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MOON'S PHASES.

Last Quarter, 1st day, 7h. 56m., evening, N.E.
New Moon, 8th day, 10h. 2m, evening, N.W.
First Quarter, 16th day, 11h. 16m., evening, N.
Full Moon, 24th day, 9h. 58m., morning, S.W.

DAY OF MONTH.	DAY WEEK.	SUN rises	SUN sets	High Water	Moon rises.	Days length
		h m	h m	h m	h m	h m
1	Saturday	5 22	6 35	5 27	10 50	13 13
2	Sunday	26	33	6 31	11 45	9
3	Monday	28	31	7 39	morn.	8
4	Tuesday	30	30	8 47	0 42	4
5	Wednesday	31	28	9 51	1 47	12 58
6	Thursday	32	26	10 47	2 50	55
7	Friday	33	24	11 34	3 52	52
8	Saturday	34	22	morn.	sets	49
9	Sunday	35	20	0 56	6 39	46
10	Monday	37	19	1 18	7 7	44
11	Tuesday	38	17	1 38	7 38	40
12	Wednesday	39	15	2 15	8 9	37
13	Thursday	5 40	13	2 53	8 43	34
14	Friday	41	11	3 41	9 17	31
15	Saturday	42	9	4 45	9 58	28
16	Sunday	43	7	5 50	10 40	25
17	Monday	44	5	5 55	11 30	22
18	Tuesday	45	4	6 50	morn.	20
19	Wednesday	46	3	7 50	0 22	18
20	Thursday	47	1	8 47	1 20	15
21	Friday	48	5 59	9 45	2 22	11
22	Saturday	50	57	10 38	3 27	7
23	Sunday	51	54	11 27	4 36	2
24	Monday	52	51	11 59	rises	11 57
25	Tuesday	53	48	even.	6 40	53
26	Wednesday	54	46	1 5	7 16	50
27	Thursday	55	44	2 32	8 0	47
28	Friday	56	43	3 20	8 47	45
29	Saturday	57	41	4 16	9 30	41
30	Sunday	58	39	5 16	10 36	36

PRICES CURRENT.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Sept. 7, 1866.

Provisions.	
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Do by the quarter,	3d to 6d
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Do (retail)	7d to 9d
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Veal, per lb.,	3d to 5d
Ham, per lb.,	7d to 10d
Butter, (fresh)	1s 2d to 1s 3d
Do by the tub,	1s to 1s 1d
Cheese, per lb.,	4d to 6d
Tallow, per lb.,	7d to 9d
Lard, per lb.,	9d to 10d
Flour, per lb.,	3d
Oatmeal, per cwt.,	20s
Eggs, per dozen,	10d to 1s
Grain.	
Barley, per bushel,	5s to 6s 6d
Oats, per do.,	2s 6d
Vegetables.	
Passnips (new),	7d to 9d
Potatoes, per bushel,	1s 9d to 2s
Poultry.	
Geese,	none
Turkeys, each,	4s to 5s
Fowls, each,	1s 6d to 2s 3d
Fish.	
Codfish, per qtl.,	20s to 30s
Herrings, per barrel,	25s to 40s
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Lumber.	
Boards (Hemlock)	3s 6d to 4s
Do. (Spruce)	4s to 5s
Do. (Pine)	7s to 9s
Shingles, per M,	13s to 15s
Sundries.	
Hay, per ton,	50s to 60s
Straw, per cwt.,	1s to 1s 9d
Timothy Seed,	none
Clover Seed, per lb.,	none
Homespun, per yard,	4s to 6s
Calfskins, per lb.,	6d to 9d
Hides, per lb.,	3½ to 4d
Wool,	1s to 1s 3d
Sheepskins,	1s 9d to 2s
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Partridges,	none

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Ch'town, Aug 1, 1866. i p e sp

REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber hereby notifies his Customers, and the Public generally, that since the last Fire, he hereby his Premises, on Queen Street were destroyed, he has removed to that Building on KENT STREET, next door to the Premises of Mr. JOHN SCOTT, Carriage Builder, where he is prepared to carry on his Business in all its branches as usual. Having been a heavy loser by the fire, he takes this opportunity to request all persons indebted to him to make immediate payment of their respective amounts, as his Books will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for settlement and collection on the 1st of SEPTEMBER next.

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August 1, 1866.

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Kent Street, Aug. 1, 1866. i p e 1m

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

WE beg to inform the public that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, under the style or firm of W. W. LORD & CO., General Merchants and Ship Owners, in the City, is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. All persons having any Business transactions with the said firm will please come forward and settle their several Accounts, at the Office of the subscribers, before the 1st day of OCTOBER next.

W. W. LORD,
ARTEMAS LORD.

Charlottetown, Aug. 1, 1866.

TO THE PUBLIC.

CHARLOTTETOWN, August 1, 1866.

REFERRING to the annexed Circular, I beg to inform you that I shall continue the Business at the Old Stand, head of Lord's Wharf, on and after the 1st day of OCTOBER, 1866.

Allow me to thank you for the generous support accorded to the late Firm, and respectfully to ask for a share of future favors for myself.

I am, your obedient servant,

ARTEMAS LORD.

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NOTICE!

THE Subscriber in returning thanks for the liberal patronage received, begs leave to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has taken part of A. D. Mason's three story Building, in Dorchester Street, between Duncan's Brick Store and the Catholic Church, where he will sell off the balance of his Stock at reduced prices. Public patronage respectfully solicited.

JAMES STANLEY.

July 31. 1m

NOTICE.

THE Mercantile Business hitherto carried on in this Island, and in Plymouth, England, by the late JAMES PEAKE, Esquire, up to the time of his death, and since by debenury by the undersigned, as his Trustees and Executors, has this day been assigned and transferred, in accordance with the directions contained in the last Will and Testament of the Testator. All sums of Money due to the Subscribers, as surviving Trustees and Executors of the said James Peake, must be paid forthwith, and will be received at the Office of Messrs. PEAKE BROTHERS & Co., who are authorised to receive the same.

E. L. A. PEAKE,
D. HODGSON,
Surviving Trustees & Executors.

Charlottetown, July 14, 1866.

CARD.

THE Undersigned having Purchased the STOCK IN TRADE, from the surviving Trustees of the late James Peake, Esq., deceased, have this day entered into Copartnership, under the name and style of PEAKE BROTHERS & COMPANY, and will continue the same Business carried on by the late James Peake, Esq.

JAMES PEAKE,
GEORGE PEAKE,
RALPH REDUCEN PEAKE,
THOMAS HANDRAHAN.

Charlottetown, July 14, 1866. aug 8 4i

Miscellaneous and General News.

WILMINGTON DURING THE BLOCKADE.

After the capital of the Confederacy, there was not in the South a more important place than the little town of Wilmington, North Carolina, about twenty miles from the mouth of the Cape Fear River, noted as possessing facilities for the exports of rice, cotton, turpentine and lumber. The banks of the Cape Fear River had been settled by Sir Walter Raleigh's emigrants and Scotchmen, and to this day you find the old Highland names, and some strongly marked Scottish features among the inhabitants. The people still retain many of the traits of their ancestors, and are shrewd, canny, money-making, and not to be flattered or diverted by any display or feeling that can weaken their grasp of money. They are hospitable, intelligent, and philanthropic, old families, who for years lived in affluence and luxury, residing there, have intermarried with each other until they form a large "connection," as they call it.

THE BLOCKADE-RUNNERS.

It seemed singular to vessels of the United States ships so long neglect to close the only port almost of the Confederacy into which every dark of the moon a dozen, a half dozen, or so swift blockade-runners, freighted with cannon, muskets, and every munition of war, medicines, cloth, shoes, bacon, etc. Through that port were brought till January, '65, all the stores and munitions needed by the indefatigable Colonel Gorgas, the Confederate Chief of Ordnance, the most efficient bureau officer the Confederacy had. Through it came those famous Whitworth and Armstrong guns, and during our Big Bethel attack, into Wilmington was brought by Mr. Commissary General Northrop that rotten, putrid bacon called "Nassau," because it had spoiled on the whole trip of that place before being transported to Wilmington. It was coarse Western bacon, bought by Confederate emissaries in the North, and many things have, and the precious cases both food and dose, sent from Richmond directed to "Nassau," and shown on notices of the sailing craft. "Wonderful, we all cried, that bacon, inspecting in the distribution of it, and ordered it to be given to both Confederate troops and Federal prisoners. Northern men, myself one, ate it; the most cautious of which he would buy a bagful, or a barrel from the Commissary, if he became so reckless as to stand by eating it, that at last we came to prefer it as good bacon, and liked the strong, rancid flavor. We could not afford to permit the stomachs to eat up any things, and force them to stand any and everything by breaking them into it, as a sop for their "low relish."

THE CARGOES.

But the cargoes of these white painted, bird-like looking steamers that floated monthly into Wilmington, producing such excitement and jubilancy in the population, unfortunately for the Confederates, did not contain Government stores and munitions of war alone, but also the bacon, and much of the stuff bought abroad by worthless Confederate agents were. The public freight compared with the private was small. By them was brought in the cloth that made the uniforms of those gaily-decked clerks that swarmed the streets of Richmond with military titles, and read the battle bulletins and discussed the war news. From the secures came the braid, buttons and lace for the coats of the officers—who were really fine officers, and did not even on the labor of following the Colonel around—with which the Confederacy was afflicted. From it came the fine English brandies, choice foreign wines, potted meats, and conserves, jellies, and anchovy paste, etc., that filled the pantries and store rooms of many of the officials at Richmond, and were spread out in such profusion at the dinners or suppers or dejeuners given by the "court circle," (as it was called) to officials when the "circle" wanted any of their pets promoted or assigned to good positions. From it came the loaf-sugar, coffee, tea, that staff-officers, blockade-runners, and their relations and friends luxuriated in, while the ragged, dirty Confederate soldier, musket in hand, peeled or scraped in the trenches before Richmond and Petersburg, watching the foe with stout heart but lean stomach, starving on a handful of meal, and a pint of sorghum molasses, probably varied every other day, with the third or quarter of a pound of Mr. Commissary-General Northrop's savory "Nassau bacon," meanwhile his wife and little ones were suffering in their faraff Southern homes for the necessaries of life. It was this that broke up the spirit of the Southern army, and caused such numerous desertions from General Lee's camp during the memorable winter of '64 and '65. In fact there were troubles of Confederate officers, during the period blockade-running came under our view, where such business is supposed to be by law in that way stocks of groceries and dry goods, and by speculating and shipping cotton from Wilmington and Charleston to lay by gold in case of an evil day. Many of them came out of the war rich men, and doubtless with comfortable consciences, for who respects or likes a poor man? We will say, however, that we never heard of but two officers of high rank who were accused of this, and one thing was very certain, that Henry Whiting's skirts were clear of such transactions, and that he left his family badly off. It was the small fry generally who engaged in such discreditable business, to the neglect of their soldierly avocations,—men who had been either in retail grocery or dry goods business before the war, and who could not keep their hands from such pickings, or get over their old "store" habits. It was seldom you caught a West Point officer at this trading business, poor as some of them were, though it must be confessed that two or three of them did fall from grace in this particular. Talk about Yankees worshipping the almighty dollar! You should have seen the adoration paid the Golden Calf at Wilmington during the days of blockade-running. Everybody was engaged in it except the private soldiers, and a few poor line and staff officers, who were not within the "ring," and possessed no influence or position there by which they could grant favors.

SCENES ON THE WHARVES OF A STEAMER.

When a steamer came in, men, women and children rushed down to the wharves to see it, to buy, beg, or steal something. Everybody wanted to know if their ventures—the proceeds of the bales of cotton or boxes of tobacco sent out—had come in. No people were more excited than the women, expecting gloves, parasols, hoop-skirts, corsets, flannels and bonnets, silks and calicoes; for these things became fearfully scarce and dear in the South during the last year of the war. The first people aboard, of course, were the agents—on such occasions very big men. Then swarmed officials and officers, "friends" and "runners," hunting after drinks and dinners, and willing to accept any compliment, from a box of cigars or a bottle of brandy down to a bunch of bananas or a potential of oranges. Happy the man who knew well and intimately the steward of a blockade-runner, or could call the cook his friend, and get a part of the scrapings from the pantry or the drippings from the kitchen! How it made those blue, coarse, vulgar Englishmen stare, who came as supercargoes or officers, to see well-trained gentlemen degrading themselves by sponging, lushing, and disgracing their uniforms! We have seen many a fellow, during a commission, for hours eyeing from a stand-point on the wharf a blockade-runner as a cat would a mouse, and then, just about lunch time, drop aboard to enjoy the champagne or porter, the sardines or Parmesan and English cheese. We never heard them express it, but we can imagine the intense disgust that such men as John Wilkinson, Robert Carter and other old navy officers

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

WE beg to inform the public that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, under the style or firm of W. W. LORD & CO., General Merchants and Ship Owners, in the City, is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. All persons having any Business transactions with the said firm will please come forward and settle their several Accounts, at the Office of the subscribers, before the 1st day of OCTOBER next.

W. W. LORD,
ARTEMAS LORD.

Charlottetown, Aug. 1, 1866.

TO THE PUBLIC.

CHARLOTTETOWN, August 1, 1866.

REFERRING to the annexed Circular, I beg to inform you that I shall continue the Business at the Old Stand, head of Lord's Wharf, on and after the 1st day of OCTOBER, 1866.

Allow me to thank you for the generous support accorded to the late Firm, and respectfully to ask for a share of future favors for myself.

I am, your obedient servant,

ARTEMAS LORD.

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NOTICE!

THE Subscriber in returning thanks for the liberal patronage received, begs leave to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has taken part of A. D. Mason's three story Building, in Dorchester Street, between Duncan's Brick Store and the Catholic Church, where he will sell off the balance of his Stock at reduced prices. Public patronage respectfully solicited.

JAMES STANLEY.

July 31. 1m

NOTICE.

THE Mercantile Business hitherto carried on in this Island, and in Plymouth, England, by the late JAMES PEAKE, Esquire, up to the time of his death, and since by debenury by the undersigned, as his Trustees and Executors, has this day been assigned and transferred, in accordance with the directions contained in the last Will and Testament of the Testator. All sums of Money due to the Subscribers, as surviving Trustees and Executors of the said James Peake, must be paid forthwith, and will be received at the Office of Messrs. PEAKE BROTHERS & Co., who are authorised to receive the same.

E. L. A. PEAKE,
D. HODGSON,
Surviving Trustees & Executors.

Charlottetown, July 14, 1866.

CARD.

THE Undersigned having Purchased the STOCK IN TRADE, from the surviving Trustees of the late James Peake, Esq., deceased, have this day entered into Copartnership, under the name and style of PEAKE BROTHERS & COMPANY, and will continue the same Business carried on by the late James Peake, Esq.

JAMES PEAKE,
GEORGE PEAKE,
RALPH REDUCEN PEAKE,
THOMAS HANDRAHAN.

Charlottetown, July 14, 1866. aug 8 4i