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read the first six chapters of Matthew's gospel, and as far as the 7th verse of the following chapter, when, to use his own expression, the scales fell from his eyes as from those of Saul of Tarsus, when Ananias laid his hands upon him, and the whole Truth like a flood rushed upon his mind, so that he could say, "one thing I know, that, whereas I was blind, now I see." I am happy to inform you that he has been, since that time, an eminent and successful preacher of the faith which he once so obstinately denied.—Such, my friends, are the happy effects of the Word, when accompanied by the influences of the Spirit: without these influences, the Word is but a dead letter: for the Divine author of the Gospel has said, "without me, ye can do nothing." Not to occupy any more of your time, permit me most cordially to second the Resolution.

In moving the fifth Resolution, the Rev. Robert Irvine spoke as follows:—

Mr. Chairman;—We are much indebted to the Ladies for their praiseworthy and Christian efforts in the Bible cause, and we should be very ungrateful did we decline to acknowledge it. God has endowed woman with a peculiar fitness for reaching the heart, and abodes of misery, and when the lofty endowments of her feminine nature are sanctified by grace, she becomes the best philanthropist, the most faithful confidant, the most affectionate friend, and the most persevering of all labourers. To her, under God, we are indebted for almost every earthly blessing we enjoy.

The godly Minister will tell you that his early impressions of religion were received while he prattled by a pious mother's knee, at a time when his youthful mind was prepared to drink in example at every channel. The philanthropist will tell you that he learned to commiserate the wants of a suffering humanity, by seeing a mother's eye filled with the tear of pity while she listened to the tale of another's woe. The warrior will tell you that the courage which bore him through the brunt of the battle-field, was instilled into his youthful breast when he learned from a mother's lips the lessons of patriotism, and of chivalry. Col. Gardner, once an abandoned sinner, was indebted to his mother's piety, for what by the grace of God he afterwards became. John Howard's benevolence was hereditary, and Napoleon Bonaparte's mother made him a warrior. The cause of God in all ages of his church has been greatly indebted to female influence. In fact, it must often have sunk in the hands of man, had they not been sustained by the agency of the female assistant. If you remove the aid of our female friends from the Bible Society, you strip it in a great measure of its active efficiency. This great cause without female assistance to carry out its plans, is like a choir without a female voice. It needs female influence to sweeten to succour, and to give harmony to all its operations. When God's people of old were emancipated from the bondage of Egypt, and when Moses sang the song of victory over the vanquished troops of Pharaoh, as they sunk "with bubbling groan" into the returning waves of the Red Sea, it seemed that he was unable to chant the notes of that war song, until Miriam came with her timbrel and her harp to aid him in the delightful task. When Jabin, with nine hundred chariots of iron, invaded the people of God in the days of Barak the Judge, and when Sisera, the captain of his host fell by the hand of Jael, the wife of Heber, it seemed that the masculine music of Barak was not sufficient to celebrate this great national conquest until Deborah's voice was employed to modulate and give effect to the song; thus it would appear that the troops of Israel never caught the echoes of their natural melody, until the thrilling tones of a female minstrelsy, awoke the latent feelings of patriotism in their manly bosoms. And how soon would our efforts be paralyzed in conducting the operations of this Society, were the ladies to refuse their aid! We may do the platform work of the association; we may draw up reports, fill orders, and post letters,—we may import Bibles, call meetings, and deliver speeches; here our operations cease.—but we want a locomotive agency—we must have the aid of female influence to make Bible readers—to create an interest in Bible Societies, to teach the practice of Bible principles, to instil into the human heart the influence of Bible truth, to send the Bible into the abodes of misery, of ignorance, and of want, and not to desist from the labour of love until she make the cottage, and the hamlet, feel that there is a power and pathos about female piety, to which the religion of a man is an utter stranger. Historians tell us that a woman once walked the streets of Alexandria barefooted, with a burning brand in one hand and a vessel of water in the other, exclaiming, "I will burn the heavens with this torch, and extinguish the flames of hell with this water, that man may love his God for himself alone." Let our female friends go forth with the word of God in their hands, let them feel its sacred and heavenly influence on their own hearts, let them enter the streets and lanes of this city, and let all their efforts be conducted with a single eye to the glory of God, and then may we expect drunkenness, and Sabbath desecration, and bloodshed and murder to cease within the precincts of St. John. When Christianity was in its infancy it was fostered, and nursed by the genial breath of female affection. It was watched over by woman's eye when slumbering in the manger in the person of our blessed Lord. It was carried in woman's arms into Nazareth, at a time when the hands of an unrelenting Herod were soaked in the blood of the infants of Bethlehem; and by woman it was presented in the temple according to the rites of Moses. Nor did woman desert an infant Christianity here, for when an expiring Saviour hung upon the accursed tree, betrayed by Judas, denied by Peter, and forsaken by all, we find three solitary females, riveted by the spell of woman's love to the cross of Calvary, even in spite of the threat of a Roman magistrate, the glitter of a Roman spear, and the din of a Jewish rabble. And she who was last at the cross of Calvary, was first at the tomb of Joseph.

Need I turn to the history of Christianity while it remained in the hands of the Apostles, in confirmation of these statements. Only read the salutations of the apostle Paul in his epistles to the different churches to which they are addressed, and you hear the honorable mention which is made of the Phœbes, the Priscillas, and the Junias, to whom he was indebted under God for much of the success that attended his apostolic labours.

The hands of the Apostles must often have sunk under the oppression of their arduous toils, had they not been sustained by the councils and the prayers of the pious females. And we all know that when Christianity was often chased from the walls of the synagogue and of the temple, and even from the public highway, it found an asylum in the humble dwelling-place of the pious female.

Ladies of Saint John, allow me, in the name of this large and respectable meeting, and in accordance with the sentiment embodied in the resolution which I hold in my hand—allow me to thank you most heartily, for your assiduous and persevering efforts in the great Bible cause. You have our approbation and our gratitude; you have more, you have the approbation and the gratitude of all the pious and the good; you have more still, you have the gratitude and the prayers of many a houseless widow, and many a homeless orphan, whose souls have been comforted by your faithful labours; you have yet more, the prayers of many a Hindoo mother, who was wont to stand on the brink of the Ganges, and in accordance with the rites of a barbarous theology, was wont to plunge the child of her affections into its polluted waters, are now ascending to heaven on your behalf, and these prayers shall yet descend in showers, a blessing on you and on your children and your children's children; and yet again, you have more, you have the approbation of the God of the Bible. 'Tis true you shall meet with opposition, in your good work, but your Saviour will succour you; when He visited the house of Simon, a Pharisee, on one occasion, a woman came running in pursuit of Him, and she brought an alabaster box of ointment, and poured it, though rich and costly, on his head. For this her good work she was reproached by the self-righteous pharisee, who said "to what intent is this waste? might not this ointment have been sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor?" So will your enemies reproach you, and justify themselves by pharisaic professions of charity, couched in such imposing language, as "give the poor food, give them clothing, and keep your Bibles to yourselves." But you have been doing a good work, you have been pouring your ointment on the head of Christ, you have been anointing Him a King in the hearts of many of his dear people. Go on, rest assured that whatever your enemies and the enemies of the Bible may say of you and your cause, your Saviour and your God approves your labours and encourages your hearts by the cheering promise which at once comforted the godly woman, and condemned the ungodly pharisee, "Verily I say unto you, wheresoever this gospel shall be preached in the whole world, there shall this also that this woman hath done, be told for a memorial of her."

One word bearing upon the spirit of my resolution and I shall sit down.—I cannot resume my seat, Mr. President, without dropping a tear over the memory of a worthy female to whom the Ladies' Bible Association of Saint John is deeply indebted. I refer to the late Mrs. Kinnear, the lady of the Honorable the Solicitor General of this Province, a lady whose unostentatious but deep toned piety rendered her at once an affectionate wife, a loving mother, and a benevolent member of Society,—a lady whose life was spent in doing good, and whose triumphant death was perhaps the most powerful exemplification of the influence of Bible truth on the human heart, that ever this Province witnessed. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, from henceforth, yea saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labours, and their works do follow them."

Appropriate Hymns were sung three times, First, at the commencement; next, after the 3rd Resolution, when the Collection was taken up; and again, at the dismission. In this elevating exercise, the audience had the able assistance of several of the Members of the Sacred Music Society, accompanied by the Organ, which was played by Mr. Steven.

In order to publish complete, in our paper, the several able and interesting Speeches delivered at the anniversary of the Bible Society, we have been compelled to omit several articles of a domestic nature, and summary of general news. From the same cause we have likewise been unable to give insertion to two important communications requiring immediate publicity. In our next paper we will give the usual variety.

Surgical Operation.—We are informed that a tumor was yesterday removed from the arm of Mr. —— Beatteay, of Carleton, by Dr. Hunter Peters, of that place, while the man was rendered entirely insensible to pain by the inhalation of the vapor of a compound of which æther appears to form the chief ingredient.—Complete sleep and insensibility were produced in three minutes by this process, under the direction of Dr. Adams, of Boston; and the instant the operation was completed, an open window and a little cold water to the fore-head, immediately restored the patient, who at once expressed himself as "*having been very happy and quite unconscious of having felt anything.*"

We bring this under the notice of the public, that others may benefit by this wonderful improvement in modern science. Many, to our knowledge, are laboring under disease in this City, who have not the fortitude to endure the *pain of an operation*. This process is safe and rapid and has already been extensively used in Boston and other portions of the United States, by the most eminent Surgeons there.

The operation was performed in the presence of three Medical gentlemen, who expressed themselves perfectly satisfied with the complete and entire insensibility to pain of the patient.—Dr. Adams remains a day or two in the city, when he will visit Fredericton. [*St. John, Jan. 18, 1847.*

Concert.—The lovers of music will be gratified to learn that the Philharmonic Society, assisted by several gentlemen Amateurs, intend favouring the public with another of their pleasing Concerts on Thursday evening next, at the Hall of the Mechanics' Institute.—[See advertisement in another column.]

The thermometer yesterday morning was at 5 deg. below zero, being the coldest weather experienced in this city this winter.—In the forenoon the air moderated, and a snow storm commenced, which continued till night, when it changed to rain, with a heavy S. E. wind. The snow is again washed away, and nothing but ice remains.

Electric Telegraph.—A large and respectable meeting was held at Quebec on the 7th inst. when it was resolved that a line of telegraph from Halifax to Quebec, about 600 miles, could be set up at an expense of £25,000; and that the expense from Quebec to the frontier of New Brunswick, is estimated at £6,500. This sum it was proposed to raise in 650 shares of £10 each; and it was resolved to send a Deputation or Agent to this Province and Nova Scotia, to urge the establishment of similar Companies to carry out the entire plan. A committee of eighteen gentlemen was appointed to superintend the proceedings, and when 400 shares are subscribed for, Directors are to be chosen.

☞ The annual collection in St. Andrew's Church, on Sabbath last, for the poor, amounted to £10.

Flour.—At New York on the 11th inst. 1000 brls. flour, for exportation, sold at $5, 50; Corn meal, $3, 87½; Pork, $9.25, to $11.—Freight to Liverpool, flour, 4s. 9d. to 5s.; wheat 18d.

Freights at New Orleans, 2d Jan. to Liverpool, ⅜d. for cotton; 6s. for flour, and 17d. to 18d. for grain.

At New York, Laths are now selling at $3.50 per thousand; and such is the scarcity of the article, that several saw mills in Brooklyn are cutting them from two inch plank.

Consecration.—On Tuesday last, according to previous announcement, the new Church at Manawagonish, Parish of Lancaster, was consecrated. The Bishop was accompanied during the ceremony by the Rev. Messrs. Coster, Stewart, Avery, Disbrow, Bowyer, and Simonds. The Petition for the Consecration was read by the Rev. Thomas W. Robertson, the officiating Minister of the Parish. After the consecration of the Church, the services commenced: Prayers by the Rev. T. W. Robertson; Communion service by His Lordship the Bishop; Epistle by the Rev. Mr. Stewart; Gospel by the Rev. Mr. Avery. The Bishop preached a very excellent and appropriate Sermon from Acts x. c 15, v 4. "What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common." After the sermon a collection was made in behalf of the building. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was then administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Coster; immediately after which, the ground round the church was consecrated as a Place of Burial.

The land (one acre) on which the church stands, was given by Mr James Olive, who has taken a very active part in the building since its commencement. The seats are all free, and capable of containing 300 persons. The church received the name of St. John the Evangelist.—*Chronicle.*

Supreme Court.—The Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for this City and County commenced its sittings on Tuesday—His Honor Judge Street presiding. In charging the Jury, His Honor observed that the criminal cases before the Court were of a less heinous nature than he usually had to notice—the most aggravated one being for larceny—which circumstance was highly creditable to the morals of this populous and thriving city.

His Honour took occasion to notice the recent outcry which had been made by some parties relative to the execution of a criminal for taking the life of one of his fellows, and calmly, but with great ability and firmness, explained the object contemplated by the law in such cases—the duty of the Judges and of the Executive, and the melancholy results which might be anticipated if the laws of the land could be violated with impunity. His Honor exposed the fallacy of the opinion which has so generally obtained here of late, that the Executive could interfere with the execution of the law, or that the Judges could in so clear a case as the one under consideration, move in the slightest degree to prevent the punishment of the criminal.

There are fifty-two cases on the Civil Docket for trial, fourteen of which are marked "summary," being for demands under £20, a class of cases which we should suppose, might be as well disposed of in an inferior Court.—*New Brunswicker.*

The British Ship Indus, Capt. Cox, in 34 days from St. Helena, recently arrived at Port Royal, Jamaica, with 340 Africans, captured from a Slaver by Her Majesty's brig Waterwitch, 8 guns, Commander Birch, on the coast of Africa, and sent to St. Helena, where the vessel was condemned and the Africans were shipped on board the Indus, and sent to Jamaica for the purpose of assisting in Agriculture.

Wesleyan Missions.—During the present week the Anniversary Services of the St. John South, North, and Carleton Auxiliary Missionary Society have been held. The Ministers who took part in these services were those residing in the City, namely, the Rev. Messrs. Daniel and Sutcliffe, and the Rev. Mr. Smallwood of Portland, and the Rev. Mr. Rice of Carleton;—also, the Rev. Messrs. Hennigar of St. Stephen, and Pickles of St. Andrews.

In the South Circuit, namely, Germain street and Centenary Chapels, in addition to the above mentioned Ministers, the Rev. Messrs. Gallaway, Independant; Irvine, Presbyterian; and Robinson, Baptist; took part in the Meetings. Also, the Hon. L. A. Wilmot of Fredericton, who delivered a most effective address at the Germain street meeting on Tuesday evening; and presided with his usual ability at the Centenary Chapel on Thursday evening. The cause of Missions at these meetings was most nobly advocated. The addresses of the different Ministers were listened to with deep attention and evidently with great delight. As an evidence of the effect produced, the Collections were more than twice the amount of last year, reaching the respectable sum of £63.

We are informed that both in Portland and Carleton, the Collections are largely in advance of last year,—shewing that the cause of Missions is acquiring additional hold of the public mind in this community,—that when a case is earnestly made out,—when the wants of the world are pressingly set forth to view, a generous response will be found in the heart of the religious public, and "the liberal man will devise liberal things."

Considering the numerous appeals which have been made on the Wesleyan Congregations in this City for different local objects, during the last six months, the proceeds of the Missionary Anniversary just closed, are highly creditable.—*New Bruns.*

Melancholy Death.—We regret to learn that Mr. Charles Hardenbrook, residing in the Parish of Westfield, about 12 miles from this City, was found frozen to death yesterday morning, near the residence of Mr. James B. Lyons. It appears that Mr. H. left town on Sunday, (whither he came for the purpose of visiting a sick daughter,) on his return home, and that he became benumbed with the intense cold, and sat down near a large rock, about one hundred yards from Mr. Lyons's dwelling. Mr H. was between forty and fifty years of age, and was much respected as an honest, upright man. His loss will be much regretted by all who knew him. We understand that he has left a wife and four or five children to mourn their bereavement.—*Ib.*

Destructive Fire.—Last night, (Friday) between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, we were alarmed by the cry of Fire and the ringing of Bells; and in a few moments we discovered that the extensive and valuable Steam Saw Mills owned by Mr. Nelson, at the Nashwalksis, on the opposite side of the River, were all on fire. Every thing was done which could be accomplished by the joint operations of the Military and our Citizens, to stay the flames, but that was impossible, considering the distance, which is about a mile and a half from Town. The property destroyed is estimated by some at £5,000, and it is said that there is no Insurance, unless it has been effected within a few days, the proprietor being at present in the United States. Through the uncommon exertions of the Engine companies, already alluded to, a great quantity of Lumber was saved; but upon the whole, the consequences are truly melancholy, not only as regards the great loss sustained by Mr. Nelson, but also in reference to the number of individuals connected with the establishment, who are thrown out of present employment.—[*From a Slip from the Fredericton Reporter, January 16.*

Agricultural Show in Miramichi.—The Annual exhibition of the Northumberland Agricultural Society was held at New Castle on the 7th inst.—The Gleaner describes it as having exceeded anything of the kind ever witnessed in Miramichi, and highly eulogizes the disposition manifested by the farmers of that place to advance the interests of Agriculture.

Mortality among the Indians.—A fearfully malignant fever is raging among, and sweeping off the Indians at Dartmouth. No less than four victims of it, we have heard, were buried yesterday. The sickness is said to be the "black fever." The Government has compassionately taken the state of the sufferers into consideration, and directed that an hospital shall be prepared for them, and appointed Dr. Jenaings to superintend it.—*Halifax Recorder.*

From the Seat of War.—The accounts from the army are full of interest. If they are true we shall soon have accounts of the highest importance from the seat of war. It is stated that Santa Ana was advancing on Saltillo with 15,000 men (not 20,000 to 30,000, as the telegraphic account stated yesterday) and that General Taylor had sent reinforcements to General Worth, and would soon follow himself.—*Boston Daily Advertiser, Jan. 13.*

Congress.—The bill for the increase of the army by ten regiments had been passed in the House on Monday 17th, and a new "Lieutenant General" bill had been reported in the Senate.

Pensacola, Dec. 31.—A schooner arrived here this morning from Key West, at which port a small British vessel had arrived with fifty white passengers, fugitives from Green Turtle Key—one of the Bahama Islands,—in consequence of an insurrection there of the free negroes.—[*N. Y. Jour. of Com.*

From the West.—Cincinnati papers of the 4th instant, contain melancholy details of destruction caused by a flood in the Big Miami on the 2d.—Five lives were lost.

The Cincinnati and Dayton Canal is swept of bridges, and is broken and overflowed. The Whitewater Canal is almost irreparably damaged. The loss in lumber, flour, logs and pork is immense, and the destruction of mills, &c. is fearful. The price of pork in Cincinnati has advanced one eighth of a dollar.

Passenger in brig *John Wesson*, for Liverpool, sailed on Friday last—Mr. James Robertson.

[FOR THE OBSERVER.]

Mr. Editor,—I was very much pleased with the communication of "A Ship Owner," in last Saturday's Courier, in relation to a "Sailor's Home." Nothing is more needed than such an establishment in this City. The benefits from it would be great. It would tend, in some measure, to check the vice and immorality, which, to our disgrace, are fast increasing in some of our districts. It would withdraw some of those props, by which the licensed avenues to temporal and eternal ruin, the taverns and grog shops, are supported. It would have a salutary physical and moral effect upon the Sailor himself, and afford the Christian a better opportunity of opening up to him, from the Scriptures of Truth, the way of life and salvation. And thus, through its agency, we might have a sober, moral and religious class of men to man the numerous ships that frequent our harbour. There is no class of respectable citizens that should not feel an interest in a "Sailor's Home." The Merchant, the Lawyer, the Physician, the Minister, the Teacher, and the Artizan, should all combine to press upon the Legislature the absolute necessity there is for such an establishment—and if further Legislative aid is not granted, they should not rest until by private subscription, a sum, sufficient for the purpose of erecting a suitable building, has been attained. It has been *truly* said that there is no Society which ought to command the support of all, so much as the Bible Society. In like manner it might be said, that there is not a project devised in this city, to which every other should give way, so much as that of a "Sailors' Home." Supporters of the Bible, promoters of Temperance, advocates of civil and religious liberty, disinterested lovers of the public good, well-wishers to mankind!—come forward, one and all, to assist in the accomplishment of this thing,—and the blessing of the poor neglected Seaman will rest upon your heads. BONI PUBLICI AMATOR.

St. John, January 18, 1847.

MARRIED.

On the 11th inst. at St. Luke's Church, Portland, by the Rev. W. N. Bowyer, Mr. John Carvill, to Miss Hannah H. Rupert, all of the Parish of Portland.

On Monday evening, by the Rev. Samuel Robinson, Mr. Samuel McKenzie, to Miss Susan Ann Seldom, both of the Parish of Lancaster.

On Wednesday, by W. W. Eaton, Mr. Peter Martin, to Miss Eliza Hamilton, both of this City.

On Friday evening last, by the Very Rev James Dunphy, V. G., Mr. John Garrison, to Margaret, daughter of Mr. J. Desmond, both of this City.

On Tuesday the 5th instant, by the Rev. William Allen, Mr. Thomas Jamison, of the Parish of Upham, to Miss Margaret Ann Cassady, of Sussex.

At the Parish Church, Kingston, (King's County,) on the 29th December, by the Rev. W. E. Scovil, Mr Charles H. Deforest, of the Parish of Sussex, to Miss Phœbe C. Wetmore, youngest daughter of Mr. James Wetmore, of the Parish of Kingston.

At Westfield, on the 12th instant, by the Rev. C. Milner, Mr. Wm. Thompson, of this city, to Sarah Rebecca, fourth daughter of Joshua Brundage, Esq. of the Parish of Westfield, King's County.

At the Parish Church, at Upham, on the 14th inst. by the Rev. J. W. Disbrow, Mr. Richard Davis, to Miss Margaret Ingram.

DIED.

On Monday last, after a lingering illness of six months, Mr. John Mitchell, aged 62 years, a native of Lascard, Cornwall, England.

On Monday, Charlotte, daughter of Mr. James Keohan, aged three years.

On Saturday morning, after a severe illness, David, fifth son of Mr. David Waterberry, aged three years and nine months.

On Saturday morning, 16th inst., at Kingston, King's County, in the 30th year of her age, Fanny Amanda, wife of Mr. Nathaniel G. Whelpley, and second daughter of James Brittain, Esquire, leaving a husband and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.—Funeral from her late residence, to-morrow, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, P. M. when friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

At Red Head, Parish of Simonds, on Tuesday last, from the effects of a hurt received about a week previously, while felling a tree, Mr. James Murphy, in the 25th year of his age, only son of Stephen Murphy. He was a promising young man, and his premature death is much regretted by his acquaintances.

On Thursday, 7th, George Elias, aged 5 years and 5 months, and on Tuesday night, Jarvis, aged 2 years and 4 months, oldest and youngest sons of Mr. Thomas Templemane, of Portland.

At Portland, on the 24th ultimo, Rachael Ann, only daughter of Mr. William Parks, Jun. aged 2 years and 5 months.

At Indian Town, the 28th ultimo, Jacob Albert, son of David Pidgeon, aged 4 years and 2 months.

On Saturday the 2d instant, in the Parish of Dorchester, of Consumption, which she bore with pious resignation to the divine Will, Jane, third daughter of Reuben and Elizabeth Taylor, aged 20 years.

Of disease of the heart, at her residence, in St. Mary's, York County, on Sunday morning, the 10th instant, after a short illness, Mary, wife of Cavalier H. Jouett, Esq. in the 50th year of her age, leaving a deeply afflicted husband and family, with a numerous circle of relations and friends to mourn this dispensation.

At Fredericton, on Thursday last, of Scarlet fever, Miss Ruth Perley, in the 23d year of her age.

At Halifax, on the 12th instant, Mr. Alria Jane Greenwood, aged 45 years, wife of Mr. Edward G. W. Greenwood, of that City.

At Sheffield, on Saturday the 24th ult. of typhus fever, after a painful illness of 17 days, Abigail Anne, eldest daughter of Mr. Lemuel Wilber, aged 20 years. Her death is deeply deplored and regretted by her numerous relatives and friends.—Her remains were interred on the following Monday, and were accompanied to the silent grave by almost every individual of the settlement. Cut off in the very prime of life, her sudden and early call leaves a blank in that society in which she moved, and by whom she was beloved and respected.

"Why do we mourn departed friends,
Or shake at death's alarms?
'Tis but the voice that Jesus sends,
To call them to his arms."

MARINE LIST.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN—ARRIVED.

Friday—Schooner John Edward, Reid, Boston, 2—Adams & Ketchum, assorted cargo.

Monday—Brigt. Euphrates, Foley, New York, 5—J. M. Hamilton, molasses.

Tuesday—Schr Brandywine, Paul, Bangor,—J. D. Andrews, fresh beef, mutton, poultry, &c.

CLEARED.

12th—Barque Princess, Murphy, Boston, coals; Schr. Defiance, Harper, Boston, coals.

13th—Barque Atalanta, Clark, Dublin, timber, and deals; Evergreen, Vasey, London, do; Brig Caroline, Ward, Bristol, railway sleepers; John Wilson, Mackie, Liverpool, timber and deals; Esther Eliza, Clarke, Eastport—assorted cargo, J. D. Andrews.

14th—Barque Fag-an-Bealac, Brougnall, Dublin, timber and deals—Allison & Spurr; Nova-Scotia, Field, Jamaica, fish and lumber—John Alexander, Brig Elizabeth, Boultenhouse, Cork, deals—John Boultenhouse.

15th—Ship Ottawa, Thrift, Bridgewater, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son; Barque Joseph Cunard, Williams, Newport, timber and deals—John Robertson; Schooner Eleanor Jane, M'Carthy, Boston, coal—James Kirk.

16th—Brig Amy, McLean, London, deals—J. & S. Fairweather.

16th—Ship Sir Robert Peel, Dowd, Liverpool, timber & deals.

17th—Brig Argyle, Durkee, Cork, deals &c.

Barque William Carson, Vaughan, from Waterford, at Queen on Sunday the 10th instant.

Barque Forager, Spendlove, from Hull, for this port, having been unable to obtain a pilot off the harbour during the gale of the 7th inst. was driven up the Bay, and went ashore at Economy, near Londonderry, (N. S.) on Saturday the 9th, with loss of anchors, &c. The vessel has received considerable damage—her stern post and about twenty feet of her keel, with some of her planks, being started.

The ship Monticello, at New York, reports that on Dec. 12th, lat 43, lon 43 22, spoke brig Eale, of Windsor, from Picton, bound to Norwich, 27 days out—had been blown off in the late gales—split sails, and short of provisions; supplied them—she bore away for Fayal.

Arrived at New Orleans on the 5th, ship New Zealand from Liverpool.

At Savannah, on the 7th, ship Caledonia, do.

Arrived at Charleston, Jan. 6th, ship Dolphin, Sullivan, 100 days from Newry, bound to St. John, in distress, having experienced continual gales of wind during the passage, lopping mainmast, lost sails, &c.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry,

the greatest remedy for

CONSUMPTION,

And the best Medicine known to Man for

Asthma of every stage, Liver Complaints, Bronchitis, Influenza, Coughs, Colds, Bleeding of the Lungs, Shortness of Breath, pains and weakness in the side, breast, &c., and all other diseases of the

PULMONARY ORGANS.

A very important disease over which this "Balsam" exerts a powerful influence, is that of a

DISEASED LIVER.

In this complaint it has undoubtedly proved more efficacious than any remedy hitherto employed, and in numerous instances when patients had endured long and severe suffering from the disease, without receiving the least benefit from various remedies, and when MERCURY has been resorted to in vain, the use of this Balsam has restored the Liver to a healthy action, and in many instances effected

PERMANENT CURES,

after every known remedy had failed to produce this desired effect.

It not only emanates from a regular Physician, but has also been well tested in all the complaints for which it is recommended. It is not my intention, therefore, either to cloak it in mystery, or in any way deceive the public by overrating its virtues; on the contrary, I shall simply endeavour to give a brief statement of its usefulness, and flatter myself that its surprising efficacy will enable me to furnish such proofs of its virtues as will satisfy the most incredulous, that Consumption may and "CAN BE CURED," if this medicine be resorted to in time.

For sale by Peters & Tilley, King's Street, St. John, N. B. October 7. 2y.

CONCERT

OF

Vocal and Instrumental Music.

THE Members of the PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY, have the honor most respectfully to announce to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Saint John, and its vicinity, that, assisted by other Amateurs and several of the principal Professors of the City, they will give a

Concert of Secular Music,

on Tuesday Evening next, at the Hall of the Mechanics' Institute.

Conductor—The President of the Society.

Leader—Professor Beyer. Jan. 19.

Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Meeting of the General Committee of the Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick, will be held on the Evening of Wednesday next, the 20th instant, at the Female National School House, at 6 o'clock. And that the ANNIVERSARY MEETING of the said Society will be held on the evening of Thursday, the 21st instant, at the *Hall of the Mechanics' Institute*, at half past 6 o'clock. The Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, President of the Society, in the Chair. The attendance of the Members and Friends of the Society is particularly requested. *By Order.*

Jan. 16. F. COSTER, *Secretary.*

FIGS, LEMONS, &c.

Landing this day, ex "John Edward," from Boston:—

6 BARRELS Dried APPLES;
50 Drums Turkey FIGS—new;
6 boxes ORANGES and LEMONS,
25 dozen BROOMS.

—LATELY RECEIVED—

20 half-chests and catty boxes genuine Oolong Souchong TEA,

6 cases fresh Preserved Canton GINGER.

For sale by J. MACFARLANE,
Jan. 19, 1847. [Her.] *Market-square.*

Beef! Beef!

Just received per brig Euphrates, from New York:

75 BRLS. extra Prime BEEF, } in Bond for
20 do. do. PORK, } Ship stores.

WM. THOMSON,
January 19. *North Wharf.*

ORANGES—On Consignment.

LANDING ex John Edwards—50 Boxes Oranges, a good article in prime order, at low rates—apply to

Jan. 19. GEO. THOMAS.

CANADA CLOTH.

TOP COATS made of the above, well trimmed and lined throughout; Velvet Collar and Cuffs, at the low price of 40s. cash.

The durability and warmth of this kind of Cloth is so well known to every person, that to say anything in its favour would be superfluous.

☞ Call and see one made up.

GARRETT & SKILLES.
Pantechnetheca, Jan. 19, 1847.

BOOK BINDING.

C. W. TILL, would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has taken the Shop in Germain Street, formerly occupied as the Circulating Library, and nearly opposite to Trinity Church, where he intends to carry on BOOK-BINDING in all its various branches, with neatness and despatch.

St. John, January 16, 1847.—1m.

Pine and Spruce TIMBER and Railway Sleepers.

PARTIES desirous of Contracting to deliver a quantity of PINE and SPRUCE TIMBER, in the months of May and June next, of specific dimensions:—Also

100,000 Hackmatack Railway Sleepers, to be delivered in April, May, June, July, and August next—will please apply to either of the subscribers for terms and particulars.

THOMAS CORAM,
NATHANIEL HICKS.
January 19, 1847.—3m.

MISSING.

A GREEN Case, or Box, containing three hundred numbers of the *British North American Wesleyan Magazine*. It was put on board the Steamer New Brunswick on the morning of the 23d of October last, directed to the Rev. S. D. RICE, in Saint John, and to the care of Messrs. J. & B. Langly, Indian Town. Information will be thankfully received by either of the Wesleyan Ministers in Saint John, or by the Publisher in Fredericton.

Fredericton, January 8.

NOTICE

IS hereby given to the holders of COUNTY DEBT DEBENTURES, issued under the Act 7th Victoria, that the undersigned has received orders from the General Sessions of the Peace, to pay off Numbers 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, and that the same will be paid, with Interest that may be due thereon, on the 15th January next, at his Office in the Commercial Bank Building.

I. L. BEDELL,
St. John, 15th Dec. 1846. *County Treasurer.*

SALT and COALS, AFLOAT!

5000 BUSHELS Liverpool SALT;
75 Chaldrons Pemberton COALS;
25 Chaldrons best Orrel COALS, on board ship *Mary Caroline*, now discharging at Peddock's Wharf. WILLIAM JARVIS.

12th January.

TEA! TEA!!

32 CHESTS Fine Congou TEA, now landing ex *Duke of Wellington*, from London. For sale by

Jan. 12, 1847. WILLIAM E. MOORE.

TO RENT,

THAT large BRICK HOUSE, owned and occupied by Mr. Thomas Nisbet, in Prince William street, excellently situated for a Hotel, or extensive City Boarding House. It is situated in the very centre of business, being adjacent to the three Banks, contains two Cellar Kitchens, ten Rooms with fireplaces, and six others suited for Bed-rooms. There are two excellent Wells in the yard, and Woodhouses of large size. Accommodation could be made, if necessary, for half a dozen horses. If required, a good part of the Furniture could be left on rent, separately.—Enquire on the premises, where the owner will be found.

St. John, 12th January, 1847.

☞ NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of DUNCAN CAMPBELL, late of the Parish of Sussex, King's County, Farmer, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, within Three Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

DUNCAN M. CAMPBELL,
Sole Executor.

Parish of Sussex, King's County, }
29th December, 1846. } 3m

AUCTION SALES.

Apples,—at Auction.

On WEDNESDAY next, at 11 o'clock, by Geo. A. Lockhart, Esq., at his Auction Room in Water-street,—

70 BARRELS New York APPLES,—recently imported.

Terms at Sale. WM. THOMSON.
January 19, 1847.

TO BE SOLD

By Public Auction, on MONDAY the 25th day of January next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the Premises, the following PROPERTIES, viz.:

1. The three-story BRICK HOUSE, in Germain Street in this City, at present occupied by Mr. Mann as a HOTEL; together with the LOT on which it stands, Fifty feet in front, or thereabouts, and extending back Two hundred feet.

2. A LOT on the Western side of Prince William Street, Fifty feet in front, or thereabouts, and extending half way to St. John Street, at present covered by a Building belonging to the Estate of the late Thomas Hay.

3. A LOT of the same size as the one last mentioned, being in rear of the same, and fronting on St. John Street.

4. A Lot on the Western side of St. John Street, opposite to the last mentioned lot, being fifty feet in front, and extending to low-water mark; together with an extension of the same Eighty feet below low water mark, subject to a ground rent to the Corporation of this City of Five Pounds per annum, and having part of the Wharf known by the name of "Lovett's Wharf."

All belonging to the Estate of the late William Donald, Esquire.

☞ Terms will be made known at the time of sale, and possession given on the first day of May next.

ROBERT W. CROOKSHANK, } *Executors*
CHARLES SIMONDS, } *& Trustees*
St. John, Nov. 24th, 1846.

EDUCATION.

MISS FOULIS' School for the Education of Young Ladies will be re-opened on Monday next, 11th instant.

South-East corner of Queen's Square, }
January 5, 1847. }

FOR SALE.

THAT valuable FREEHOLD PROPERTY, at the lower end of and fronting on Prince William street, adjoining the Property belonging to Henry Chubb, Esq.—fronting 50 feet on Prince William street, and extending to low water mark, a distance of upwards of 300 feet, on which there is a good two story Dwelling HOUSE, BARN, and Wharf. The above premises are well known, and are worthy the attention of persons wishing to obtain a good Water Property. For further particulars apply to

W. D. FAULKE.

☞ An excellent Well of Water in the Cellar.

St. John, 5th Jan. 1847.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, St. John, will be received until 12 o'clock, at noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of January next, from such persons as may be willing to enter into a Contract for conveying Her Majesty's Mails three times a week, each way, between Fredericton and Woodstock, and also twice a week, each way, between Woodstock and Grand Falls, commencing on and from the 6th day of April, 1847; the sum per annum to be stated in Halifax Currency, for which they are willing to perform the service.

Tenders will be received either for the whole service from Fredericton to Grand Falls, or separately, for the service from Fredericton to Woodstock, and from Woodstock to Grand Falls.

The particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may, from time to time appoint, in a Waggon of suitable size, (to be approved of by an Officer of the Department,) to be drawn by not less than two horses. The Mails to be carried at a rate of speed of not less than Six Miles an hour, including Stoppages. The Contractor will be bound to afford perfect Security to the Mails, and means to protect them against the Weather. A notice of three months on either side to determine the Contract.

J. HOWE, D. P. M. G.
General Post Office, New Brunswick, December 30, 1846.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS addressed to the Deputy Post Master General, St. John, will be received until 12 o'clock at noon, on Monday, the 8th day of March next, from such persons as may be willing to enter into a Contract for conveying Her Majesty's MAILS, twice a week each way, between SAINT JOHN, N. B. and AMHERST, N. S. commencing on and from the 6th day of July, 1847, the Sum per annum to be stated in Halifax Currency, for which they would be willing to perform the Service.

The Particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may from time to time appoint, in a Waggon of suitable size, (to be approved of by an Officer of the Department,) to be drawn by not less than two Horses. The Mails to be carried at a rate of speed of not less than Seven Miles per Hour, including stoppages. The Contract will be entered into for Three Years, after which period, either party shall have power to annul the same, by giving a Notice of Three Months. The Contractor will be bound to afford perfect Security to the Mails, and means to protect them against the Weather.

Tenders will at the same time be received for conveying the Mails on the above conditions, THREE TIMES PER WEEK each way between Saint John and Amherst.

J. HOWE, D. P. M. G.
General Post Office, New Brunswick, }
5th December, 1846. } 3m.

MAIL CONVEYANCE between Truro and Amherst.

ANY Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the Conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, (it being understood that the Courier will not be allowed to convey any Passenger with the Mails,) between Truro and Amherst, twice in each week each way, to commence after the 5th July, 1847, are requested to send in Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Deputy Postmaster General, Halifax, stating the Sum per annum, in Currency, for which they would be willing to perform the Service. The particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may from time to time direct, without reservation. The Mails are to be carried in a Waggon of suitable size, to be approved of by an Officer of the Department and to be drawn by not less than Two Horses, and at a rate of speed not less than Eight Miles per hour, between 1st May and 1st November, and not less than Six Miles per hour between the 1st of November and 30th April, in each year.

The Contract will be entered into for Three Years, after which period either party shall have power to annul the same by giving a notice of Three Months. The Contractor will be bound to afford perfect security to the Mails, and means to protect them against the weather.

Sealed Tenders will also be received, addressed as above, from such persons as may be willing to carry the Mails upon the above conditions, with permission to carry Six Passengers. Security will be required for the faithful performance of the service.

Tenders will be received for both Services on the 5th of March next, after which time none will be noticed. A. WOODGATE, D. P. M. G.

General Post Office, }
Halifax, March 27, 1846. } 3m.