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Sept. 6.

SPRING IMPORTATIONS.

Halifax Clothing Store.
No. 4. ORDNANCE ROW.

The Subscriber has just received by the recent arrivals from England his SPRING SUPPLY, consising of a large Stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

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COATS—Men's, Youths, and Boys, Cashmeretts, Cashmeres, Pricecetta, Doeskin, Tweed, Drill, Cantoon Brown and White Linen.
JACKETS—of various descriptions.
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A large assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, Tweeds, Cashmeres, Cashmeretts, Casinetts, Princetta, and other reasonable Goods.

Also—A splendid assortment of rich fancy SATIN VESTINGS, and a general variety of Tailor's Trimmings, which, together with his former Stock, forms as complete an assortment as is to be found in any Clothing Establishment in the city, all of which are offered for sale at the lowest prices.

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CHARLES B. NAYLOR,
June 18. Wes. & Ath. Tailor & Clothier.

EXTRACT FROM
MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLVED, That Public Notice be given that the Hay Scales erected by Mr. Jos. Fairbanks, at the head of Fairbanks' Wharf, are acknowledged as Public Scales for the weighing of Hay, and all other articles, and that Mr. William Doyle be sworn weigher for said scales.

(A true copy.)
JAMES S. CLARKE, City Clerk.

October 31, 1850.

In accordance with the foregoing Resolution, Mr. William Doyle was this day sworn into office.

JAMES S. CLARKE,
16 City Clerk.

CHEBUCTO HOUSE.
NEW & CHEAP GROCERY STORE.
NO. 48, UPPER WATER STREET,
Opposite Messrs. Creighton & Grassie's Wharf.

R. G. HALLS respectfully intimates to his friends and the public generally, in Town and Country, that he has opened the above Establishment, *on his own account*, where he will constantly have on hand articles of *warranted quality*, connected with the General Grocery and Provision Business, which will be supplied at the lowest remunerative profit.

Family and Ship Stores.

Country produce taken in exchange for goods, which will be supplied *without advance on the usual retail prices.*

Articles from the Country received on consignment which will be disposed of (at a small per centage) to the best advantage and the proceeds duly forwarded.

April 19. (98) Wes. & Athe. 12 mos. (17)

THE TRENTON MUTUAL
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Blanks, pamplets and every information furnished by
R. S. Black, Esq., M. D. Medical Examiner. } DANIEL STARR, Agent.

DIGBY HERRINGS.

50 BOXES No. 1 DIGBY HERRINGS, in good order, for sale by
August 2. W. M. HARRINGTON.

Brig "SEBIM" from Quebec.

The Subscriber offers for sale from the Wharf:

304 BARRELS Western Mills No. 1 Sup'fine FLOUR, particularly recommended for Bakers,
860 bbls. Brownston mills No. 1 S'fine Flour, a sup. article,
25 kegs No. 1 BUTTER, June Inspection,
12 " " 1 " New,
18 " " 2 "
22 " " 3 "
25 bbls. OATMEAL,
30 " Prime BEEF,

GEORGE H. STARR.
Sept. 3. Wes. Ath. 31.

Waggons, Wheelbarrows, Brooms, &c.

Ex BELLE from Boston, just received.

10 WILLOW Waggons or Cradles,
20 Children's Wheelbarrows, assorted sizes.
10 dozen best Corn Brooms,
10 nests Painted Tubs,
Bathing Tubs, Flour Buckets,
Butter Moulds and Butter Prints,
Alicant, Rope and Manilla Mats, for sale at the Italian Warehouse, by
August 2. W. M. HARRINGTON.

MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, &c.

EX "Moro Castle" from London, and "Mic-Mac" from Glasgow, the Subscriber has completed his Fall Supply of Drugs Medicines, Perfumery, Brushes, &c., of the best quality, and at low rates.

Also on hand—A large supply of very superior Medicinale COD-LIVER OIL, wholesale or retail.

Dec 24 ROBERT G FRASER.

Heather Honey, Scotch Marmalade, &c.

For sale at the *Italian Warehouse*, Bedford Row.

SUPERIOR Heath Honey, 7 lb jars, or by the pound, Scotch Orange Marmalade, best Dundee Manufacture, in one and two pound stone crocks. Also—bags Scotch OATMEAL, Pot and Pearl Barley, by
Sept. 26. W. M. HARRINGTON.
Wes & Rec.

EARTHENWARE.

MILK Pans, glazed and unglazed, Butter and Cream Crocks, some covered, assorted sizes. Pickle Jars; one, two, and three gallon stone Bottles, for sale by
Sept. 26. W. M. HARRINGTON.
Wes. & Rec.

DELAY NOT TO PURCHASE,

IF you need an excellent young Mare. She is very good in harness, and remarkably tractable. Apply at the Wesleyan Office.
Sept. 6th. Wes. & Athæ. 3 ins.

EAU DE COLOGNE.

80 DOZEN Eau de Cologne, in boxes of ½ dozen each, short and long bottles, real "Jean Marie Farina" for sale at ITALIAN WAREHOUSE
August 2. Bedford Row.

FANCY SOAPS & PERFUMERY.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers his present extensive stock of Fancy Soap & Perfumery, at very reduced prices.
Jan. 25. ROBT. G. FRASER.

Temperance.

The Sailors' Temperance Meeting.

Last evening attended the mariners' temperance meeting. While one of the gentlemen was speaking, a man intoxicated came staggering up to him, looked him earnestly in the face till he paused, and then said to him:

"You mean me, do you, Captain?"

"Mean you?" said the other; "what did I say about you?"

"Why, the yarn you were spinning about that old salt! Did you mean me?"

"No, I spoke of another; but I think it would do very well for you too."

"Well, so I think myself, and I'm ashamed of it. So here I'll knock off. Give me a pen; let me sign your pledge. May be I'm a little too drunk, but I'll try."

The secretary handed him a pen. In attempting to subscribe his name, he let fall upon the page a large drop of ink.

"There," he exclaimed, "that's a big period; and a period marks the end of a sentence; so here's an end of my grog! Look at me, shipmates! You think I'm pretty much gone by the board, and so I am; but I begin to get sober; I know what I've done; and you may call me a liar if I don't give grog a wide berth hereafter!"

The orator staggered to his seat amidst roars of laughter and shouts of applause. Whether he will keep his word, time must determine. It would be very questionable, at least, if he were not a sailor. But such is the sailor's sense of honour, that he is seldom known to violate a vow. Mr. Chase tells us that many have signed the pledge in a state of intoxication, and adhered to it with sacred fidelity.

I noticed a well dressed young man, who led into the house another so affected with liquor that he appeared to walk with difficulty. His friend placed him upon the front seat, and sat down by his side. About the middle of the meeting the former rose to make a speech; and the latter, seizing the opportunity, stealthily left the house. The speaker finished abruptly, followed the fugitive and brought him back, and, before the exercises closed, led him to the table, put a pen in his hand, and guided it while he wrote his name. I was afterwards informed that this young man himself, about six months ago, was brought, intoxicated, to the temperance meeting, and persuaded to sign the pledge; that he has ever since been a sober man, has lately joined the church, gives evidence of genuine piety, and promise of great usefulness among the sailors.—*Temperance Home.*

Testimony of Two Clergymen.

The Rev. W. Whitehead, A. M., vicar of Chard, and a magistrate of the county of Somerset, occupied the chair in the evening. The reverend Chairman said it was with pleasure he appeared before them in support of a cause which they all had so much at heart; and when he saw so many happy faces before him he was amply repaid for any little inconvenience his attending might have occasioned himself. He had been a minister of the Gospel for upwards of 40 years, and a magistrate for upwards of 30 years, and he could with confidence assure them, both as a clergyman and a magistrate, that in the whole course of his experience he had not found so great an enemy to the diffusion and influence of the Gospel, as the drinking habits of the people of this country.—He would go further and say, he had never yet found so decided an enemy as strong drink to the peace and good order of society, and that the drinking usages of the people were in deed and in truth the foster-fathers of the greatest portion of the crime prevailing amongst us. Further, he would say—and he said it fearless of contradiction—that infidelity and socialism, a mere formalism, and a total indifference to religion, were engendered with the habit of intemperance which so extensively prevailed. Many were the means resorted to, to cry down the advocates of the only method that had yet been found effectual, under God's blessing, of stemming the torrent of corruption, but he entreated all who heard him to meet such opposition in a christian spirit.

The Rev. W. Gale, A. M., vicar of Pylle, Somerset, assured them of his unshrinking attachment to the cause of Total Abstinence, for he believed the curse of drunkenness afforded the greatest obstacle to the spread of the Gospel, to the diffusion of moral philanthropy, and to the sanitary improvement of the condition of the people. He would not recommend to his people the adoption of the Total Abstinence principle till he had tried it himself, but, having practised it for some time, he found himself so much better, both mentally and physically—in mind as well as in pocket—that he could not do less than advise others to adopt it also. He had now been a Teetotaller six years, and every day confirmed him in his adhesion to the practice of Abstinence.—*Bristol Temperance Herald.*

The Saratoga Convention.

A very striking thought was advanced by one of the speakers at this Convention and supported by very cogent reasoning. He boldly affirmed that it was much easier to administer a prohibitory law than any other kind of law against the liquor traffic. If, said he, you interfere with the sale of intoxicating drinks partially, you arouse all the enormous capital which is engaged in the various ramifications of that business to active hostility, and every one knows how powerful capital is and how terribly its recoil upon political measures. In the case of a partially restrictive law all this capital continues in the business and consequently continues to work against the law. But let the business be uncompromising and absolute, and the capital all leaves the business as in Maine, and seeks other channels in which its own interest requires it not only not to oppose the law but actually to sustain it.

In like manner said the same speaker, (Dr. Jewett, of Boston.) a partially effective law only irritates and stirs up to increasing opposition the whole of the terrible appetite which rum has created; but a prohibitory law by depriving that appetite of what it feeds on, removes it entirely; and after the first month the drunkards, tipplers, and moderate drinkers, who were loudest against it, would themselves cast a majority in favour of the law, and against returning to the former state of things.—*Montreal Witness.*

Asylum for Inebriates.

I have been to Maine, and seen the wonderful Asylum for Inebriates, much larger than the Crystal Palace, being 225 miles long, 195 miles wide, and reaching to the heavens. It contains within itself vast forests, sweet green fields, beautiful gardens, and fine streams of water. Here the poor inebriate can roam *ad libitum*, confined by no bars or bolts, and is perfectly safe, and completely cured. It is kept by one Neal Dow, a man of short name, and small in stature, and indomitable energy. If any New York gentleman has a drunken son, I would advise him to send him to Maine. And if our corporation would send thither all who are committed weekly for drunkenness to the Tombs, and support them there a year, they would save much expense and trouble, and receive them back useful citizens. When I was there a few envious spirits were crying out against it, and a New York traveller was furious because he could not find in it a drop of the drunkard's drink: but I believe it will stand, and hope it will be a model for one in every State of the Union. If this information will be of value to any who have drunken relations, or to our city corporation, I shall be happy to have imparted it.—*Cor. of the N. Y. Jour. of Com.*

MONIES RECEIVED.

Rev. W. C. Beals, per Rev. W. Croscombe, (£1. 2s. 1d.) Rev. C. Lockhart, (20s. Wesleyan, Book account 40s.)

Marriages.

At the Wesleyan Mission House, Amherst, on the 16th inst, by the Rev W C Beals, Mr John Trenholm, to Miss Phebe Greeno, both of Tidnish.

At St John, N B, on the 10th instant, by the Rev'd Robert Cooney, A. M., Mr. Henry Jamieson, to Miss Eleanor Boyd.

On the 18th inst, by the Rev Robert Cooney, A M, Mr William H Clark, to Miss Mary Thomas, adopted daughter of Mr John Clark, Jr, of Carleton.

Deaths.

At Toronto, C. W. on the 5th instant, Anna, wife of the late Deputy Commissary General Fannett Thompson, and daughter of Charles A. Clarke, Esq., Deputy Commissary General.

At St John, N B, on Sunday the 14th instant, Mary Jane, second daughter of Mr Andrew W Hennigar, aged 24 years. Her end was peace.

At Havanna, on the 29th August, of Typhus Fever, Capt. James Sullivan, of this port, aged 33 years.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

Friday, September 19.—R M steamship America, Shannon, Boston, 36 hours; Revenue schr Daring, Darby, Sable Island, 3 days; schrs Mary, Tyrell, N York, 10 days, to Carman & Wright and others; Mary, Esperance, Gaspe, 13 days; Thetis, Letteny, Annapolis; Cruiser, LaHave; Catherine, do; pkt schrs Isabella, Hadley, Guysborough, 2 days, to Fairbanks & Allisons; Liverpool, McLearn, Liverpool, 20 hours.

Saturday, 20th—brig Chebucto, Wyman, Ponce, 20 days, to G H Starr; brigts Dasher, Grant, St John's, PR, 20 days, to J Strachan; Devonshire, Wetlington, Grenada, 24 days; schrs California, Byrnes, New York, 12 days, to Fairbanks & Allisons; Lady Ellen, Lunenburg, to J H McNab; California, Griffin, Ragged Islands; Partners, Allen, do.

Sunday, 21st—barque Clyde, Mills, Liverpool, 27 days, to T A S Dewolf; Am brigt Foster, Crowell, Alexandria, 18 days, to H Lawson; Mail schr Harriet, Allen, St John's, NF., 8 days, to S Cunard & Co.

Monday, 22nd—Irene, Boudroit, Pictou—bound to Boston; William Henry, Crowell, Barrington; Morning Star, Cape Breton, to Salter & Twining; Samuel Thomas, Burke, Labrador, 10 days, to James A Moren; Mail schr Harriet, Allen, St John's NF, 8 days, to S Cunard & Co; Bride, Labrador; Delegate, Ragged Isles; Sarah, LaHave.

Tuesday, 23rd—brigt Kingston, Fortune, St John, NB, 16 days, to J & M Tobin; Revenue schr Telegraph Crowell, Sable Island, 3 days; Blanche, Burke, St George's Bay, 10 days, to Master; Snowbird, Huelin, St George's Bay, to Master.

Wednesday, 24th—pkt brig Boston, Trew, Boston, 3 days, to B Wier & Co and others—11 passengers; brigt Lord Lovat, Lawson, Matanzas, 22 days, to Salter & Twining; schrs Julia Eliza, Mason, New York, 10 days, to Carman & Wright; Indus, Day, New York, 9 days, to J Cochran and Banld & Gibson; Cora, Lynn, Marmand, Boston, 4 days, bound to Pictou; Good Intent, Shelnut, Placentia, NF, 7 days, to Salter & Twining; Agnes Ross, Doane, St Mary's Bay, NF, 9 days, to J Dunn; Jew, (Am) Bragg, Bay Chaleur.

Thursday, 25th—brig Fulton, McColl, Cienfuegos, 28 days, to J Esson & Co; brigt Oscar, Conrad, Saint John's, PR, 21 days, to J & M Tobin; schr Thistle, Montreal, to Salter & Twining.

CLEARED.

Sept. 19—steamer America, Shannon, Liverpool, GB, —S Cunard & Co; brigs Kingston, Durkee, Kingston, Jam—H Yeomans and others; Queen of the Isles, Gray, Quebec—Fairbanks & Allisons; Madisco, West, Quebec, —Fairbanks & Allisons; schr Welcome, Baker, Newfoundland—J Tobin.

Sept. 20—brig Albion, Leslie, St John's and Aberdeen—Deblois & Merkel; schrs Charles, Whipple, St John's, NB—J McDougall & Co; William, McPhee, Miramichi and Kichibouguac—Carman & Wright and others; Dolphin, Chin, St George's Bay, NF,—Oxley & Co; Speedwell, Bragg, Port auz Basque—Master; Pandoras, Harrison, Newfoundland—Master.

Sept. 22—brigt Favourite, Marsters, Baltimore, 1,300 bbls mackerel, 200 bbls herrings, 200 qtls codfish, 12 boxes cod liver oil, by Carman & Wright; Commerce, Corneir, Bay St George, assorted cargo, by B Wier and Co and others; Jasper, Banks, Jamaica, 845 qtls codfish, 95 bbls herrings, 90 bbls and 12 half bbls mackerel, 29 casks oil, 12 bbls and 6 third bbls salmon, 4,000 feet lumber, by John Strachan.

Sept. 23—brigt Contest, Griffin, Foreign West Indies 100 bbls mackerel, 976 qtls codfish, 290 qtls scalefish, 100 boxes soap, 18,000 shingles, by Salter & Twining; Triumph, Crowell, Foreign West Indies, 740 qtls codfish, 560 qtls haddock, 4,546 feet boards, by Fairbanks & Allisons; Trusty, Fraser, Magdalen Islands, 14 puncheons molasses, 2 half chests tea, 3 bags coffee, 4 boxes tobacco, 2 bales warp, 6 dozen cod lines, by Creighton & Grassie, and B Wier & Co; Ulia, Griffin, Newfoundland 126 bbls Wheat Flour, by J & M Tobin.

Sept. 24—barque Agenora, (Am) Skilling, Mauritius —Creighton & Grassie.

Sept. 25—schrs Mayflower, Townsend, Newfoundland—John B Fay; John Thomas, Doyle, Newfoundland—Fairbanks & Allisons; Enterprise, McVean, Souris, P E I—E Albro & Co and others.

MEMORANDA.

St John, NB., 13th inst—cl'd schr Margaret McDougall, Halifax: 14th—arr'd brigt Manilla, O'Bryan, Halifax.

Quebec, 9th inst—arr'd schr Quebec Trader, Arichat; 11th—brigt Virginie, Halifax.

Havana, Aug. 30th—sl'd brigt Mary, Wallace, Cardenas; brig Avon, hence at Havana, sold cargo cod and scale $4.

St Jago de Cuba, Aug. 24th—sl'd Swift, Banks, Halifax—arrivd hence 14th, 24 days, sold mackerel $6½, cod $4½, ld'g brigt Lady Ogle, Lanchner, Halifax.

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