

COUNTRY TOPICS.

ARRIVAL OF PRINCE NAPOLEON AT HALIFAX, N. S.—The French Frigate Foudre arrived at this port on Monday from Sidney. The steamer Jerome Napoleon, with Prince Napoleon and family on board, arrived also on Monday, from France, via Louisbourg. The Prince visited His Excellency the Earl of Mulgrave at Government House in the afternoon.

On board the Jerome Napoleon is a beautiful little steam screw iron yacht, not much larger than a ship's long boat, of which the Prince makes use, while lying in harbor. Yesterday it steamed past the Market Wharf, on which a large crowd had gathered to witness its movements.

THE SEASON.—For nearly three weeks not a day passed without rain, and frequently it came down in torrents. As it was wet on St. Swifan's day, many affirmed that the old saying would be verified and that we would have rain every day for forty days.

Important Ministerial changes are rumored. Lord Herbert's ill health will cause him to resign his office at the head of the War Department. Some say that Sir George C. Lewis will go to the War office, and that he will be succeeded at the home office by Sir George Grey.

ARRIVAL OF THE CITY OF BALTIMORE, ST. JOHN, N. F., July 26. The City of Baltimore, with dates to the 18th, was intercepted off Cape Race last evening. The King of Prussia was fired at in Baden on the 14th by a young student from Leipzig, named Becker, who was arrested. The ball slightly grazed the King's neck.

ARRIVAL OF THE AFRICA. Africa from Liverpool 21st, intercepted off Cape Race, last night. News unimportant. The President's message criticised by different London Journals. Times predicts obstinate struggle of the result of the independence of the second States. No Continental news.

THE NEW YORK ARMY CONTRACTS.—The investigating committee on the frauds in the clothing of the New York Volunteers, report that the State has been grossly swindled, the volunteers badly clothed in stuff made in good part of shoddy (ground rags), and that the blame rests in great degree on the contractors.

REVENUE OF RUSSIA.—The revenue of Russia is 40,000,000 sterling. The greatest source is the duty on spirits, which reaches £19,000,000 per annum.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS. His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz:—

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 25, July, 1861. George L. Hatheway, Esquire, to be a member of the Executive Council.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 26th July, 1861. John M. Millan, Esquire, and Wm. E. Perley, Esquire, to be Members of the Executive Council, in the room of the Hon. James Brown and the Hon. David Wark resigned.

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New Advertisements.

I. H. STODDARD, Harness Maker and Carriage Trimmer, MAIN STREET, WOODSTOCK, N. E. Has just received a Few Gent's and Ladies' RIDING SADDLES, BRIDLES and MARTINGALES, which will be sold Cheap for CASH.

JOHN E. SMITH DESIRES TO INFORM HIS CUSTOMERS AND the clothes-wearing public generally that he has REMOVED his Shop to the Shop recently occupied by Mr. Joseph Dent, next-door above W. Dibblee's Drug Store Main Street, where, thankful for the large share of patronage which has been hitherto accorded him, he is prepared to do—

TAILORING. In all its branches, in the most modern, approved Styles, and with that NEATNESS OF FIT and THOROUGHNESS OF WORKMANSHIP for which his work is so well known.

NOTICE. ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED Against purchasing or negotiating a promissory note for seven pounds, drawn by the subscriber in favor of David Jewett, payable in May 1860, as no value has been received for the same.

ELIJAH ROCKWELL, Jasekstown, July 31, 1861.

TO Those Interested! I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Hugh McLean of the Town of Woodstock, my Attorney, in my name and as my act and deed, to take charge of all my property in the said Town of Woodstock, whether Real Estate or personal property to lease the same and collect the rents; to collect all accounts or notes due me; to pay Ground Rents due from me, the giving and taking receipts for moneys paid or received by him for me or on my account, and to act as my agent generally to look after and protect all such property as I may have either Real or personal in the said town.

JAMES WOOD, Signed and sealed in presence of J. R. TUPPER.

CLOSING ACCOUNTS. Having been appointed the Agent and Attorney of JAMES WOOD, M. D., all persons indebted to him are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber; and all persons having claims against the said James Wood, M. D., are notified to hand in their respective claims for adjustment.

And all persons having unsettled accounts with the subscriber, or whose notes are due are hereby notified that unless the same are settled up by the 1st of September next, they will be put in suit for collection.

WOODSTOCK, July 30th, 1861. HUGH McLEAN.

Visit of DR. LA'MBERT to the North American Provinces. DR. LA'MBERT, of Bedford Square, London, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England; Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, &c.; Author of "SELF-PRESERVATION," and "SCIENCE OF LIFE," and "SECOND LIFE," begs to intimate to his Patients and the Public that he purposes, in August, making a Professional Visit to the British North American Provinces, commencing with HALIFAX, N. S.; and that he will afterwards visit ST. JOHN, N. B., and LOWER and UPPER CANADA.

Due notice will be given in future advertisements of Dr. La'Mbert's arrival and of his place of residence in the several towns in which he may be consulted, either personally or by correspondence. In making this intimation, Dr. La'Mbert wishes to point out to patients the advantages that invariably result from a personal interview, and the unusual facilities that will be afforded to those who are desirous of bringing their cases under his immediate supervision.

Dr. La'Mbert's motto, moreover, cannot too strongly urge on those who have already been under his care, or who may be in present 'self' clearing up any doubts that may have existed in regard to the importance of their putting themselves as quickly as possible into personal communication with him during his necessarily limited stay, which under no circumstances can be prolonged beyond the dates hereafter to be announced.

In order that no obstacle may be presented to the completion of the treatment in such cases, Dr. La'Mbert will be provided with the correspondence, notes, &c. connected with each individual case in the Colonies that has come under his care during the past three years. Those who contemplate availing themselves of Dr. La'Mbert's services are recommended, in the interim, to procure from one of the undermentioned Local Agents his work on

SELF-PRESERVATION; A Medical Treatise on Nervous Debility and Functional Weakness, more particularly in reference to the Infirmitas and Disorders of the Generative System, with numerous Engravings and Diagrammatic Cases.

SECTION I.—The Physiology of the Generative Organs. SECTION II.—Puberty—Manhood—The Morals of Generative Physiology—True and False Morality. SECTION III.—Marriage in its Social and Physical Relations—Happy and Unhappy Unions—How to Secure Healthy Offspring.

SECTION IV.—Youthful Abuse—The Secret Cause of Nervous Debility, Impotence in man, and Sterility in Man and Woman. SECTION V.—Spermatorrhea or Chronic Impotence—its History, Causes, and Moral Consequences—The Sterility of age.

The object of the work is not to maintain any particular hypothesis, but to enable every one to understand for himself the structure and functions of the organs concerned in the fulfilment of the Physical Obligations of the Married State; to acquaint him with the consequences arising from unguarded fears, and to indicate, when those fears are well founded, the means of speedy relief. The work is not couched with the technicalities of ordinary professional books, nor does it present the crudeness which characterizes the so-called "popular works" on the subject.

"SELF-PRESERVATION" may be had in a sealed envelope, price One Shilling sterling, of Messrs Chubb and Co., St. John, N. B.; E. G. Fuller, Express Agent, Halifax, N. S.; or the Authors will forward it, post free, on receipt of Colonial postage stamps to the amount of Eighteenpence sterling.

August 1, 1861.—G. COTTON WARPS. WARRANTED BEST QUALITY. Two Bales at ROBERT BROWN'S Woodstock, May 9, 1861.

BLANCHARD & CO.

AUGUST 1, 1861. BEST WEST INDIA GOODS At Blanchard & Co.'s at Blanchard & Co.'s at Blanchard & Co.'s at Blanchard & Co.'s

Having personally selected our Stock in Boston, Portland, St. Andrews and St. John, we are enabled to sell GOODS FOR CASH much cheaper than those who credit parties indiscriminately, and who must necessarily make bad debts.

Purchasers for CASH will make a saving of 25 per cent by purchasing their commodities at BLANCHARD & CO.'s. One dollar cash is worth two dollars credit, hence we are enabled to sell

11 lbs. Bright Muscovado Sugar at one dollar. 8 lbs. Granulated or Crushed Sugar at one dollar. Best Black Tea, warranted good, at 50 cents per lb. Best Muscovado Molasses, at 40 cents per gallon. Best (Harper's) Tobacco at 40 cents per lb. Best (Irvin's) Tobacco at 34 cents per lb. Best Java Coffee, ground, at 25 cents per lb. Best Baking Soda at 15 cents per lb. Best Package Coffee 20 cents per lb. Best Matches 12 1-2 cents quarter gross. Vinegar 30 cents per gallon. Candies 20 cents per lb. Burning Fluid at 80 cents per gallon. Paraffine Oil at one dollar per gallon. P. Y. Soap at 10 cents per lb.

Also Pails, Brooms, Brushes of all kinds, Store Polish, Blacking, Dried Apples, Rice, Clothes Pins, Wooden Measures, Baker's, Stoughton & Hardy's Bitter-Monster, and a thousand other articles.

Our stock of Liquors, at wholesale for medicinal, mechanical or other purposes, either in price or quality, cannot be had to better advantage, this side of St. John. The "Trade" will save money by examining and pricing before purchasing elsewhere.

BLANCHARD & CO. Masonic Hall, King St., commonly called Water-St.

Advertisement. FLORENCEVILLE, July 25th, 1861.

Mr. Editor, Sir,—I enclose the following scheme in your paper for three months.

Hitherto we have always expected our representatives to do some great thing or other for us without our fairly showing up what was wanted. Now I propose something for them to do, and something for the people to require carried out.

Scheme to build two or more bridges across the Saint John River, one at Florenceville and the other at Woodstock, to form connections with the thoroughfares through from the United States; this scheme will not increase our taxes, will not diminish our revenue, but on the contrary, give us free access to either side of the River, and open up and conduct this side to the great farming country east of us, increase our population four hundred families to a Bridge, and open the way by the expenditure of twenty thousand and prestige of each Bridge, to the introduction of thousands into the country.

Applied to one Bridge at Florenceville. Let Government grant Forty thousand acres of land in two blocks called Peel and Florenceville Bridge Grants, let it be farming land and citizens on the east side of the River opposite here, for the purpose of raising a fund out of to open up and conduct this side to the great farming country east of us, increase our population four hundred families to a Bridge, and open the way by the expenditure of twenty thousand and prestige of each Bridge, to the introduction of thousands into the country.

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