CONTRACT.

Mail Conveyance between Truro, and Amherst.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Deputy Postmaster General, for Conveying Her Majesty's MAILS between Truro and Amherst, twice a week, will be received at this Office on TUESDAY the 28th day of May next, at twelve o'clock, (noon). The tenders to state the Sum per annum in Halifax Currency.

The Conditions of the Contract are that the Department reserves to itself the right of fixing the days and hours of departure from either end of the Line, The Coaches or Waggons to be drawn by not less than two Horses, and a uniform rate of speed *must be maintained at Seven Miles an Hour*, both in Summer and Winter. A Notice of Three Months to be given on either side to determine the Contract, and ample security will be required for the due and faithful performance of the service.

Parties Tendering to call themselves at the General Post Office at the above hour, and must be prepared with the names of the parties who are willing to become bound as Sureties, accompanied by a Certificate signed by two Magistrates, that they are in eligible circumstances, otherwise no notice will be taken of their Tenders.

The Service to commence on the 6th of July next.

Any further information which may be required, can be obtained on application to the Deputy Postmaster General.

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General Post Office, Halifax, 10th April, 1850. } 128m April

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Antibilious, Aperient Pills.

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Genuine British Drugs and Medicines, Leeches, Perfumery, Seeds, Spices, &c.

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NOTICE.

To the Friends of Temperance

AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.

WHEREAS Travellers have been put to great inconvenience for want of a comfortable Hotel in Lower Horton, the Subscriber has opened his House as a

TEMPERANCE HOTEL.

The House is large and commodious, with good Stabling, situate in one of the most pleasant parts of the Township on the road leading from Dimock's old Stand to the Packet landing, a few rods from the Post Road, near the Temperance Hall, which can be seen by all Travellers as they pass along. The Road leads out into the Post Road, the Coach often passes that way.

The Hotel will be conducted on strict Temperance principles, and every attention paid to visitors. Persons in town wishing to spend a few weeks in the Country, can be accommodated with Board, Horses and Carriages, and those coming in the Packet conveyed to any part they wish.

The Subscriber trusts from his long experience in the business to be able to give every satisfaction.

JOHN FISHER.

Lower Horton, March 23.

Elastic Chest Expanding Braces.

THE SUBSCRIBER,

BEING acquainted with the construction of Chest Expanding BRACES, recommended as a principal means of the prevention and cure of Consumption, by Dr. Fitch of Philadelphia, a physician celebrated for his success in the cure of that disease,—and being urged by several of his friends whom he furnished with them, to make it known to the public, he therefore takes this opportunity of complying with their wishes.

These BRACES are recommended to all slightly made or narrow chested persons; also for Round Shoulders or Diseased Spine, as a means of expanding the Chest, so as to give full play to the Lungs, straightening and strengthening the Back, and giving uprightness and symmetry to the body.

They will be found beneficial to all ages,—but especially to youth. They may be worn without the least inconvenience, precluding the necessity of Stays—for which Ladies would find it greatly to their advantage, as regards health and beauty, to substitute them.

The Subscriber will furnish the Braces wholesale or retail, at prices as moderate as possible.

MICHAEL HERBERT,

Halifax, Feb. 16 No. 6 Argyle Street.

MOTT'S BROMA.

THE following observations having reference to the preparation of BROMA, appeared in a late number of the Boston Medical Journal:—

"A few years since a great manufacturer of Broma sought the opinions of many medical gentlemen of distinction, for the purpose of having an unobjectionable food for invalids, and was assured that he had fully succeeded. Hospitals, infirmaries, and households generally, should always be provided with it. When gruel, arrowroot, groats, barley, starch, rice, farina, and many other things ordinarily resorted to for patients are of no utility, the Broma is sometimes relished. It is believed that those who use it as a beverage will have manifest dietetic advantages over the consumers of tea and coffee. We see it stated that during the last summer those individuals who were continually using Chocolate or Broma neither had attacks of cholera or dysenteric affections, while others of the same families, taking their daily potations in tea, coffee, or simple cold water, were the sufferers, if any. We cannot vouch for the truth of this, but it has recalled to mind the statement that the oil dealers in London have been free from cholera or the choleroid symptoms. And it has been further observed, that persons who were taking cod liver oil for chronic difficulties, during the prevalence of the late epidemic, were not affected by it. Vegetable oil in the first instance, and animal oil in the last, taken internally, would appear, by these statements, to have secured those who took them from the shafts of the pestilence. It is certainly a point well worth while to determine, whether the chocolate drinkers have been secure in other infected cities."

MOTT'S BROMA has now been before the public for a considerable period, and along with the commendations of the Medical Faculty of this and the neighbouring Provinces, it has received the approbation of all classes of consumers.—It is held to be an article of standard reputation, and the demand for it is constantly increasing.

☞ Sold wholesale for the Proprietor, at Halifax, at MORTON'S MEDICAL WAREHOUSE, near the Province Building. Feb. 23.

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THE Agency of the above Company has been in operation in this Province about 4 years, and made considerable progress, without yet having a claim, the rates are generally lower than any other London or Scotch Company, and the proportion of profit divided among the assured greater by far than any other, being nine out of every ten clear to the Stockholders, rendering it desirable both a Stock and Mutual Society without any risk to the assured, their last bonuses declared May last were in some cases over three per cent per annum on the amount of Policy. And on two policies at this agency on which three annual premiums had been paid, the Bonus added was [illegible] per cent. on the amount paid in, the mortality among the lives assured by this Society were [illegible] per cent. less than had been calculated for. The above are facts in favour of the Star which cannot be controverted, and should commend it to the favourable consideration of parties intending to insure. Policies effected on the participating principle allowed to come in on payment of 3 annual premiums. Thirty days allowed for the renewal of Policies after becoming due, and Policies expired can be renewed within six months, if the parties health is not impaired, on the payment of a small fine.—A medical fee may be obtained for the first five years, on payment of a charge made for crossing to and from Europe. Steamers or first class sailing vessels are generally advising the Agent of the parties intention. Policies are sent out by next steamer after receipt of Proposals. The attention of the inhabitants of this Province generally and the Wesleyan Members, is requested to the favourable terms and advantages offered by the "Star" as above enumerated. It is admitted by all that it is the duty of every person having others dependent on them to provide for them while they have it in their power, and in no way can this be done so effectually as by paying according to the rates adopted on a Life Policy. It has often been said even here to be of much benefit to widows and orphans, and so very uncertain are such kind of benefits, of which we have recently had several proofs, that delay in these matters is exceedingly dangerous, the only time to apply is while in health. Applicants will receive every information attention to their requests by the Agent, who is furnished with all necessary forms, and Medical Examiner attends free of charge at the Agency. All communications must be post paid.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

CURE OF ASTHMA.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Benjamin Mackie, a respectable Quaker, dated Creeagh, near Longhall, Ireland, dated September 14th, 1848.

To Professor Holloway,

RESPECTED FRIEND,—Thy excellent Pills have effectually cured me of an Asthma, which afflicted me for three years to such an extent, that I was obliged to walk my room at night for air, afraid of being suffocated if I went to bed by cough and phlegm. Besides taking the Pills, I rubbed plenty of thy Ointment into my chest night and morning.

(Signed) BENJAMIN MACKIE.

Cure of Typhus Fever, when supposed to be at the Point of Death.

A respectable female in the neighbourhood of Longhall, was attacked with Typhus Fever, and lay for five days without having tasted any description of food. She was given over by the Surgeon, and preparations were made for her demise. Mr Benjamin Mackie, the Quaker, whose case is referred to above, heard of the circumstance, and knowing the immense benefit that he himself had derived from Holloway's Pills, recommended an immediate trial, and eight were given to her, and the same number was continued night and morning, for three days, and in a very short time she was completely cured.

N. B.—From advice just received, it appears that Colonel Dear, who is with his Regiment in India, the 21st Fusileers, cured himself of a very bad attack of Fever by these celebrated Pills. There is no doubt but any Fever, however malignant, may be cured by taking night and morning copious doses of this fine medicine. The patient should be induced to drink plenty of warm linseed tea or barley water.

CURE OF DROPSY IN THE CHEST.

Extract of a Letter from J. S. Mundy, Esq. dated Kennington, near Oxford, December 2nd, 1848.

To Professor Holloway

SIR,—My Shepherd for some time was afflicted with water on the chest; when I heard of it, I immediately advised him to try your Pills, which he did, and was perfectly cured, and is now as well as ever he was in his life. As I myself received so astonishing a cure last year from your Pills and Ointment, it has ever since been my most earnest endeavour to make known their excellent qualities.

(Signed) J. S. MUNDY.

The Earl of Aldborough Cured of a Liver and Stomach complaint.

Extract of a Letter from his Lordship, dated Villa Messina, Leghorn, 21st February, 1845.

To Professor Holloway.

SIR,—Various circumstances prevented the possibility of my thanking you before this time for your politeness in sending me your Pills as you did. I now take the opportunity of sending you an order for the amount, and at the same time, to add that your Pills have effected a cure of a disorder in my Stomach and Liver, which all the most eminent of the Faculty at home, and all over the Continent, had not been able to effect; nay, not even the waters of Carlsbad and Marienbad. I wish to have another Box and a Pot of the Ointment, in case any of my family should require them. Your most obliged and obedient servant,

(Signed) ALDBOROUGH.

CURE OF A DEBILITATED CONSTITUTION.

Mr Mate, a Storekeeper, of Gundagai, New South Wales, had been for some time in a most debilitated state of health his constitution was so debilitated that his death was shortly looked upon by himself and friends as certain; but as a forlorn hope, he was induced to try Holloway's Pills, which had an immediate and surprising effect upon his system, and the result was to restore him in a few weeks to perfect health and strength, to the surprise of all who knew him. He considered his case so extraordinary that he, in gratitude, sent it for publication, to the *Sydney Morning Herald*, in which paper it appeared on the 2nd January, 1848. A few doses of the Pills will quickly rally the energies of both body and mind, when other medicines have failed.

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SARSAPARILLA

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GENERAL AGENY—Halifax, N. S.

Rheumatism.

Blackwell's Island, Sept. 14, 1847

DR. S. P. TOWNSEND—Dear Sir: I have suffered terribly for nine years with the Rheumatism; considerable of the time I could not eat, sleep or walk. I had the utmost distressing pains, and my limbs were terribly swollen. I have used four bottles of your Sarsaparilla, and they have done me more than one thousand dollars worth of good. I am so much better—indeed I am entirely relieved. You are at liberty to use this for the benefit of the afflicted.

Yours respectfully, JAMES CUMMINGS

The Rev. John Seger,

Of Jersey City, an old and highly respectable clergyman of the Baptist Denomination, handed in the following certificate at Dr. S. P. Townsend's office. It speaks for itself.

DR. S. P. TOWNSEND—Dear Sir: I am constrained to give you a statement of the benefit I derived from using your Sarsaparilla, believing, by so doing, I shall render a benefit to those who are suffering as I have been. I was reduced for many months by the Dyspepsia, so much that it was with much difficulty for me to walk or keep about. I had also a tetter, which covered the most part of my head—which was extremely troublesome and sore; it got to be almost a scab. I used quite a number of remedies for both the complaints, but received little or no benefit, until I took your Sarsaparilla, which, through the kindness of Providence, has restored me to more than my usual health, as I am now enjoying better than I have for a number of years. I am now 60 years of age. I believe it to be an invaluable medicine, and recommend it to my numerous acquaintances, which is very large, as I have been a minister a great many years. I hope this hasty sketch may be as much benefit to you as your medicine has to me.

July 11, 1847. JOHN SEGER, Jersey City.

Methodist Clergyman.

The following was sent to our Agent in Rahway, by the Rev J. O. TUNISON, of the Methodist Episcopal Church—one of the most learned and respected in the connection—and is another evidence of the wonderful effects of Dr. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla on the system.

FRIEND PRANSON—Having for some time past, as you are aware, experienced great general debility of my system, attended with constant and alarming irritation of my throat and lungs, I was, at your instance, and in consequence of having read Captain McLean's decided testimony in its behalf, induced to try Dr. S. P. Townsend's far-famed Sarsaparilla. I tried it, I confess, more in the hope than in the confidence of its proving efficacious; but I am bound in candor now to acknowledge, that I had not tried it long before I began to experience its salutary effects; and I may now say, with Captain McLean, "that I would not be without it on any consideration." It has done me more good than any proprietary remedy I have tried, and if this statement is deemed by you of any importance, you have my full consent to make it public.

Rahway, August 3d, 1847. J. O. TUNISON.

SCROFULA CURED.

This certificate conclusively proves that this Sarsaparilla has perfect control over the most obstinate diseases of the blood. Three persons cured in one house is unprecedented.

Three Children.

DR. S. P. TOWNSEND—Dear Sir: I have the pleasure to inform you that three of my children have been cured of the Scrofula by the use of your excellent medicine. They were afflicted very severely with bad sores; have taken only four bottles; it took them away, for which I feel myself under great obligations.

Very respectfully,
ISAAC W. CRAIN, 160 Westerve-st.

OPINIONS OF PHYSICIANS,

DR. S. P. Townsend is almost daily receiving orders from Physicians in different parts of the Union.

This is to Certify that we, the undersigned, Physicians of the City of Albany, have in numerous cases prescribed Dr. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla, and believe it to be one of the most valuable preparations in the market.

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Albany, April 1, 1847.

Dr. S. P. Townsend's Principal Office has been removed from 100 Fulton, to 366 Nassau street, in the building formerly occupied by the South Baptist Church

AGENTS—Redding & Co., No 8 State-street, and Mrs E. Ridder, No 100 Court-street, Boston; Samuel Ridder, Jr., Lowell; Henry Prett, Salem; James B. Green, Worcester; Allison & Gault, Concord; J. Balch & Son, Providence; and by Druggists and Merchants generally throughout the United States, West Indies, and the Canadas.

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