

**GREATER ATTRACTIONS.**

**THE PEARL.**—*Additional Improvements.*—Our respectable patrons will be not more pleased with reading, than we are with writing these words. Determined from the commencement of our periodical to render it worthy of the patronage that might be afforded, we have steadily advanced in the improvement of the Pearl, as the enlargement of our subscription list has justified the additional outlay of means. No expense has been avoided, and no labour withheld, to make our sheet yet more useful and more attractive. Our great object has been to establish a COLONIAL print which, in point of superiority of paper, beauty of typography, select literary matter, and neat general appearance, might compete successfully with those of older countries, nor look shabby and meagre even beside a journal from the "Great Metropolis." We aspired to furnish our brother colonists and the people of these Provinces generally with a weekly paper in all respects creditable to them—one which they might present to a friend in any part of the civilized world with a degree of pride and pleasure—a periodical also, in which politicians of every class, and religionists of every denomination might meet on common ground. Without so much as a solitary voice of disapprobation from any of our subscribers, and possessed of numerous testimonials in favour of our efforts, we feel satisfied that our labours and good intentions have been duly appreciated. Our journalistic career was commenced with little more than three hundred subscribers, good men and true, and those nearly all resident in Halifax—that number has been doubled long since—more than two hundred additional names have been received since the month of March, and almost every week we have others swelling the amount. But all this is nothing to the point. Retrogression we abhor—to pause, to stand still in these rail-road and steam-ship times is out of the question—besides, our ocean steamer is built and equipped, and with the "Great Western," and the "British Queen," we go forward. Rough or smooth—calm or storm—sunshine or cloud, onwards we go. Not one of our fellow-voyagers has complained of our fare or accommodations—not one has turned our foe or mutinied on board—and, therefore, we have no reason to doubt their willingness to continue to travel with us. We propose in consequence to hoist a new sail, and to make a few elegant improvements in our cabin. Gentle reader, you will not object, it is presumed, to an additional quantity of readable matter every week—you may read it or not as you please—no compulsion here;—nor will it be an insurmountable difficulty to have the Pearl enclosed in a neat-printed wrapper, thus guarding it against all danger of tear and wear. Well then, we have made arrangements with our publisher to print a coloured cover for the Pearl, and on this all advertisements will be inserted. By the exclusion of advertisements from the inside of the Pearl, we shall be able to improve it in neatness as well as give an extra quantity of reading.

From the present extended circulation of the paper, it offers itself as a desirable mode of advertising all notices, sales, auctions, etc. Favors in this way are earnestly requested—indeed we can be the more urgent in our appeal on this head as we have made a transference of the advertising department to our publisher, and hence the portion of the cover allotted to this purpose will be designated "Cunnabell's Advertiser." For terms of advertisement which will be exceedingly moderate, apply to Mr. Cunnabell at the Pearl Office. These arrangements will go into operation, as soon as the necessary materials come to hand. For the present, courteous reader, we bid you, good evening.

**MARRIED,**

On Saturday last, by the Rev. Mr. Churchill, Mr. George Room, to Miss Rebecca, eldest daughter of Mr. John Cleverdon.  
At Rawdon, on Tuesday, 1st inst. by the Rev. Mr. Morris, Mr. William F. Bugge, to Jessie, youngest daughter of David Clough, Esqr. Royal Navy.  
On the 19th April, at St. James', Piccadilly, by the Rev. Arthur Brooking, M. A. George R. Young, Esq. to Jane Francis, eldest daughter of Thomas H. Brooking, Esq.  
Wednesday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Cogswell, Mr. James Roberts, of Beech Hill, to Catharine, daughter of the late Isaac Leeds, of this town.  
At Aylesford, by the Rev. H. L. Owens, Henry Pitcher, Esq. to Mrs. Phelina Creamer, widow of the late John Creamer, all of that Parish.  
At Aylesford on the 3d inst. by the Rev. H. L. Owens, Mr. Lawrence Creamer, to Miss Maria Palmer, all of that parish.

**DIED,**

On Sunday morning last, Montague Irving, youngest son of Mr. John F. Muncey.  
At Harriett's Fields, yesterday morning, in the 46th year of his age, Mr. Hugh W. Dugwell, son of the late Mr. John Dugwell, of this town.  
At Mills Village, in the 28th year of her age, Mrs. Abigail N. Mack, Consort of Mr. James Mack.  
At Liverpool, N. S. on the 9th March, Mrs. Lucy Morton, wife of Mr. James Morton. Senr. aged 76 years, for many years a consistent member of Mr. Payzant's church—she died in the full hope of a blessed immortality.

**SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.**

**ARRIVED,**

Saturday May 12th.—Ship Halifax, Cleary, Liverpool, G. B. 20 days, wheat, dry goods, etc. to Halifax Packet Company, and others; brig Echo, Stevens, Philadelphia, 10 days, assorted cargo, to John Clark; Schrs. Broke, Cann, Yarmouth; New Harbor, Brackett, Boston, 10 and Provincetown 5 days, flour and meal, to H. Fay.

Sunday 13th.—Barque Louisa, Milgrove, Liverpool, 21 days, general cargo, to H. Curzon, brig Rover, Dunscomb, Bermuda, 13 days, rum, sugar and molasses, to Frith, Smith, & Co; Maitboats Margaret, Boole, Boston, 6 days, left Lady Ogle, Stairs, in 60 hours; Velocity, Healy Bermuda, 9 days; Am. brig Roxana, Jones, Boston, 5 days, meal, flour, tar, etc., to J. Clark, D. & E. Starr, & Co. and others; brig Diamond, Yarmouth, salt; Abigail, do., lumber; Daphne, Young, Alexandria, 15 days, flour and meal, to Saltus & Wainwright; Ame. schr. Columbia, Baker, Baltimore, 19 days, flour, meal and naval stores, to R. Noble; Albion, Forrest, St John's, N. F., 9 days, cordage, to Stephen Binney.

Monday 15—Schr. Irene, Joice, New York, 6 days—flour, beef, bread, &c. to J. Brain & others—28 passengers. Brig Reindeer, Morrison, Havana, 12 days; sugar & molasses, to W. B. Hamilton; Passenger Mr. E. Hamilton; brig Emerald, Toye, Xagua, Cuba, 26 days; sugar & coffee, bound to Quebec; brig. Lady Chapman, Ponce, 19 days; sugar & molasses, to J. & M. Tobin.

Tuesday 16; schr. Jane, Brier Island, 120 qnts. dry fish, & lumber; Robert Noble, ballast to J. L. Starr; Barque Norman, Bermuda, Kenny, 10 days, cotton to master.

Wednesday, Brig William, Boudroit, New York, bound to Quebec, brig William IV, Cocks, Grenada, 27 days, rum and sugar to D and E Starr and Co; schr. Stranger, M'EWing, Antigua, 30 days, ballast to W. H. Roach; spoke 13th inst lat 43. 40 long. 65 ship Ward from Liverpool 18 days, bound to St. John, N. B. Am. schr. Evelina, Gould, Baltimore, 16 days, flour to S Binney,—spoke 12th inst off Cape Sable, ship Pallas from Cork bound to St. Andrews, schr. Ion, Hammond, Yarmouth, 2 days; her majesty's brig Charybdis, Hon Lieut Gore, Portsmouth, 22 days; her majesty's steamer Dee, sailed in company for Halifax; the steamer endeavoured to get into Sydney for coal, having but one days supply on board—could not get in in consequence of the ice; schr. Ann, Reynolds, Barrington, bound on a fishing voyage; brig Elizabeth, Minnet, Hamburg, 37 days, wheat, flour, etc. to P Furlong.

Thursday—brig Jane, Walker, Barbice, 31 days—rum and molasses to D and E Starr and Co; schr. Yarmouth Packet, Tooker, St John, N. B. and Yarmouth, salt to R Noble; Thisle, Port midway, lumber, Irene, Crowell, St. Andrews, 4 days, lumber to master;—Hazard and Favorite sailed in company; left schr. Thomas Myer, hence, Amethyst, Hilton, St. Andrews, via Yarmouth 60 hours, lumber to master.

Friday—Brig Jane Smith, Swainson, Leith, 27 days, wheat, barley, wine, etc. to Deblois and Merkel, M'Nab Cochran & co. and others; Am. Packet brig Acadian, Lane, Boston 60 hours, naval stores, flour, apples, etc. to J. Clarke, D & E Starr & co. and others. Passengers—Mr. Lippincott and lady, Mrs. Shofenburg and child—Miss Throckmorton, Dr. Dewolf, consul for Sydney—Messrs W. Metzler, Findlay and 11 in the steerage. Schr. Hazard, Crowell, St. Andrews; Am. schr. Laurel, Jenkins, Portsmouth, bound fishing.

**CLEARED,**

Friday, May 11th, Brig Condor, Lannigan, Kingston, Jam. fish, &c. by J. & T. Williamson, schrs Gipsev, Stowe, B W Indies, fish by Saltus & Wainwright, Queen Victoria, Bahia, Quebec assorted cargo, by Saltus & Wainwright; Eliza Ann, Verge, Bay Chaleur; Eight Sons, Jacobs, Liverpool N. S. 12th. Bright Hypolite, Flockhart, Montego Bay, assorted cargo by M. B. Almon; schr. Ruth Hannah, Liverpool N. S. 14th Barque Royal Tar, Rendall, Quebec, stores by the Master; schr. Sable, Prude, Labrador, assorted cargo, by J. A. Bane; Elizabeth, Hall, Sydney, Brandy & gin, by Edward Lawson; 15th, schr. New Harbour, Brackett, Pictou, Lime, by the master; St. Peter Dugas, Gaspe, Assorted cargo by Creighton & Grassie, Brig George McLeod, Miller, Havana, lumber etc. by J. Leishman and Co; Brig President, Crum, B. W. Indies, assorted cargo, by M Richardson; 16th schrs Meridian Crowell, St John, N B Sugar by W J Starr, J L Starr S Binney; Victory, Banks, Bay Chaleur. rum, molasses, sugar etc. by W M Allan, S Binney, S Cunard and Co and others; Albion, Forrest, Boston, inward Cargo from St John N B.

**MEMORANDA.**

The Acadian left mail boat Lady Ogle, Stairs, to sail in 3 or 4 days—Packet Industry, sailed 4 hours previous—Am. brig. Attention sailed 3 days previous for Miramichi.  
Boston, 9th inst. ar'd Sarah Ripley, Howes, hence.  
At Boston, 23d ult. Am. schr. Warning, Bangs, hence 29th ult. schr. Mary Liverpool, N. S. and Elizabeth, Yarmouth.  
Baltimore, 26th ult. cl'd Am. schr. Eveline, Gauld, Halifax.  
At Charleston, 21st ult. Br. schr. William Nelmes, Turk's Island.  
At Nassau, previous to 40th April. schr. Alert, Scott, hence.  
Schrs. Reliance and Maja, hence bound to Quebec, in the Gut of Causo, 30th ult.  
The Schr. Mary Drummond fr m Fortune Bay, was 6 days in the ice—left schrs. Thorn, and Polly for Halifax.

**R. D. CLARKE & CO.**

(Macara's Stone Building, Granville-Street.)

SOLICIT the attention of the Public to their recent IMPORTATION of SEASONABLE DRY GOODS. May 15.

**INDIA RUBBERS.**

THE Subscriber has just received 150 pairs India Rubbers, assorted sizes—and of good quality, which he will sell low, for Cash.

Boots and Shoes constantly on hand and made to order. Opposite Cunard's Wharf.

Jan. 27. 3m. WILLIAM WISSWELL.

**ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY.**

OF HARTFORD CON.

THIS COMPANY having determined to renew its business in Halifax, has appointed the Subscriber its Agent, by Power of Attorney, duly executed for that purpose.

From the well known liberality and punctuality which the Company has invariably displayed in the settlement and payment of all losses submitted to it, and from the present moderate rates of premium, the Subscriber is induced to hope it will receive that fair share of the business of this Community which it before enjoyed.

By application to the Subscriber, at his office, the rates of premium can be ascertained, and any further information that may be required will cheerfully be given. CHARLES YOUNG.

Halifax, Jan. 20, 1838.

**PRICES CURRENT.**

HALIFAX, FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1838.

COFFEE, Jamaica good, 1s. 3d. Cuba, 10d.	STAVES, V O Am. 250s. Canadian, 250s. American, R. O. 150s. Canada, 150s. Nova Scotia 150s. ASH, Canada, 150s. Nova Scotia, 70s.
SUGAR, Muscat, bright, 40s. Ordinary a fair, 40s.	SHINGLES, long cedar, 15s. Pine, 12s. Laying do., 12s. 6d.
MOLASSES, fair quality, 2s. 6d. RUM, Leeward Islands, } proof 25 } 4s.	OILS, Olive, 6s. Sperm, best, 6s. 6d. Whale, 3s. Seal, Pale, 4s. 6d. Cod, 2s. 6d. Dog Fish, 2s. 3d.
Demerara, 24 4s. 6d. Jamaica, 21 5s. 6d.	BEEF, Nova Scotia, 60s. Canada prime, 60s. PORK, do do 100s. Nova Scotia, 90s.
FISH, COD, mer. prime, 20s. Madeira, 17s.	HAMS, 1s. per lb. LARD, in kegs, 9d. BUTYER, Salt, 10d. a lb.
HERRINGS, No. 1, 25s. bbl. " 2, 15s.	COALS, Sydney, chald. 30s. Pictou, 28s. Lingan, 30s.
Bay Chaleur, 15s. Digby, 5s.	GYPSEUM, per ton, 10s.
MACKAREL, No. 1, " 2, none. " 3, 22s. 6d.	EXCHANGES, On London, 60 days, private, 13 per ct. 30 " government, 14 On New York, 30 days, Sight, par. Sovereigns, 25s. Dubbloons, Mexican, \$16. Dollars, 5s. 1/4d.
ALEWIVES, " 1, 27s. 6d. SALMON, " 1, 70s. " 2, 65s.	
WHEAT, Canada white German, 7s. 6d. BARLEY, 3s. 6d. INDIAN CORN, 5s. 3/4d. OATS, 2s. PEAS, 6s. 6d. FLOUR, U. S. sup. new, 60s. do old, 45s. Canada Superfine, 52s. 6d. do fine, 50s. do middlings, 45s. Hamburg superfine, 42s. 6d. Rye, 32s.	
CORN MEAL, 27s. 6d. BISCUIT, Pilot, scarce, 45s. Ship, 25s. RYE Grain, (bushel) 5s.	
BOARDS, W. P. 65s. M. Spruce, 60s.	

**SALE AT AUCTION,  
BY DEBLOIS & MERKEL.**

To-morrow Saturday, between 1 and 2 o'clock.

THIS well furnished HOUSE and GARDEN occupied by the subscriber, situated in the north Suburbs adjoining the property of the late Duncan McQueen, Esq. and nearly opposite the residence of Commissary Green, its situation is pleasant and healthy and completely surpassed. The House is now and well finished and embraces the conveniences generally attached to buildings. Terms will be liberal apply to Deblois & Merkel, Mr. T. Bolton, or to the Proprietor, W. J. LONG.

**J. & D. STARR**

HAVE received by the late arrivals from England, the following articles, which they offer for sale,—Bar and bolt IRON, Nails, Spikes, Shave Moulds, sheet Lead, Linsced Oil, best London Paints, double shear, cast, blistered, and spring Steel; chain cables, Anchors, carpenters' and smiths Tools; Seythes Cutlery, Shovels, Boxes Tin Hollow-ware and various other articles. 6w May 18.

**GARDEN PLANTS FOR SALE.**

THE subscriber has fine, healthy CAULIFLOWER, and EARLY York Cabbage plants &c. fit to be immediately transplanted, for sale at his residence in Brunswick street a few doors to the North of the Round Church.  
May 11th, 1838. THOMAS WILSON.

**JUST PUBLISHED,**

A SERMON, entitled "THE JUDGMENT SEAT OF CHRIST" Preached in The Wesleyan Chapel at Guysboro', on Sunday, January 7 1838. BY ROBERT COONEY.

**REMOVAL.**

LONGARD & HERBERT'S HALIFAX BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT is removed to the Market Square, next door to Mr. David Hare's and opposite Messrs. Black's Hard Ware Store.

The Subscribers return thanks for the liberal patronage which they have experienced, in their attempt at furnishing a good home manufactured article;—they now solicit a continuance of public support at their New Stand, where they will endeavour to produce a cash article at the lowest rate and of superior quality.

**LONGARD & HERBERT.**

N. B. The Subscribers are unconnected with the Shoe Making business now conducted in their old stand.

L. & H.

**HERBERT'S BLACKING MANUFACTORY**

Is also removed as above: and to induce patronage in opposition to importation, the cost will be lowered about 20 per cent on former prices. March 10. 3m.

**LAND FOR SALE.**

THE Subscriber offers for sale at Tangier Harbour, about 1 1/2 miles Eastward of Halifax, 6666 acres of LAND, part of which is under cultivation. It will be sold altogether or in Lots to suit purchasers, and possession will be given in the spring. A River runs through the premises noted as the best in this Province for the Gaspeau fishery. A plan of the same can be seen at the subscriber's.

He also cautions any person or persons from cutting Wood or otherwise trespassing on the above mentioned Premises, as he will prosecute any such to the utmost rigour of the Law. ROBERT H. SKIMMINGS.

Halifax, Dec. 23, 1837.