Post Office Time Table.

MAILS GOING EAST

By Day Express Train close at 12:40 p.m.; Arrive at 1:50 p.m.
By Night Express Train close at 9 p.m.; Arrive at 9:00 a.m.

GOING WEST

By Day Express Train close at 3:20 p.m.; Arrive at 4:30 p.m.
By Night Express Train close at 9 p.m.; Arrive at 6:00 a.m.

FOR UNITED STATES

Via Cape Vincent, for New York, Boston and Oswego, close at 9:00 a.m. daily, and arrive at 1:15 p.m. For Cape Vincent alone close at 2 p.m., and arrive at 11:5 a.m.

BRITISH MAILS

Per Cunard Line, will be closed every Monday at 2:00 p.m.
Per Bremen Line, every Tuesday at 2:00 p.m.
Per 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 at and depart from the Kingston Station as follows:—

EXPRESS TRAINS GOING WEST.

Arrive at.....4:50 p.m. and 5:40 a.m.
Depart at.....4:10 p.m. and 5:40 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 2:10 a.m.
Depart at.....1:50 p.m. and 2:10 a.m.
Local Train arrives at 3:15 a.m.; depart at 6:20 a.m.

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Kingston & Cape Vincent Mail Line of Stages.

ON and after MONDAY, Jan 4th, STAGES of this Line will leave KINGSTON as follows: At 8 O'CLOCK A.M., at 11 O'CLOCK A.M, and at 2 O'CLOCK P.M., on arrival of the Grand Trunk Railroad Train from the West. Passengers leaving their address at the Stage Office will be called for, at their residences or at the different Hotels. This Company have provided Extra Accommodations for Passengers crossing with them.

Office in the Burnett House Buildings Ontario Street.

Agent:
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Kingston, Jan. 8th, 1869. 7

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200 Fancy Dresses, at 5s.
1000 Yards Prints, at 6d.
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20 Doz. Linen Towels, at 5s per dozen.
Winceys and Tweeds all reduced to 7½d.

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We guarantee this to be the CHEAPEST SALE in Kingston for the NEXT TEN DAYS.

NEW DOMINION HOUSE.
Kingston, Feb. 4, 1869. 29

The Daily British Whig.

"Optimer per Orbem Dicor."

FRIDAY MORNING, FEB'Y 5, 1869.

LETTERS & TELEGRAMS.—B. M., Toronto; A. H. S., do.

REMINDERS.

SALES, MEETINGS, AMUSEMENTS, &c.

COMMON SCHOOL BOARD. — Adjourned meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

SALE by Mr. J. J. Linton, of horses, harness, vehicles, household furniture, &c. at Mr. John Hilton's, this morning at ten o'clock.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We have lately received several anonymous communications. An article which the writer is ashamed of or afraid to accompany with his signature, is never deemed worthy of notice, and accordingly very seldom read.

THE OPENING OF THE BACK COUNTRY.—We are quite awake to the importance of every effort being made to open the country back of Kingston, by every possible means. By Free Roads, and by the abolition of Market Tolls; and more especially, by encouraging the building of the projected Wooden Railway to Loborough Lake and beyond. But this should be done without the utterance of barefaced falsehood, without crying stinking fish, and without disparaging the excellent trade, manufactures and commerce of good old Kingston. The cry of the News was reiterated by Aldermen in the City Council who should have known better, for there is not one single man in that Council who is not five times better off to-day, than he was this day five years ago.

WITHDRAWAL OF THE TROOPS.—We should have stated in the remarks on the contemplated withdrawal of the Troops in Canada, for it was at the point of our pen, that the whole arrangement may be knocked into pi should the U. S. Senate refuse to ratify the Alabama Claims Treaty, as is confidently expected by the knowing ones in Yankeeland will be the case. Then War—bella, horrida bella!

FROM OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.

The Privy Council met to-day for routine business.

It is reported that Hon. Mr. Cartier will leave England this week.

There was a heavy snow storm here today.

It is understood that no decision by the Government will be arrived at in reference to respiting Whalen until after the return of the Governor General from Montreal.

The Intercolonial Commissioners will only hold informal meetings until the return of Messrs. Hydges and Chandler.

The following is the list of insolvents published to day:—Felix Blanchette, St. Hyacinthe; Wm. Duncan Rogers, Toronto; Arch. M. Scratch, Kingsville; Louis Carrette, Lachine; James Sutherland, Peterborough; James Alphonse Hudon, Montreal; George Ale[illegible], London; Ann. Lymington, Widder; William Hon, David Brown and Thomas Watson, Montreal; Wm. Robertson, Belleville; Wm. Horn, Perth; A. Cadotte, Lindsay; E. Welsh, Perth; W. P. McGill & Co., Montreal; John M. Reid, Lucknow; John Wylie, Iroquois, James Hunter, Barrie.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Feb. 3.

The Governor General visited McGill College, and was received by the Professors and students. An address was presented by the Governor of the College, and replied to by His Excellency. In the evening His Excellency dined at Mr. Morland's, and Lt.-Governor Howland was a guest.

The Governor General in Montreal.

THE BANQUET ON TUESDAY EVENING.

Seldom was such a large assemblage been gathered in the dining room of St. Lawrence Hall as that of Tuesday evening. The dinner itself was of a most sumptuous kind, and the wines of the richest. The Mayor occupied the chair; on his right sat Sir John Young, Gen. Wyndam, Hon. Messrs. Rose, Campbell, &c.; on the left Gov. Howland, Gen. Bissett, Col. McNeill, Mr. Turville, Ensign Curtise, &c. Many leading citizens were present, also the Railway Commissioners, Brydges and Walsh.

After the cloth was removed the Mayor proposed the usual loyal toasts, "The Queen," "The Prince and Princess of Wales and the Royal Family." In proposing "His Excellency the Governor General," he said that so soon as the corporation of Montreal heard of the arrival of Sir John Young in Ottawa, they felt desirous that he should visit Montreal, not in a cold manner, but as the warmly invited guest of the corporation and citizens generally. All people feel delighted at his gracious visit, and extend towards him their kindest feelings and heartiest welcome. Although spontaneous, the cause of the esteem was not accidental, for the people of the Dominion hailed with delight the appointment to the high and important office of Governor General of one whose conduct of Governor of several dependencies of the Empire heretofore committed to his trust exhibited the highest qualities of statesmanship. (Applause.)

His Excellency, on rising, was received with enthusiastic applause. He said: Mr. Mayor and gentlemen, If it were allowable to find fault on an occasion like the present, I should be very much inclined to quarrel with the flattering terms in which your excellent Mayor has thought fit to speak of my past services. My own feeling with regard to them is that they have been very imperfect, though they have received due approbation of those with whom I had to deal, and have been amply rewarded by my Sovereign.—(Cheers.) I am very sensible of your kindness and extend to you my best acknowledgements for your sumptuous hospitality and reception. I cannot accept it as personal to myself, but as a tribute paid by this great company, to him who does England's message here (loud cheers), and as a token offered on behalf of the whole community. That they value British connexion and are contented with the institutions under which they live; (Renewed cheers) institutions fully framed in accordance with the wishes and the genius of the people, by the united wisdom of British and Canadian statesmen. (Hear, hear.) Of the success of their efforts the best proof is found in the determination of the people to cherish and maintain the institutions to which those efforts have given birth. (Cheers.) That determination is expressed in many ways and in signs so visible that he who runs may read them in the observance of order and habits of regular industry during peace, and the readiness at the remotest call of danger to endure personal sacrifice for the defence of the country, in the reverence for the laws and the loyalty to the throne (cheers) to impart such sentiments broadcast amongst the people, is a result at which the most patriotic law-giver might aim, and having succeeded in implanting them is a result which might well gratify the ambition of the most ambitious, and that such success has been attained is clear not only from the feelings already alluded to, but from the outward signs, of great public works in progress, or in contemplation, of individual industry, and of that public spirit which can only be generated and permanently maintained by the assurance of security and the consciousness of possessing ever enduring liberties. (Cheers.) Amongst these evidences, Mr. Mayor, I should be inclined to place as one of the most signal the great city over which you so worthily preside—the great city of Montreal, its stately streets and its lengthened line of houses, its accumulated wealth and its spirit of active enterprize. It is true it may not rival in wealth the golden-roofed cities of Australia, but it rivals them in the commercial facilities of its position, and it surpasses them in the number of its inhabitants, seated as it is upon the confluence of Rivers much more favorable to inter-communication than that meeting of waters celebrated by the Irish poet. (Cheers and laughter.) It is fitted by nature to be the great emporium of the Dominion, the commercial centre from which commerce shall flow in constant flux and reflux throughout the Dominion. This Dominion is inhabited by races different in origin, but races all of ancient renown and equal in the field of industry and perseverance. (Cheers.) These features give promise of wealth to Montreal, and power and greatness to the Dominion—to that Dominion which, if we may trust to present appearances, will, ere long, be enlarged beyond its present borders from the ocean on the east to the ocean on the west, and which will unite all our fellow countrymen in British North America, as willing associates in the lofty task of building up free institutions upon the British model throughout the whole of British North America. (Loud cheers). It is true that a cloud of misapprehension has rested over one Province, but that cloud is gradually clearing away, yielding to clearer lights. (Cheers.) I trust that ere long the inhabitants of Nova Scotia will see that their real interests lie in the direction in which their affections have all along laid (cheers and laughter), in the direction of a cordial agreement with their fellow citizens, and of this I feel sure that whatever requests they may make they will be respectfully listened to, and that every ground of grievance will be removed which can be removed with justice to the other provinces. (Cheers.) I trust that ere long Nova Scotia will have, of her own free will, cheerfully fallen into line and partake of the general advance, co-operating in and deriving benefits from these great works to which public sanction has already been given, and to which public expectation is directed. Speaking of these works, I must say that they seem to me of gigantic magnitude—they strike a European imagination like mine with feelings akin to awe as well as admiration. Amongst other works are a line of railway, hundreds and hundreds of miles in length, to which hundreds of miles are still to be added, and a canal which is to connect the distant waters of Lake Huron with the tidal waters of the St. Lawrence, a distance of well-nigh 400 miles. These appear to me enterprises of gigantic magnitude. I trust that those people who have set their minds upon them will not forget one wise caution, one wise and judicious hint dropped by the Premier, Sir John A. Macdonald, at the banquet given to the Mayor in Ottawa. Sir John said, "As soon as the resources of the Dominion, now rapidly increasing, shall be equal to the task, no voice will be raised against this great national work." (Cheers.) So soon as the resources are equal to the task, remember. I trust that these resources may increase rapidly, but I earnestly hope this caution will not be forgotten, for however desirable these local works may be, too high a price may be paid for them. (Hear, hear.) An embarrassed exchequer would be a bitter penalty to pay for any undue haste. (Hear, hear.) But this caution apart, or rather I should say, this caution observed or heeded, I trust this country will proceed rapidly in its advances towards a higher state of prosperity in the future as it has in the past. Great things have already been achieved, and now the destinies of the country are unreservedly and emphatically in the hands of the people, and everything may be expected from the action of energetic and self governing men, in the midst of an atmosphere of freedom. (Cheers.) I shall now only repeat most earnestly my thanks for all your kind attentions, and express the wish that the Dominion may increase in prosperity, that its people may become more closely united, that peace may reign undisturbed for generations throughout all its borders, and that plenteousness may crown the industry of its inhabitants. (Loud Cheers.) Now, gentlemen, I have been allowed to give a toast, namely, "Prosperity to the City of Montreal," with which I beg leave to couple the name of your worthy Mayor, who has presided with so much ability on the present occasion. (Cheers.)

His Worship briefly responded.

"The Army, Navy and Volunteers" was then drank with all honors.

Gen. Wyndham responded for the army, and in referring to the proposed reduction of the force, said: after thirty years experience I am perfectly well aware there is no place out of England to which they would sooner go, and in which they would sooner stay than the Dominion of Canada. (Cheers.) The country is filled with old soldiers who fought gallantly not only in the Dominion, but throughout the Empire at large. The officers as well as the men have intermarried their feelings are very much the same, and they have always been received with such cordiality and kindness that I am sure when they go away there will be very few who will not honestly and heartily pray for the success of this Dominion, and I firmly believe that not only this company, but also the nation at large, will wish the army, as it departs, every prosperity. (Loud cheers.)

Col. Dyde responded for the volunteers.

The Mayor proposed the health of the Lt.-Governor of Ontario.

The Hon. Mr. Howland was very warmly cheered on rising to respond. He spoke of the gratification he felt in being able to join with the people of Montreal—the emporium of Canada—in bidding welcome, and paying honor to our guest this evening. He also said:

"Knowing intimately, for the last 38 years, having business and social relations with the merchants and people of this city, I can well appreciate the great enterprise and talent on the part of the people, and especially the merchants who have tended to bring it to the high state of prosperity which it now enjoys; it is a matter of the highest satisfaction and gratification to myself, and one in which we all join, that His Excellency, the Governor General, has arrived here and is deputed to preside over the Government of the country, at a time so fortunate, and one in which so much satisfaction, contentment and prosperity exists throughout the country. And I beg to assure His Excellency that throughout the Province of Ontario, and I think I may venture to say, on the behalf of the people of Quebec also, there is, almost without exception, a universal feeling of contentment and loyalty—not loyalty as an unmeaning sentiment, but a feeling of satisfaction in the institutions of the country; a conviction that they will result in liberty and order. There exists a perfect, great and satisfactory confidence in the future of this country, in the institutions which have been so happily accorded to us on these grounds. In speaking of the importance of the character and qualifications of the gentleman who may be sent here to preside over the Government of the Dominion, he said it was the highest gratification to feel and know from his past history and experience that His Excellency has had as a statesman, legislator and administrator, we have the fullest assurance that he is most especially qualified for the position which he now occupies. (Cheers.)

"The Administration of the Dominion" was next proposed.

Hon. Mr. Campbell, in response to repeated calls from all parts of the room, rose to reply. He said—My friend Mr. Rose being a citizen of Montreal, has with a sort of doubtful courtesy assigned to me the duty of responding to this toast. I beg to return you thanks for the honor you have done the Ministry in not represented on this occasion by some one more familiar with the citizens of Montreal than I am. I am charged by the Premier, Sir John, to express to this gathering his deep regret that he was unable to be present. I have also the same expression of regret to make to you on behalf of the other Ministers who are at Ottawa. They would all gladly have been here, and circumstances enabled them to gratify their inclination. It would be impossible for me to say anything about the past course of the Ministry of Canada, or its present and future policy, without in some degree transgressing upon the feelings of some of those are present, and also upon the proprieties of the occasion of this kind, my theme is limited. As a denizen of the Western Province, I am afraid we will feel a little jealous unless we in Western Canada can persuade His Excellency to pay us a visit. We cannot show a city like Montreal, but I know we can show him a happy, contented and prosperous people—people very glad indeed to welcome him and with whom I believe he will feel as much at home as he is now at home with the people of Montreal.

Hon. Mr. Rose was also called on and responded in happy terms.

The toast of the Ladies was proposed, and His Excellency responded.

The band played God Save the Queen, His Excellency left the hall, and the banquet was brought to a close.

Board of Common School Trustees.

On Tuesday evening the regular meeting of the Board of Common School Trustees was held in the Council Chamber. The chairman and the following members were present:—Messrs. Cunningham, Chown, Carroll, McRossie, McCrae, Newlands, Phillips, Conley, Robinson, Britton, Massie, and Draper.

After the reading of minutes, the committee for appointing the standing committees for the present year, handed in its report.

After some consideration had taken place Mr. Cunningham seconded by Mr. Phillips, moved the adoption of the report, which was carried.

The following are the committees as adopted, the first name on each representing the chairman:

BUILDING COMMITTEE.

The chairman, Messrs. Carroll, Cunningham, Robinson, McRossie, Phillips, and Newlands.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Chairman, Messrs. G. W. Fenwick, McRossie, Phillips, Chown, Britton and Cunningham.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The chairman, Messrs. G. W. Fenwick, Phillips, Massie, Cunningham, Newlands, Robinson, and McRossie.

COMMITTEE ON REPORT TO CITIZENS

Messrs. Britton, Carroll, G. W. Fenwick, Chown, McRossie, Draper, and Massie.

COMMITTEE ON REPORT TO EDUCATION OFFICE.

Messrs. Massie, Chown, Cunningham, Draper, G. W. Fenwick, McCrae, and Conley.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOLS.

The chairman, Messrs. Newlands, Massie, Chown, Conley, Cunningham, and Britton.

COMMITTEE ON TEACHERS, OFFICERS, AND SALARIES.

The Chairman, Messrs. Carroll, Cunningham, Robinson, G. W. Fenwick, Phillips, McRossie, Britton, and Newlands.

COMMITTEE ON AUDITS

Messrs. McRossie, Phillips, Newlands, Chown, and Britton.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING AND CONTINGENCIES.

Messrs. G. W. Fenwick, Draper, Carroll, McCrae, Massie, and Conley.

VISITING COMMITTEES.

JOHNSON STREET SCHOOL.

The Chairman, Messrs. Cunningham, and Britton.

WELLINGTON STREET SCHOOL.

Messrs. G. W. Fenwick, McRossie, and Conley.

QUEEN STREET SCHOOL.

Messrs. Phillips, Robinson, and Chown.

WILLIAMSVILLE SCHOOL.

Messrs. Newlands, Chown and McCrae.

CATARAQUI STREET SCHOOL.

Messrs. McRossie, Robinson and Draper.

ORPHANS' HOME.

Messrs. Massie, McCrae and Cunningham

GORDON STREET SCHOOL.

Messrs. Cunningham, Carroll and Newlands.

DEPOT SCHOOL.

Messrs. Robinson, McCrae and Conley.

Mr. Chown moved that the regular night of meeting in future be Thursdays instead of Tuesdays. The motion was lost.

Mr. Draper moved, seconded by Mr. Phillips, that a male teacher be provided for the Cataraqui school, and that the Committee on Teachers, Officers and Salaries, be instructed to recommend one.

The mover spoke to the resolution, stating that his election he was pledged to use his best efforts to procure a male teacher for that school, and he insisted that it had equal rights to such with other schools possessing one, being, he said, one of the most populous wards in the city, besides being the largest tax paying ward with one exception. He urged that owing to a want of such a teacher, children were seeking admission into other schools, female teachers in his estimation being unfit to instruct boys of nine or ten years of age.

A debate of some length took place, in which Messrs. Phillips and Cunningham opposed the motion, at the termination of which the motion was put and lost upon a division. Yeas 3; nays 9. The seconder of the motion voted nay.

The meeting adjourned until (this) Friday evening, to receive the report of the Committee on Teachers, Officers and Salaries.

Terrible Accident at Montreal.

SEVERAL PERSONS INJURED BUT NO LIVES LOST.

Montreal, Feb. 4.

The roof of the new St. Patrick's Hall fell in early this morning. The concert of the Orchestras des Commis took place there last evening, and at midnight nearly two thousand persons were assembled in the hall. Suddenly in the midst of the hall a strange vibration was felt all through the hall. Each dancer stopped involuntarily. A feeling of dismay began to spread among the crowd. Looking upwards a shower of plaster was seen descending from the roof. At this moment Mr. Rastrick, an architect and whose office is situated beneath the hall, was seen to approach the superintendent. He hastily informed him that the roof was falling, and that unless the room was cleared of the two thousand persons, few if any would be left alive. The superintendent and Mr. Rastrick laboured assiduously to preserve order. A few gave way to the panic for a time, but became quieted as they saw how rapidly the hall was being cleared, and how ample a means of egress the broad staircase afforded. Meanwhile the crackling sounds, sharp as the report of pistol shots, became louder and more frequent, and the showers of plaster more dense. Soon larger portions of the ceiling and masses of cornice began to fall, and the chandeliers gave way. Fortunately, however, the majority of the crowd had managed to find their way into the street. With a mighty crash the whole of the immense roof fell in, carrying with it a portion of the floor beneath. About 30 persons were wounded, some seriously.

Two are reported killed. Workmen are now busy removing the debris.

SECOND REPORT.

The accident at St. Patrick's Hall did not result in the loss of life, but several parties are injured. F. J. Rastrick, severely cut by falling plaster; Constable McCormick, cut about the feet, all his front teeth knocked out by a piece of cornice; David Joice, badly bruised about the chest. About 30 cases of slight bruises, flesh wounds, &c., were reported. A young man named Norbet Lajoie had his coat cut, and shoulder and upper forearm bruised by the falling cornice. A number of parties who had fortunately got under some beams were gallantly rescued by Mr. R. Tansey. Only about 150 people had remained for dancing, or else the casualties would have been frightful. Crocks were heard some time before the crash took place, and Mr. Rastrick, who had rooms below, ran up to the Superintendent and advised the rooms to be cleared. Even then plaster commenced to fall. An immediate rush took place, and fortunately the staircases were abundantly wide. The statue of St. Patrick, which was on the top of the wall fell towards, and broke the ball room floor in some places the immense weight of iron ceiling which fell in has broken through the flooring. The building is said to have been reported as insecure when completed. Crowds are still congregated about the ruins. Messrs Goulf & Hilliot a piano worth $500 by the accident.—News

United States.

A fond papa in New York forked over $8,000 to Dolmenico—the expense of a little party to bring out his daughter.

A man in New York tried to hang himself with a handkerchief to a bedpost because his wife wouldn't mend his stockings.

Chicago proposes a "Glass Insurance Company," to take risks on windows and beer glasses.

Chicago papers state that there are ten thousand men and women out of employment in that city.

A car load of nitro-glycerine has been transported without breaking bulk, from New York city to a point one thousand miles west of Omaha.

A colored waiter of New York died recently leaving $40,000. Two persons claim to be his widow, and want to get the money.

"Condensed milk," a New York paper has discovered, is carefully skimmed before condensation.

Nevada is going into an extensive silk culture. One nursery there already contains one million worms.

Mr. Douglass, of the New York Yacht Club, and owner of the yacht "Sappho," has challenged the owner of the British Yacht "Cambria" to an ocean race about the 1st of June next.

"Rob at any risk," is evidently the war cry of the daring thieves who now assail society in New York, and the most daring robberies take place in open day in crowded streets.

A young lady in Rochester, who had been standing with her back to the fire, leaped up and shrieked violently the moment she sat down on a chair. The Duplex Eliptic had steel wires in it.

A negro girl, aged eleven years and eight months, living near Pulaski, Tennessee, a short time since, gave birth to a female child. The mother and child are both living and in perfect health.

ANOTHER CAUGHT.—On Thursday last, another suspected member of the Leeds gang was brought into Brockville and lodged in gaol. His name is John Tye. He is charged with stealing clothes from Squire Webster, of Lansdowne, in the month of October 1866. One by one the gang will be secured till the whole "forty thieves" are bottled up as they are recorded to have been in the wonderous juvenile tale of "Ala Baba." We are glad to know that the Detective League is receiving general encouragement. The County Council last Friday voted the League $300—twice this sum would not have been to much, when the nature of the work to be accomplished is considered.—Brockville Recorder.

Legal Intelligence.

CHANCERY SPRING SITTINGS.

The Judges of the Court of Chancery have announced the following Spring Sittings:—

The Hon. Vice-Chancellor Spragge.

Toronto	Tuesday	March	15
Goderich	Thursday	April	8
Stratford	Monday	"	12
Sarnia	Friday	"	16
Sandwich	Tuesday	"	20
Chatham	Friday	"	23
London	Friday	May	7
Woodstock	Thursday	"	13
Simcoe	Tuesday	"	18

The Hon. The Chancellor.

Guelph	Tuesday	April	6
Brantford	Tuesday	"	13
St. Catharines	Friday	"	16
Hamilton	Tuesday	"	20
Whitby	Tuesday	"	27
Barrie	Tuesday	May	4
Owen Sound	Tuesday	"	18
Coburg	Wednesday	"	26

The Hon. Vice-Chancellor Mowat.

Ottawa	Tuesday	April	27
Cornwall	Friday	"	30
Brockville	Friday	May	7
Kingston	Tuesday	"	11
Belleville	Friday	"	21
Peterboro	Friday	"	28
Lindsay	Monday	"	31

SPRING CIRCUITS, 1869.

The Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, and of Assize and Nisi Prius, in and for the Several Counties of the Province of Ontario, after the present Term, will be held as follows:—

EASTERN CIRCUIT.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Morrison.

1. Kingston	Tuesday	March	16
2. Brockville	Wednesday	"	24
3. Perth	Tuesday	"	30
4. Ottawa	Tuesday	April	13
5. L'Original	Tuesday	"	27
6. Cornwall	Monday	May	3
7. Pembroke	Tuesday	"	11

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

The Hon. Mr. Justice A. Wilson.

1. Napanee	Wednesday	Mar.	17
2. Belleville	Monday	"	22
3. Cobourg	Monday	April	5
4. Whitby	Tuesday	"	13
5. Peterborough	Tuesday	"	20
6. Lindsay	Tuesday	"	27
7. Picton	Tuesday	"	4

NIAGARA CIRCUIT.

The Hon. the Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.

1. Hamilton	Monday	March	15
2. Welland	Tuesday	"	30
3. St. Catharines	Monday	April	5
4. Barrie	Monday	"	12
5. Milton	Tuesday	"	27
6. Owen Sound	Monday	May	10

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

The Hon. the Chief Justice of Ontario.

1 Stratford	Tuesday	March	30
2 Berlin	Tuesday	April	6
3 Guelph	Monday	"	12
4 Woodstock	Monday	"	19
5 Brantford	Monday	"	26
6 Cayuga	Tuesday	May	4
7 Simcoe	Tuesday	"	11

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

The Hon. Mr. Justice John Wilson.

1 Sarnia	Tuesday	March	16
2 Goderich	Tuesday	"	23
3 London	Tuesday	"	30
4 St. Thomas	Thursday	April	8
5 Chatham	Tuesday	"	13
6 Sandwich	Tuesday	"	20
7 Walkerton	Tuesday	May	11

HOME CIRCUIT.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Gwynne.

Brampton	Tuesday	March	16
City of Toronto	Monday	April	5

American Despatches.

Havana, Feb. 3.

The city is quiet. A riot a day or two since occurred at Bejucal, between Spaniards and Cubans, in which several were wounded.

Chicago, Feb. 3.

The International Hotel at St. Paul Minn., and five adjoining frame structures were destroyed by fire this morning. Nearly two hundred guests were carried out in a fainting condition. They lost their clothes and baggage. The total loss exceeds $100,000.

Poughkeepsie, Feb. 3.

A bold attempt was made to rob the passengers on the express train which left New York on the Hudson River railroad this morning. Soon after the train left the station, and while running slow on the avenue, a gang of thieves entered the last car and one of them singing out, 'Through passengers take the foremost cars,' started to go forward, when the thieves obstructed the doorway and commenced their work. Mr. Brisbane, of New York city, was robbed of his wallet, and another man was robbed of his money. All the thieves made their escape.

Buffalo, Feb. 4.

The skating match at the rink last evening, for $250 a side, between Miss Godbout, of New Brunswick, and Miss Dean of Chicago, was won by the latter. Another match between them for the same amount takes place here on Saturday evening.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—For the cure of Diptheria, Dysentery, Cholera Mobus, Rheumatism, Coughs and Colds, Scalds, Burns, &c., it is without an equal. Sold by all druggists.—Daily Plaindealer, Cleveland, Ohio. 26

FANCY SILKS! FANCY SILKS!

A Bankrupt Stock of Striped and Checked Silks now For Sale at the Montreal House. A rare chance for Ladies in quest of Bargains.

JAMES DAVIS.

COMMERCE AND MARINE

Kingston Money Market.

Feb. 4.

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

American Currency buying, 73½ Bills.
" " 75½ Silver.
" selling, 74 Bills.
Silver buying, 4½ Dis.
" selling, 4 "
Gold in New York, 135½
Sterling Exchange, 9½

Current Prices of Grain.

Feb. 4 1869.

The Grain Buyers of Ontario Street report:—

Fall Wheat,	1 05 to 0 00	per Bushel.
Spring do.,	1 02 to 1 05	" "
Rye,	0 47 to 0 00	" "
Barley,	1 10 to 1 15	" "
Peas,	0 85 to 0 00	" "
Oats,	0 50 to 0 55	" "
Buckwheat,	0 45 to 0 50	" "

Montreal Markets—Feb. 4th.

Flour—Super Extra, 0,00 to 0,00; Extra, 4 44 to 4 50; Fancy, 5,10 to 0,00; Welland Canal Super, 0,95 to 5,00 Super No. 1 Canada wheat, 4,90 to 5,00; Super No. 1. Western wheat, 4,95 to 5 00; Super No. 2 Western wheat, 4,40 to 4,50; bag flour 2 40 to 2 50.—Wheat—Canada Fall 0,00 to 0,00. Spring, 1,16 to 1.17; Western, 0,00 to 0,00. Oats—per 32 lbs, 00 to 00. Barley—per 48 lbs, 0 00 to 0,00 Butter—Dairy 20 to 24c; storepacked 20 to 24c. Ashes—pots, 5,40 to 0,00. Pearls 0,00 to 0,00. Gold in New York at 12 o'clock, 135½. Pork, Mess, 26 50 to 27,00 Prime mess, 00 00 to 00,00. Prime, 0,00 to 00 00. Dressed hogs, 9,25 to 9,75. Peas, per 66 lbs 00 to 00. Rye Flour 00,00 to 00,00.

A fearful snow storm rages, stopping all business; general quotations may be considered unchanged, but purely nominal.

Customs Imports—In Bond.

Feb. 2nd.

Sleigh, Cape Vincent—1 set harness, E M Stearns; 1 box E Morrison; 2 boxes oysters, R Town; 2 boxes, J Wilson; 1 pkg J Curuthers & Co; 1 pkg, D McKenzie; 1 pkg, W Robinson.

INSURANCE.

(To the Editor of the British Whig.)

Owing to illness I have been prevented from seeing you, to say that my thanks are due to Isaac Simpson, Esq., the Agent of the London Assurance Corporation here for his promptness in paying the losses sustained by me through the late fire on Princess Street, within ONE WEEK of the occurrence.

DENIS BRANIGAN.
Kingston, Feb. 4 h, 1869. 30

MARRIED.

At St. Mary's Cathedral, in this city, on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, by the Rev. Father Murray, Mr. Henry McFoy, of Cleveland, to Miss Alice, second daughter of the late Capt. Robt. McBrooms, of this city.

DIED.

At Prescott, on the 29 h ult., Mr. David Smyth, in the 20th year of his age.

At Prescott, on the 27 h ult., Ellen, relict of the late Mr. Geo. Latimer, in the 50th year of his age.

At Quebec, on the 28th January, Louisa, daughter of the Honorable George Irvin.

At Toronto, on Feb. 1st, William Geddings, printer.

At Brockville, on the 31st ult. Mr. James Griffin, in the 57 h year of his age.

At Montreal, on the 31st January, Miranette wife of G. W. Warner, aged fifty-three years.

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

WILL be Sold by AUCTION on **Saturday, March 13th Next,** at the Auction Room of the Subscriber, a FARM containing One Hundred Acres of land, being part of Lot No. 6, Western Addition, Township of Pittsburg, within three miles of the City, the property of Mr. John G. Strachan. It is well fenced, watered and in a thorough state of cultivation. There are two Barns and Sheds, a Young Orchard and about eight acres of wood. It is positively one of the Best Farms of its size in the County, as far as land, fencing and tillage are concerned, and will afford to a person desirous of a homestead, situated in a pleasant locality, an opportunity that rarely occurs. The piece will be sold without reserve.

TERMS—One third of the purchase, Cash, the balance in five annual instalments, with interest at eight per cent.

Sale at 12 o'clock.

WILLIAM MURRAY,
Auctioneer.
Kingston, Jan. 27th, 1869. 25

FOR SALE,

A VALUABLE FARM, containing one hundred and thirty acres of land, being the east half of Lot No. 33 in the 7th Concession of the Township of Ernestown, within two miles of the village of Wilton. There is a good substantial Stone House, Barn and Sheds, about sixty acres under a good state of cultivation, and twenty acres of a cedar swamp. Well timbered and well watered.

Also, a SLOOP, the Victoria, between 30 and 40 tons burthen, ship keel, suitable for either canal or lake navigation. Is in good running order, standing rigging and canvas all complete.

For particulars apply to Mr. George Brown, Princess Street, Kingston, or

WILLIAM MURRAY,
Auctioneer.
Kingston, Jany. 29th, 1869. 1m26

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

The Chequered Hotel.

THIS long established Hotel is situated on Ontario Street, Kingston. The premises are large, and well adapted for Boarders, being opposite to the Shipyard and Foundries, and near the principal Steamboat Landings, and is a good opening for an active person wishing to commence the business. A General Grocery would do well. There are three additional tenements on the property, at present rented.

The owner wishes to retire from the business.

For terms apply to the Subscriber on the premises.

Farm property will be taken in part payment.

G. W. FENWICK.
Kingston, February, 1869. 29

GRAND MASQUERADE!!

KING STREET SKATING RINK.

A FANCY DRESS MASQUERADE will be held in the RINK on the Evening of MONDAY, the 8th day of FEBRUARY next.

None but Skaters in costume allowed on the ice.

No gentleman in female costume admitted.

Spectators admitted by the Union Street Entrance. Maskers by the King Street Entrance.

By the kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Halbert and the Officers of the R. C. Rifles, the Band of the Regiment will play during the evening.

The Skaters in costume are requested to hand in during the evening a card bearing their name and the character they represent, in order that the list of costumes may be preserved.

Tickets to be obtained from the Secretary, at the office of C. F. Gildersleeve, Esq.

☞ Admission 25 cents.

R. W. BARROW,
Secretary & Treasurer.
Kingston, Jan. 26, 1869. 22

House and Garden.

A HOUSE TO LET, with a Garden attached. Apply to

A. LIVINGSTON.
Kingston, Jan. 27, 1869. 23

PRINTING, &c., AT THE BRITISH WHIG OFFICE.

BALANCE SHEET

Of the Trustees of the Bank of Upper Canada at 1st February, 1869.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Bank Notes in Circulation	$ 112,288 00	Specie and Balances with Banks	$ 9,731 31
Due to Depositors on Old Accounts	111,164 04	Mortgages & Securities, New Account $72,819,63	
" " " Trustees' Certificates	252,150 94	" in course of completion 49,977,82	
Due to Glyn & Co	120,685 43		113,797 45
Due to Government	1,122,649 10	" Old Account	54,707 83
Total Liabilities	$1,704,867 51	Real Estate	971,301 08
Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss	480,611 12	Railway Stocks, Debentures, &c	12,811 67
		Bills, Judgments, &c	1,023,129 29
	$2,185,478 63	Total Assets	$2,185,478 63

MEMO:—The above does not include interest accrued, which has not been added either to the Assets or Liabilities. The Assets are held in the Balance Sheet at the same valuations at which they were handed over by the Bank of Upper Canada to the Trustees.

(Signed) B. MORTON, Secretary.
(Signed) P. PATERSON, Chairman.
Toronto, 2nd February, 1869. 30

SALES BY J. J. LINTON.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE BREWERY PROPERTY.

WILL be sold by Public Auction, at the Rooms of J. J. LINTON, Auctioneer, Kingston, on

Thursday, the 4th of March Next,

AT NOON,

Lots THREE and FOUR, on the corner of King and Collingwood Street, and Lots FORTY and FORTY-ONE, on Collingwood Street