters and Sleighs, and 4 Sulkeys.

H. MARTIN,
Princess Street.

Kingston, 29th July, 1868. 1md&w179

NOTICE.

THE DRY GOODS MERCHANTS are determined to adhere to their agreement, and will on no account deviate from the following rates on and after the 10th August:

4 Per Cent. on Large Silver,
10 Per Cent. on Small Silver.

Kingston, Aug. 1st, 1868. 182

JUST RECEIVED.

NEW APPLES, PEARS, PEACHES, AND TOMATOES, THE FIRST OF THE SEASON,

AT

R. TOWN'S,
No. 1 Fruit and Oyster Depot,
Corner of Ontario and Clarence Sts.

Kingston, July 29, 1868. 178&3i

ORNAMENTAL IRON RAILINGS,

FOR

CEMETERIES, RESIDENCES, &c.

THE Subscribers have on hand a select assortment of Patterns of IRON RAILINGS, and are prepared to execute orders for the same promptly and at low prices.

CHOWN & CUNNINGHAM.
Victoria Foundry,

Kingston, August 5, 1868. 185

The Silver Nuisance.

TO abate the Silver Nuisance, A. W. Craig will take $100,000 in Silver at Par for his Goods, as fast as he can manufacture them. Please call and inspect.

N.B.—One Hundred Cents to the Dollar!

A. W. CRAIG,
Baker and Confectioner,
Market Square.

Kingston, August 4, 1868. 183

Wanted,

TWO Experienced Dry Goods Salesmen. Apply to

JAMES DAVIS,
Montreal House.

Kingston, Aug. 6th, 1868. 183

Account Books.

LEDGERS,
Day Books,
Journals,
Cash Books,
Minute Books,
Blotters,
Bill Books,
Time Books,
Pass Books,
Copying Letter Books.

Large Stock of Blank Books of every description at

Henderson's Book Store,
Princess Street.

Kingston, Aug. 5th, 1868. 185

JOHN MUDIE,

BARRISTER, Attorney-at-Law, Conveyancer, &c. Office opposite the Post Office, Clarence Street, Kingston.

Kingston, August 5, 1868. 185

Provincial Exhibition

OF THE

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

OF

UPPER CANADA,

TO BE HELD AT

HAMILTON,

On the 22nd to 25th Sept, 1868.

PERSONS intending to exhibit will please take notice that the Entries of articles in the respective classes must be made with the Secretary, at Toronto, on or before the undermentioned dates, viz:

Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Poultry, on or before Saturday, August 15th.

Grain, Field Roots, and other Farm Products, Agricultural Implements, Machinery and Manufactures generally, on or before Saturday, August 29th.

Horticultural Products, Ladies' Work, the Fine Arts, &c., on or before Saturday, September 12th.

Prize Lists and Blank Forms, for making the entries upon, can be obtained of the Secretaries of all Agricultural Societies and Mechanics' Institutes throughout the Province.

HUGH C. THOMSON,
Secretary Board of Agriculture.

Toronto, July 24, 1868. 3w183

Tenders

IN DUPLICATE—the service being marked on the envelope—will be received by the Senior Commissariat Officer at Kingston until noon on

The 17th August, 1868,

for the following Hospital Services at Kingston, Ottawa and Coburg, for ONE and THREE YEARS from 1st October, 1868:

SUPPLIES FOR ONE YEAR—

Bread, Flour, Meat, Fowls, Potatoes, Fish, Vegetables, Milk, Butter, Eggs, Wines, Spirits, Malt Liquor and Groceries, and Supply of Water.

OTHER SERVICES, FOR THREE YEARS—

Washing Bedding and Clothing.
Taking Down, Cleaning, and Refixing Stove Pipes.
Sweeping Chimneys.
Emptying Rubbish Pits.
Emptying Latrines.
Removing Snow from Roofs and Yards from 1st November to 31st March.

Forms of Tender for the services at Kingston and Coburg, and all other information, can be obtained at this Office, and for Ottawa at Commissariat Office, Ottawa.

Commissariat, Kingston,
3rd August, 1868. 183

NEW BOOKS AT THE CITY BOOK STORE.

SOONER OR LATER, by Shirley Brooks.
Jessie's Quiet Life, by the Author of St. Claves.
Brakespeare, by the Author of Guy Livingstone.
Love or Marriage, by Wm. Black.
My Husband's Crim, by M. R. Housekeeper.
The Early Years of H.R.H. the Prince Consort, paper cover.
Dead Sea Fruit, by Miss Braddon.
Charlotte's Inheritance, a Sequel to Birds of Prey, by Miss Braddon.
History of a Mouthful of Bread, by Jean Mace.
The Servants of the Stomach, by Jean Mace.
The Old World in its New Face, by H. W. Bellows.
The Huguenot Family, by Sarah Tytler.
The Massacre of St. Bartholomew, by H. White.
The Huguenots, by Samuel Smiles.

Received this day at the

City Book Store, King Street.

JOHN CREIGHTON.

Kingston, Aug. 4, 1868. 18

MONEY TO LOAN

IN large or small sums, for short or long periods, on security of unincumbered farm or town property.

Apply to

THOMAS BRIGGS,
Kingston.

☞ Office Ontario Street.

Kingston, July 15, 1868. 166&29

Army Contracts.

SEALED TENDERS in duplicate—the service being marked on the envelope—will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon on the 17th August next, for the following Barrack Services at Kingston, Ottawa, Coburg, and Prescott, for ONE and THREE Years from 1st October, 1868, viz:—

ONE YEAR—

Paillasse Straw.

FOR THREE YEARS—

Washing and Repairing Bedding.
Taking down, Cleaning, and Refixing Stove Pipes.
Sweeping Chimneys.
Emptying Rubbish Pits or Heaps. } Per annum.
Emptying Latrines. }

Forms of Tender can be obtained at Commissariat Offices, Kingston and Ottawa, and all other information from the Barrack Master at Kingston.

Commissariat, Kingston,
3d August, 1868. 183

FOR SALE,

On Account of the Bank of Upper Canada,

THAT well-known property lately occupied by H. Fraser, Esq., situate on Ontario Street, in the City of Kingston, now occupied by Glassford & Jones. The property has a frontage of 66 feet, with wharf and water privileges; there is a good Stone Storehouse in yard; the buildings are all stone, and well suited for business in grain and shipping business.

For particulars apply to

THOS. WILSON,
Agent.

Kingston, July 27th, 1868. 2aw17

CHOLERA PREVENTIVE.

THIS preparation is composed of Opium, Camphor, Catechu, Turkey Rhubarb, Essence of Peppermint, &c., and will, under ordinary circumstances, invariably check the Diarrhœa in a few hours; and as a preventive of Cholera, should be in the hands of every family. The materials from which it is prepared are those known by our most eminent Physicians to be the most efficacious in use.

Prepared and sold by

J. G. KING,
Chemist, &c., King St.

Kingston, 24th July, 1868. 174

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