

their neighbour, and who steadily endeavour to do unto every one as they wish him to do unto them." Of the production of a Roman Catholic he records—"I translated from the French one of the most useful tracts I ever saw, for those who desire to be fervent in spirit. How little does God regard men's opinions." Such were the principles of the truly catholic Wesley, but he did not escape being branded as a *latitudinarian*. He was goaded and stung almost to madness by charges of this description. The crime was brought against him of "*palpable dishonesty* in concealing his principles." The most frightful consequences were deduced by his enemies from his oft-repeated declaration, that "Orthodoxy, or right opinion, is at best but a very slender part of religion, if any part of it at all." The hue and cry was raised against him for a position from which he was told it followed that "ignorance and error are as friendly to virtue as just sentiments." Precisely agreeing with the evil attempted to be saddled upon us, that a man may entertain any opinions, "with equal regard to propriety and safety." So often was this stale objection brought against Mr. Wesley, that at length, in the sorrowful outpourings of his heart he exclaimed, "I am sick of opinions: I am weary to hear them. My soul loathes this frothy food. Give me a gentle lover of God and man; a man full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy. Let my soul be with these Christians of *whatsoever opinion* they are of." So say we. And because Mr. Wesley spoke favorably of the piety of Roman Catholics—he was stigmatized as "a close friend to the church of Rome"—he was charged again and again with preaching popery—and the society he founded was denounced as "*twin-sister* of the Church of Rome." And let any man in the present day think liberally, and speak liberally, and act liberally, and the bigots in derision will call him Papist and Universalist, and indeed all names in turn. From these specimens of the liberality of Mr. Wesley, our friends will judge how far a paper advocating, as we conceive, sentiments so opposite, deserves to be called by his name. Genuine Wesleyanism has for its motto, ANTI-SECTARIANISM AND A CATHOLIC SPIRIT.

But to bolster up his denunciations, the editor of the Wesleyan refers us to the advice of Jude, earnestly to contend for the faith. Now our editor has bound himself by a solemn contract to preach according to Mr. Wesley's Notes on the New Testament—here then is his comment on the passage—"contend earnestly—yet humbly, meekly and lovingly: otherwise your contention will only hurt your cause, if not *destroy your soul*." As much of this humble, meek, loving contention for the faith as you please, but no statement of a fear that your adversaries are "given over to believe a lie." Next we have introduced the words of Paul to Titus, "Rebuke them sharply, that they may be sound in the faith." Rebuke them—Who? A fellow disciple living holily and humbly, who with prayer to God for light, and with all diligence and sincerity, examines the word of God, and arrives at the conclusion that all men will be saved finally, is such an one to be rebuked? O how it grieves our souls to see passages of the word of God forcibly torn away from their connexion—the Bible used solely as a large reservoir of texts, or as a well-stored magazine of miscellaneous theological aphorisms. Mark—Titus is directed to rebuke the Cretians, who were liars, evil wild beasts, lazy gluttons, and therefore Universalists are to be treated in the same manner. And then as Dr. Doddridge has well observed, "St. Paul speaks of reproving vice not error; and if any consequence is to be drawn from the one to the other, it is to be admitted with much caution, considering to what a degree pride and passion often transport men, even in the management of theological controversies, beyond all bounds of prudence, charity and decency." Timothy is to rebuke also, but with all long suffering. But even allowing that Titus and Timothy, who had their divine commissions from the Apostles, were to pronounce anathemas, does it therefore follow that a fallible man now should arrogate such power, without any divine commission, without any such apostolical authority? A pattern, however, which the editor of the Wesleyan may safely follow, will be found in 2 Tim. ii: 24. "A servant of the Lord must not strive, but be gentle toward all men, apt to teach, patient of evil, in meekness instructing those that oppose themselves." We have now noticed every thing essential in the editorial of the Wesleyan with the exception of the unkind insinuation, "that the denunciations of the Apostles grate harshly upon our ears and would not be received into the Pearl without inspection and a long and soothing apology." O where is charity? where is brotherly kindness in such remarks? Except on the account of their author, and for the sake of our common religion, they do not grieve us harmlessly by us—and we are quite invulnerable to all such mimic lightnings. It is only time lost and paper wasted, to cast forth at us the fiery darts of denunciation! We weep at the conclusion of the whole is this—we may be anathematized—our conduct may be called mean and dastardly—we may be charged with lamely and cowardly surrendering truth, and that too from the basest motives—we may be evil spoken of through a partial testimony concerning our quotations from a professed Socinian, on dancing and the amusements of the world—we may be lectured on atonement, amendment, and restoration, and charged falsely with having made rents in Zion, and so have insult added to injury—and we may be represented as cherishing no good will to apostolic threatenings—all this and much more may be said, and written, and acted against us, and yet ours shall never become a sectarian paper. No party, or denomination, or sect, shall have an inch of space in our columns wherein to propound with self-complacent intolerance, their exclusive claims to truth, to churchship, to piety, or to the promises of God's word. None shall be allowed in THE PEARL to make some disputed and disputable doctrine, a watchword, a test of God's favour, a bond of communion, a badge of peculiar holiness, or a warrant for condemning their fellow disciples however imbued with the spirit of Christ. It must not—it shall not be. The Warburtonian spirit may be allowed an ample range through the pages of "The Wesleyan" but not a nook or cranny shall be found for its tread of desolation and excommunication through the columns of the Pearl. It shall not find room for the sole of its foot. Proudly we will inscribe this on our banners, "ANTI-SECTARIANISM AND A CATHOLIC SPIRIT." And if, acting on this motto our periodical cannot be supported without being tacked on to the tail of some party, why then, let it sink.

SEVEN DAYS LATER FROM ENGLAND.—By the Packet ship, the *Lady Paget*, belonging to Messrs Cunard which arrived on Sunday in 21 days from Liverpool, news have been received in town few days later than by her Majesty's Packet Swift. The Bill for the abolition of slave apprenticeship had passed the Commons. Lord Durham was to embark for Canada on the 19th of April. The last Quarter's revenue had fallen off considerably. The weather was still very cold. The prosecution of the Dublin election petition cost upwards of £13,000. The London and Birmingham Railway has been opened.

ERRATA FOR OUR LAST. On the 140th page 2nd column—Read "proof of her age" instead of "proof of her age"—"Prince of life"—"Provinces of life."

The Mail for England, by the Swift, Packet, will close on Saturday evening, at 5 o'clock.

MARRIED,

At Granville, on the 24th April, by the Rev. Moore Campbell, Mr. John Fletcher Bath, to Elizabeth Ann, eldest daughter of David Hall, Esq.

DIED,

At Windsor, on the 19th ult. Mr. Michael Smith, an old and respectable inhabitant of that place, leaving a large family to lament their loss.
At Wolfville, on Sunday 20th ult. aged three months, Leander Starr, youngest son of Elisha Dewolf, Esq.
At Bridgetown, on Wednesday, 24th ult. of Croup, Brenton Haliburton, infant son of Thomas Spurr, Esq. aged 19 months.
Wednesday evening, Mary Anne, eldest daughter of Mr. Henry Wright, aged 3 years and 9 months.
At St. John, N. B. on Friday last, James H. son of Mr. Thomas P. Crane.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED,

Friday, May 4th.—schr. Olive Branch, Bridgeport—coal; barque Georgian, Marshall, Liverpool, G. B. 33 days, dry goods, etc. to D. & E. Starr & Co and others; brig Albion, Leslie, Aberdeen, 39 days, general cargo, to Deblois & Merkel—lost foremast this morning.
Saturday, May 5th.—Ship James Moren, Ferguson, Liverpool, G. B. 35 days, salt to D. & E. Starr & Co.; schr. Adelle, Wilson, Bermuda, 9 days, ballast to master.
Sunday, May 6th.—Packet barque *Lady Paget*, Galt, Liverpool, G. B. 21 days, 65 hours from the Banks of Newfoundland, general cargo, to S. Cunard & Co. and others. The barque *Louisa*, Milgrove, sailed in company; Sir T. Harvey, sailed same day for Miramichi; left John Porter, to sail for Halifax, in 5 days; ship *Halifax*, Cleary, in 3 days. Spoke on 26th ult. lat. 43, long. 54, 30, brig *Dryad*, of Liverpool, from Lima, bound to London, out 102 days; schr. *Mary*, Drummond, Fortune Bay, N. F. 14 days, herrings, to the master.
Tuesday—schr. *Eliza Ann*, Smith, St. Stephens, 10 days, lumber and shingles to master; True Brothers, Liverpool, N. S.
Wednesday—schr. *Hannah*, McLennan, Liverpool, N. S. flour; Meridian, Crowell, St. Stephens, via Barrington, 7 days, lumber and shingles, to master; left schr. *Hazard*, and *Favourite*. Crowell.
Thursday—Am. schr. *Sea Serpent*, Kenny, Cape Cod, 8 days, bound fishing—sprung her mainmast on Sunday last; brig *Geo. McLeod*, Miller, Greenock, 35 days, (to Sambro) general cargo to James Leishman & Co. and others; schr. *Maddona*, Kerwin, Burin, N. F. 6 days, herrings, to Creighton & Grassie.

CLEARED,

May 4th, Am. schr. *Sarah Ripley*, Howes, Boston—wood, by the master; sloop *Zephyr*, Humphrey, St. John's, N. F.; brig. *Belle*, Prudden, St. John's, N. F., run by Saltus and Wainwright; *George IV*, Phillips, Guernsey—sugar, staves, etc. by S. Binney; brig *Susanah*, Howill, Richibucto—ballast; barque *Acadian*, Auld, Charleston, wine, etc. by the master; schr. *Union*, Magdalen Islands, Porter, by T. Lydiard; ship *Prince George*, Friend, Quebec, ballast, and stores by the master. 5th, schr. *James Clarke*, Beck, St. John, N. B., assorted cargo, by S. S. B. Smith and others; *Alicia*, Miramichi, assorted cargo, by Fairbanks and Allison, and others; *Willing Lass*, Watt, Miramichi, assorted cargo, by S. Cunard & Co. and others; *Star*, Nickeram, St. Andrews, rum, molasses, flour, etc. by S. Binney, W. A. Blackson, and others. 7th, Mail of Erin, Kirkpatrick, B. W. Indies, assorted cargo, by J. and M. Tobin. 8th, brig. *Pictou*, Clarke, St. John's, N. F. assorted cargo, by H. Woodworth, Hugh Bell, and others; schr. *Richard Smith*, Langlois, Miramichi, assorted cargo, by J. & M. Tobin; *Mary Jane*, McGrath, Bermuda, assorted cargo, by J. W. Young, D. & E. Starr and Co. and others.

MEMORANDA.

At Yarmouth, May 2—Brig *Isabella*, Beveridge, New York, flour, beef etc.; 4th, Industry, Lovitt, Demerara. Cld. 27th ult.—Schr. *Amechyst*, St. Andrews; *Jane*, Argyle; *Cann*, Halifax; 28th, Schr's. *Ruth*, *Hannah*, St. Andrews; Yarmouth Packet, St. John N. B., Brig *Pratichole*, St. Andrews; 30th, Barque *Tory's Wife*, Savannah; Schr. *Resolution*, Boston; May 1st, Schr. *Matilda*, St. Vincent.
The brigantine *Resolution*, Moser, from Demerara bound to Lunenburg, got into Shag Bay on the 8th, and on Wednesday, at 4 P. M. dragged her anchors and went on shore; vessel and cargo. 70 puncheons rum and molasses, and one man, lost.—Yar. Herald April 20. An American fishing schooner about 80 tons, from Barnstable, Cape Cod, was totally wrecked on Thursday the 19th inst. on the western side of Shag Harbor Island. Rigging, materials, and outfits saved, and taken to Barrington to be sold.—1b.
Liverpool G. B. Entered for loading 20th March—Enterprise,—for *Tatnagouche*: Evergreen, Morar, Quebec, Adv. to sail April 1st. Barque *Brothers*, Poole, of St. John N. B., for Richibucto, touching at Prince Edward Island and Pugwash.
Markets—At Barbadoes, 9th April, Dry fish \$5½ Mackerel 9, Alcwives, 7½—Herrings, 6.

INDIA RUBBERS.

THE Subscriber has just received 150 pairs India Rubbers, assorted sizes—and of good quality, which he will sell low, for Cash.

Boots and Shoes constantly on hand and made to order
Opposite Cunard's Wharf.
WILLIAM WISSWELL.
Jan. 27.

AUCTIONS.

BY EDWARD LAWSON,

To-morrow, Saturday, at Fairbank's wharf, at 12 o'clock.
3000 BUSHELS red and white WHEAT, 10 puns. RUM, 10 hhd's MOLASSES, 12 logs MAHOGANY, 6 tons LIGNUM VITAE, 4 hhd's LIME JUICE.
May 11.

BY JAMES COGSWELL.

To-morrow, Saturday, on the premises, at 12 o'clock, at noon:
ALL that Dwelling House and Lot of Land situate in Barrington Street, being the northern moiety of Lot No. 5, letter A. Galland's division, measuring on Barrington street 24 feet, and in depth 60 feet, with a right of way 3½ feet wide from Barrington street to the yard. The Dwelling House contains two rooms on the first floor, with store rooms and pantries, three on the second, and five rooms on the third floor with closets, a large Garret, a cellar kitchen, and a Cellar with a good well of water. The Out-Houses are large and convenient. The House adjoins the residence of Dr. Hume, and is at present occupied by Mr. Lee, who will permit any person to inspect the Premises upon application to him. The terms and farther particulars may be known on application to Scott Tremain, Esq.
May 11. J. TREMAIN.

TURNBULL & FOUND,
TAILORS,

BEG leave to inform their friends and the public generally, that they have now on hand a general assortment of BROAD CLOTHS, BUCKSKINS, CASSIMERE and VESTINGS, which they are prepared to make up on the most reasonable terms. Every article can be depended upon as to fitting, quality, and workmanship.
Granville Street, (adjoining Mr. Nordbeck's Store) May 10.

GARDEN PLANTS FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has fine, healthy CAULIFLOWER, and EARLY YORK Cabbage plants &c. fit to be immediately transplanted, for sale at his residence in Brunswick street a few doors to the North of the Round Church.
May 11th. 1838. THOMAS WILSON.

THEATRE.

By the permission of
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Doors open at half-past 7, performance to commence at 8

The Performance will commence, THIS EVENING, Friday, with the Operatic Farce of

NO SONG NO SUPPER,
OR THE LAWYER IN THE SACK.

Frederick	Mr. Taylor.	Endless	Mr. Nickinson,
Crop	" Bellamy,	Thomas	" Brown,
Robin	" Thorne,	William	" Mestayer,

MARGARETTA Mrs. THORNE,

In which character she will sing the Ballad of "RELIEVE MY WOES and ACROSS DAWN"

Derathia	Mrs. Tessiere	Nelly	Mrs. Anderson.
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Finale by the characters,

"LET SHEPHERDS LADS!"

After which the Farce of the

IRISH TUTOR, OR NEW LIGHT:

Charles	Mr. Brown,	Dr. Flaile	Mr. Nickinson,
Filwell	" Anderson,	Beadle	" Mestayer,
Dr. O'Tool	" Bellamy,	Rose	Miss Sands,

The performance to conclude with the highly successful Farce of

NATURE AND PHILOSOPHY,

OR THE YOUTH THAT NEVER SAW A WOMAN:

COLIN (the youth that never saw a woman)	Mrs. THORNE,	Rinaldo	Mr. Bellamy,
Father Philip	Mr. Anderson,	Gertrude	Mrs. Anderson,
			Mrs. Tessiere.

TO-MORROW EVENING, will be performed, the Comedy of

CHARLES 2nd, OR THE MERRY MONARCH:

Charles	Mr. Nickinson	Capt. Copp	Mr. Bellamy,
Rochester	" Taylor	Mary Copp (with songs)	Mrs. Thorne,
Edward	Mr. Brown	Lady Clara	" Anderson,

After which the laughable Farce of the

YOUNG WIDOW:

Splash	Mr. Nickinson,	AURILIA	Mrs. THORNE,
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During the piece a Dance by Mr. Nickinson and Mrs. Thorne.

To conclude with the laughable Negro Extravaganza of

O! HUSH,

VIRGINA CUPIDS,

Jack Harris (a Negro of the first WATER,) Mr. GEER.

On Monday will be performed the Petite Comedy of the

TWO QUEENS,

MARY of Denmark, Mrs. THORNE.

After which the Farce of the REVIEW,

Together with

INTRIGUE OR BATH ROAD.

ON WEDNESDAY

MRS. THORNE'S BENEFIT,

When will be presented a Great variety of Entertainments.

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MAY 11.