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REMINDERS. THUBSDAY.

ASCENSION Day Services at 7:30 p.m. ORPHANS' HOME .- Augual Meeting at 7 p.n MINDEN LODGE .- Emergent meeting at

IRELAND'S CHANCE-

p.m.-Werk.

We regret to note the agitation in th United States in favor of an assault upon England by what is known as the Fenian Brotherhood. What England ever did to the Fenians, except that her Government will not permit of treason being hatched under its very nose, we could never learn, and what they can hope to gain by attacking a nation which is at present giving them no offence we fail to perceive. But that they are at work we cannot doubf. They are burning, it is said, to wipe out Ireland's wrongs, or fancied wrongs, they look to the independence of the tight little Island, and the opportunity for bringing this about seems nearer now than at any time during the last twenty-three years. Ireland shall be free! We have very little idea that the Fenian movement will amount to anything-it may be annoying, do harm and mischief, but what can it it is well that the danger be even ex- families is very great. avail? England may become involved in travagantly signalled if by that means the the Turkish difficulty, hut, even so she national war-bound sentiment should be will still be great and strong enough to arrested ere too late to prevent the dire repel any attempted invasion of her own calamity of an unnecessary and at present The Heathen Chinese-Diptheria-The territory. And, as it has been remarked, avoidable repetition of the struggle of it will be well that the Irish people count over twenty years ago. It is quite clear the cost before more money and men are that under the auspices of ordinarily the daily papers under the signature of sacrificed in the cause. Our American cool counsels the Crimean war can never exchanges presume that the President be repeated. In the light of the history the Chinese Laundrymen has deprived will soon feel called upon to specially of the interval since lapsed, that gigantic warn the advocates of independence against any breach of the neutrality laws

YESTERDAY'S ELECTIONS.

Our advance opinion as to the result of the contests in Ottawa and Lincoln has been justified by the event. The of fences for which Messrs. Currier and Norris forfeited their seats have been, we will not say condoned, but forgiven or cancelled by their respective constituents. Mr. Norris' reduced majority is undoubtedly in great part due to the absence of large numbers of his supporters, who at this serson of the year are engaged upon the lakes. It was felt throughout the contest that this drawback was materially damaging his prospects, and would reduce his majority. We heartily congratulate him on his return to the House. Mr. Currier has also every reason to be proud of his victory at the Capital. We shall not be so disingenuous as to deny our sincere regret that Mr. Featherstone did not win the fight. The latter gentleman would have done the city great credit and service as member of the Commons, as he certainly did when Mayor of Ottawa. It was pretty evident from the tone of the rival papers there, and other indications, that Mr. Currier's re-election was regarded from the first as a pretty sure thing. His increased majority has no doubt been largely due to the discontent among workingmen, industriously fomented by Tory wire-pullers, who have by the most glaring misrepresentation unjustly, charged the hardships of the people to the indifference or culpable mismanagement of the Government. Should the days of Tory power return the people of Canada would too late awaken to the fatal mistake into which the electors of Ottawa have been led. The resumption of office by Tory corruptionists would be no alleviation of the ills from which the people are now suffering, and for which the present Government is not one which responsible. We most positively affirm that such a change would be an aggravation of the miseries now flowing from the general depression with the superadde curse of a corrupt and reckless administration of public affairs.

THE WAR-

The note annexed to recent despatches advising the acceptance of them "with reserve" may well be applied to most of the intelligence hailing from the seat war. The admixture of the sensationa with the reliable news from that quarter goes a good way towards depreciating the that obdurately incurable power, Engvalue of ocean telegraphy, since it is ne cessary, sometimes, to wait in doubt several days for confirmation of earlier information. The recent capture of Kars by rumour, but not by the Russians, is a case in point. A part of the Russian force intended to operate against Kars was repulsed at Batoum, but managed to connect with Russian columns which were moving upon that famous stronghold from various points. Few who remembored the heroic and prolonged resistance of Kars under the gallant Canadian Gen. Williams in the last Eastern war, were and then keep them; if she should not prepared to believe it had so suddenly surrendered to a Russian coup de main. settle down in the long coveted capital at Pending its siege, for it is now being inwested by the Russiaus, the active field fighting is likely to be done to the south whole question in the van of Western west of it, and perhaps in the neighbourhood of Erzeroum, which, equally with to the war, Russia will proceed to Kars, the Russians seem bent upon reno such lengths. In the meantime ducing. The heatile forces in, between, and about the places named, are said to reassuring intelligence that Mr. Cross f ot up to 223,000 men, of whom 140,000 are given to Russia, leaving but 83,000 declared the whole efforts of the British Turks, all told, to check the advance of Government, must be directed to the the invaders. Against such odds the localizing of the war and to the preserva-Turks must be of an perior mettle, indeed tion of the strictest neutrality, when the to stand much chance of success.

present British Ministry thus abandons In Europe the most important develop-Tarkey, to the tender mercies of Russia, ment is the spearance of Roumania upon the Ports need look for neither aid nor the arene as openly heatile to Turkey. comfort from British sources. If the The course of this principality has from war then should be confined, as seems at the first been tending in this direction, present most likely, to a single handed having all along maintained a triendly atconflict between the too principals to the titude towards Russia. Now that active quarrel, although the atruggle will doubthostilities have broken out in this hitherto less be a stubborn and a bloody one, the neutral region Turkey is beset by actual issue seems likely to confirm Mr. Gladfoes wherever she may move. Montene- atone's latest utterance that "the death drins, Servians, Roomanians and Rus- knell of Turkey has sounded and that its sians, to say nothing of the Persians downfall will soon be received with (whose rumoured alliance with Russia we joicings by Christendom." shave not heard much about lately) will form a cordon of enemies against which, at this distance, it seems almost hopeless botel, "The Brunswick," cost so large a for Turkey single handed to contend. sum in its careful erection and elaborate The Porte has to deal with disaffection, furnishing, an impression prevails that insurrection and invasion simultaneously. It would be surprising if the Turks should cope successfully with such a combination the rates per day are \$4.50, the same as cellent popularity of the Colonnade Hotel, at other first-class hotels. of hostile elements.

WILL ENCLAND INTERFERE ?

struggle, waged by the Allies to thwart

asserted that Western Europe was men

that future aloud to the nation, were ridi-

great leveller and avenger, has justified

their forebodings. The principal conces-

sions won by the victories of the Crimos

and specified by the Treaty of Paris have

was vested in the victorious powers. So

far, then, as the Crimean war is concern-

and must restrain with a firm hand the

British dogs of war, at any rate until

British interests are directly imperilled.

The earnest remonstrances of Gladstone

and other leaders of British thought, in-

stead of being deprecated as craven and

unpatriotic, should be applauded as a

timely application of the brakes to the

increasing speed of the nation war-ward.

If carried away by martial successes,

Russia should throw to the winds her

rather thin though very plausible pre-

only drive the Turks from Europe, but

Europe would never brook such an issue

our latest despatches bring the

on the part of the British Cabinet has

BECAUSE Boston's new and supert

Much more earnestly than the progress Presbyterian Union-Loss of Money The City of Brussels.

MONTREAL

or the probable issue of the Eastern war itself, the above question has become one A large meeting of the members of St. of absorbing interest to the British peo- | Andrew's Presbyterian Church took ple the world over. The utterances of place last night, Sir Hugh Alian occupy-British statesmen, particularly those of ing the chair. It was moved and carried ROUMANIASILENT by an overwhelming majority, "That the the party in power, are eagerly awaited congregation of St. Andrew's Church deand scanned for indications of the part cides not to form part of the Union of the Great Britain will be likely to take in several Presbyterian churches, purporting the impending crisis. Not the utterances to be united together under the name of merely, but the actions-proverbially the Presbyterian Church of Canada."

The Citizens' Committee interviewed louder than words-of the British Gov- the Council yesterday in regard to proernment are narrowly watched to deter- | viding means for the support of the five mine whether they foretoken intervention widows and fourteen orphans of the or neutrality. As between the latter al- firemen killed by the late disaster. It was decided to grant an annuity for each ternative it would not be safe to trust to

the revived belligerent activities of the It is said the city has irretrievably los British dockyards and recruiting depots. one million dollars within the last ten All these preparations for war would be years on a system of drainage, which is very defective and impracticable. quite consistent with the most pacific in-The architect who planned the ill-fated

tentions. In fact in a crisis of peril like novelty works building in St. Urbain the present it would be the most criminal street testified at the inquest yesterday negligence to omit such very proper pre- that he did not consider it a safe build caution, since the best guarantee for ing, and remarked that three fourths of peace is a preparation for war. There in case of fire. seems to be an uneasy feeling abroad, In regard to the arrival of the missing

however, that the English Premier, were steamer "City of Brussels," with the Irish he permitted to follow the best-of his pilgrims on board, it was stated that telegrams had been received from Father own inclinations, would plunge the nation Dowd and reported her arrival at into the Eastern conflict. The veteran | Queenstown, but it was subsequently de-Carlyle openly declares that on the cur- nied. Already nineteen days have rent policy of the British Government the country is surely drifting towards the country is surely drifting towards uneasiness in the matter. The suspense this vortex. Although existing affairs in this city to know the fate of many of may not fully warrant this alarum, yet | the most respected citizens and heads of

TORONTO.

Police Magistracy.

Foronto, May 10. - A correspondent "Widow," complains that the advent of her of employment, and asks will the patronage of Toronto be bestowed on the migratory heathen, to the injury of the resident orphans and widows.

the designs of Russia, was a useless and Within a week Mr. Duncan Clark los prodigal waste of blood and treasure. At three children by diptheria, and the that time, and for long thereafter, the Misses Murray, aunts of the children, Russian Bear was indeed the bug-bear of who nursed them during their illness, British politicians. Although at the have since died. The medical gentleman, Dr. Johnson, who attended the deceased first opposed to war the prevailing Bris now suffering from a severe attack of tish-in fact European-sentiment soon the same disorder. The disease was first caused by defective drainage. aced by Russia, and that the Balance of

The direct claims against the firm o Power, or in other words, the territo-John Taylor & Co., safe manufacturers, now insolvents, amounts to \$17,955. rial integrity of Turkey must at all meeting of the creditors will be held on hazards be preserved; Bright and the few who with him could forecast the The names of various persons are

future, and who were not afraid to read mentioned in connection with the vacanby caused by the resignation of Police Magistrate Macnabb, among them being suled and acorned as the chemies of Bri-Mr. Fenton, County Crown Attorney, tish power and prestige; but Time, the and Mr. John O'Donohoe, ex-M.P.

QUEBEC.

Picked Up at Sea-Wrecked.

been resumed by Russia, and that instru-Quebec, May 10. - The bark Ida, Capt ment, purchased with such a prodigious Roulston, Londonderry 12th April wealth of blood and money, is now null S. arrived in port yesterday. Capt. Roul and void to all intents and purposes. ston reports that when off the banks he The restriction placed upon her Black Sea | picked up a boat in lat. 44 deg., 42 mins. navy was some time ago repudiated, and, north; long. 50 deg., 20 mins. west, containing two men belonging to a French by the inauguration of the present warfishing schooner from St. Pierre Miquet Russia has practically resumed and reaswho had been in her for four days and serted her right to defend the Christian | nights without provisions, and no vessels dependencies from Turkish misrule and in sight during the time. They were atrocity. Of this right Russia was de. taken on board the Ida, and every attenprived by the Treaty of '56, when the guardianship of the Christian provinces

THE MISSING STEAMSHIP.

ed, nothing now remains but the history of its heroism and its suffering, and Rus-Intense anxiety prevails as to the fate sia j ins battle with Turkey now as perof the SS. "City of Brussels," which sailed from New York with the Irish feetly freed from all theengagements which that war imposed as though the war itself pilgrims on board on the 21st April, and is therefore eighteen days out. She is had never occurred. In view of this one of the smartest steamers of the Infact, is it likely Great Britain will repeat | man line, making her last passage out the stupendous blinder of '54 and fight from Liverpool to New York in eight with Turkey to check the advances and vanced : first, that she has struck an checkmate the designs of Russian ambition? The declaration of British neutra- she has had a collision, from the effects Ottawa, as per agreement, and other lity seems to say no, for the present, al- of which she or her opponent has foundthough that is really no guarantee and ered, the surviving vessel being disabled; scarcely an indication for the future. As contagious as a panic in a burning build- she is making the best of her way to port ineligible to be elected a member of the ing is that of war, and once its fires are under canvas and against head winds, House of Commons of Canada, being diskindled it will be impossible to tell which have been from the north-east for qualified under section 2 of the Indepenwhere the consuming fury of the fiames shall be stayed. The present then is the large fields have floated into the steam- ed his election will be null and void, and golden opportunity for reflection and ship track, as the ss. "Yeddo" arrived at that if due notice is given to the electors caution on the one hand, as well as for New York from Hull, reports much ice. all votes cast for Mr. Currier will be preparation against a warlike contingency In ordinary weather the ss. "City of Brussels" should have reached Liverpool on the other. Every sober argument is on the 20th April or 1st May. Among in favor of an armed neutrality. If Rus- her passengers was the aminent civil sia has proved to be immovably deter- engineer, General Newton. She was 390 mined on the humiliation of Turkey and feet long, 40 feet 3 inches wide, and 19 feet 7 inches deep. is able to accomplish the chastisement of

LAST NIGHT'S NAWS,

-Three hundred soldiers are on their

of St. Lawrence district. A foot of snow Sackville, N. B.

sia should first fight for the provinces | Quebec.

-Further gold discoveries were made at Gravenhurst yesterday and the day before, 134 cents to the pan being the was promptly suppressed by the police. average value of the find in the first the Golden Horn to menace the interests instance. Yesterday a nugget of the of Great Britain East and West, then the size of a grain of western corn was brought Water having been struck, operations are suspended until a steam pump shall have been procured.

LINCOLN ELECTION.

CAPTAIN NORRIS RETURNED. St. Catharines, May 9 .- The following he poll .for Miller.

are the returns at the clear of t		
Maj. for 2	Norris.	Maj.
St. Catharines ,	156	475
Port Dalhousie	70	
Grimaby	23	
Merritton	****	- 1
Grantham	****	
Louth	****	
Clinton		
	044	
	193	

Maj. for Capt. Norris 86.

Model School .- The Government is establishing a model school in each city | St. George's Ward and county, after the style of the Toronto model institution, and the inspector for the Kingston Public Schools, Mr. Kidd, is asked to report upon the most By Ward central and suitable of these schools, and the qualifications of all their teachers. with a view to early selection for the new | Ottawa Ward ..

A WELL-TIMED and Indicious cencession its rates of charges are proportionately to the popular demand for reduced rates dear. Such, however, is not the case, as has added very greatly to the former ex-

THE WAR NEWS.

THE DANUBE ATTACKS!

Appeal to Mahommedan Fanaticism.

THE PILGRIMS' CRUSADE

TO BE A HOLY WAR.

artillery engagements have been pretty general. Matchin, Ibraila, Beket and sult of importance has yet been announced. The attack on Matchin, in the T. Morris, of Woodburn, Sallivan Co. Dobrudscha, was resumed yesterday, and for \$200,000, may rum several prominent ou Tuesday Ibraila was bombarded by two Turkish monitors for three hours, The Times' Vicksburg gives a letter the Russian batteries replying vigorously; from Mrs. Chisholm, wife of the Judge Yesterday the Russian batteries opened fire on the Bulgarian town of Ghiacet, Gov. Stone for protection for her husand firing became general all along the band's children until they can leave the line. The cannonade betweed Widin and Kalafat was resumed on Tuesday after- Shaughnessy be permitted to organize a

while Widen was set on fire. The Turks recommenced firing yesterday morning, but the Roumanian batteries were silent. The outrage by the Bashi-Bazouks during the recent attack on Beket, have drawn a remonstrance from the British Consul-General at Bucharest. The whole of the upper portion of Dobrudscha is deserted, the Mahommedans having gone south and the Christians having been taken off by passing steamers. The Turkish garrisons in the porth eastern portion of Bulgaria are very small, and it is not expected that they will be able to make any lengthy resis-

Latest advices received announce that earthworks at Getschel, opposite Ibralia, now at most worthless. The officers of HYMAN'S HAT STORE. under shelter of which Ottoman monitors | the institution declare the University were able to bombard the city with im-

In consequence, possibly, of the recent Turkish reverses in Asia Minor, the Sultan has determined to make an appeal to Mohammedan fanaticism, and to proclaim a holy war against Russia. The crusade will be preached by the pilgrims now about to start on the annual journey to Mecca, and will undoubtedly be widely responded to. On Friday the Sheik Ul Islam will solemnly bless the Sultan as the leader of the crusade. It remains to be seen how far this step on the part of the Porte will affect the present attitude of the Powers.

Legal Opinion as to Currier's Disqualification.

The Reform Vote not fully Polled,

Ottawa, May 9 .- The election contest in this city took an unexpected turn this morning, when the following placard was found posted on the principal bill boards through the city :

"CURRIER DISQUALIFIED. "The Parliamentary electors of the cit f Ottawa are hereby notified that J.M. Currier, Esq., is disqualified under the Independence of Parliament Act, 31 Vic., cap 25, sec. 2, to be a member of the House of Commons for the said city at

the present election. "Opinion of counsel to the Chairman ot Mr. J. P. Featherston's Commit-

"SIR .- We have carefully considered the contract of lease between Jos. Merril Currier, Esq., and Her Msjesty, of hydraulic lots, letters R and S. Victoria Island, and hydraulic lot, letter 8, Chaudiere Island, in the city of Ottawa, and the covenants, conditions, provisions and agreements therein contained; and also the outstanding and unsettled ac-Co., of which firm the said Joseph Merrill Currier is a member, against the and a half days. Three theories are ad- Public-Works Department of Canada for work done and materials provided by iceberg and gone down; second, that the said firm for the Custom House at papers, documents, &c., to us referred. And in reply to the questions submitted or third, that her crew has dropped off therein we beg to say that we are of opinion or her machinery become derranged, and that the said Joseph Merrill Currier is some days. The last is the most likely dence of Parliament Act, 31 Vic., cap. 25 supposition. It is a fact though, that of the Statutes of Canada; that if retorn- Reported Retreat of Russians thrown away and null and void. "We have the honor to be, Sir,

"Your obedient servants,

"W. H. WALKER, "H. LAPIERBE.

"Of which all electors are requested to take notice. "Votes cast for the said J. M. Currier will be thrown away, and null and veid. When the polls opened there were only sufficient votes polled to secure the reat way from England to Halifax to fill the for Mr. Featherston, after which 20th and 97th regiments to their full his committeemen contented them-

selves with warning the electors, having been accepted by eminent finan--Much snow is reported in the Gulf according to law, that all votes cast for Mr. Currier would be null and void. also fell on Tuesday between Sussex and Mr. Currier's friends, however, went on polling every vote they could up to the -Information from England has been close of the polls. They had almost received at Montreal to the effect that every vehicle in town hired for the day; three ironclads and the 42nd Highland and, by lavish use of money, endeavour- spatch says the Prince of Roumania is-Regiment are to be despatched to Halifax ed to build up a fictitious majority. sued a decree to-day announcing that he and that probably the 23rd Royal The law relative to the closing of taverns assumes command of the Roumanian tences; if like the Saxons in Britain, Rus- Welsh Fusiliers will be ordered to was a dead letter. Every bar-room in the army, designating Chief of States. This city was open to the public by back on-

> A row occurred in Lower Town, but it Everywhere throughout the city that the above placard was posted, Currier caused another to be also posted as fol-

"The statement of W. H. Walker and H. Lafarrie is an absolute falsehood and would defend Egypt from interference or a libel. I am in all ways qualified.
(Signed) "J. M. CURRIBR." W. H. Walker has since caused a writ | eign Department, said no steps had been to be served on J. M. Currier for \$22,.

000 for libel in circulating the statement that his (Walker's) legal opinion was "a falsehood and a libel. Mr. Currier's friends assert that he transferred all his business connections aded ports. The Eastern debate was before the day of nomination. The following are the returns at the

olone of the poll :-Feather-Currier. Victoria Ward....No. 1 Wellington Ward

Total 3,013 Majority for Custler

GENERAL DESPATCHES.

DISTRESS IN DELEWARE. Tweed's Release.

WRECK of the S. S. DAKOTA Reduced Canal Tolls.

New York, May 10. - The Herald's Columbia special says the Senate has adopted the Constitutional amendment providing an annual tax for free and non-sectarian schools. The House will undoubtedly adopt them.

The Times' Port Jervis (N.Y.) special says the prostration of the lumber busi-Along the line of attack on the Danube in the Delaware Valley. Unless business causes widespread financial distress ness revives this year the long-delayed Widin are the principal points, but no 1esive establishments. The recent failure of

recently shot in Kempe Co., beseeching country. She requests that Captain noon and continued till sundown. At body of men for protection. The Gover-Kalafat the barracks and Custom House | nor at Natchez replies : "I cannot conwere destroyed and a church injured, sent to this proposition," and says he will return as soon as possible. The World says the local revenue offi-

> ing up the illicit distilling, have made wholesale and indefensible arrests of innocent parties. The President directs prompt inquiry into the matter. The Tribune believes before Congress meets a definite policy will be adopted looking to the execution of the Resumption Act. The nominal strength of the army is to be left at 19,000 after the proposed reduction occurs.

cers in Georgia, under pretence of break-

New York, May 10 .- The Times says the New York University is in financial difficulty, U.S. bonds of several large en-

Three hundred dollars was paid for a proscenium box at the 5th Avenue Theatre on the opening night of Miss Neil son's engagement, the largest price paid since Jenny Lind's visit. Miss Neitson returns to Europe after her brief visit. The Sun says some of Tweed's friends expect his release within forty-eight hours. Tweed is atraid if immediately released he may be summoned before the Woodin Committee and committed for contempt if he declines to answer.

The World reports that Tweed is a great sufferer and is breaking fast. He will not remain in New York if he is re-

A stranger assaulted Jay Gould on Broadway yesterday. Gould sought reknown. New York, May 10. - Despatches concerning the loss of the steamer Dakota

report most of the baggage saved, but the vessel and cargo a total loss. The Dakota had only just left Liverpool, and must have run ashore on Point Levis in a fog. This is the point where outward bound vessels usually drop the pilots. The coast is steep, rocky and exceedingly dangerous, with a dangerous, heavy sea and surf always running. Point Levis is the spot where the Royal Charter Australian emigrant clipper ship, was wrecked in '58, when nearly four hundred perished. A year ago the Abbotsford, a splendid ocean Scitable for Tallers or Heavy Leather Work steamer, was wrecked on the same point, but no lives were lost. The Dakota was a splendid fron steamer, 3,500 tons burden, and valued at \$750,000. Omaha, Neb., May 10 .- The Roman Catholic Bishop has issued a circular to the clergy, calling for special masses dur-

ing May and June for relief from grass-Philadelphia, Ps., May 10 .- The city has put on holiday attire. The streets are crowded with people bent upon visiting the opening ceremonies at the Per-

manent Exhibition Albany, N.Y., May 10. - The Canal Board has resolved to reduce the tolls on all articles recommended by the Legislature, to take effect on May 11th. In the Senate to-day the report of the Committee exonerating Warden from all charges made against him by Tweed, was adopted unanimously.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 10.-The pro gramme, of the permanent exhibition is being carried out. 50,000 people were present, the President's party upon the platform, surrounded by a dense crowd.

THE LATEST.

from Kars.

-Roumania Hostile but Servia Peaceful No English Force Going to the

Danube.

The City of Brussels still Missing.

London, May 10 .- Financier , says a large amount of paper drawn by the Russian Government is now offering for state rooms.

discount. Russian credit is comparatively low, but in consequence of these bills | Chicago cial houses, they are eagerly taken by Hacks from St. Catharines to Niagara Falls, leading discount establishments. Constantinople, May 10. - It is reported that the Russians before Kars and Ardahan have retreated towards the frontier.

London, May 10 .-- A Bucharest deis conclusive of Roumania's hostile determination. Prince Milan and Ministers have formally assured Count Anbrassy that Servia will not disturb the peace. London, May 10 .- In the House of Commons this afternoon Mr. Sullivan withdrew questions which he gave notice on Tuesday he should ask on Monday relative to the intimation that England

Bourke, Under-Secretary of the Fortaken to send a naval force to the Da-

England had asked the Porte for a further extension of time for entry to and ("clearance of vessels") from blockthen resumed. Londou, May 10 .- The steamship Da-

kota, which sailed from Liverpool yesterday for New York, is ashore on the mainland inside of Anglesey, in the Island of North Wales. Crew and passengers safely landed Londen, May 10.-Re-insurances are being offered on the missing steamer "City of Brussels" for fifteen guineas

per premium. The "Dakota's" passengers will sail on Saturday on the steamer "Wisconsin." It is feared the "Dakota" will prove a total loss. Liverpool, May 10.-Messrs. Inman A family Address at WHIG OFFICE.

believe the steamship City of Brussels has broken her shaft. They say that with the prevailing winds it would not be surprising if she did not arrive for a week or ten days. The same winds would drive her out of the course of steamers, and prevent her baing spoken.

-An Ottawa telegram to the Globe says:-"It is understood here that as the present Parlisment does not end till late in March, 1879, two sessions may be held before the new Parliament assembles."

Report of observations taken at King-Temp. Winds Val. Min. Max.

THE KINGSTON MARKETS. FLOUR-XXX per bbl 10.00 \$ 11.00 100 lba...... 5 00 @ 5,50 Family" 100 " 4:40 @ 4.500.70 @ 0.72 MEAT- Beef, per 100 los. 6.00 # 8.00 Mutton per lb.......... 007 2 0.08 " in store.....0 12 @ 0.13 Hides-No. 1-Inspected \$7.00 per 100 July Grubby Hides\$3.00 3 5.00 Deacon Skins............ 0.25 # 0.50 Tallow rendered 0.07 @ 0.08 Chickens, per pair 0.50 w 0.75 Bank of British North America. Fowls per pair..........0.50 @ 0.70 GENERAL Potatoes, per bag. .. 1.25 @ 1.50 Cabbages per dozen 0.80 @ 1.00 Butter, tub, per 1b 0,20 #0 2 do print..... 0,21 #0.25

Coal, delivered,..... 5.50 a 6.50 Arrived To-Day: Twenty-Seven Cases direct from New York, the very latest styles in Felt and Straw Hats. A very nice Line of AMEdowments having been exchanged for RICAN CAPS, bought for cash, the Russians have destroyed the Turkish New Jersey Central securities, which are to be sold at hard time prices, at

Eggs, per dozen 0.11 2 0.13

Latrd 0 12 # 0,14

Turnips per bag......0.50 * 0.75 Onions per bush.............1.00 * 7.25

Beets per bush..........0,40 2 0.60

Hay, per ton , 12.00 # 13.00

In this city, on Saturday, the 5th of May, the vife of Mr. W. Rovinson, jr., of a daughter. CORSICAN, on SATURDAYS. DIED.

In this city, on Thursday, the 10th of May, Comma Gertrude, infant daughter of Mr. W Robinson, jr., aged 5 days. On Thursday morning, May 10th, Annie Jane nfant daughter of Mr. W. H. Godwin, aged 6 months and 11 days

NOTICE.

ON account of ill health, &c., the undersigned is obliged to transfer his Drug Business, &c., to Evans, Mercer & Co., Mon Ireal, to act as Agents, or Trustees for the Estate. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment; and fuge in a broker's. The cause is un- all to whom the same is indebted are request ed to send in their Accounts at once to J.G. King, Druggist, King St. W.T.C. BETHEL,

Chemist and Druggist. Kingston, Ont.

AUCTION SALE

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WILL BE SOLD ON SATURDAY NEXT. at my Rooms at 10 o'clock . harp. J. E. HUTCHESON. May 10, 1877.

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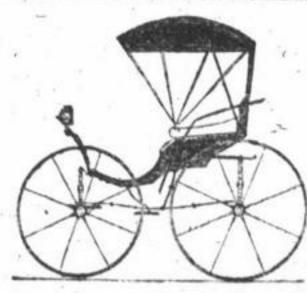
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May 9, 1877

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