A Feat by the Mexicans.—The Mobile Tribune has a letter dated U. S. ship Princeton, Dec. 30, which says:—"The Mexicans have at last performed one feat to challenge surprise and praise.—They have cut out and burnt our prize schooner "Confederatione," ashore on Green Island. On the night of the 16th a party approached the schooner, in boats, and there was no body on board to resist, they fired her and returned back to Vera Cruz without loss. The John Adams was anchored at the time about one and a half or two mile distant, and the first notice received of the hostile attempt, was the blaze of the burning vessel. On the 18th etc., the prize schooner Charles Morris arrived from off Tabasco. She brought intelligence that in one hour after Commodore Perry had left the place, the Tabasquinnos had drawn the spikes from their guns and planted them in a defensive state. They say they are quite ready for another fight from the Commodore, and will give him a more military reception than he received before.

The Peace Proposition.—A rumour has prevailed in Washington city, for some days, that Mr. Calhoun was about to introduce a proposition in the Senate, that the army should be withdrawn from Mexico, and a peace commission sent to agree upon a boundary with the Mexican government.

Pistols for the Government.—The New Haven, Conn., Palladium says:—We understand Mr. Eli Whitney is now manufacturing one thousand Colt's revolving pistols for the government. Mr. Colt is here himself aiding the manufacturer. The demand for these pistols for the Mexican war is such that it cannot be supplied in New York, as almost every officer secures one for personal use, before he goes out to "extend the area of freedom."

A Convenient Hotel Attendant.—We saw yesterday, says the New York Commercial, at the store of J. V. D. Wyckoff, 149 Broadway, a machine intended as a substitute for room bells, which has just been completed for the use of a new hotel in Boston. It is called "Jackson's Patent Enunciator." The one in question has numbers for two hundred rooms, and including the mahogany frame in which it is enclosed, occupies a space of about two and a half by four feet. It is intended to be placed on the book keeper's desk, to which it will be rather an ornamental appendage than an incumbrance.

The numbers are painted in regular order, from one to two hundred, in rows on the face of the machine, and all are hidden from view by small covers moving on pivots attached to the internal mechanism. On the cord being pulled in any of the rooms, the cover turns downward and discloses the corresponding number, and so remains until the person who attends upon the machine replaces it. At the same instant when the cover falls, an alarm is given by a small gong concealed in the interior of the machine. Should the cord be touched in more than one of the rooms at the same instant, the numbers of all will be disclosed simultaneously. The re-placing of the cover is accomplished by the turning of a crank, which immediately hides from view all the numbers previously disclosed. The construction of the machine is extremely simple, and we do not see how it can well get out of order. In this respect, as well as many others, it is a great improvement upon the old plan, which, we are inclined to think, will have to give place before long to the new, in all well regulated hotels.

The New York Courier & Enquirer makes the following most sensible observation on the miserable inefficiency of the Volunteer system as pursued in the United States. Such must ever be the case when men are permitted to choose their own officers. Discipline, without which an army is but a rope of sand, never can be attained under such an absurd regulation:

"All parties are now satisfied, that to accomplish any object, we must abandon the volunteer system, and rely solely upon the regular troops. Independent of their insubordination—the inevitable consequences of their officers being *elected by the soldiers and dependent upon them for promotion*—they know not how to take care of themselves; they become helpless, sicken and *die*, in the identical position, where the regular soldier who submits to discipline and is a mere machine in the hands of his officers, is, with the same rations and clothing, well fed, well clothed and well cared for; and in consequence, healthy, active, and *efficient*.—Such ever has been, and ever will continue to be the difference between the volunteer and the Regular soldier; and the events on the Rio Grande during the last six months, demonstrate, that the volunteer system is one of abomination—valueless, and enormously expensive.—The same man who as regular soldiers would be healthy, sober, well disciplined and effective troops,—as volunteers, are half-starved, half-clothed, sickly, insubordinate multitude, dying by thousands perpetrating gross outrages upon the inhabitants, and thus exciting the worst feelings against us in the hearts of a population who were ready to receive us with open arms. We have the highest authority for saying, that the Mexican people in the Northern Province, were almost invariably in favour of annexation to the United states and ready to receive our soldiery with open arms; but such have been the outrages of some of our volunteers who went to the Rio Grande armed with Bowie knives and revolving pistols in addition to the muskets, that nearly as many Mexicans have been killed in cold blood or in disgraceful broils, as have fallen in open fight. It is calculated that not less than one thousand Mexicans have been killed in broils with the volunteers; and several hundreds of the latter have been cut off in the same way.

Now we all know that our regular troops have every where treated the Mexicans with respect, and in return have been well received; while the inhabitants have constantly prayed to be protected against the *volunteeries*. Our Regular troops too, have been healthy and efficient; while the volunteers have died by hundreds. Whole companies have been cut off; and a private correspondent aptly compares them to a flock of sheep attacked with the rot. At least three thousand it is said, have died, and double that number been sent home as invalids!!

But whatever their faults, and they have been innumerable, they are attributable to the *volunteer system, and not to the men themselves*. Better material for an army never congregated together. As individuals they were intelligent, patriotic and enterprising; but they wanted what the volunteer system can never give—discipline and subordination. And men huddled together without subordination, are not only useless, and made to suffer all kinds of evils from carelessness, want, &c. &c., but necessarily become dangerous to each other, and fall into all kinds of licentiousness and the worst possible habits.

This *little* war with Mexico, which came upon the country so unexpectedly, must be terminated soon, or it will prove the grave of hundreds of thousands of our fellow citizens, cost hundreds of millions of dollars, and seriously injure us in the estimation of the civilized world. We have proved the metal of our volunteers, and shown what a safe reliance they could make against invasion; but it is idle to attempt to prove that they are well calculated to carry on a war in an enemy's country. All experience shows that none but disciplined troops can carry on foreign wars efficiently and economically.

Already has the war cost double the sum which it would have cost, had we resorted at once to regular troops; and what will astonish most readers, the loss of life in this war, has probably exceeded the loss of life in the war of 1812 which lasted two years and a half! Already have we lost nearly as many men by the enemy as in the war of 1812, which there can be no doubt, but we have lost twice the number by disease and private broils!

Velocity of Rivers.—It is stated that a declivity of three inches per mile in a smooth, straight channel, gives a velocity to running water of about three miles an hour. The Ganges which gathers the waters of the Himalaya mountains, the loftiest in the world, is at eight hundred miles from its mouth, only eight hundred feet above the level of the sea; that is about twice as high as St. Paul's Church in London, and to fill these eight hundred feet in its long course, the water requires more than a month.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry,
the greatest remedy for
CONSUMPTION,
And the best Medicine known to Man for
Asthma, of every stage, Liver Complaints, Bronchitis, Influenza, Coughs, Cold, Bleeding of the Lungs, Shortness of Breath, pains and weakness in the side, breast, &c., and all other diseases of the
PULMONARY ORGANS.
A very important disease over which this "Balsam" exerts a powerful influence, is that of a
DISEASED LIVER.
In this complaint it has undoubtedly proved more efficacious than any remedy hitherto employed, and in numerous instances when patients had endured long and severe suffering from the disease, without receiving the least benefit from various remedies, and when MERCURY has been resorted to in vain, the use of this Balsam has restored the Liver to a healthy action, and in many instances effected
PERMANENT CURES,
after every known remedy had failed to produce this desired effect.
Besides its astonishing efficacy in the diseases above mentioned, we also find it a very effectually remedy in ASTHMA, a complaint in which it has been extensively used with decided success, even in cases of years standing.
It not only emanates from a regular Physician, but has also been well tested in all the complaints for which it is recommended. It is not my intention, therefore, either to cloak it in mystery, or in any way deceive the public by overrating its virtues; on the contrary, I shall simply endeavour to give a brief statement of its usefulness, and flatter myself that its surprising efficacy will enable me to furnish such proofs of its virtues as will satisfy the most incredulous, that Consumption may and "CAN BE CURED," if this medicine be resorted to in time.
For sale by Peters & Tilley, King's Street, St. John, N. B. October 24 7.

Passengers in the *Sophia* arrived from Liverpool:—Mrs. Charles Ranney, and two children, Miss Kortright, and Capt. Lancaster.

The following gentlemen have proceeded to Halifax, (via Annapolis, per steamer Maid of Erin) to take passage in the steam ship Hibernia, for Liverpool, on the 3d instant:—Messrs. Alexander Yeats, Francis McDermott, James Smellie, George Thomas, William Doherty, jun., E. E. Lockhart, George Worrell, William Howard, A. McTavish, P. McCullough, P. Gallagher.

Mr. W. McNamara proceeded in the stage to Halifax, on Saturday, for the same purpose.

Passenger in ship Corsair, sailed on Monday for Gloucester, Eng.:—Mr. Horsfall.

MARRIED.

At Trinity Church, on the 3d instant, by the Rev. N. Disbrow, Rector of Bathurst, the Rev. J. W. Disbrow, to Sophia Eliza, eldest daughter of the late Solomon Nichols, Esq., of this City.

On the 22d instant, by the Rev. Henry Daniel, Mr. James Cochrane, of this city, to Miss Mary Ann Crawford, of the Parish of Hampton.

DIED.

On Tuesday night last, in the 86th year of his age, Mr. John McMillan. He died without a struggle, peacefully falling asleep in Jesus. "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in his season."

On Saturday last, Mr. Ezekiel Marshall, after a lingering illness, in the 61st year of his age, a native of County Londonderry, Ireland.

On Sunday morning, after a severe illness, Mr. Thomas Charlton, in the 44th year of his age.

On Wednesday last, Henry J. C. infant son of H. N. H. Lugrin, Esquire, Barrister at Law, aged nine months and seven days.

On Thursday, Ann Maria, daughter of Mr. Josiah Marshall, aged one year and nine months.

In Portland, on Sunday morning, after an illness of five days, Henry Amison, second son of Mr. James Briggs, Shipbuilder, in the 20th year of his age. His end was peace. The premature death of this truly promising young man, will be severely felt, not only by his sorrowing relatives, but by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

On Friday morning, after a short illness, at her late residence in Portland, Elizabeth, widow of the late Mr. John Scholes, of Tempo, County of Fermanagh, Ireland, aged 59 years. Her end was peace. She has left a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

MARINE LIST.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN—ARRIVED.

Friday—Barque Frederick, Gover, Liverpool, 44—S. Wiggins & Son, merchandise.
Brig Crown, Pethey, Shields, 87—via Falmouth, 67—T. E. Millidge, ballast.

Wednesday—Barque Sir H. Pottinger, Crowell, Bristol, 68—S. Wiggins & Son, ballast.
Commerce, Forbes, Halifax, 12—Black, do.
British Queen, Lord, Bermuda, 25—John McKay, do.
Quebec, Morris, Bristol, 70—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.
Sophia, Collins, Liverpool, 65—John Robertson, coals, salt, &c.
John Clark, Disbrow, Savannah, 11—N. S. Demill, ballast.

CLEARED

28th—Brig Conservative, Feran, Glasgow, deals—James Kirk.

29th—Ship Spartan, Thompson, New-York, salt and coals—John Haws; Douglas, McKinnell, London, timber and deals—James Kirk; Emigrant, Taber, Liverpool, timber and deals—James Kirk; Schooner John Nelson, Thomson, Eastport, ballast—Master.

Feb. 1st—Brig Sea Bird, Lyell, Leith Roads, timber and deals.

Barque Galatia, Williams, Gloucester, timber and deals; Brig Westmorland, Beyea, Greenock, deals.

Sophia, Hollands, Boston, coals—J. Robertson; L. O. C. Doyle, Gilfeat, Matanzas, timber and dried fish—O. V. Troop.

4—Schr Flora, Scott, Boston, clapboards—T. M. Sime; L. O'Connor Doyle, Gilfeat, Matanzas, fish and lumber—O. V. Troop.

We are informed that the Brigt John Edwards was lost at White Cove near Yarmouth, in the storm of Friday last, one man lost name unknown.

Loss of the Ship Sir Robert Peel.—We learn that the ship Sir Robert Peel, Capt. Gray, from Savannah for this port, ran ashore on Little River Ledges, (State of Maine,) on the night of Saturday last, bilged, and afterwards drove over into deep water and sunk. Crew saved.

The Sir R. Peel was owned by Messrs. S. Reynolds & Son, of Indian Town, and was insured in one of the American offices for £6,500.—*New Brunswicker.*

Ship Progress, Abell, hence for London, which put into Digby last week, sailed again on Tuesday last.

Arrived at Savannah, Jan. 14th, barque Glasgow, Cook, Liverpool; 18th, ship Tuskar, Chapman; barque John Clark, Disbrow, London; 20th, barque Thames, Lawson, Liverpool.—At Boston, 25th, barque Princess, Murphy, St. John.

Cleared at Savannah, 20th, barque John Clark, Disbrow, for St. John.

Arrived at New York, on the 27th ult.—brig James Clark, McLane, 30 days from St. John.

Arrived at Halifax, Jan. 30th, brig Brooklyn, from Liverpool, G. B. 120 days, via Madeira 56.

Hibernian Lodge, No. 301, of the Registry of the Grand Lodge of Ireland, will meet in their Lodge Room, St. John Hotel on Tuesday evening next. By order of the W. M. Feb 5.

Joseph Summers
HAS just received from the mill:—1 ton very superior coarse ground OATMEAL.
January 8.

VALUABLE PROPERTY,
BY AUCTION.
On WEDNESDAY, 17th February, instant, at 11 o'clock, A. M., will be sold by J. V. Thurgar, Esq., at his Sale's Room:—
THAT very desirable Property situate in Orange-street, now in the occupation of Mrs. Nichols, and formerly belonging to William Leavitt, Esquire, consisting of a commodious Dwelling HOUSE, built and finished in a superior style, with every requisite convenience; together with a Garden, Trees, and Shrubbery. The Land comprises two separate Lots, each fronting on Orange-street 40 feet, by 125 in the rear; and they will be sold separately if required. The premises are pleasantly situated in a retired and most respectable neighbourhood, and form an agreeable residence for a gentleman's family.
For terms and other particulars, application may be made to Mr. Thurgar, or to the subscriber.
5th Feb. 1847. GEO. WHEELER.

To Let.
SEVERAL OFFICES in the Brick Building corner of Prince Wm. and Church streets.—Apply to Feb 5. JARDINE & CO.

Valuable Premises to be Leased.
TENDERS will be received by either of the undersigned, until the 22d day of February instant, for a Lease of the Lots, now occupied by the Central Madras School, on the North side of King's Square, in this City. The Lease to be for a term of Twenty-one years—renewable at the option of the Madras Board, or the Improvements to be paid for at the end of the term, to an amount not exceeding £500 on each Lot, or £1000 on the whole. The Premises consist of Lots No. 314 and 315, each 40 feet by 100—and part of Lot No. 180, being 50 feet by 70 in the rear. These Lots will be Leased either separately or together, as may be desired, and possession given on the 1st day of April next.
L. DONALDSON, WM. WRIGHT, ROBT. F. HAZEN, } Committee of Madras Board.
St. John, February 4 1847.

CONCERT.
THE Saint John Sacred Music Society will give a CONCERT of
VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC,
At the Hall of the Mechanics' Institute, on WEDNESDAY evening next, 10th inst., commencing at 8 o'clock precisely.
Particulars will be given in a Programme. Tickets 1s. 3d. each, will be for sale at the stores of S. K. Foster, S. Sisson, L. H. Waterhouse, and at the door on the evening of the Concert.
Feb. 5. G. A. GARRISON, Sec'y.

Female Madras School,
FREDERICTON.
A MISTRESS is wanted for this School in consequence of the resignation of Mrs. Hubon.—Salary £50 per annum.
Applications with Testimonials, to be made without delay to the Lord Bishop of Fredericton.
Feb. 1 1847. Cour 1f

TO LET,
THE Southern half of the HOUSE corner of Sydney and Britain streets, with Barn, &c.—Possession given on or before the 1st May next.
Enquire of WM. JACK.
Feb. 5. Or on the Premises.

BOILER PLATE, &c.
EX *Frederick*—the subscribers are now receiving an additional lot of BOILER PLATE, 15 tons well assorted—*Also*—a small lot flat refined IRON. Feb 5. JARVIS & CO.

Just Received,
At the City Stove Store, 14 Dock street:
A VARIETY of new pattern STOVES, comprising Parlour Wood Stoves; Office stoves; Boiler stoves; Air Tight Cool Stoves; Victory, and Treadwell & Perry COOKING Stoves, and a variety of HOLLOW WARE, suitable for Cooking stoves.
January 29 W. WESTLOTORN.

HARDWARE.
The subscriber offers for sale at LOW prices, the undermentioned Merchandize:
TEA Kettles, Tea Trays, Tea Canisters, Sauce Pans, Frying Pans, Pots, Ovens, &c. Table and Pocket Knives, Steel Pens, Curtain Bands, Pins and Rings, Brass Harness Mounting; Japanned ditto: Door, Pad, Desk, Chest, Till and Trunk Locks; Wood Screws, Chisels, Gouges, Turn screws; Bench and Moulding Planes; Whip, hand, tenon, compass, mill and buck Saws; Candlesticks, Whip Thongs, Skates; Patent Leather Skins; Hair Cloth; Paint, shoe, hair and cloth Brushes; Waggon Boxes; spring steel Gimlets; Hammers, Guns, and Gun Furniture, Smiths' Bellows, Anvils and Vices, Bait, cheat, T, H, HL and strap Hinges; Cut and Wrought Tacks and Nails, Carpenters' Rules and Compasses, &c. &c.
Jan 29 G. T. WILEY.

Composition Bolts & Rings.
Ex *Duke of Wellington*, from London—
17 BUNDLES Composition Bolts, from ⅜ to 1¼ inch; 1 cask Clinch Rings;
On Hand—Muntz Patent Sheathing, from 22oz. to 28oz. For sale by
Feb. 1. ALLISON & SPURR.

Joseph Summers,
Prince William street, opposite Sands' Arcade.
Landing this day from schr. *Flora*, from Boston:—
2 CASKS Saleratus; 10 bags Java Coffee; 5 bbls. Dried Apples;
24 boxes Castor OIL; 20 dozen Brooms;
10 boxes Extra Butter Crackers;
Kegs Lemon, Sugar, and Groat Bread;
Canary Seed, &c. &c.
January 29.

CAUTION.
ALL persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating or receiving any Notes of Hand drawn in favour of the subscriber and *not endorsed by himself*, as a small Cash Box has been taken from his premises containing several notes of hand with other papers. If the person who stole the above with other things, will return the same Cash Box with the papers, as when taken, no questions will be asked, nor any further notice taken of the matter, as the party who committed the theft is suspected. Unless he complies with the above he will get himself into trouble.
Jan 22 J. BOWES.

QUILL PEN-KNIBS.
A NEWLY invented and very superior PEN, a fuller account of which, and the article itself may be seen at the subscriber's Store—on sale in any quantity, call on and judge for yourselves.—American and English STATIONERY of every description, and PRINTING PAPER just received with the KNIBS.
January 15. H. G. KINNEAR.

Tea, Loaf Sugar, & Indigo.
The subscriber has received per *Duke of Wellington*, from London:—
50 CHESTS Congou TEA;
5 bbls. Loaf SUGAR.
16 Cases Indigo.—Which will be sold on liberal terms.
WM. HOWARD.
January 8.

TO LET, and possession given on or before the 1st May next,—the SHOP in Prince Wm. street, adjoining that of Mr. Wm. Major, at present occupied as a Confectionary Saloon. This shop is well adapted for a Dry Goods or Fancy Store, having a Plate Glass Front, with storage underneath, and an entrance from Water street. Apply to J. G. SHARP.
Jan. 29. North Market Wharf.

Valuable FREEHOLD for sale.
THE subscriber intending to leave St. John, offers that substantial, recently built COTTAGE for sale—standing detached and pleasantly situated, having a frontage of 40 feet on Waterloo road and 80 feet on a reserved street. There has been no expense spared to make this a most desirable residence.
Terms, one third cash; remainder in four or five years with interest. For further information apply to Lieutenant ALEXANDER.
Waterloo Road, Jan. 15, 1847.

TO LET,
And possession given the first of May next:—
THE whole or a part of that House in Church street, next adjoining the *Hibernian Hotel*. It contains several rooms with fire places, a good frost proof cellar, and is well adapted for a Boarding house and Retail Liquor store. Enquire of
Jan. 29. JAMES NETHERY.

ALSO TO LET,
And possession given the first of May next:
THE whole or a part of that two story double Building in Lower Cove, next adjoining the Gas Works, and now in the occupation of Mr. Stephen Daily and Mr. J. Stewart, well adapted for a Public Boarding house, or four genteel families.—Enquire of [Jan. 29. JAS. NETHERY.

ALSO TO LET,
ONE Flat of that House on the Corner, and next adjoining over the subscribers store, containing two rooms with Fire places and Franklin set, two Bed rooms, with the half of a Frost proof cellar, with an entrance from Queen street, and being well adapted for a small family. Enquire of the subscriber at the Hibernian Hotel,
Jan. 29. JAMES NETHERY.

TO BE SOLD,
A HOUSE and BARN in *Peters' Street*, with the unexpired Lease of the Ground. It is a very desirable and healthy situation for a residence, and there is room for a Building in front of the one now erected. Any person wishing to purchase, can have possession of the ground immediately if required. Enquire of W. WESTLOTORN.
Jan. 1. *No 14, Dock street.*

TO LET, from 1st May next—That well finished House now in the occupation of Wm. M. Howe, Esquire.
Dec. 11. J. FAIRWEATHER.

LONDON GENUINE TEA WAREHOUSE.
(Prince Wm. street opposite Sands' Arcade)
Joseph Summers,
Wholesale and Retail Grocer—is now landing per schr. *Dolphin*, from Boston:
100 BOXES half and quarter boxes *Raisins.*
Casks Cooking Raisins; Drums and Half Drums FIGS—all this year's Fruit;
Oranges, Lemons, Filbert's, and Brazil NUTS:
Tierces RICE; 1 Bbl Sea Elephant OIL;
10 Bags Government Java COFFEE;
with an extensive assortment of GROCERIES of British importation, which will be sold at the lowest Market prices.
Saint John, 18th December, 1846.

December 18, 1846.
ENGLISH HARDWARE,
EX "JOHN WILSON:"
TINN'D and painted Tea Kettles; Iron and Copper Coal Hods and Scoops; Cinder Sifters, Fire Carriers, and Shovels; Green and Brass Wire Fire Guards; best polished steel Fire Irons, and Kitchen SHOVEL & TONGS; elegant paper and Iron Tea Trays and Waiters; paper and Britannia Metal Cruets; Iron wire flour Sieves, and brass Wire Cook's do.; brass and iron Snuffers & Trays, and superior Silver Plated, do; Hook and Eye, H. HL Chest Table and Bed Hinges; Black and Mahogany Bureau Knobs; Pad Locks, Gimlets, Wooden Locks, Carpenters' Compasses and Rules, Oil'd Measuring Tapes, Bed Screws, Screw Bolts, Iron Washers, Kitchen Bellows, &c. &c.
Also, per "Severn":—
A beautiful assortment of BRITANNIA METAL WARE, consisting of Urns, Tea and Coffee Pots, Sugar and Cream Jugs, Toast Racks, Salt Cellars, Inkstands, Shaving Boxes, Snuff Boxes, Candlesticks, Snuffer Trays, Hot Water Pitchers, &c. and a new Set of COMMUNION SERVICE.—For sale low by
MARSH late DRURY
December 28. *Sands' Arcade.*

MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THIS Company is prepared to receive applications for Insurance against FIRE upon Buildings and other Property, at the Office of the subscriber. I. WOODWARD.
St. John, Nov. 11, 1846. *Secretary*

BOATS FOR SALE.
ONE each of the undermentioned Boats are offered for sale on reasonable terms by the subscriber, Lower Cove, viz:—
42 feet GIG BOAT; 18 feet do.; 16 feet do; 22 do. LONG BOAT; 19 feet do.;
20 do. PINNACE; 20 do. QUARTER BOAT;
16 do. YAWL; 17 feet ditto; 20 do. Qr. Boat.
These *BOATS* are all Copper Fastened, and built by the subscriber of the very best materials.
Dec. 24. FRANCIS MARVEN.

VESSEL FOR SALE.
FOR sale as she now lies on the Stocks at St. Mary's Bay (N. S.) a *BRIGANTINE*, of about 150 Tons, Burthen,
Keel, . . . 73 feet,
Beam, . . . 21 feet,
Hold, . . . 10 1 2 feet.
The *VESSEL* can be launched in three weeks, and is built faithfully and of the very best materials. Application to be made to Edward Marshall, *Digby*, Stephen Marshall, *St. Mary's Bay*; or to
Dec 24 WM. CROZIER, *St. John.*

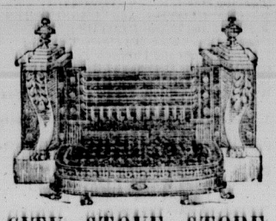
THE
Classical and Mathematical ACADEMY
AT COCAIGNE is now opened under the superintendence of the Reverend A. H. Weeks, A. B. of King's College, Windsor, N. S.—A limited number of Pupils from abroad will be received. Terms moderate: situation healthy. Persons wishing to send their sons, will please make application to either Edward L. Jarvis, Esquire, or to James Whitney, Esquire, Saint John.
Cocaigne, November 17, 1846. 2m.

Axes, Oil, Chairs, &c.
BY the *Eleanor Jane*, from Boston:—13 Boxes Davis and Cother's AXES;
5 Bbls. LARD OIL;
65 Boxes 7x9, 8x10 and 10 12 GLASS;
35 Bundles CHAIRS;
400 Pieces PAPER HANGINGS;
Also—By the "Topaz,"
500 Pieces Paper Hangings.
By the "Alfred," from Liverpool:
500 Yards superfine CARPETING;
4 Boxes 5 4, and 6 4, Bristol beer Floor Cloth
October 2. JOHN KINNEAR.

'Tempus imperator rerum.'
NEW GOODS.
THE Subscriber has just received and has for sale, an extensive and varied Assortment of Gold and Silver WATCHES of every description, fitted up in the most approved style; also a quantity of rich and fashionable JEWELLERY, Silver PLATE, Nautical Instruments, &c.—which, together with a large Stock on hand, are offered for sale low for Cash, or approved Paper at three or six months.
He would take this method of returning his sincere thanks to his friends for the liberal support that he has received during the last fourteen years in business, as well as to inform them that having visited London last winter, and Boston and New-York this summer, he has entered into new arrangements, by which he will be regularly supplied with every description of WATCHES, CHRONOMETERS, and all other Goods in his line, which will be sold lower than at any other establishment in this City.
Having purchased, when last in London, a splendid Astronomical CLOCK, and one of Dent's DIPLIEDESCOPES, and other Apparatus suitable for correcting and rating Marine Chronometers and completing and adjusting Nautical Instruments, and having expended a large sum to make his establishment efficient and accommodating to the Public; he would now cherish the hope of receiving a continuance of that patronage and support which the nature of this enterprize would warrant him to expect. He is aware of the opposition that the plain honest trader sometimes meets with from unprincipled and designing men; but the same principle which has guided him through evil report and good report, will govern him in his future efforts to serve the Public and himself conjointly.
☞ Chronometers and every description of Watches and Clocks, Jewellery, &c. repaired on moderate terms. JAMES AGNEW,
Watchmaker, &c. King-street.
N. B.—Shipmasters are respectfully invited to an examination of the above named CLOCK and Apparatus for rating Chronometers; and their patronage and support are solicited.
Four good Chronometers for sale cheap, by
Oct. 20—3m] J. A

NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE
KING STREET.
The subscriber has just received per *Britannia* from Liverpool—
14 CASES containing Ladies' and Gentlemen's Winter Boots and Shoes, of every kind that may be required for the season.
Further supply daily expected per *Severn* from Liverpool. JOHN LEITCH.
Dec 11.

CHAIN CABLES, SPIKES, NAILS, &c.
Ex ship *Orbit*, from Liverpool—
10 BEST proved CHAIN CABLES, including 2 short link, ⅜ inch;
2 do. ⅜ do.
2 do. 15-16 do.
2 studded 1 do.
1 do. 1⅛ do.
1 do. 1¼ do.
25 casks best proved ¼, 5 16, 3 8, 7-16, and ½ inch Chains:
55 casks 3½, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and 20 d'y Iron Wrought Rose Head Board Nails;
15 casks 7, 8, 9 and 10 d'y Hobbs Nails;
5 do. 6 and 7 d'y ordinary OX do.
5 do. 6 d'y Derby do do.
25 do. 1 5 16, 1 3 4, 2 2¼, 2½, 2¾, 3, 3½, and 3½ inch Boat Nails;
50 do. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 inch Rosehead and Flat Point Ceiling Spikes;
75 do. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 inch Diamond head Deck Spikes;
20 do. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 inch Ribbon Spikes for ship Stages.
For sale while landing from the ship, in the course of this week, or after storing, by
Jan. 1. H. G. KINNEAR.



CITY STOVE STORE,
14,—Dock Street,—14.
JUST received at the above Establishment, per schooner *Three Sisters* and *Meridian*, a further supply consisting of—
COOKING STOVES, various new patterns,
FRANKLINS, do. ditto;
AIR TIGHT STOVES, new ditto;
for Wood and Coal, suitable for Halls, Parlours, stores, Offices, &c.
Cylinder Stoves for ships' Cabins and Forecastles.
On Hand—A variety of bedroom Franklins with place for Kettle; Stoves of different kinds; Register Grates; Oven Mouths; Andirons, &c. &c.;—Sheet Iron Stoves, stove Pipe, Tin and Hollow Ware.
Daily expected:—Ships' Camboozes and other stoves in great variety.
☞ All articles in Copper, Tin, sheet Iron, lead, &c. made and repaired at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms.
Nov 27. W. WESTLOTORN.

Double Stoves.
ON HAND, a few Double Wood Stoves with Ovens, adapted for Halls or other large apartments; 12 different sorts of Close Wood Stoves, with a heavy stock of *Franklins, Cooking Stoves*, and other varieties—*Selling Cheap.*
Nov. 20. THOMAS C. EVERITT.

MORE STOVES.
A FURTHER supply of COOKING and other Stoves, just received per *Kate* from Boston, and for sale at the *CITY STOVE STORE*, No 14, Dock street.
Dec. 11. W. WESTLOTORN.

Air-Tight & Franklin Stoves.
JUST received by the *Emily* from Boston:—25 assorted Air-Tight and Franklin Stoves;
Also, by the Meridian:—46 assorted Cook and other Stoves; 6 barrels Cloves; 4 tierces Rice.
Dec. 11. JOHN KINNEAR.

Cook Stoves & Leather.
Just received by the *Kate* from Boston, and for sale
196 SIDES SOLE LEATHER;
30 assorted Cook Stoves;
2 Cooking Ranges; 10 bbls. sea Elephant OIL;
200 Pieces Paper Hangings.
JOHN KINNEAR.
January 15. *Prince Wm. street.*

ON HAND,
And for sale by the Subscribers—
50,000 FEET PINE BOARDS,
150,000 spruce Deals,
120 chald's CORREL COAL; 25 hhds Molasses;
200 barrels CORN MEAL; 60 bbls. Mess Pork.
Jan. 22. J. & S. FAIRWEATHER.

GOOD HOUSE COAL.
FOR SALE, best Haydock COAL, deliverable from the Coal Yard at 20s. per chaldron by
JOHN KINNEAR.
January 15 *Prince Wm. street.*

Pine and Spruce TIMBER, and
RAILWAY SLEEPERS.
PARTIES desirous of Contracting to deliver a quantity of PINE and SPRUCE TIMBER in the Months of May and June next, of specific dimensions; Also—100,000 Hackmatac RAILWAY SLEEPERS, to be delivered in April, May, June, July, and August next—will please apply to either of the Subscribers for terms and particulars.
THOMAS CORAM,
Jan. 22. NATHANIEL HICKS.

FOR SALE—The Woodboat REGULATOR, as she now lies at North slip. Apply to
Dec. 11. J. FAIRWEATHER.

IRON, BOILER PLATE, TIN PLATE,
&c. &c.
EX *John Wilson*, the subscribers are now receiving an additional lot of REFINED IRON, BOILER PLATE, TIN PLATE, &c.
Also, an assortment of Stocks and Dies, suitable for Carriage Makers.
Dec. 18 JARVIS & CO.

ACCOMODATION SLED,
For Passengers and Freight, between St. John & Fredericton.
THE Subscriber has commenced running a Sled between St. John and Fredericton by the ice; leaving St. John every THURSDAY, and FREDERICTON every MONDAY.
Orders left at the Commercial Hotel, St. John, or at FRADSHAM'S Hotel, FREDERICTON, will receive attention.
Jan. 15. N. D. VAIL.

Spikes and Nails, for sale.
9 TONS Rose and Diamond Head Spikes of the following sizes:—

4 casks,	2 cwt. each,	4½	inch;
2 do.	do.	5	do.
11 do.	do.	5½	do.
19 do.	do.	6	do.
8 do.	do.	6½	do.
12 do.	do.	7	do.
5 do.	do.	8	do.
14 do.	do.	9	do.
8 do.	do.	10	do.

Also—100 casks Wrought Nails, say—

10 casks	20dy	NAILS,
15 do.	15	do.
20 do.	14	do.
50 do.	12	do.
20 do.	10	do.
12 do.	8	do.
5 do.	6 & 4dy	do.

Also—20 casks 7, 8, 9 and 10 HORSE NAILS.
Dec. 11 JOHN KINNEAR.

MAIL CONTRACT.
TENDERS addressed to the Deputy Post Master General, St. John, will be received until 12 o'clock at noon, on Monday, the 8th day of March next, from such persons as may be willing to enter into a Contract for conveying Her Majesty's MAILS, twice a week each way, between SAINT JOHN, N. B. and AMHERST, N. S. commencing on and from the 6th day of July, 1847. The sum per annum to be stated in Halifax currency, for which they would be willing to perform the service.

The Particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may from time to time appoint, in a Waggon of suitable size, (to be approved of by an Officer of the Department,) to be drawn by not less than two Horses. The Mails to be carried at a rate of speed of not less than Seven Miles per Hour, including stoppages. The Contract will be entered into for Three Years, after which period, either party shall have power to annul the same, by giving a Notice of Three Months. The Contractor will be bound to afford perfect Security to the Mails, and means to protect them against the Weather.

Tenders will at the same time be received for conveying the Mails on the above conditions, THREE TIMES PER WEEK each way betwen Saint John and Amherst.

J. HOWE, *D. P. M. G.*
General Post Office, New Brunswick, 5th December, 1846.

MAIL CONVEYANCE
BETWEEN
TRURO AND AMHERST.
ANY Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, *(it being understood that the Carrier will not be allowed to convey any Passenger with the Mails)* between Truro and Amherst, twice in each week each way, to commence after the 5th July, 1847, are requested to send in Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Deputy Postmaster General, Halifax, stating the sum per annum, in Currency, for which they would be willing to perform the Service. The particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may from time to time direct, without reservation. The Mails are to be carried in a Waggon of suitable size, to be approved of by an Officer of the Department, and to be drawn by not less than Two Horses, and at a rate of speed of not less than Eight Miles per hour, between 1st May and 1st of November and not less than Six Miles per hour between 1st November and 30th April in each year.

The Contract will be entered into for Three Years, after which period either party shall have power to annul the same by giving a notice of Three Months. The contractor will be bound to afford perfect security to the Mails, and means to protect them against the weather.

Sealed Tenders will also be received, addressed as above, from such persons as may be willing to carry the Mails upon the above conditions, with permission to carry Six Passengers. Security will be required for the faithful performance of the service.

Tenders will be received for both Services on the 5th of March next, after which time none will be noticed. A. WOODGATE, D. P. M. G.
General Post Office, Halifax, November 27, 1846. } 3m

Valuable WHARF Property
TO BE LEASED.
TO BE LEASED, for a Term of Years, the right of the Extension of JOHNSTON'S WHARF, so called. This Property fronts 102 feet on the Harbour, and the Privilege now offered is an Extension of the same about 125 feet in a Westwardly direction. Estimates have been received for completing all requisite IMPROVEMENTS, at a sum under £2000, which will afford Wharfage with 26 feet water at lowest spring tides, for a number of Ships, and at the same time accommodate them with a place of deposit for a very large quantity of Ballast.
If not Leased previous to 1st April next, it will then be offered at Auction by Messrs. T. L. Nicholson & Co., to whom, in the meanwhile, or to the subscriber, application for further information may be made.
October 31. CHAS JOHNSTON.

New Boot and Shoe Store,
KING STREET.
The subscriber has just received per *Queen Pomare* ELEVEN cases containing Ladies' Cloth and Prunella Boots in great variety;
Ladies' Black Kid slippers; Girls' Bronze kid do.
Girls' Lasting Boots, a large assortment;
Women's cordovan shoes & slippers of every kind;
Women's common shoes and slippers, a large assortment;
Girls' Ankle straps, a large quantity;
Men's double and single tie shoes of every kind;
Girls', Youths and children's boots and shoes of every description;
Gentlemen's Boots of every kind; Also, Men's strong Boots of various kinds. For sale cheap.
☞ *Further supply daily expected.*
November 20. JO