The "Indian God" aforesaid is a large and rather peculiarly shaped rock, standing in the edge of the river, on the left as you go down. Numerous hieroglyphical charroters, wholly unetlligible, with figures of deer, dogs, &c., are cut on its smooth surface. Thirty or forty years ago they were much more distinct than now. The river there is rather shallow, being easily forded in a dry time.

The gentleman who is operating there now is a Frenchman, whose name we have not learned. Some of his ancestors were with the Indians in this region many years ago, at the time of the French war, and probably about the time the Oil Springs on Oil Creek were worked. Among their papers he lately found a description of this rock, together with the statement that silver was to be found near it. He accordingly came on a few weeks ago bought the land and began to prospect. He dug at first in the strata of slate rock, in the bottom of the river, till the water rose, and found silver ore of considerable richness. Since then he has been digging with ten or twelve men, in a small stream, which puts in near that point, and also in the hills. In both places he finds silver ore, which, upon trial, appears to be the genuine article. Traces of gold have also been discovered. He calculates that at his present progress he is making money rapidly.—*Warren (Pa) Mail, Nov 29.*

The Boston *Journal* announces the organization of another expedition for the purpose of pursuing the explorations of Dr. Kane, which will probably start in the spring, and be under the command of Dr. Hayes, the surgeon of the Kane expedition. The amount required is about $30,000, and liberal subscriptions have already been made. Many of the scientific societies are actively enlisted in the enterprise, and have appointed committees to promote it. Dr. Hayes is led to undertake the command by his confidence in the correctness of the views entertained by Dr. Kane, whose verification was only prevented by a series of extraordinary accidents which could not have been foreseen.—*Am Presbyterian.*

British Columbia.

The reports lately received from the mines in British Columbia, the amount of gold dust that has been sent down, and the sheering views taken of the mines by the miners themselves, justify us in thinking that the time has arrived when the much talked of mineral wealth of British Columbia will become a solid foundation of prosperity. From the period of the great rush, we have been agitated by all sorts of rumors, sometimes encouraging, and sometimes disheartening. Men have arrived here dazzled with the prospect of speedy wealth, and left disgusted with the non-realization of their too sanguine hopes.

For ourselves, we have never ceased to repose full confidence in the ultimate success of British Columbia as a gold producing country—this confidence we honestly believe has not been misplaced. The well authenticated intelligence of a shaft having been most successfully sunk a little above Fort Alexander, where gold was found at a depth of thirty feet—is paralleled by additional information we have received from undoubted authority, that on a flat in the neighborhood of Cayoosh, miners are washing the surface earth, and obtaining a dollar to the pan; and as much as from ninety to one hundred dollars a day have been averaged by two men working there for some time past. To our certain knowledge, a man has lately arrived in this town with $6000, the produce of his labor since spring. Add to this the fact that few miners have left without a moderate "pile," and we think an end is at once put to the doctrine that British Columbia is not rich in gold.—*New Westminster Times.*

Melancholy Death by Drowning of Dr. Evans' only Son.

We have been favoured with copies of the *New Westminster Times*, published at Victoria, British Columbia, of the 1st and 8th of November. The number of the latter date contains the following mournful tidings which will awaken much sympathy for Dr. and Mrs Evans in the hearts of their numerous friends in these provinces

ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.—We learn with much regret the death of Mr. Edmund S. Evans, of the Treasury Department, only son of the respected Dr. Evans, Wesleyan minister of this town. It appears that the unfortunate young gentleman left town at about 3 o'clock on Saturday, with his gun, purposing to go duck hunting. As he did not return, a search was commenced, but it was not until Sunday morning that any clue could be obtained, when his clothes and watch were found on the beach, beyond Beacon Hill about 2 miles from Victoria. His body was subsequently discovered close to the spot where his clothes were lying, and conveyed home to his father's residence. It is supposed he went into the water after a duck, and that becoming entangled in the weeds so plentiful in the neighborhood of the spot where the sad event happened, he was unable to extricate himself.

A very able Report by a special committee of the City Council appointed to take into consideration the condition of the Fire Department of the city, and also the best means of obtaining an additional supply of water for Fire purposes, has recently been issued. We have read it with much attention and approval. The signature of Alderman John A. Bell as chairman of the Committee indicates the authorship of the Report, and we think that gentleman is entitled to the thanks of the whole community for the lucid manner in which he has presented the sensible conclusions of the Committee upon the difficult subject with which they were commissioned to deal. Their chief recommendations for the present are the following:—"That a Company, or Companies, of not less than fifty able bodied men, be raised in each of the six wards of the city, to be organized into one or more brigades, for the purpose of assisting at fires by working the engines; and that the duty of organizing said Companies, in all 300 men be left in the hands of the Firewards; that His Worship, the Mayor, or the Chairman of Firewards, may have power to make application to the General Commanding for the use of the Troops at Fires; and that, in the absence of His Worship the Mayor, any two Aldermen; or in the absence of the Chairman of Firewards, any two Firewards shall have the same power."

That full information regarding steam Fire Engines at present in use in other cities, and the probability of further and immediate improvement in the construction of such machines be obtained by his Worship the Mayor. The Committee suggest the purchase of the Water Works from the Company, and also that a further supply be brought from the Birch Cove Lakes; but on this point they recommend that the City Council consult some experienced Engineer.

SANDS' SARSAPARILLA—For Purifying the Blood—Health depends almost entirely upon the state of the blood. It the vitalizing fluid which pervades every tissue, membrane, fibre, filament, gland or other organ, primary and subsidiary, be charged with the elements of disease, sickness must be the consequence, and until the cause is eradicated, no permanent relief can be expected It is here that the powerful health restoring properties of Sands Sarsaparilla are manifested; its searching operation reaches the germ of diseases, and the cures it performs are therefore radical and thorough.

Prepared and sold by A. B. & D. SANDS, Druggists. Sold also by Morton & Co.—Halifax. Sold also by Druggists generally.

Holloway's Pills—No dwelling in any district it is not visited with fever and ague, or any phase of remittent or intermittent fever, should ever be without this powerful tonic and anti-bilious medicine. A few doses break up the chills, and completely crush out the principle of the disease. Arsenic and quinine are often used to check fever and ague, but a relapse always supervenes. The seat of the complaint is in the bile and in the blood, and the only preparation in existence which will inevitably purge out the miasmatic virus from the secretions and the circulation, is Holloways great internal remedy. As a tonic corrective, and alterative, it stands alone.

Blackwood's Magazine and British Reviews.

In our advertising columns will be found the terms on which Messrs. Leonard Scott & Co. are prepared to supply their valuable reprints of the Scotch and English Reviews and Magazines which constitute the very cream of British Literature. We are expected, we suppose, to say a word to our readers about the merit of these publications. This is superfluous, if it would not be presumptuous. They are the offspring of the first minds of the most soundly instructed nation in Europe. The field of enquiry is all knowledge. He who reads the Reviews with intelligence and care cannot fail to become rich in erudition, and that enough of this matter to keep the mind working and improving the year round, can be had for nine dollars is one of the marvels of this marvellous age. Our readers who have any taste for literature should immediately subscribe for the *Quarterlies, North British* and *Edinburgh Review.*

The Electic Magazine

OF FOREIGN LITERATURE.

This Magazine is published monthly and consists as its name imparts of selections from other periodicals For example the number for December now before us has interesting articles from *Blackwood and Fraser's Magazines*, the *British Quarterlies*, the *Electic* and the *National Reviews, Bentley's Miscellany, Chambers Journal*, and the *Leisure Hour*. The selections are made with great judgment. The Magazine is published by W. H. Bidwell, 5 Beekman street, New York, and is furnished at the low price of five dollars per annum. We do not consider it a substitute for Scott & Co.'s reprint of the Reviews but a very useful addition to them.

☞ We must not omit to mention that Mr. E. G. FULLER is agent for Leonard Scott & Co's reprints, and for the *Electic Magazine.*

☞ The Catalogue of the Officers and Students of the Mount Allison's Ladies' Academy for the year commencing Nov. 1858, and ending Nov. 1859, has just been issued. It is got up in beautiful style, offering fresh evidence of the taste and resource of the Book Steward as a Publisher. We shrink from the labour of counting the names of the students, but however numerous, we presume no difficulty can arise in ministering to their intellectual necessities with a Faculty of *nine*. We find the names of ten graduates during the year, two of whom had come from California.

☞ We have received a communication with reference to the wreck of the *Indian*, but being too lengthy for our columns, we shall hold it subject to the order of the writer and transfer it to any of our contemporaries that he may wish to receive it.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.—The first number for the New Year is on our table. There are three illustrated articles. All the departments are sustained with ability.

Wesleyan Conference Office.

LETTERS AND MONEYS RECEIVED SINCE OUR LAST.

[The current volume is from No. 521 to 573.]

Henry Schwartz (new sub. 5s. for P.W.), C. Lockwood Moses Young 25., for P.W.), C. Lockwood (10s. for P.W.), Mr. Silas Mosher (5s. for P.W.), Mr. Wallace (10s. for P.W.), Rev. A. B. Black, *five* new sub., 55s. for P.W., Rev. Stephen Mack 10s., John D. Mack 10s., Ed. Mack, 10s., Geo. Mitchell 10s., Lonas 10s., Wm Newcomb 5s.—5s. for P.W.), Rev. J Allison, A.B.; Rev. Dr. Pickard; Rev. T. M. Albrighton; Jacob Miller (15s. for P.W.), Rev. R. Tweedy, (20 for B.R.—10s. for John Perry—pays only to Dec. 31), Mrs. M. Jost (8s. 6d for P.W.), Rev. J. Buckley (40s for P.W., new subs, for C. Buckard 5s., S. Smith, 5s. W. Wright 10s., John C. Smith 10s., E. Bennett 10s.), Rev. A M DesBrisay (*four* new sub. 20s. for P.W., for J.W. Holt 10s., J. B. M'Callan 10s.), Rev. F. W Moore (new sub Rev. R Duncan (50s. for P.W., for James S. Smith 20s., John Crowell 10s., Joseph Reynolds 10s., G. Skinner 5s., Jas. Dow 5s.), Rev. Thomas Angwin; Mr. R. Colt (10s. for P.W.). Rev. R. Smith (10s. for W., for Mr. Gilbert—the application more reports is too late, we regret it, but have none left), Rev. Dr. McLeod; Rev. G. O. Huestis (*three* new subs. 40s. P.W.) for John Kirby 10s., James Nickerson 10s., John Henderson 10s., C. Morgan 5s., James Sangster 5s., Rev. James Taylor; Rev. Duncan; Rev. C. DeWolf; Rev. Sam Avery (it was acknowledged in P.W., Dec. 7th), Rev. C. Gaskin (30s. for P.W.) for Joseph Fletcher 20s., John Vance 1 —Almanacks were sent by post), Mr. J. Freeman (20s. for B.R.—under 20 cop the S. S. Adv. is 1s. 3d. per annum.

☞ We call the attention of our readers to advertisement in another column to the follow Testimonials: Further particulars given rders received at the Wesleyan Book Room

From Geo. Washbourne Morgan, Organist of G Church and Middle Dutch Reformed Church.

UNIVERSITY BUILDING, N. Y. July 10, 185

Gentlemen,—The near approach to the *Fi Organ* tone attained by Messrs. S. D. & H Smith, in the voicing of their Melodeons, ur with their prompt and reliable action, ent them to the *first rank* among this class of in ments. I cheerfully recommend them to chasers either for *Parlor, Hall*, or *Chapel* us

GEO. WASHBOURNE Mor

From B. F. Baker, Professor in the Boston M Institute, Author, &c., &c., and Director of Music South Congregational Church.

BOSTON, Nov. 19th, 18

Gentlemen,—I confess to have enterta prejudice against Melodeons before having your instruments But, by your new meth voicing, the monotonous, droning, buzzing has been entirely cured, and in place of it a organ like tone substituted. The acti prompt, and the tuning is really perfec your Melodeons receive the patronage merit, they must come into very general u

With regard, truly yours,

B. F. BA

Messrs. S. D. & H. W. SMITH. 511 Wa ington Street, Boston.

From Rev. L. Smith.

HONOLULU, SANDWICH ISLANDS, Aug. 2

Gentlemen,—I am happy to inform yo the Melodeon which you forwarded to m dress remains "in good order and cond We use it in our house of public worshi every Sab pleased with it The tone very pleas much like those of an organ we do not yet the cost and charges o coadjutor to ar us in singing praise to the in his sanctuary I shall take much plea advising clergym as well as my frien neighbors, to forwa their orders for Melo whether to be used in churches or private o you Believe me, Gentlemen,

Most truly yours, L.

A British officer writing from cheran, to the 'London Times,' remarks:—"A C ne Pill manufactured by an Amer u Cl (Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass.) u Shah of a Lover Complaint that thre life. This simple fact, as might be renders the Americans immensely popu while we English are overlooked— our own scholars made the discoveries employs, and thus it is in everything; labor, then the mousing Americans mark on it and take the reward. Doctor idolized by the Court and its retainers, which will doubtless be reflected to a gold snuff box, or diamond hilted sword not the name even of Davy, Christison Brodie—the great lights by which he is known."—New York Sunday Paper. Dr.

Missionary Anniversary.

SACKVILLE DISTRICT.

CIRCUIT	TIME.	DEPUTATION.
Sackville,	Jan. 8, 1860. 9, Sackville, 10, Dorchester,	Revs. J. Snowball & F. Smallwood
Point de Bute,	Oct. 9, 1859, 10, Point de Bute, 11, Baie de Verte, 12, Fort Lawrence,	Revs. F. Smallwood, and J. Allison, A.B.
Moncton,	Jan 15, 1860, 16, Moncton 17, Shediac,	Revs. J. Buckley, J. R. Narraway, J. L. Spongate.
Hopewell.	Jan. 8, 9, Hopewell Cor. 10, Salmon River. 11, Hopewell Hill, 12, Creek. 13, Hillsborough,	Rev. J. V. Jost.
Richibucto,	Oct. 9, 1859, 10, Richibucto, 11, Buctouche,	Rev. H. Pickard, D.D.
Amherst,	Feb. 5, 1860, 6, Amherst, 7, Nappan, 8, Amherst H. ad, 9, Tidnish,	Revs. J. Snowball J. R. Narraway A.M., and J. Allison, A.B.
Parrsborough,	Jan. 8, 9, Mill Village, 10, Diligent and Fox Rivers. 11, Maccan. 12, Maccan Moun.	Rev J. Allison, A.B and W. Perkins

By order of District,

H. PICKARD, *Chairman.*

Missionary Anniversaries.

TRURO DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS	TIME.	DEPUTATION.
Truro,	Oct. 31, Tru o, Nov. 1, Isbgamish,	Revs. G. S. Milligan A.M. & W. C. McKinnon.
Wilsce & Pugwash,	Feb. 5, '60, Sermons Wallace Har. & Head of the Bay, 6, Pugwash, 7, Head of Bay, 8, Wallace Harb'r 9, Malagash,	Revs T. H. Davies, G.S. Milligan, A.M., & A.M. Desbrisay.
Rer John,	Jan. 9, '60, Tatamagouche Mount'n 10, Gazore, 11, Barriswa, 12, River John,	Revs. W. Allen A. M. Desbri, & G.S. Milligan, A.M.
Belle Musquoboit,	2, Middle Musquodoboit, 3, Elmsdale, 4, Shubenacadie, 5, Stewiacke,	Rev. T. H. Davies.
ysborough & Sydney, C.B.	By arrangement of the Superintendents.	Min's of the respective Cir'ts

Collections to be made, and subscriptions ken, in those meetings.

By arrangement of Financial District Meeting,

THOMAS H. DAVIES, Chairman.

Halifax District.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARIES, 1859—60.

CIRCUITS.	DATE.	DEPUTATION.
The Hx & neighbing Circuits to be united for by their respective Ministers Lunenburg, Petite riere, Mill Vil w and Liverpool Port Mouton and country appointments of the above circuits.	Dec. 4, 1859 By mutual arrangement.	Rev. J. Brewster. Ministers of the respective Circuits.
ndsor.	Jan. 8, 1860.	Revs C. Churchill, A M & J. G. Hennigar Revs C. Churchill, A M and C. Stewart.
wport,	Feb. 5, 1860	Revs. J G. Hennigar and R. E Crane.
mpt,	Dec 4, 1859.	Revs S W Sprague and G B Payson.
itland,	Oct. 9, 1859.	

CHAS. CHURCHILL, *Chairman.*

Commercial.

Halifax Markets.

(Corrected for the "Provincial Wesleyan" up to 10 o'clock, A. M. Wednesday, Dec. 28.

Bread, Navy, per cwt.		17s 6d *a* 21s 3d
" Pilot, per bbl.		16s *a* 18s 9d
Beef, Prime Ca.		40s
" Am.		45s
Butter, Canada,		10½ *a* 1s
" N. S. per lb.		10½ *a* 1s
Coffee, Laguyra, "		8½d *a* 9d
" Jamaica, "		9d
Flour, Am. sft. per bbl.		30s *a* 32s 6d
" Can. sft. "		30s *a* 32 6d
" State, "		30s *a* 31s 3d
" Rye "		25s
Cornmeal "		22s 9d
Indian Corn, per bush.		5s 6d
Molasses, Mus. per gal.		1s 6½d
" Clayed, "		1s 5d
Pork, prime, per bbl.		$15
" mess "		$18
Sugar, Bright P. R.		45s
" Cuba		40s
Bar Iron, com. per cwt.		15s *a* 16s 3d
Hoop "		22s 6d
Sheet "		23s
Nails, cut "		22s 6d
" wrought per lb.		3½d *a* 6d
Leather, sole "		1s 4d *a* 1s 6d
Codfish, large		20s
" small		15s
Salmon, No. 1,		$20 *a* 20½
" 2,		19 *a* 19½
" 3,		16
Mackarel, No. 1,		18
" 2,		11 *a* 12
" 3,		6½ *a* 6¾
" " med.		4½ *a* 5
Herrings' No 1,		20s
Alewives,		20s
Haddock,		10s 6d *a* 11s
Coal, Sydney, per chal.		27s 6d
Firewood, per cord,		16s

Prices at the Farmers' Market, corrected up to 10 o'clock, A. M. Wednesday, Dec. 28.

Oats, per bushel		2s
Oatmeal, per cwt.		14s
Fresh Beef, per cwt.		25s *a* 30s
Bacon, per lb.		6½d *a* 7d
Cheese, "		6½d *a* 7½d
Calf-skins, "		7½d
Yarn, "		2s 6d
Butter, fresh "		11d *a* 1s
Lamb, "		3d *a* 3½d
Veal, "		2d *a* 3d
Turkey, "		7d *a* 7½
Ducks, "		2s 3d *a* 2s 9d
Chickens, "		2s *a* 2s 3d
Potatoes, per bushel		1s 6d
Eggs, per dozen		1s
Homespun Cloth (wool)	per yard,	2s 6d
Do. (cotton and wool)	"	1s 9d
Hay, per ton		£5 10s. *a* £6

WILLIAM NEWCOMB, *Clerk of Market.*

PIMPLES AND BLOTCHES are the result of impure blood. The blood becomes thick and clogged. The skin is not able to cast off the impurities so important to health. How many young men and woman we see with their faces covered with pimples and blotches who are endeavoring to remove them by the use of soaps and washes. This should never be practised by persons desirous of good health. Mothers who have children afflicted with sores and eruptions should never dry them up by external applications, for in this way they will produce ill health for the child during its whole life time.

Morse's Indian Root Pills are prepared expressly for the cure of eruptions of the skin, such as Pimples, Blotches, Sores, &c. They cleanse the blood of all impurities, producing a beautiful, clear and healthy skin, so much admired by all.

☞ Morse's Genuine Indian Root Pills are sold by G. E. Morton & Co, wholesale Agents, Halifax.

SMITH'S ESSENCE OF COFFEE instantaneously produces the most delicious Coffee, combining the richness and mellowed flavor of Mocha with the strength and fullness of the finest Jamaica. A very great convenience to travellers by land and sea, sportsmen, fishermen, ship officers, hotel keepers, &c.

☞ Agents in Halifax, E. G. Morton & Co.

ALPINE HAIR BALM should be used by persons recovering from fevers, if they wish to save their hair from falling off. It will make the hair soft and beautiful upon the children's heads—it will keep their hair in good shape Where this Balm is used it is not necessary to use any oil or pomade.

☞ Agents in Halifax, E. G. Morton & Co.

Orders are coming in every day from Druggists in all parts of the country, "Send me more of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

Marriages.

By the Rev. James Buckley, on the 16th September last, Mr. Robert SLOAN, to Miss Elizabeth KENNY, both of Aima, N. B.

By the same, on the 16th Nov., Mr. John James MCLAUGHLAIN, to Miss Martha Ann MCQUAIDE, of Aima, N. B.

By the same, on the 18th inst., at the Parsonage, Hopewell, Mr Wm. WILSON, of Hillsborough, to Miss Mary ANN FORSYTH, of Baltimore, N. B.

On Wednesday, the 21st inst., by the Rev. W. McCarty, Mr. Silas DAKIN, to Miss Susan MORESHOUSE, both of Digby Neck

At Kentville on the 21st inst., by the Rev. Thomas Angwin, Chairman of the Annapolis District, the Rev. James TAYLOR, Financial Secretary of the District, to MARGARET, eldest daughter of Thomas Lydard, Esq

At Lower Dublin, on the 22nd inst., by the Rev. C. DeWolf, A. M., Mr John W. CROFT, to MARY ELIZA, only daughter of Capt. James Bell.

Deaths.

On Monday morning, Decr. 26th, JOHN F., son of the late John F. Smyth, of this city, aged 8 years.

At sea, on the 2nd inst., on the passage from Cienfuegos to this port, Capt John FITZGERALD, a native of Newfoundland, aged 48 years.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED

WEDNESDAY, December 21.

Schr Sylvia, Young, Lunenburg.

THURSDAY, December 22.

Schrs Hiram, Poole, Cienfuegos.
Hero, Crowell, New York.
Union, Landry, Boston.
Myrtle, Cunningham, Barrington.

FRIDAY, December 23.

Schr Clan, McLean, Shelburne.

SUNDAY, December 25.

Barque Halifax, McCulloch, Boston.

MONDAY, December 26.

Brig America, Ryan, Boston.

CLEARED.

December 21—Barque Mary, Ross, Liverpool, G B; brig Arab, Mason, Kingston, Jam; brigt Velocity, Kelly, New York; schrs Jupiter, Hubert, Arichat; Beverly, Blanche, Newfld; Barrington, Hopkins Barrington; Challing, McDonald, P E Island; Emily, Gray, do; Greyhound, Gammage, LaHave.

December 22—Brig Express, Frith B. W. Indies; schrs Leader, Wolf, Port Medway; Mariner, Kenny, Sheet Harbour; W & W P, Perry, Shelburne; Ariel, Moore, P E Island; Rival, Simpson, St John, N. B.

MEMORANDA

Schr Rover, O'Brien, of Wallace, from Boston to Pugwash, was totally lost on Wednesday night, 14th instant, at White Head,—it was snowing heavily when she struck. Crew saved.

A Reliable Family Medicine.

While the various proprietary medicines which have been offered to the public by greedy speculators have gained for themselves at best but an ephemeral notoriety, the preparations of J. C. Ayer, & Co, have, by their superlative merits, won for themselves a place in the hearts of the people, which does credit to their judgment, and honor to the science and skill of the proprietors. Each of Dr. Ayer's medicines is compounded with especial reference to that *one* class of diseases for which it is designed, and each is acknowledged by the profession and the public to be the best remedy which the age affords for the disorders which it is designed to cure. See Dr. Ayer's advertisement in another column.

MORTON & COGSWELL.
3m. *Agents at Halifax.*

TO CONSUMPTIVES—The advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe Lung Affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
No. 360 First Street,
Williamsburgh, Kings Co

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—THE—

PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN

ALMANACK,

—FOR—

1860.

THE size of the Volume has been increased—its typography and general appearance improved, a new and very careful arrangement of every department has been made,—the BUSINESS DIRECTORY carefully revised, many new and important features added, and nothing knowingly omitted which could assist in the recommendation of this Annual as

The FARMER'S ALMANAC—and a FAMILY FRIEND

Price 7½d.—The usual allowance to wholesale buyers ☞ A large Edition has been printed and orders from all parts will be promptly attended to at

THE WESLEYAN BOOK ROOM,
Argyle Street, Halifax.

November 2

Deception! Deception!!

IT having been observed of late by a number of respectable Citizens as well as by the Firm of E. W. SUTCLIFFE & Co, that unprincipled *Grocers* having practised *Copying* the advertisements of the above *Firm* are thereby deceiving the public by selling *Spurious and Inferior Goods* to the loss and great annoyance of those who are anxious to purchase *Good* and *Genuine* articles at fair prices.

(Beware, Examine your Bills and Pass Books.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

E. W. SUTCLIFFE & CO.

Will still continue to sell their well known and far-famed TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, and every other article connected with the Grocery Business (Genuine as imported) and at the prices advertised, Warranting them to be better in quality and lower in price than can be had at any other Establishment in the City.

—Retail prices for this month.—

Good Tea, 2s. per lb. | Coffee 1s & 1s 3d. p. lb.
Family " 2s 3d. " | Roasted and ground by
Choice " 2s. 6d. " | Steam on the Premises.
Good Sugar only 4½d.
Best do. 5d.
Best crushed do 8d.
Currants, Raisins, Spices, &c at equally low prices

E. W. SUTCLIFFE & CO.,
Tea, Coffee and Grocery Mart.
37 Barrington St. opposite the Parade.

Dec. 14

Gifts for Christmas.

COMMERCE HOUSE,
No 40 Barrington Street,

WE have received per steamship, a lot of Sewed Muslin Goods, of very superior quality and new patterns in

Cambric and Muslin Collars,
Do do Sleeves,
Do do Setts Collars and Sleeves,
and other Needle Work

☞ Purchased as a Job Lot at a Large Discount, and now offered at one-half the usual cost.

Also—Chenille Head Dresses and Nets,
Fancy Boxes Lawn Hkfs, and other Fancy Goods, at reduced prices.

December 21. R. McMURRAY & CO.

CHEAP DRESSES,

—AND—

Dress Goods.

Suitable for Christmas Presents.

A LOT Plaid Mohairs, a superior article, 7½d., worth 1s.
Good quality Coburgs at 7½d per yard,
Plain and Crossover Winseys at 9d per do,
Handsome Flounced Robes at 7s. 6d.
Rich Silk Striped Moires, 17s 6d to 27s 6d, full dress. "Commerce House,"

December 21. R. McMURRAY & CO.
40 Barrington Street.

CHEESE, CHEESE.

E. W. SUTCLIFFE & CO.

HAVE received—2500 lbs. of very choice Cheese, selected with care from the best Dairies in Annapolis County, and for sale at the

GROCERY MART,
37 Barrington St.

Oct. 12.

New Advertisements.

☞ *Advertisements intended for this Paper should be sent in by 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, at the latest.*

Nova Scotia Railway Office.

Halifax, 23rd Decr., 1859,

TENDERS will be received at this Office until WEDNESDAY, the 4th January next, for the supply of the undermentioned articles as may from time to time be required during the year 1860—to be delivered at the Station at Richmond. Payment to be made quarterly, and the quality of the supplies to be approved of by such persons as the Board may appoint for that purpose

Brass Castings & Brass Work.

Bushes for Engines and Cars, to be of the very best metal; Castings, including Valves, Glands, Flanges, Cocks, &c.; Finished Brass Works, such as Oil Cups, Valves, Cocks, &c.

Cast Iron.

All Castings to be of the very best metal and workmanship.

Bar Iron.

Befined, Round, Square and Flat, of such sizes as may be required.

Tools.

Iron Shovels, Picks, Beaters, Crow Bars, Sledges, Striking Hammers, Adzes, Augurs, &c., as required.

Oils.

Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine.

Sundries in Mechanical Department.

White Lead in Oil, Red Lead, dry, best quality; Tallow or Lard; Wool, clean and free from grit; Valve Yarn, for packing; Emery Cloth and Flour; Sand Cloth; Iron Wood Screws, Nails, &c.

Stationery.

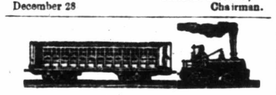
Blank Books, Post, Letter and Note Paper, Steel Pens, Ink, Sealing Wax, Wafers, &c.

Printing.

As may be required. Forms may be seen on application at the Office.

Every information will be afforded parties tendering, as to probable quantity required, as well as quality of each article, on application to the Railway Office, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock, noon.

JAMES McNAB,
December 28 Chairman.



EXCURSION

TO WINDSOR AND TRURO.

Nova Scotia Railway Office,
Halifax, 23rd Decr., 1859.

ON MONDAY, the 2nd January, TICKETS can be procured for WINDSOR and TRURO, on either morning or afternoon Trains

At One Fare,

TO and FROM those places—the Tickets to be available in returning the following day.

JAMES McNAB,
December 28. Chairman.

Another New Supply of INDIA RUBBERS.

34 CASES just landed per Hero from New York—in addition to the
119 cases recently received per Harriet—and
30 cases more expected in a few days
All of the best quality of American, superior to any other Goods—New Jersey manufacture—highest style and finish.

——*The new arrival consists of*——

Ladies Stout Over Shoes, and to suit high heels.
Gents Stout Over Shoes; Gents Gossimer Lot, Boots, finest quality.
Gents Wool lined Heavy Boots.
Boys do do do do, and Youths and Boys Over Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Long Boots for two years of age and upwards; Misses' Over Shoes.
Ladies Gossimer Rubber Gaiter Boots, open vamps, fine and soft as satin—a luxury for the feet.

Daily expected 2500 pairs of those remarkable cheap Rubbers, Women's 2s. 9d.; 2s under their value

W. G COOMBS,
ENGLISH SHOE STORE.
Next door to Railway Office and opposite the Telegraph Office, Dec 28

English & American Shoe Store

15 Duke street.

GOREHAM & RICKARDS have received per Steamer "America"

2 Packages of Boots & Shoes,

——CONTAINING——

Gentlemen's Stout Grain Balmoral BOOTS, Clump Sole,
Gentlemen's Stout Elastic Side Boots, clump sole,
Gentlemen's Patent Elastic side Dress Boots, at 17s. 6d.

With a splendid assortment of Ladies' Kid Boots; Children's Balmoral Boots; Felt Boots and Slippers which are offered at uncommonly low prices—Wholesale and Retail.

Dec. 21.

IN THE PRESS,

And will be Published in a few Days.

A SERMON

Occasioned by the death of the

REV. W. CROSCOMBE,

BY REV. M. RICHEY, D. D.

December 21.

New York Fire Insurance Agency At Halifax.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agent in Nova Scotia for the following New York Fire Insurance Companies, is prepared to take risks and issue Policies for the said companies:—

The American Exchange Fire Insurance Company of the City of New York.
The Resolute Fire Insurance Company of the City of New York.
The Phœnix Fire Insurance Company of Brooklyn, N. Y.
The Commerce Fire Insurance Company of New York.
The Goodhue Fire Insurance Company of New York

JAMES WHITMAN,
Dec. 21. 1m. Attorney at Law,

REMOVAL!

OFFICE OF

N. York Fire Insurance Agency

REMOVED TO

STUDLEY'S BUILDINGS,

PRINCE STREET,

South End of the Province Building,
JAMES WHITMAN, AGENT.
Dec. 21. 1m.

Chloride of Lime.

THE cheapest and best Disinfectant and Fumigant now in use. For removing all noxious vapours from Drains, &c., Cockroaches, Rats and Mice.

In bottles at 7½d. each. Sold by

ROBERT G. FRASER,
Chemist,
Next door to Messrs. T. & E. Kenny's
August 25. Granville Street, Halifax.

WESLEYAN BOOK ROOM.

SUNDAY AT HOME, for 1859.
The Leisure Hour do.
The Family Friend do.

Just received, with a choice assortment of Bibles, in rich bindings; Christmas presents.

Dec. 21. 3in.

PAINTS, VARNISHES, ETC.

THE Subscriber has received per late arrivals, a fresh supply of Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine &c. Also Dye Stuffs and Acids, Gold Leaf, Dutch Leaf, Gold and Yellow Bronzes, and other articles requisite for Painters.

JAMES L. WOODILL.

MATTHEW H. RICHEY,

Barrister and Attorney at Law

OFFICE—50, BEDFORD ROW.

HALIFAX, N.S.

Especial Notice to Ladies.

English and American

SHOE STORE.

GOREHAM & RICKARDS

BEG to announce that they have received per "Europa," an elegant assortment of Ladies and Childrens Boots, made expressly for this market and warranted to give satisfaction

Ladies Cloth Double Sole Boots Military Heel, 11s.
" Cashmeres do do do do 11s.
" Kid do do do do 10s.
" French Elastic Side Boots, 9s 6d.
" Cloth Double Sole Button Boots, 8s. 6d.
" Prunella Double Sole, 7s 6d.
" Cashmere and Prunella 3s 9d to 9s 6d.
Misses Fnamel Balmoral Boots,
Childrens do do do
Misses Cloth Button do do
" Leather do do do
" Felt over Boots,
" Rubber Boots and Shoes,
" Cloth Boots Double Sole Foxed with Leather.

Our stock of FELT GOODS are unsurpassed for superior finish and quality and will be sold at a great Reduction on former prices for Cash

The Ladies VICTORIA OVER BOOTS acknowledged to be the very best Boots for warmth and neatness that has ever been offered to the Public, have been received.

Ladies Felt Boots, very neat, 2s 3d
" Felt Boots, superior, 4s. 3d
" Felt Boots, very best, 5s. 3d.
" Felt Slippers, good 2s. 6d.
" Felt Slippers, better 3s. 3d.
" Felt Slippers, best 4s. 3d

We would call particular attention to our Stock of Gentlemen's Elastic Side and Balmoral Boots, Brogans, Lace Shoes, Calfskin Boots, Fisherman's Water Proof Boots, CANADIAN MOCCASINS, Boys High Top Boots, Brogans, Lace Shoes, High Rubber Boots, Men's and Women's Rubber Boots, and Shoes, Cork, Hair and Felt Soles, which are offered at extremely low prices Wholesale and Retail.

December 7.

Christmas Times.

Great Reduction in Teas,

AT THE

Tea, Coffee and Grocery Mart.

E. W. SUTCLIFFE & CO.,

HAVE just received a large and varied Stock of very CHOICE TEAS which they now offer by the Package at the following extremely low prices.

120 half Chests Souchong TEA, at 2s., former price 2s 4d
43 Chests good retailing TEA, at 2s., former price 2s 3d
36 Chests very Superior Tea, at 2s 4d, former price 2s 7d
200 small boxes Green Tea, in 1 lb., 2 lbs. and 4 lbs. each at 2s 6d per lb.
10 Chests Hyson TEA.—very choice.
30 half chests fine Oolong Teas
14 chests superior English Black Teas.

37 Barrington Street,
Opposite Grand Parade.

P. S.—Country Purchasers will find great advantage by forwarding per mail, or otherwise for any of the above named Teas. All orders executed promptly and personally.

Dec 7.

CRAMP AND PAIN KILLER.

THE world is astonished at the wonderful cures performed by the CRAMP AND PAIN KILLER, prepared by CURTIS & PERKINS. Its equal has never been known for removing pain in all cases; for the cure of Spinal Complaints, Cramp in in the Limbs and Stomach, Rheumatism in all its forms, Bilious Colic, Chills and Fever Burns, Sore Throat, and Gravel, it is decidedly the best remedy in the world. Evidence of the most wonderful cures ever performed by any medicine, are on circulars in the hands of Agents. Sold by merchants everywhere.

August 18. 1y ins.

New Importations!

THE Subscribers are now opening a further importation of Fur Caps, &c., just received per Bedouin from London.

Ladies and Gents Boots and Shoes of English manufacture, received per America and other steamers from Liverpool

Also—Per Barque Halifax and steamer Eastern State from Boston—24 cases Men's, Women's and Children's Rubber Overshoes, and Boots of superior quality.

25 cases American Boots and Shoes.

15 cases Wool Kossuth Hats, in all shapes, black and brown; 5 bales BUFFALO ROBES.

All of which are now offered, wholesale and retail, at the lowest prices for Cash or approved credit.

H. & MOSELL & CO.,
Hat, Fur and