G. T. R. TIME-TABLE.

Trains arrive and depart from the Kingston Station as follows:

EXPRESS TRAINS GOING WEST.

Arrive at.....6:15 p.m. and 4:00 a.m.
Depart at.....6:25 p.m. and 4:05 a.m.
Local Train arrives at 10:00 p.m.; departs at 7:00 a.m.

EXPRESS TRAINS GOING EAST.

Arrive at.....1:30 p.m. and 2:00 a.m.
Depart at.....1:50 p.m. and 2:05 a.m.
Local Train arrives at 3:40 a.m.; departs at 6:15 a.m.

Contract Advertisers will please bear in mind the low rates charged for this class of Advertisements are conditional on prepayment. When not pre-paid, tariff price is charged. Cash is the only equivalent to Cheap Advertising.

New Advertisements This Day.

Public Notice—Alex. S. Kirkpatrick, Clerk of the Peace.
Just Received—R. Town.
Xmas and New Year's Presents—Wm. McComb.
American Invoices.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

The Daily British Whig.

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 21, 1869.

LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS—M. J. M., Napanee; S. R. V. & Co., New York, with rem; H. W., New York.

REMINDERS.

SALES, MEETINGS, AMUSEMENTS, &c.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE of Bankrupt Stock on King street, this morning at ten o'clock.

The Civic Elections.

The Aldermen for the five following Wards were elected yesterday by acclamation:—

St. Lawrence Ward, C. V. Price,
Ontario Ward, W. Brophy,
Sydenham Ward, Dr. Sullivan,
Frontenac Ward, G. Davidson,
Rideau Ward, A. Livingston.

In Victoria Ward, the Returning Officer made a mess of it, but as far as we can get them, there were five Nominations for the vacancies, viz.:—Messrs. McCormack, Richardson, McKelcy, Carter and Nash, but between whom the contest will be, it is impossible to determine.

In Cataraqui Ward, there were four gentlemen nominated, Messrs. Dillon, White, Morrison and Anglin, but in all likelihood, the contest will be between Messrs. Dillon and White.

TOWNSHIP OF PITTSBURG.—The municipal nominations were:—For Reeve—Mr. Martin Strachan and Mr. Peter Graham; for Deputy Reeve—Messrs. William Donaldson, William Baxter, and R. Anglin jr.; for Councillors—Messrs. Donald Cassidy, John Mullen, Mr. Abrams, Henry Wilmot, M. Braddon and Wm. Germaine.

The Assembly.

The Legislature, according to arrangement, held an extra sitting on Saturday in order to push forward its business. Among the petitions presented was the following:—

Mr. Strange—From the City Council of Kingston praying for certain amendments to the Assessment Law.

A great number of Bills was read a second and third time; and a discussion then took place as to the order of precedence in which the rival railway Bills should be taken—a motion of Mr. McKellar's to take No. 36 first, being ultimately defeated on a division. The House then went into Committee on Bill No. 43, and the discussion was continued till four o'clock, when the Committee rose without coming to any decision, and the House adjourned.

The News.

The health of the Emperor Napoleon is said to be entirely restored.

Montreal Customs revenue for the week was $58,792.

It is now understood that Portland is to be the destination of the funeral fleet bearing Mr. Peabody's remains to America.

The New York City Bank returns are unfavourable. The amount of money in excess of legal requirements has been diminished to the amount of $1,437,334 during the week.

Another terrible mining accident is reported to have occurred at Stockton, Penn. The mine fell in, and not only were the persons at work killed, but two large dwelling houses were swallowed up, and their inmates buried.

Mr. Burlinghame has received an assurance that the North German Confederation will assent to a treaty with the Chinese Government.

Henri Rochefort's new journal, the Marseillaise, made its first appearance on Saturday. The authorities have not interfered with it.

M De Lesseps, the engineer in chief of the Suez Canal, has been congratulated on the success of the work by the Emperor Napoleon and Lord Clarendon.

The Saturday Review publishes a leading editorial on the Richardson-McFarland tragedy. Pronouncing the Astor House wedding Allation, grotesque, nauseous and blasphemous.

A case of a-a situation in high quarters is reported from Madrid. Senor Rivadeneira, an official under the late monarchy, was imprisoned for fraud discovered by Senor Salaverria, who was Queen Isabella's Minister of Finance. He has now avenged himself by stabbing Salaverria, and the wound is pronounced fatal.

Francis, or her Emperor, has no disposition to tolerate political exiles with his borders. The hero of Strasbourg and Boulogne, and the prisoner of Ham, has never yet been able to appreciate fully the high honour which even Turkey once claimed by declaring that her soil was free to all men and that her Government would alike protect all. The Spanish Republican fugitives have been ordered to leave the city which sheltered Isabella and Marfori.

The North West.

STARTLING NEWS FROM RED RIVER—FURTHER.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 18th—Pembina, Dec. 6th.—The Red River mail brings exciting news. Governor McDougall has succeeded in raising a body of Indians, who are marching to the Stone Fort under Col. Dennis, and it is feared a collision has already taken place.

Governor McDougall writes that on December the 1st the Queens Government was announced through its Canadian Representatives and a force of loyal men occupied the Stone Fort, and the loyal whites and half-breeds began rapidly to rally and organize.

The insurgents were beginning to disperse, and had withdrawn their forces from the printing office and other places in the Winnipeg. Riel still remained in the possession of Fort Garry with 400 of his followers.

Col. Dennis has a force of 300 men, consisting of Swamp Indians and their half-breed relations, and they have garrisoned the Stone Fort, and are expected to form a junction with Canadians and Sioux, of Portage, Laprairie, and march against the Insurgents at Fort Garry.

Riel had called on his reserves, who were temporarily absent, and 300 men reported at his headquarters in a few hours after issuing the call. A collision was soon looked for.

The report current that McTavish had been taken by the insurgents from his sick bed, and together with his subordinates confined in prison, and that the insurgents had helped themselves to the property of the H. B. Co., was not generally believed.

THE OTTAWA CABINET.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.

The Privy Council met at an early hour this morning and again in the afternoon, it is presumed for the consideration of despatches received from the North West.

It was reported here to-day that Capt. Cameron had been shot, but the report could not be traced to any reliable source, and it is believed to be unfounded.

It, is not unlikely that vigorous measures will be taken to restore the authority of the Hudson's Bay Company in the territory. Col DeSalaberry was the bearer of a proclamation from the Governor General to Gov. Macdougall. There seems to be no doubt that a reaction has taken place. The English and Scotch half-breeds are determined to stand by the Canadian Government, and Governor Macdougall, with Surveyor-General Dennis, is advancing at the head of a strong force. It is believed that he will meet with but little opposition, and that the agitation will soon die out.

Further from the Seat of War.

Chicago, Dec. 18.

Latest advices from the seat of war say the proclamation of Governor McDougall had been captured and suppressed. The excitement was intense, and if it comes to bloodshed, Dr. Schultz, Dr. Bown and James Ross will be the first victims, they having from the first advocated the Canadian policy, and abused the Hudson Bay Company.

St. Paul, Dec. 18.

The St. Paul Press of this morning says:—Governor McDougal has assumed a fearful responsibility in thus subjecting the Settlement to the terrible risks involved in Indian war, without consultation with the Canadian Government."

The Press says further:—"There is nevertheless, the possibility of an Indian war on the Northwest frontier, and believes it the protective duty of the United States Government to send troops to Pembina for the protection of her citizens. It fears that as the Governor has appealed to the Indians for support, his opponents may also seek aid from other Indians to whom they appealed, and who would, the Press thinks, prove a superior force to those armed by Mr. McDougall. It alleges that the assistance of the latter tribes was offered in the first instance to the Insurgents, but declined from the fear that they would be uncontrollable and violate the rules and discipline the half breeds had imposed upon themselves. The Press, however, frankly admits that its Pembina correspondents' statements and opinions must be received with some reserve, as their sympathies are with the Insurgents.

A Pembina letter says the English speaking inhabitants prefer the continuation of the old Government at the Governor and Council of Assiniboia.

On the contrary the French say the old Government originally established for the administration of the affairs of the Hudson Bay Company is inadequate to the wants of the present extensive community, and for the administration of the laws in strict justice.

A letter from a Canadian gentleman, dated Pembina, 6th inst., says Gov. McDougall has not called on Canada for troops, but relies on the people of the Territory thus circumstanced, appealed to, to quell the outbreak, and believes they will do it without bloodshed. The letter continues as follows:—"On December 12th, a force equal to the malcontents occupied the Stone Fort, and their numbers were rapidly increasing by accessions of loyal inhabitants, of English, Scotch, Canadian and French origin, with a large band of our Indians, ready to shield the flag of their Sovereign and to bear the reign of law."

The insurgents under Scatsman, had made tracks for Pembina, while Riel held Fort Garry with about 40 men.

Mr. Donald Smith, Hudson Bay Company's Letter, left St. Cloud for Garry yesterday.

The Fenians.

A NEW ATTACK—THE FENIAN ARMY SAID TO BE PREPARING FOR THE FRAY—THE RED RIVER INSURRECTION.

(From the New York World.)

The reporter of an evening paper had an interview with General John O'Neill, the head of one branch of the Fenian Brotherhood with regard to the present state of his body, and the chances of an approaching brush with the Saxon. General O'Neill said that he would not disguise the fact that the Fenians were about to act in the offensive in a short time. It would be no important matter if Canada would be made a base of operations, but whether the movement would be made against Canada or elsewhere he would not say. He had been, with the other officers of the organization, for some time perfecting their plans. If he was but certain the movement would prove successful he would not have embarked in it. He could easily arm and equip 50,000 men, and the fighting men of the organization number over 100,000. He did not anticipate any trouble with the United States government, which had given him every chance during the previous attack on Canada. There were many of his countrymen among the Red River insurgents, and his organization did not mean to allow them to be conquered by the Canadian government. It is also stated that arms were being forwarded to Boston, where they were shipped for Ireland, and it instanced the fact that some gunsmith's shops in Dublin being broken into was a strong confirmation of the opinion that arms were forwarded to the needy revolutionists in Ireland by their brethren here.

In other quarters, the truth and substance of the above is denied, and officers of the civil branch of the Fenian Branch say that O'Neill's organization is not composed of 50,000 fighting men, and that there is not the slightest idea of a movement being made, as to the shipment of arms to Ireland, the Savage organization represents the Brotherhood in the old country. The O'Neill organization, it is asserted, next a man named Keenan, formerly a medical student in Dublin, is up and cause division among the home organization, but it is said he will be disappointed unsuccessful.

THE EDITOR'S TABLE—No. 511.

New Publications received last week:

MORGAN'S BRITISH TRADE JOURNAL for December. Morgan Bros., 42 Cannon Street, London. One Shilling Sterling.

THE DIPLOMATIC REVIEW for December. C. D. Collet, Fleet Street, London.

APPLETON'S MISCELLANY for December 25th. D. Appleton & Co., New York. 10 cents.

THE REPORT of the Commissioners of Crown Lands, Ontario, for the year 1869. A Blue Book. 8vo. pp. 36.

THE AMERICAN ARTISAN for Dec. 15th. New York. $2.

EVERY SATURDAY for Dec. 25th. Fields, Osgood & Co., Boston. 10 cents.

THE PRINTERS' REGISTER for December. J. M. Powell, 3 Bouverie Street, London.

THE LONDON JOURNAL for December. 332 Strand, London. 7 Pence Sterling.

THE GALAXY for January. Sheldon & Co., New York. $4.

The issue for January contains, of course, an instalment of "Put Yourself in His Place," which is in Reade's best manner. But it also contains a poem by Walt Whitman, on George Peabody, which will please the admirers of the poet, if it does not altogether satisfy those of the philanthropist. The poet gives us an inventory of the sort to which we are used in mercantile, but not, except so far as he has familiarized us with them, in poetical transactions. But the main attraction of the number to most readers will be Mr. Justin McCarthy's paper on "Science and Orthodoxy in England." It is not a statement of the matters at issue between the two so much as it is a series of sketches of the most famous physical instigators in England, with a statement of the position of each of them towards the orthodox theology of the day. It is extremely interesting to learn, as we do, from these sketches—which are true and characteristic, though so succinct—of the personalities of which most of us have only known from what we could gather from their works. The author exalts Huxley, rather lowers Tyndall, dismisses Owen curtly, and gossips about Herbert Spencer. Those who are interested in the subject will be sure to read the article, and those who are not will find it worth reading, both for the matter it embodies and the manner in which it is set forth.

THE LADY'S FRIEND for January. Deacon & Peterson, Philadelphia. $2.50.

The number for January, 1870, is a splendid New Year's gift. "In the Rapids" of Niagara, is the first steel plate. The second is a beautiful title-page for the magazine, encircled with the flowers wreathed portraits of seven of its lady contributors—the brightly intellectual face of Mrs. Henry Wood matronizing the younger ladies—Mrs. Moulton, Florence Percy, Elizabeth Prescott, Miss Douglas, August Bell, and Mrs. Hosmer. Every admirer of these talented ladies will desire to see this beautiful plate. The Colored Fashion Plate, as usual, shows the latest styles; and there is besides a page of richly colored patterns for Berlin Work. The music is the 'Rockaway Schottisch.' A great variety of articles for ladies' dress, and for the work-table, are illustrated by wood cuts. A beautiful story by Mrs. Moulton—"Did He forget Her?" is begun in this number; and there is a poem by Florence Percy, and stories by E. Ripley, Miss Douglas, A. M. Dana, &c.

THE PHRENOLOGICAL JOURNAL for January. S. R. Wells, New York. $3.

In its new form this Journal makes a very handsome appearance. This opening No. for 1870 fulfils the promises made in the prospectus published by us a week or two ago.

LONDON SOCIETY for December. W. C. Chewett & Co., Toronto; John Creighton, Kingston. One Shilling Sterling.

This No. finishes the year and the volume, and when we say that the interest of the Magazine has been well kept up, we say all that is needed. The popularity of 'London Society' in Canada is greatly on the increase.

PUTNAM'S for January. G. P. Putnam & Sons, New York. $4.

Decidedly one of the best Nos. of perhaps the very best American Magazine extant—a boast one of the very best. On 'American Hotels,' is a good, fair article, scarcely expected from an American pen. That on 'Pere Hyacinthe' is also very good; and that on 'The New Philology,' better still. We like 'Putnam's, it is so truly American, and we never take up a No. that we do not read through.

THE DAGUER. Toronto. 5 cents.

A stray No. of this wickedly named Punch paper has reached 'Our Table.' It is not so good as the defunct 'Grumbler,' but better than some of the 'Grumbler's' successors. Its name is the wickedest thing about it.

The Alabama Claims.

The Times says:—

"If Minister Motley proposes that negotiations be re-opened at Washington for the settlement of the claims, the proposal will be accepted. We must add that it would be useless to negotiate or talk of negotiating unless each side is prepared to enter upon the negotiation with confidence in the honor of the other. The charge made by the Americans is that we did not show proper feeling towards them during the war, that our want of proper feeling led us to afford unfair assistance to their enemies. The defence is that it was our duty to abstain from showing feeling towards either side, that the alleged unfair assistance was a strict observance of neutrality. It is plain that satisfactory relations between the two countries cannot be restored until we understand and respect the craving of the Americans for sympathy, and they understand the difficulties of our situation as impartial bystanders injured by a war in which we felt bound to abstain from interference. We shall never arrive at the restoration of friendship, if we begin in the spirit of pettifogging attorneys. American writers and statesmen may remember with advantage that our blood is after all not very different from their own. Englishmen have susceptibilities as well as Americans. It is not probable that we shall be drawn towards the Americans by the suggestion that we are insincere, and bent on bleedwinking those with whom we profess to be dealing openly.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.—At the recent session of the Wyoming Legislature, a "Woman's Suffrage" Bill was passed, and, it having been signed by the Governor, it is now the law of the Territory. This is the first tangible success the advocates of "Woman's Rights" have gained, and accordingly, they are exceedingly happy and jubilant. It remains to be seen if this concession will have the effect of improving the wyoming legislature morally and intellectually. Should it have that effect, there are other portions of the Union, and probably some places nearer home, in which women might, with great good to the community, be allowed to vote.

Pinsto Young Men.

TO BANKERS.

"Horse Stubbs," who has been taking notes for us at some of the recent parties, has developed the following rules, which will be found invaluable on our dashing young men:

When you dance a shottische be sure to hold your feet up as a dog holds up his lame paw; it looks graceful.

When you dance polka which is never done you know, always be sure to insist that the music is to slow, and hurry your partner. If she knows anything she will like you, and you will be sure to get her to dance with you again—if she can't help it.

When you "allemand left" catch the lady's hand as if you were going to pull her out of joint, and if you can manage to "bump" against the next lady it will heighten the effect.

In "dos and dos" if you can manage to "bump" against your vis a vis and knock her chignon askew, it will amuse the bystanders.

Be sure to criticise the dress and deportment of the ladies in your neighborhood, particularly if you are not very well acquainted with your partner. One of them may be her sister and your criticisms may thus reach her ears sooner than you expect.

In the Lancers, make a point of promoting your neighbors that a "grand right and left" goes the other way, no matter what way they set out. They may think you know something about it, even if you know you don't.

When you waltz, grab your partner's hand and hold it straight down by your side, or keep it bobbing up and down like a pump-handle.

In balance to the right, use your heels on the floor; you may thus improve yourself in clog dancing; no knowing but you may be reduced to following it for a living, in which case it will come handy.

In order to cultivate graceful motions, perform a double shuffle, and move your arms up and down like a wood-sawyer; it is becoming—to the wood-sawyer.

If you are from Montreal, where the Prince habitues, be careful to ask if this or that is the way they do 'down here,' and point out the difference between Eastern and Western habits, to the disadvantage of the Westerns.

TO VISITORS.

The following is a young lady's advice, and as the opinion of her sex, is entitled to earnest attention from young men:—

Dear gentlemen, between the ages of eighteen and forty-five." When you make a social call on an evening on a young lady, go away at a reasonable hour. Say you come at eight o'clock, an hour and a half is certainly as long as the most fascinating of you in conversation can or rather ought, to desire to use his charms. Two hours, indeed, can be very pleasantly spent with music chat, or other games, to lend variety; but, kind sirs, by no means, stay longer. Make shorter calls and come oftener. A girl—that is, a sensible, true hearted girl—will enjoy it better and really value your acquaintance more. Just conceive the agony of a girl who, well knowing the feelings of a father and mother upon the subject, hears the clock strike ten, and yet must sit on the edge of her chair, in mortal terror lest papa should put his oft-repeated threat into execution—that of coming down and joining the gentleman to breakfast. And we girls understand it by experience, and know what it is to dread the prognostic of displeasure. In such cases a sigh of relief generally accompanies the closing of the door behind the gallant, and we don't get over the feeling of trouble till safe in the arms of Morpheus. Even then, sometimes the dreams are troubled with some phantom of an angry father and distressed mother; and all because a young man will make a longer call than he ought to.

Now, young gentlemen friends, I'll tell you what we girls will do. For an hour and a half we will be most irresistibly charming and fascinating, then, beware, monosyllable responses will be all you need expect. And if, when the limit shall have been passed, a startling query shall be heard coming down stairs: "Isn't it time to close up?" you must consider it a righteous punishment, and, taking your hats, meekly depart—sadder, and, it is to be hoped, wiser men. Do not go angry; but the next time you come, be careful to keep within bounds. We want to rise early those pleasant mornings, and improve the "shining hours;" but when forced to be up at such unreasonable hours of night, exhausted nature will speak, and, as a natural consequence, with the utmost speed in dressing, we run barely get down to breakfast in time to escape a reprimand from papa, who don't believe in beaux—as though he never was young—and a mild reproving glance from mamma, who understands a little better a poor daughter's feelings, but still must disapprove outwardly, to keep up appearances. And now, young men, think about these things, and don't—for pity's sake, don't—throw down your paper with a "pshaw!" but remember the sore side of ten.

Montreal.

A HABITANT REFUSED CATHOLIC BURIAL.

Montreal, Dec. 18.

A respectable habitant named Pierre Onoier, who died on Monday last at the village of St. Martins, has been refused burial by the parish priest for the astounding reason that the deceased was taken possession of by evil spirits. The Masonic brotherhood quietly took possession of the body and buried it in the Episcopal burying ground. Onoier formerly belonged to that order. It is popularly supposed that his chances of future happiness are fully equal to that of the intellectual purists whose charitable christianity mildly condemned him to hot quarters.

Later.

Montreal, Dec. 20.

There was a heavy snow storm on Saturday night with high wind. It has made great drifts in some places. It is clear and fine to-day.

The Council are to give the Mayor a dinner next January.

Phillip Brunnette, conductor, and Henry Messill, brakesman, on the Grand Trunk Railway, were arrested on a charge of breaking into an express car and stealing jewelery.

Canon Lonsmore having left the Cathedral, preached a farewell sermon in the Church of St. James the Apostle yesterday afternoon, a very large congregation being present.

Henry-Martini rifles and ammunition, having been received from England, will be distributed to the 60th Rifles and the Rifle Brigade for experiment.

OTTAWA.

OFFICIAL RETURNS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz.:—John Bower Lewis, of the city of Ottawa, Q.C., to be Deputy-Judge of the County Court of the County of Carleton in the Province of Ontario.

Railway traffic returns for the month of October:—Great Western Railway total, 1869, $138,805; Grand Trunk Railway, $67,831. Great Western total, 1868, $295,805; Grand Trunk Railway, $64,408.

Statement of the Dominion Notes in circulation on Wednesday, the 1st day of December, 1869:—Dominion Notes in circulation payable at Montreal, $4,018,236; payable at Toronto, $1,488,764; payable at Halifax, $443,000; total, $5,249,000. Specie held, $1,358,803. Debentures held by the Receiver General under the Dominion Note Act, $1,000,000.

Statement of the Post-Office Savings Bank account for the month of November, 1869:—In hands of the Receiver General, as per last statement, 31st October, 1869, $1,087,782 23; received from depositors during November, with interest allowed on accounts closed during November,—less withdrawal cheques paid, $50,889 22; in hands of the Receiver General, 30th November, 1869, $1,091,631 45.

The following new Post-offices were established in Canada on the 1st December, 1869:—Grand Pabos, Gaspe, Pandash, Peterboro, E.R., Stowe, Huron, N. R. Offices closed:—Fulton, County Lincoln, C.; Warwick, W.C., County Charlotte, N.B.

ROME.

THE ECUMENICAL COUNCIL ADJOURNED.

Rome, Dec. 18.

The sessions of the Ecumenical Council will be resumed on Wednesday, the 6th January.

Another reason is given to-day for the adjournment of the sittings to the 6th of January. The bishops were under the necessity of abandoning the cathedral of St. Peter on account of the acoustic impediments of the hall, and have therefore resolved to hold their sessions hereafter at another place, but which cannot be put in order for several days.

PROTEST.

The French bishops have protested against the Pope's interference in the deliberations of the Council. The Spanish bishops, both home and colonial, sustain the Pope.

THE COMMISSION OF COUNCIL.

The Council has not yet named the 72 members of the three commissions provided for business—discipline, religious orders, and Eastern affairs. The members of the commission on the faith have been designated, but their names have not yet been made public.

Several bishops, among whom is Father Mathieu have obtained leave of absence for the purpose of holding ordinations in their dioceses.

The Civita Catolica to-day publishes the text of an apostolic letter imposing rules for the government of the Council.

Rome, Dec. 18.

Cardinal Peuti, a native of Rome, died yesterday, aged 72 years. There are now sixteen vacancies in the college of Cardinals. It is understood that the Pope will make no nominations to fill the vacancies while the Ecumenical Council is in session.

General Items.

A lady in Paris is mourning the loss of her eleventh husband, but expects to complete the dozen this year.

It is proposed to lynch a man in Kansas city who steals his neighbors' wells by tapping them from the bottom.

Many of the small towns and villages throughout Quebec Province illuminated on the occasion of the inauguration of the Œcumenical Council.

Owing to heavy snowstorms, the railway over Mount Cenis has been blocked up, and all communication by that route interrupted.

A youth of Rochester hanged himself because his parents compelled him to attend church, and when his father came to cut him down, he kicked the old gentleman in a most filial manner as he dangled by the neck.

A reporter of a New Orleans paper made a visit to the Insane Asylum, when a young and handsome female rushed up to him and implanted a shower of kisses on his trompeze. All the reporters and editors in Louisiana now visit that asylum to write it up.

The United States hadn't even a row boat amid the forests of shipping at the opening of the Suez Canal.

The Superintendent of the Nova Scotia Railway is making modifications in the tariff to accommodate the farming community. This is as it should be.

The Boston Advertiser says that the Messrs Shanley will have expended the $300,000 on the Hoosac Tunnel, required by the State, by the 1st January.

An eminent French physician has exploded the idea of any persons hair turning gray from fright.

It is estimated that New York sold one hundred thousand bogus gold watches last year.

The English Firemen carried off nearly all the long range prizes at the recent competition at Liege.

It is said that the Pope, whose wit is dulled by advancing age, on being told the exact circumstances in connection with Dr. Temple's appointment to the See of Exeter, said: "This Dr. Temple will soon be the only thing that remains of the old temple."

A shocking catastrophe is reported to have happened on the Rhine. A vessel coming in contact with a bridge in course of construction at Mayence, brought down the whole structure and caused the death of forty workmen.

English advices from New Zealand report that four of the Maories taken in rebellion against the Crown have been convicted of high treason and sentenced in the usual form to be "hanged, drawn and quartered." It is thought that the sentence will not be carried into effect.

Omaha is a city of great expectations. It proposes to build, in 1870, a $150,000 hotel, a $120,000 Masonic temple, a $50,000 opera house, a $100,000 high school building, a $60,000 grammar school house, 1,000 private residences, and two railroads. The United States will also begin a $250,000 stone court house and post office building.

Sylvanus Cobb cornered his cob so badly that he is in the Boston Inebriate Asylum.

Part of the Kerby House in Brantford was destroyed by fire on Friday. A man named Bates was nearly killed by a falling wall.

Foxes are very numerous this season in some parts of the Madoc township.

The Garters which reverted to the crown on the death of the Earl of Derby and the Marquis of Westminster have been conferred on Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe and Earl de Grey and Ripon.

The President of a Savings Bank at Gallatin, Missouri, was shot dead by two men, who came into the Bank about noon on the 7th inst., while he was in the act of opening the safe to change a hundred dollar bill for one of them. The men rifled the safe, mounted their horses, and made off. The alarm was, however, given by a man who happened to be in the Bank at the time, and the murderers were hotly pursued.

Dr. J. Briggs' Pile Remedy is acknowledged by all who have tried it (and their name is Legion) to be the best, most successful and efficacious Remedy ever used for that disease. Sold by E. H. Parker and R. White, Kingston; and all Druggists.

Dr. J. Briggs' Renovator, the Great Throat and Lung Healer, can, without any exaggeration, safely be said to be the best Remedy for the Throat and Lungs that is manufactured. It heals the diseased mucous surface, restores the lungs, purifies the blood, acts upon the liver and kidneys, and strengthens the system throughout. To the pale Consumptives no greater boon can be offered. Sold by Druggists and Country Dealers. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., Proprietors, 488 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King St. West, Toronto.

☞ We regret to have to announce the death of James Whiteford, Esq., one of the oldest and most respected inhabitants of the Town. Mr. Whiteford was taken ill but a few days ago while walking in the street, and died this morning in the 73rd year of his age. The deceased has grown with the Town, and his familiar face, and urbane manner will be missed by many a sincere friend.—Belleville Intelligencer.

Kingston Money Market.

Dec. 20.

FOLGER BROS., BANKERS, REPORT THE MONEY MARKET AS FOLLOWS:

American Currency buying	81½	Bills.
" " selling,	83	Silver.
Silver buying,	82	Bills.
" selling,	2½	Dis.
Gold in New York,	121½	"
Sterling Exchange,	8¾	

Montreal Markets—Dec. 20th.

Flour—Superior Extra 0,00 to 0,00; Extra 4,50 to 4,60; Fancy, 4,30 to 4,35; Welland Canal Super, 0,00 to 0,00. Super No. 1 Canada wheat, 4,12 to 2,20; super No. 1 Western wheat, 4,10 to 4,15; Super No. 2 Western wheat, 3,70 to 3,80; bag flour, 2,00 to 2,10. Wheat—Canada Fall, 0,00 to 0,00. Spring, 0,00 to 0,00. Western 0,00 to 0,00. Oats—per 32 lbs, 25 to 26. Barley—per 48 lbs, 50 to 60. Butter—Dairy 18 to 19c; store-packed 17 to 18c. Ashes—pots, 5,25 to 5,30; Pearls, 5,60 to 5,65. Gold at New York at 12 o'clock, 121. Pork Mess, 27,00 to 00,00. Prime Mess 00,00 to 00,00. Prime, 18,00 to 00,00. Dressed hogs 9,50 to 9,75. Peas, per 60 lbs. 70 to 72c. Rye Flour, 0,00 to 0,00.

Flour—receipts 1,800 bbls. Market inactive; trifling sales at quotations; very strong super ranging up to 5,50. Grain—no transactions; rates nominal. Provisions—Pork heavy, and tending lower. Hogs, ordinary average offered at 9,50; buyers held off. Ashes unchanged.

New York Markets, Dec. 20

Gold 121½. Flour market dull and declining; receipts 15,000 bbls; sales 5,700 bbls at 4,40 to 4,70 for superfine state and western; 4,10 to 6,10 for common to choice extra state, 4,80 to 6,10 for common to choice extra state and western. Rye flour dull. Wheat a shade firmer but quiet; sales 26,000 bush at 1,35 for No. 2 spring; 1,31 1,35 for winter red and amber western. Rye quiet. Corn heavy; sales 36,000 bush at 1,12½ to 1,15½ for old mixed western. Barley dull. Oats dull; sales 28,000 bush at 63 to 63½ for western. Pork lower at 31,75 to 32,25 for new mess; 32,25 to 32,50 for old mess. Lard heavy.

Customs Imports—In Bond.

Dec. 18.

G T R, Hamilton—200 cadkies tobacco, Geo Robertson & Son.

Str Wabenaki, Cape Vincent—2 boxes oysters, S H Blandheim; 1 box, S Oberndorffer; 1 pkg, M Ellenbeck; 1 pkg, J Blackleck & Co.

BIRTH.

In Kingston, on the 18th inst., the wife of Mr. Geo. Kirk, of a daughter.

In Kingston, on the 20th inst., the wife of Mr. J. D. Thompson, of a son.

DIED.

At Toronto, on the 16th inst., Mrs. Edward Kennedy, in the 62nd year of her age.

In the Township of Pembroke, on the 14th December, Elizabeth, relict of the late Hugh Fraser, Esq., aged 78 years.

At Belleville, on the 15 inst., Sarah Jane Wyatt, wife of Mr. Richard Harper, aged 21 years.

At Brantford, on the 12th inst., Frances, wife of Charles Turner, Esq., aged 45 years.

XMAS

AND

New Year's Presents.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF

FANCY GOODS,

JEWELRY,

TOYS,

GAMES, &c.,

in the City will be found at

WILLIAM McCOMB'S

FANCY STORE.

Opposite the Medical Hall,

PRINCESS STREET.

Kingston, Dec. 20, 1869. 300

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS hereby given that an Adjourned Sitting of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace for the County of Frontenac will be held at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, on

Thursday, 23rd Dec., Instant,

At ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.,

for the purpose of auditing Accounts and Demands preferred against the County.

By order,

ALEX. S. KIRKPATRICK,
Clerk of the Peace,
Co. of Frontenac.

Kingston, Dec. 20th, 1869. 300

Just Received.

FRESH ORANGES

AND

CRANBERRIES.

XXX AND SELECT OYSTERS

ARRIVING DAILY

AT

R. TOWN'S

FRUIT & OYSTER DEPOT

Market Square and Ontario Street.

JUST ARRIVED:

A choice lot of WINTER APPLES at $3,50 per barrel; also

CHESTNUTS, COCOANUTS,
QUINCES, ORANGES,
GRAPES, LEMONS.

A liberal reduction to wholesale dealers in Fruit and Oysters.

Kingston, Dec. 20, 1869. 300

CUSTOM DEPARTMENT,
Ottawa, Dec. 17th, 1869.

AUTHORIZED discount on AMERICAN invoices until further notice: is 18 per cent.

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

300

Smoke the Pipe of Peace.

GENERAL NOTICE FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR.

S. P. WHITE

HAS JUST RECEIVED a very choice assortment of genuine

MEERSCHAUM PIPES, Carved and Figured in Cases.
MEERSCHAUM PIPES, Bent and Straight, in Cases.
MEERSCHAUM BOWLS, Carved, Figured and Plain, in Cases.
MEERSCHAUM BOWLS, Silver-mounted, in Cases.
MEERSCHAUM CIGAR-HOLDERS, Figured and Plain.
GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS.
PURE VIRGINIA TOBACCO.
CUT MIXTURES, SMOKING TOBACCOES.

S. P. WHITE,
38 Princess-st., Kingston, Ont.

Kingston, Dec. 17, 1869. 298

TO-DAY.

Assignee's Sale

OF

BANKRUPT STOCK.

THE STOCK IN TRADE of GEORGE BRAND, Furniture Dealer, will be Sold at Auction at TEN O'CLOCK on TUESDAY MORNING, the 21st Instant, at the Store on King Street. The whole will be offered "en bloc" at a price on the Dollar for cash. Inventory may be seen at the Office of the Assignee, and the Furniture may be inspected on the day preceding and morning of sale. Also immediately thereafter the Household Furniture of the Insolvent.

HENRY CHARLES VOIGT,
Assignee.
J. J. LINTON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, Dec. 11th, 1869. t298

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED.

A HOUSEKEEPER for the British American Hotel. None need apply except those who understand the business, and can come well recommended.

Kingston, Dec. 16, 1869. 297

BRITISH AMERICAN HOTEL.

THE PUBLIC is respectfully informed, that in future, an EARLY DINNER will be provided for the Accommodation of Travellers at Half-past TWELVE o'clock.

H. E. SWALES.

Kingston, Dec. 16, 1869. 297

McDONELL'S,

The Great Centre

OF

ATTRACTION

DURING

Xmas and New Year's.

Xmas Boxes & New Year's Gifts

IN RICH BLACK SILKS,
IN RICH FANCY SILKS,
IN RICH POPLIN DRESSES,
IN RICH FRENCH MERINOS,
NEW BROCHU & WOOL SHAWLS,
CLOTH AND FUR JACKETS AND MANTLES,
NEW WATERPROOFS,
NEW VELVETEENS.

JUST RECEIVED.

NEW PLATES OF FASHION

FOR GENTLEMEN'S

DRESS SUITS,
TWEED SUITS,
PLAIN and CHECK SUITS.

Send in your Orders at Once for XMAS AND NEW YEAR'S SUITS.

New Dominion House

62 PRINCESS STREET. 62

Kingston, Dec. 18, 1869. 299

LEATHER, HIDES, OIL & FINDINGS.

THE Subscriber has constantly on hand a carefully selected Stock of Sole Leather, Upper and Harness Leather, English Kip, Calcutta Kip, Calfskins, Roans, Rossets, Shoe Thread, Wax, Iron and Zinc Nails, Lasts, Pegs, Leather Laces, and all kinds of Shoemaker's Kit.

TANNER'S OIL.

Manufacturer of Harness Mitts and Gloves.

Calf, Buck and Sheepskin Mitts and Gloves, Shoe Hooks and Moccasins.

☞ The highest price in Cash paid for Hides, Sheep Pelts, Calfskin, Glue Stock, Tallow, and all kinds of Leather.

JOHN McKAY, Jr.,
176 Princess Street.

Kingston, Dec. 11, 1869. 1m296

AUCTION SALE.

WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY, 30th December inst., at Mr. Michael O'Gorman's Wharf, the fast sailing

YACHT "VANGUARD,"

Formerly called the "John A. Macdonald," 21½ tons register, with Sails and Rigging complete, and winner of the First Prize at the last Kingston Regatta.

ALSO,

The Schooner Yacht "Merlin,"

9 tons register, with Sails and Rigging complete.

And a LIGHT SKIFF; all of which will be sold "positively" without reserve, as the owner is about leaving Kingston.

Terms Cash.

Sale at two o'clock.

WM. MURRAY,
Auctioneer

Kingston, Dec. 18, 1869. 299

FIFTH WEEK

OF THE

Great Blanket Sale.

WE intend to continue this Great Sale all this month. Every person in want of Blankets should attend our Great Sale, and secure the Cheapest and Best Blankets ever offered in Kingston.

MacNee & Waddell,
Princess Street.

December Sale

OF

FANCY DRESS GOODS.

WE Commence To-day our Great Dress Goods Sale. Several Hundred Pieces brought forward from our Wholesale Stock, and Reduced to Cost Price.

MacNee & Waddell,
Princess Street.

FIRST WEEK

OF OUR

Great Cloth Sale.

AT

MACNEE & WADDELL'S.

All our Stock of Broad Cloths, Reduced in Price.
All Black Doeskins & Cassimeres, Reduced in Price.
All English and Scottish Tweeds, Reduced in Price.
All our Canada Tweeds, Reduced in Price.
All our Pilot Cloths, Reduced in Price.
All our Beavers, Reduced in Price.
All our Whitne