a gentleman residing at Worcester, who arrived from California in the ire City steamer. He gives a melan- picture of affairs in California, and icts that the next steamer will bring in- ence of a general smash up there. Pro- , he says, is tumbling down, wages are red, and hundreds of persons are beg- for chances to work their passage home e steamers, guaranteeing, at the same to pay their passage after their arrival. This gentleman tells us, that miners ning from the mines to San Francisco, ceased to bring gold, and now bring in- l, sore heads, sore legs, and ruined con- tions; according to his account, many ons have perished at the mines and upon oad for lack of food and raiment. But annot give his report more in detail,—it most melancholy one, and, he says, what es affairs still worse, is that speculators alifornia are doing their best to send our urable accounts, in order to get out of scrape themselves, by putting the bur- upon the shoulders of new adventur- —*N. Y. Express.*

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onolulu has been taken possession of by French. The British Consul-General the American Consul protested against action of the French forces. The British sul General offered his services as Medi- , but was refused. It is supposed that the luct of the French Consul will be de- oced by his Government.

BY THE R. M. STEAMER.

The R. M. Steamer *Caledonia* arrived at port yesterday morning. The following the most important items of News—

REAT BRITAIN—Commercial.—In the ge- al departments of trade and commerce e has been much steadiness during the k. The cotton market has again been ve. Speculators have operated to a con- rable extent, so that holders have been bled to realize an advance of 1-8d to 1-4d lb. on American descriptions, whilst ve- full rates have been paid for all other ls. The foreign and colonial produce kets have been active during the week, the value of some articles has advanced, ticularly Coffee. The Money market rs no special feature for remark this k. If any change, it may be considered t discounts are rather easier.

A Hampshire paper professes to know spirit of the instructions of Sir Henry lwer, the new Envoy to the United States. contemporary states that he is to resist attempts "at interference on the part of United States in the affairs of Nicara-

The same authority intimates that Sir nry is empowered to ascertain what en- ragement the United States Government l give to the annexation of Canada. The erence is, that the Home Government l not interfere with the wishes of the Co- ists on this point. If a generally express- desire for annexation with the United tes were made, it would be conceded; to secure this, unanimity is indispensa-

The *Morning Herald* states there is good son to believe the recent Sabbath Post- ce regulations will be in a short time indoned. We hope so.

The *Enterprise* and *Investigator*, forming expedition under Captain Sir JAMES SS, have returned from the Arctic regi- s, having been perfectly unsuccessful in ir search for the gallant FRANKLIN and brave companions. Sir James traversed least 2?0 miles of the ice, the bergs of ich were frightful, much more so than y of the experienced arctic voyagers had n before, forming a most unparalleled feat exploration. We understand that it is confident opinion that neither Sir John anklin nor any of his brave companions eastward of any navigable point in the ctic regions, and if there be any chance their existence it is in the supposition that proceeded in a westerly direction, and in ch case we can only expect to hear from missing adventurers by the Mackenzie tachment, or by Her Majesty's ship *Plo-* , Commander Moore, by way of Russia.

A great temperance meeting was held at xeter Hall on the 5th inst., the subject of scussion being, "The influence of the tem- rance reformation on the extension of re-

ligion at home and abroad, and the moral obligations of professing Christians to pro- mote it."

IRELAND.—The third weekly meeting of the Repeal Association was held at Conciliation- Hall on Monday last. The rent for the week was announced to be £30 5s. 3d. The 5th November, so much dreaded in the north, we are informed passed off tranquilly. The con- stabulary throughout Ireland are at present engaged in filling up returns for the informa- tion of Government, of the quantity of pro- duce, stock, poultry, &c., in the land.

FRANCE.—France is quiet. In so abrupt- ly dismissing the late Ministry, the Presi- dent has taken a step which a constitutional sovereign dare hardly have risked; and as he cannot recede, it is clear that he must ad- vance in the course which he has chalked out for himself. The dismissal of the late ministry was hastened, it is said, by the dis- covery of a Legitimist conspiracy to seize on the reins of power, and obtain a restoration of the Bourbons by revolution. Some im- prudent demonstrations by officers in the ar- my are referred to the same source. The policy ascribed personally to the President on the Russian and Turkish question is ve- ry gratifying. He has boldly declared that France must assume a decided tone worthy of her dignity and character. His ministers are not so strong in their opinions on the matter. It is reported that one of the first acts of the new ministry will be to bring forward a measure demanding an augmen- tation to the President's salary of three or four millions of francs per annum. The quarrel between the President and Napole- on Bonaparte, as well as other members of the family, are all in train of adjustment

The R. M. Steamer *Cambria*, arrived at this port early yesterday morning from Boston. We can only give the following items of intelligence :—

Col. Webb, Editor and Proprietor of the *Courier and Enquirer*, it is said, has been appointed U. S. Minister to Austria.

The steamer *Louisiana*, burst her boil- ers at New Orleans, on the 15th, by which disaster it is thought 200 persons have lost their livss, and a number have been seri- ously injured.

The steamer *Belle*, also, blew up on the 17th, between New Orleans and Mobile, by which the engineer and several hands were killed; and several others wounded.

Dates, from Montreal 19th, say that seri- ous troubles have taken place in the Min- ing Districts on Lake Superior, arising out of difficulties between the Chippewa In- dians and the Government. The military department are making formidable prepara- tions for the emergency.

COMMERCIAL MEMORANDA,

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOV. 23.

(*Prepared for the Wesleyan.*)

Beef—N. S. Prime may be quoted at 37s. 6d. *Bread*—Pilot sells at 18s. 9d. per brl. of 75 lbs.; Navy, 18s. 6d. to 19s. 6d. per cwt. *Butter*—A lot of 300 firkins has changed hands at 7 3-4d., for small lots of prime tubs 8 1-2d. per lb. is demanded. *Coffee*—This article sells by the bag at 6 1-2d per lb. *Corn Meal*—We have heard of no sales of late, a good article may be worth 17s. 6d. *Fish*—Shore Cod in small lots are worth 11s., Scale can be purchased at 6s. 6d.: No. 1 Mackerel sells at 52s. 6d., No. 2 at 37s. 6d., and No. 3 at 27s 6d cash: Herrings may be quoted at 15s to 17s 6d for round, and 20s for split. *Flour*—A good article is very scarce, we think the first ar- rivals of Canada sup. will readily command 30s., Am. sup. is held at 31s. 3d. to 32s 6d. Rye dull at 18s 9d, the stock of this article at present exceeds that of superfine wheat.

Oils—Cod has been sold at 2s. 2d. and Dog at 2s. 1 3-4d., the article is worth more money. *Pork*—N. Y. City Prime is held at 55s. *Tea*—A superior article of Congo has been sold at auction at 1s. 5d. *W. I. Produce*—A prime article of P. R. Sugar moves by the cask at 37s 6d. and choice Muscovado Molasses sell by the puncheon at 1s, 5d. D. P.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

Since our last notice, letters on business have been received from Rev. J. V. Jost. Rev. W. C. Beals, Rev. A. McNutt, Rev. W. McCarty; J. J. Rogerson and A. Hen- derson, Esquires.

AGENCY.

We have much pleasure in stating that J. J. Rogerson, Esq., St. John's, N. F., has kindly consented to act as Agent for the *Wesleyan* for Newfoundland. His request shall be complied with. Orders and remit- tances designed for this Office by subscri- bers and others in N. F., should be sent to him. We hope a new impetus will now be given to the circulation of the *Wesleyan* in that important District.

NOTICE.

The Rev. *J. Brewster* of Burin, New- foundland, will preach (D. V.) to-morrow, in the Wesleyan Church, Argyle Steeet, at 11 A. M., and at the Brunswick St. Church, at 7 P. M.

☞We regret that the *Communicated* Article respecting the Mic Mac Mission came too late to be inserted *entire* in this week's Wesleyan. It shall appear in our next. Our friend will see that the subject is referred to in a previous article.

☞The *Village Church* in our next.

Dr. Dixon's Tour in America,
Received and for sale at *Miss Smith's* Book- store, No. 138 Granville Street.

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The worst attack of the Piles are effectually and permanently cured in a short time by the use of the genuine Hays's Liniment. Hundreds of our first citizens throughout the country have used this Liniment with complete success. It is warranted to cure the most aggravated case.
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MARRIAGES.

On Wednesday evening last, by the Rev. John Martin, Mr. Thomas Sedler of this city, to Miss Mary Anne Cole, of Musquodobit.

On the 17th inst. at Trinity Church, St John N. B. by the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. Charles Parke Bliss, A. M., Missionary of Hope- well, and fourth son of the late G. P. Bliss, Esq., Receiver General of the Province of New Bruns- wick, to Dorothy Anne, only daughter of C. V. Forster, Esq. H. M. Customs at that port

At Dorchester, County of Westmorland N.B., on 13th instant, by the Rev. J. N. DeWolf, Rector, Mr. Otho R Sayre, Merchant, to Mary S., third daughter of William Carter, Esquire, Deputy Treasurer, all of that place.

DEATHS.

On Tuesday, 20th inst, in the 70th year of her age, Catharine Milward, relict of the late Wm. Milward, Esq.

On Tuesday morning last, after a long and pain- ful illness, which she bore with patient resignation to the will of Almighty God, Mrs. Mary Eliza Rent, in the 45th year of her age

Yesterday, at his residence in Albro Street, Mr John Roop, Junr, in the 43rd year of his age— leaving a wife and three children to lament the loss of a kind and affectionate husband and parent. Funeral at 3 o'clock to morrow afternoon. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend, without further notice.

At Liverpool, N. S, on the 3rd inst., Mrs. Re- becca McNutt, aged 93 years.

On board Ship *York*, of Boston, in San Francis- co Bay, on the 26th Sept of cholera morbus. Mr. Thomas R. Campbell, of Weymouth, Nova Scotia, a much esteemed and valuable member of the Pacific Company.

On the 16th inst. at Yarmouth, in the 42nd year of her age, Sophia M. wife of the Rev. William Burton.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

MONDAY.—Schr. Lancet, Harty, Placentia Bay N. F. schr. Glory, Le Blanc, P. E. Island; schr. Mary, Graham, do; schr. Jupiter, Sydney, schr. Conservative, Van Amburg, P. E. Island, R. M. Steamer Falcon, Corbin, St. Johns, N. F. via Sy- dney, C. B. schr. Isabella, Fraser, St. John's, N. F. schr. Clifford, Siteman, Miramichi, schr. Lucy, O'Brien, Pictou, Enterprise, Swain, do; schr. St. Patrick, Myres; schr Alphonsine, Boulette, Que- bec; schr Sylph, LaBoaff, St John's, N F; R M steamer Ospray, Sampson, Bermuda, 4½ days.

Wednesday—Schrs. Shannon, Sydney; Mary, Robertson, Wallace; Catherine, Hall, Sydney; Margaret Muggah, Sydney; Rupert, McDermott, Pictou; Indus, Day, Sydney; Commerce, Cormac, Bay St. George; Lord Exmouth, Dickson, P. E. Island; Hannutt, Sin, P. E. Island; Queen of the Isles, Tongen, P. E. I.; Tom, M. Donald, P. E. I.; Shannon, King, P. E. I.

Thursday—Brigt Mary, Conrad, Montego Bay, [illegible] schr Rambler, West Indies [illegible] Brig Kingston, Shelburne, schr Caroline, P. E. I.

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Halifax, N. S., Nov. 24. 6ins.

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FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER,
50 BOXES Choice APPLES (Ribston Pippins, 200 Tubs BUTTER,
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Nov 24. Sun & Col. 4w. Bedford Row.

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H. FRASER begs respectfully to announce to the inhabitants of Halifax, and its vicinity, that in a few days he will re-open his Es- tablishment, No. 7, Cheapside, with a new and elegant stock of China, Glass & Earthenware.
China of every description neatly repaired.
Nov. 24.

Bank Shares.
A few Shares in the Bank of Nova Scotia for sale by YEOMANS & FRASER
Nov. 21. 3w

Pimento and Hides
Per Brigt. Mary from Montego Bay, Jam.
250 BAGS PIMENTO, 165 dry HIDES,
For sale by
Nov. 24. GEORGE H. STARR.

FRESH FRUIT, OIL, &c.
The Remainder of the Brig "Avon's" Cargo from Malaga, consisting of
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OLIVE OIL in Casks,
WHITE WINE VINEGAR in qtr. casks,
GRAPES, in kegs of 25 lbs.
Wine Corks, in bags of 25 gross
—ALSO—
50 cases Yellow Havana SUGAR
For sale by CREIGHTON & GRASSIE.
Nov. 17. 1m.

No. 130, Granville Street.
THE Subscriber has completed his Fall Supply of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, SOAPS, VINEGAR, &c., and every article usually kept by Druggists, of the best quality.
—ALSO,—
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Superior Chema Syringes, Vesta Matches, Rich Cut Fonette bottles, Eau de Cologne, Sponge and Sponge Bags. ROBT. G. FRASER.
Oct. 27. 1 month.

A CARD.
MISS SMITH begs leave respectfully to notify her friends and the public that she has remo- ved her Book and Stationery Establishment, to the Shop (No. 138,) lately occupied by Mrs. Doane, in *Granville Street*, one door south of Mr. Fraser's Drug-Store and invites attention to her present Stock, which she will sell at reduced prices.
September 15.

JOHN WOODILL, Victualler.
BEGS respectfully to inform his friends and cus- tomers that he has removed from his former stand, (opposite Davy's Country Market) to the (old Woodill) stand, No. 52, UPPER WATER STREET, opposite Messrs. Saltus & Wainwright's Wharf— where he will be thankful for a continuation of fa- vours, formerly conferred on him May 19.

For Sale.
126 Tons Dimension, Spruce and Pine TIMBER 10x10, 9x9 and 8x8 inches Square, at Cut- lip's Wharf. Low for Cash. Apply to
Sept 5. (W & A) H. G. HILL.

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And a great variety and good assortment of
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For Sale by W. F. NEWMAN,
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85 HDS 25 Bbls. } Bright Porto Rico SUGAR,
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50 bbls Pilot BREAD,
150 bbls Navy ditto,
200 bbls No. 1 NFLD. HERRINGS, 'Round'
7 bbls No. 3 SALMON,
Bolts No 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 CANVAS,
Twine for Sewing ditto
A few Demijohns Bay Water, Superior
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SCOTT'S Commentary on the Bible, 6 vols.
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50 Puns. Retailing MOLASSES,
75 chests Superior Congo TEA,
150 Coils assorted Cordage & Bolt Rope,
20 cwt. Oakum,—Nets of all sizes,
150 bolts CANVASS, No. 1 to 6,
Duck & Osnaburg, 200 boxes Glass, 100 boxes Soap, best White Lead and Red PAINT, 50 kegs Steam Nails. 1m Nov. 17, 1849.

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Oct. 6. J. S. CUNNABELL.

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