

The Rev. O. J. Machin, at the request of the Bishop of Newfoundland left town this morning in the 'Plover,' for the purpose of visiting the Missions of Greenspond and Salvage, and other parts of Bonavista not under the immediate care of a clergyman in full orders. He expects to be absent about a month.—'Evening Telegram' of Monday.

We learn from the 'Ledger' that the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher is expected to arrive at St. John's in a short time.

TELEGRAPHIC.

HALIFAX, Aug. 4.

Russia is pushing the invasion of Turkistan.

Cetewayo's brother, Dubalmanzi, and several other important Chiefs have surrendered. The naval brigade embarked for England.

Ekwere has been recaptured, and the British troops have been successful in all directions.

A confederation of the African colonies will follow peace.

A statue to President Thiers was raised at Nancy on Saturday. The demonstration was immense. Two of the Government spoke, claiming that a liberal conservative republic had been permanently established.

The court martial sentenced Lieut. Carey to death; but the Queen has allowed him to return to his duty, commuting the sentence to "indiscretion."

August 5th.

Consolidated bank notes 85 cents on dollar, 12 cents offered on stock.

Wolsley gives Chelmsford leave to return.

General reinforcement of chiefs arranged 19th July.

Cetewayo fugitive.

Basuto troubles settled.

Disturbances Transvaal.

Famine threaten Zululand.

Evacuation Bulgaria completed.

Ten deaths by sun-stroke yesterday in New York.

Terrific storm in England on Saturday night, immense injury to crops.

Thames Valley the scene of greatest destruction.

August 6th.

Steamer "David Antwerp" of Naples wrecked off Ushant 27 drowned.

Second sister of the King of Spain dead.

3,000,000 sterling voted without division for Zulu war.

Northcott moved a vote of thanks to Commons.

Viceroy of India aids Afghan expedition.

"Times" estimates English hay crop many millions worth deficient and barley only half crop.

Varieties.

There is "an indescribable" feeling of holiness comes to us when meditating on the priceless thought—trusting. It is the veil of the world beyond, and should be worn by all. Those who trust and wait shall not be found wanting.

Never cast aside your friends if by any possibility you can retain them. We are the weakest of penitents if we let one friend drop off through inattention, or let one push away another, or if we hold aloof from one for petty jealousy, or from heedless sight or roughness.

All persons ought to cultivate the art of expression. Some will make anything interesting, others make everything dull. When one writes stupidly you can skip, but there is no such refuge in conversation. The dreary talker means well enough, and so you do not care to insult him.

The happiness of the married life depends upon a power to make small sacrifices with readiness and cheerfulness. Few persons are ever called upon to make great sacrifices or to confer great favors; but affection is kept alive and happiness secured by keeping up a constant warfare against little selfishnesses.

Some men are of a very cheerful disposition, and heaven forbid that such should be condemned for lightness. Oh, let not any envious eye disinherit men of that which is their "portion" in this life, comfortably to join the blessings thereof.

It is not what people eat but what they digest that makes them strong. It is not what they gain but what they save that makes them rich. It is not what they read but what they remember that makes them learned. It is not what they profess but what they practice that makes them righteous.

In the early spring-time of life, when the seeming y broad future lies before us, bright with the budding promises of hope, how little we heed the passing hours and the moments flit by almost unnoticed, yet these compose the sum of life, and as they are utilized or wasted, so shall our after years be barren or fruitful.

Scientific.

The English scientists have discovered that impure water incites diphtheria. Few articles of consumption are so dangerous as impure water.

Laughing gas, as it is popularly called is a dangerous article for use or experiment. No matter what is said frequent deaths have occurred from its use.

That the earth is at present losing heat is a well established fact, as shown by the fact that the temperature of its crust increases as we descend. In any conducting body, the flux of heat is always from warm to colder parts.

Professor Tait has found that India rubber, after having been stretched for years and becomes permanently strained or if it be stretched while warm nearly to rupture, will recover its former dimension, when it is dipped into hot water.

A new instrument called a navisphere, which shows which of the principal stars are above the horizon at any particular hour, has been invented in France. It is designed to facilitate navigators in determining the true position of their vessels when at sea without calculation, and in a few seconds. French steamship officers have tested it with favorable results.

A paste to be specially recommended where it is desired that objects pasted on should undergo no change in color or shading is made by mixing rice flour and water, then heating it slowly to the boiling point, till the required consistency is obtained. Prints on Chinese paper may be capitally mounted with this. Rice paste possesses besides great adhesive power.

A new object in the heavens, which was at first suspected to be a comet, but now turns out to be a nebula or starry cloud et, has been discovered at the Arcetri observatory. Florence by the well known astronomer Dr. Temp e. He describes it as conspicuous enough to be within the reach of ordinary telescopes and near the nebula known to observers as Herschel I. 32.

Mr. George Deacon giving evidence before the Electric Lighting Committee lately in London, said the semi-opaque globe obscured quite half the illuminating power. The light could be utilised to best advantage by using semi-opaque saucer on top. The light then in its immediate neighborhood would not be too intense, and the rays would be thrown a great distance.

Sir John Lubbock has delivered another lecture on ants. He thinks it is difficult to deny them the possession of reason but admits that the question whether they are conscious, reasonable beings is still a mystery. His latest experiment indicates, if they do not prove, that ants cannot communicate with one another by means of sound. As to the effect of color on them he finds that they prefer red light to blue.

Agricultural.

'Easter Buree' is considered the finest late winter pear grown. Although not succeeding well in the United States the tree seems (in the region about Montreal) to be hardy, its fruit well shaped and no difficulty is experienced in ripening it. The fruit varies in shape from obovate, to pyriform. Color: Dull yellow, with sometimes a light crimson blush. Flesh: White melting buttery, juicy and rich. The fruit ripens from February to April, and has been kept until June.

The cherry is a hardy tree and usually fruits well, several of the commoner sorts being grown almost without cultivation. Every farm should have trees enough to refresh the soul of, at least, the boys and birds.

Out of the one hundred and seventy varieties of cherries which Downing enumerates as cultivated in America, the Lake Kentish or seedlings of it, and seedlings of the English Morella type, are the kinds most grown. On the shores of Annapolis Basin there are many large Cherry orchards principally of the Black Heart family. The Ear y Purple Guigne, Black Tartarian, Eton. Black Heart, Go ermor Wood and May Dike (Wedco) are perhaps the best varieties for cultivation in Quebec.

Mr. Saunders, of London, tells us that nearly all the different cultivated varieties of plums spring originally from the sloe. The finer sorts are mostly of comparatively recent origin; most of the American varieties having been produced within the last fifty years but some few of the best European sorts date back much further than that. The Green Gage for example, was brought into notice some time during the last century. An English family of the name of Gage obtained a number of trees from the Monks of la Grande Chartreuse, near Paris, France; and among them a tree of this plumb which having lost its name was called by the gardener Green Gage.

Died, On Monday evening August 14 James M. Donnelly Esq., of St. John's, Barrister at Law, aged 27 years.

Shipping News.

PORT OF CARBONAR.

CLEARED.

July 31. Merry Heart, Ball, Labrador, John Rorke.
Aug. 4. Muriel, Rorke, Labrador, John Rorke.
Frank Emmett, Parnell, Labrador, John Rorke.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF FURNITURE, &c.

THE Rev. Mr. HOYLES will dispose of, by Private Sale, his Household Furniture, &c., together with his

Horse, Carriage, Harness, Sleigh, Cow, &c., &c.

And the Present Season's Crop of HAY, of Spendid Growth and Cure.

The Sale to Commence, D. V., On Monday, Aug. 18, at 11 a. m.

Intending purchasers of such things as can be given up immediately, as for example, PIANO, some BOOKS, the HAY &c., are invited to call at once, and on naming the article which they desire to buy, the same will be shown them. All household articles have been examined and valued by an impartial and thoroughly competent person, and in the sale thereof, his valuation will govern.

ST. JOHN'S, No. 1, MARBLE WORKS THEATRE HILL, ST. JOHN'S, ROBERT A. MACKIM, MANUFACTURER OF

Monuments, Tombs, Grave Stones, Tables, Mantel Pieces, Hall and Centre Tables, &c. He has on hand a large assortment of Italian and other Marble, and is now prepared to execute all orders in his line.

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Inquiries made—questions answered. All business considered confidential. No greater publicity than necessary given to any matter.

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G. W. R. HIERLIHY, Bay Roberts.

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Per Cortes, from New York, 100 Barrels Beckstein's T. M.

PORK.

50 ditto LOINS, 50 ditto JOLLS, 50 ditto BEEF CUTTINGS.

May 22. J. & T. HEARN

UNION BANK OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of 8 per cent. upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared for the half-year ending 31st May, 1879, and a Bonus of £2 per share, payable at the Banking House, in this city, on and after Thursday, 12th inst.

By Order of the Board, JAMES GOLDIE, MANAGER.

A CARD.

Superior Board and Accommodation for either Permanent or Transient

BOARDERS.

177 DUCKWORTH STREET, Near Prescott Street, St. John's. May 22.

JUST OPENED.

NEW GROCERY

AND

PROVISION STORE, (Opposite the Public Wharf,) Harbor Grace,

The Subscriber begs to inform the public of Carbonar that he has Just Opened the above Premises where he will keep on hand, a choice and well assorted stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, AT LOWEST PRICES POSSIBLE. N. STEWART, PROPRIETOR.

Harbor Grace, June 19th, 1879.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST RECEIVED

Per Hero, from Grenock, 100 Barrels Bass & Co's

A L E,

(QUARTS,) 100 Bls. ditto ditto Pints

May 22. J. & T. HEARN

NOTICE.

PERSONS arriving at BAY ROBERTS per STEAMER, en route for HARBOR GRACE, or CARBONAR, can be forwarded by a Smart TEA d, by applying by letter, telegraph, or personally to MR. HIERLIHY, next Post Office. June 19.

P. F. CABERRY, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT AND AUCTIONEER,

Central Auction-Mart, BECK'S COVE, ST. JOHN'S St. John's, June 12. 2m.

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JOHN A. ROCHFORD, NOTARY PUBLIC.

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CARD.

W. J. HENDERSON, SHIP BROKER

Commission & Forwarding Agency, &c., ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

May 29.

NOTICE.

AGROSS NEWFOUNDLAND WITH THE GOVERNOR;

A VISIT TO OUR MINING REGION; AND—THIS

Newfoundland of Ours,

Being a series on the natural resources and future prosperity of the colony, by the Rev. M. HARVEY. For sale at the office of this paper, prices fifty cents.

NOW LANDING

Ex. Racer, from Greenock, 10 Octaves Scotch

WHISKEY

10 Quarter Casks ditto 25 Cases LORNE ditto 50 Cases HAZELBURN ditto 75 Cases IRISH ditto 50 Hhds. Jeffrey's ALE, 50 Therces P. RIER.

May 22. J. & T. HEARN

COMMERCIAL BANK OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

A DIVIDEND on the Capital Stock of this Company at the rate of Ten per cent per Annum, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1879, will be payable at the Banking House in Duckworth Street, on and after SATURDAY, the 12th instant, during the usual hours of business.

By order of the Board, R. BROWN, Manager.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC are hereby notified that from and after this date Parties having ORDERS on the BOARD OF WORKS are required to present the same for payment on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS only in each week, between the hours of ten and two o'clock.

By order, JOHN STUART, Secretary.

Board of Works, St. John's, 2nd May, 1879.

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Manufacturer of Monuments, Tombs, Grave Stones, Counter Tops, and Table Tops, &c.,

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PICTURES, LOOKING GLASSES, CLOCKS, TIME PIECES, LOOKING GLASS PLATES, Statuary, Picture Framing, STATIONARY,

And a Variety of FANCY ARTICLES, too numerous to mention. PICTURES framed to order. CLOCKS CLEANED & REPAIRED.

Import Orders strictly attended to.

V. ANDREOLI.

Harbor Grace, Ma. 22nd, 1879.

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CAUTION.

The PILLS Purify the Blood, correct all disorders of the Liver, Stomach Kidneys and Bowels, and are invaluable in all complaints incidental to Females. The OINTMENT is the only reliable remedy for Bad Legs, Old Wounds, Sores, and Ulcers, of however long standing. For Bronchitis, Diphtheria, Coughs, Colds, Gout, Rheumatism, and all Skin Diseases it is no equal.

BEWARE OF AMERICAN COUNTERFEITS.

I most respectfully take leave to call the attention of the Public generally to the fact, that certain Houses in New York are sending to many parts of the globe SPURIOUS IMITATIONS of my Pills and Ointment. These frauds bears on their labels some address in New York.

I do not allow my medicines to be sold in any part of the United States. I have no Agents there. My Medicines are only made by me, at 555 Oxford Street London.

In the books of directions affixed to the spurious make is a caution, warning the Public against being deceived by counterfeits. Do not be misled by this audacious trick, as they are the counterfeits they pretend to denounce.

These counterfeits are purchased by unprincipled Vendors at one half the price of my Pills and Ointment, and are sold to you as my genuine Medicines.

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The Trade Marks of these Medicines are registered in Ottawa. Hence, any one throughout the British Possessions, who may keep the American Counterfeits for sale, will be prosecuted.

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A Perfect Fit Guaranteed.

WEST END, CARBONAR. May 22nd, 1879.