

WILLIE AND THE BIRDS.

A TRUE STORY. A little black-eyed boy of five, This spake to his mamma,—

NECESSITY OF A KNOWLEDGE OF ABSTRACT SCIENCE IN ORDER TO ATTAIN PRACTICAL AND THROUGH KNOWLEDGE.

A certain moderate degree of acquaintance with abstract science is highly desirable to every one who would make any considerable progress in physics.

The foregoing are among those results of scientific research which, by their magnitude, transcend our powers of conception.

Usefulness of Swallows. While visiting a friend in the country, a few weeks since, we noticed, under the eaves of a barn, near about fifty swallows.

To Emboss Letters on Marble. Take some rosin varnish, and with a hair pencil draw the letters, &c., on the marble.

Novel Application of Galvanic Action. In the Madras Spectator, of September 18th, it is stated that a person in that town has discovered a substance which he calls 'fibre'.

Butler Making. We gather from several sources the following remarks pertaining to this subject, which may be of service to our readers.

our senses. Now, among these there are many so very surprising, indeed apparently so extravagant, that it is quite impossible for any inquiring mind to rest contented with a mere hearsay statement of them,—we feel irresistibly impelled to inquire further into their truth.

Every one who has noticed a chicken just hatched has seen a kind of scale on the point of the bill, which appears to be a useless appendage.

Whoever will apply an ointment made of gunpowder, brimstone and common grease, behind the necks of their lambs, will be sure of having them preserved from all kinds of vermin.

Take some rosin varnish, and with a hair pencil draw the letters, &c., on the marble, (which should be previously well polished), and also cover with the varnish every part of the face of the marble that is to remain plain.

A cultivator of fruit, whose good example is referred to in the New England Farmer, keeps a circle of several feet around the roots of every tree clear of grass, and enriches it with cheap manure, bones, ashes, and several other kinds of fertilizing substances.

Old Men Having.—This is a busy time with our farmers, who are securing their hay crop, and the very old as well as the young tend a helping hand.

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INDIA-RUBBER BOOTS & SHOES.

Received by the schooner, London, from New York, and Pearl, from Boston, assorted as follows:—MEN'S and Women's OVER-SHOES;

India Rubber Machine Packing, Engine Packing and Hose. MILL OWNERS and Machinists are hereby notified that the subscriber has been appointed by the Boston Belting Company, their Agent for the sale of INDIA RUBBER BELTING,

Groceries, Liquors, &c. Landing per 'Sir Harry Smith', from London: 30 HDS. GENOVA; 100 lbs. COGNAC; 20 cwt. STARCH; Coleman's;

Cheap Hat, Cap, & Fur Store. THE Subscriber will open their New Store, No. 17, King Street, on Saturday, May 1, with an extensive variety of new and fashionable GOODS,

PALE SEAL OIL, TEA, &c.—From Halifax, ex Sch. Charles, 11 Barrels Pale Seal Oil; 6 bags PIMENTO; 20 cwt. Robb's OAMAL.

SELLING OFF AT THE HOWARD HOUSE, North Side of King Street. A WELL selected stock of WINTER CLOTHING, made up in the most fashionable style,

Drugs, Medicines, &c. THE subscriber has received per 'Thermis', the remainder of the above articles of DRUGS, MEDICINES, Perfumery, Brushes, Pickles, Sausages, &c., all of which are warranted of the best quality and for sale on reasonable terms.

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S. K. FOSTER'S, Ladies' Fashionable Shoe Store.

Just received from London, per Steamer via Boston—LADIES' White and Black SATIN SLIPPERS;

Patent White Zinc Paint. THIS PAINT is entirely free from any injurious properties whatever; it is beautiful in appearance—healthful in use—healthy to the eyes;

Pipes, Pipes, Pipes. In course of landing, ex the Barque Orontost, from Glasgow: 200 BOXES Tobacco Pipes, 5 to 10 gross each, of first quality and do. script, put up expressly to suit the S. John market;—for sale low while holding.

Tea, Clover Seed, &c. Landing ex 'Legal', from Halifax—15 CHESTS Fine Congo TEA.

Flour, Tobacco, and Tea. On Consignment ex 'N. Noyes', from Boston: 200 BARRELS Superior Canada FLOUR—Finest Brands;

Seythes, Shot, &c. Landing ex ship 'Deson', from Liverpool—100 DOZEN Griffin's SCYTHES;

Fancy Tweeds and Doeskins. NOW OPEN FOR INSPECTION—A SPLENDID assortment of TWEEDS and DOESKINS, in the newest styles and patterns.

TO FARMERS. THE subscribers are now receiving One Hundred Bunches of Ground BONES, and a large variety of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

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HARDWARE, &c.

Received ex 'Allegre', 'Cambria', 'Samuel', and 'Deson', from Liverpool, 'Sir Harry Smith' from London, and 'Orontost', from the Clyde:—12 SMITH'S BELLOWS, 12 ANVILS,

SEVENHILL HOUSE. Market Square, St. John, N. B. Per Commodore, and Sarah Louisa—

WILL be opened in a few days—10 casks and cases of BLACK TIN and JAPANNED GOODS,

CHEAP! CHEAP! CHEAP! CASE ROOM PAPER—latest designs—

TOBACCO & CIGARS. Just received from New York, 67 B 2500 VERY choice Havana CIGARS.

SEEDS, NUTS, &c. Landing ex 'Cuba', from Boston:—CARROT Seed, early following and sweet corn; Pumpkin and Squash Seed; Potatoes; Cabbages; Seed Sowers, Forks, Spades, Shovels, &c.

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