

We have commenced to send our Statement of Accounts for this Paper, to the Agents in the Country, and earnestly ask them to exert themselves for the collection of the various amounts due. We have large obligations on account of the Paper to meet at the end of the year, which nothing but prompt payment on the part of the Subscribers will enable us to fulfil.

The Temperance Bazaar, which came off at Temperance Hall on Thursday last, is said to have been a creditable affair. We understand that over £100 was realised. The Band of the 62d Regt. enlivened the scene with their usual beautiful music.

NATIONAL SCHOOL.—This old and popular Institution is being completely renovated,—the exterior of the Building and the School Rooms are being painted and decorated in first rate style. The timely expenditure is, it is assumed, the proceeds of the very successful Bazaar held at Brookside last year. The usual examination of the pupils is appointed to take place on Wednesday week.—*Chron.*

DEATH BY DROWNING.—A lad named Thomas Millar, about 12 years of age, while sliding on a pond near the Dartmouth Nail Factory, on Tuesday last, fell through the ice, and before assistance could be rendered was drowned. Too much caution cannot be exercised by skaters, &c., at this uncertain season of the year.—*Ibid.*

Head Quarters, Halifax, 16th Dec. 1857.

MILITIA GENERAL ORDER.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint Hugh Harshorne, Esquire, to be Quarter Master General of Nova Scotia and Cape Breton Militia, with the rank of Major, vice Black.

By command, EDW. WALLACE, Adj General Militia.

Halloway's Ointment & Pills.—The strongest proof of the wonderful and uniform efficacy of these remedies, is to be found in the conformity of the testimony in their favor from all parts of the globe. This testimony is couched in at least fifty different languages, but it is all of the same purport. Remotest India, and the centres of civilization alike declare that these unrivalled external and internal curatives are never administered in vain. There are no exceptional cases. Such a mass of coincident evidence cannot be produced in favor of any other preparation that has claimed the confidence of mankind since time began.

BOOKS.

- We have received a commission for the Sale of the following rare and valuable Books in the various departments of Theological, Classical, and General Literature. They have all been recently imported from England, and are generally in very fine condition. There is only one copy of each article, which may be had by application at this Office, at the low prices affixed.
- 5 Hooker's Works and Life. Engraved title, calf, fol. Lond. 1682. 9s.
 - 6. Pearson on the Creed. Calf, fol Lond. 1705. 8s.
 - 9. Paley's Moral and Political Philosophy. 2 vols. calf, 8vo. Lond. 1788. 5s.
 - 11. Hervey's Theron and Aspasio. 2 vols. calf, 12mo. Berwick, 1802. 3s.
 - 12. Cathedral Church of Jerusalem, with 6 engravings, Limp. cloth, fol. Lond. 1844. 4s.
 - 15. Thucydides, (Greek), quite new, 2 vols. cloth, 8vo. Lond. 1835. 10s.
 - 16. Lucian, (Greek), sound and perfect, 322 years old, 2 vols. calf, 12mo. Hagan, 1535. 7s. 6d.
 - 17. Lucretius, (Latin), calf, 12mo. Lond. 1713. 2s.
 - 18. Horace, (Latin), calf, 8vo. large paper. Hag. Com. 1721. 3s.
 - 20. Cicero, (Latin), 14 vols. calf, 12mo. Par. 1768. £1 5
 - 21. Seneca, (Latin), 2 vols. calf, 8vo. Biparti, 1782. 5s.
 - 22. Virgil's Aeneid, translated by Rev. Dr. Trapp, 2 vols. calf, 12mo. Lond. 1735. 3s.
 - 23. Hume and Smollett's History of England, quite new, 10 vols. cloth, 8vo. Lond. 1848. £3 10.
 - 26. Russell's Russian War, 2 vols. cloth, sm. 8vo. Lond. 1855-56. 10s.
 - 28. British Museum, Historical and Descriptive, cloth, 12mo. Edin. 1850. 3s.
 - 29. Holy Bible and Apocrypha, with Notes of Geneva Translation—Engraved Title, and several Maps, 1708. Book of Common Prayer, 1711. Old Version of the Psalms (Sternhold & Hopkins) 1702—bound in 1 vol. large fol. rough calf—Lond. 1702-11. £1.
 - 24. Granville Street, Nov. 7, 1857.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

Rev. J. Storrs—with £5—have delivered the enclosures. Rev. Mr. Jordan—have written to you. Rev. G. Townsend—have ordered the Books. W. H. H. Henderson, Esq.—have sent articles by Packet. Rev. Mr. Drumm. Rev. J. Forsythe, Jr., Liverpool—parcel sent by Packet.

Married.

At Dartmouth, by Rev. Dr. Shreve, Rector, on Tuesday evening, 8th inst., Mr. GEORGE DAUPHINAY, of Hubbard's Cove, to Miss LEAH DANZ, of North Shore, St. Margaret's Bay.

Died.

On Saturday morning last, after a long illness, LILLA E. MOREN, eldest daughter of James A. Moren, Esq., aged 17 years.
On Wednesday, 9th inst., aged 24 days, JOHN MACLEAN, infant son of William H. Neal, of this city.
At Pictou, on Monday morning, 7th inst., the Hon. DAVID CRICHTON, M. L. C., aged 78 years.
Suddenly, at Pictou, on the 11th inst., Mr. DAVID CATCHROK, third son of the late Hon. David Crichton, in the 52d year of his age.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

Saturday, Dec. 12.—Schrs Rival, Dunlop, Liverpool, Uncle Tom, Rude, New York, 5 days.
Monday, 14th.—Schrs President, E. J. E. man, St. John, N.B., British Eagle, Romkey, Lullave; Princess, Louisa, Romkey.

Tuesday, 15th.—Brigt Sarah Hopkins, Turks Island 16 days; schrs Mary, Balcom, Sydney; Tickler, do; Margaret, Newfld.

Wednesday, 16th.—Schrs Union, Marshall P. E. Island, Active, Archat, 14 days; brig Arab, Mayon, King-ton, Ja. Thursday, 17th.—Brigt Richard Cobden, Sydney, schrs Echo, O'Donnell, do; Oronoquid, St. Pierre, Mtq, 6 days; Scalloway, P. E. Island; Gipsy Queen, Torio, do.

Friday, 18th.—R. M. S. Canada, Lang, Liverpool, G. B., 12 1/2 days—114 passengers, 55 for Halifax—also £16,370 on freight; R. M. S. America, Lott, Boston, 35 hours—has 70 passengers, 21 for Halifax—also \$934,279, and £14,450 stg on freight; brig Plantaganet, Norris, Cardenas, 23 days; schrs Lilla, Fraser, Mayaguez, 17 days; Magnet, Campbell, Sydney, Comuerece, Turnbull, Geo Town, P. E. Island.

CLEARED.

Dec. 14.—Telegraph, McNab, Newfld; Hiram, Brown, do, Amegant, Nickerson, P. E. Island.

Dec. 15.—Planet, Crowell, Cuba; Hero, Crowell, B. W. Indies; Charles, Gad, Elizabeth, and Rapid, for P. E. Island.

PASSENGERS.

R. M. S. Canada—Liverpool to Halifax—The Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, Lady, Infant, and nurse, Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Lawrence, Mr. Remington, Lady, 4 children and nurse, Mrs. Cartor, 3 children and nurse, Mr. DeBarres, Lady, son and daughter, Mrs. Cochran and 2 children, Mr. T. J. Ellen, Lady and infant, Mr. H. Erving, Lady and 2 children, Mr. Berj. H. Eart and Lady, Mrs. Scivens and child, Mrs. Ann McAllan, Mr. W. DeMatin and Lady, Mrs. Grey, 3 sons and 4 daughters, Capt. Chas. Brown, Dr. Butterfield, Messrs. Jas. Shreffall, Geo. King, P. Kelly, Malone, Fring, Butterfield, Lieut. Teesdale, Mr. McLatchie.

STATIONERY, &c.

R. M. STEAMSHIP CANADA.

THREE CASES STATIONERY, &c., just received per above arrival, which will be disposed of on reasonable terms. WM. GOSSIP, 24 Granville Street.

CHRISTMAS—1857.

Interesting and neatly bound BOOKS,

IN GREAT VARIETY.

ANNUALS, Harper's Story Books, Chambers' Story Books, Merry Tales for Little Folks, Little Grace, the interesting Publications of the Episcopal Sunday School Union, &c. &c. &c.

ALSO—CHURCH SERVICES, in Cases, Velvet and extra Morocco; PRAYER BOOKS, clasps and gilt rims, 2s. 3d to 3s.; Velvet very neat do. 4s.; PSALM and HYMN BOOKS, morocco gilt.

ALSO—Boxes Crayon Materials; do. Soft Crayons do. White, Black and Brown Chalks; Handsome boxes Water Colours; Cases Mathematical Instruments, plain and superior; Ornamental boxes Vesta Matches, &c. &c.

WM. GOSSIP, 24 Granville Street. Dec. 19, 1857.

DRAWING BOOKS, ARTISTS' COLOURS, &c. &c.

The following excellent Hand Books on Art, Received by Steamer Niagara.

ART of Landscape Painting in Water Colors. Art of Sketching from Nature. Art of Flower Painting. Artistic Anatomy of the Human Figure. Art of Figure Drawing. Hints for Sketching in Water Colors from Nature. Art of Painting and Drawing in Colored Crayons. A system of Water Colour Painting. Transparency Painting in Linen. Instructions for cleaning, repairing, lining and restoring Oil Paintings. Principles of Colouring in Painting. Art of Transparent Painting on Glass.

An excellent assortment of Drawing Papers, Imperial and other sizes, tinted and white for black and cold Crayons. Sketching Blocks. Bristol Boards, Pale and Deep Gold Bronze, in ounce packets Silver-foil, &c. &c. All the Materials for OIL and WATER COLOUR DRAWING, constantly on hand, of the very best quality and moderate price.

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- Cast German, Blistered and Spring STEEL,
- Cast Iron POTS, OVENS and COVERS,
- STOVES, Single and double; Carron do.
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- Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Files and Rasps.
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- LONDON WHITE LEAD.
- Black, Red, Yellow, and Green PAINT,
- INDIGO, BLUE, STARCH, SOAP,
- LINES and TWINES, Fish Hooks.
- Wool, Cotton and Cattle Cords.
- TIN, Sheet Lead and ZINK.
- Mill, Crosscut, Circular, Pit and Hand SAWS.
- Casks assorted HARDWARE:
- HOLLOWWARE; 6 casks Chafins.
- Sad Irons, Shovels, Spades, Riddles, Brushes.
- Casks RAILWAY GREASE.
- 1 iron Cut; 2 crates Coal Scoops.
- AXES, HATCHETS, &c. &c.

Oct. 19. ev. No. 1 ORDNANCE SQUARE.

ALMANACKS!

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WM. GOSSIP, 24 Granville Street. Nov. 14.

BOOK-KEEPING.

RECEIVED and for Sale by the Subscriber—Chambers' BOOK-KEEPING by Single and Double Entry. Also—Ruled Books for do. 2 Single Entry, 2 do. Double Entry. Price, per set of two, 1s. 7d. Chambers School Books are sold by us at the publishers' price.

Dec. 12. WM. GOSSIP, 21 Granville Street.

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AUTUMN and WINTER 1857-8.

IN calling attention of our extensive connection to the following notice of our stock of GENTLEMEN'S READY MADE APPAREL, we beg to observe that every garment is guaranteed for excellence in style, workmanship and material. The assortment is undoubtedly the largest and most recherche that has ever been offered to the public OVERCOATS.

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In addition to the above, we have pleasure in submitting the following, being exclusively our own designs, and especially suited to the requirements of this climate—

- The Siberian Wraper,
- The Furskin Reversible Paxton,
- The Serpent Cloth Palma,
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These coats are very heavy and extremely low in price REVERSIBLE OVERCOATS

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- Black Fur-kim Cloth, and Mixed Melton Beaver, 60s.
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Will be found to embrace a number of designs in cheap and useful Overcoats, School Coats, Albert Capes, Vests and pants of various textures.

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- Pilot Cloth Reefing Jackets, 10s 6d to 30s.
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- Heavy Pilot and Beaver Pants, lined throughout.
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Nov. 7. E. BILLING, JUNR. & CO

SPITFIRE FROM LONDON.

BY this arrival I have received from the Establishment of Messrs. WINSOR & NEWTON, Manufacturing Artists' Colourmen by appointment to Her Majesty and Prince Albert, the following articles:—

- Sketching Stools, fitted complete.
- New Sketching Easel in leather case.
- Prepared Canvas, for Oil Painting, stretched on frames, various sizes, ready for use.
- Oil Colors, all kinds, in Collapsible Tubes,
- Flat Portable Tube Boxes, fitted complete.
- Mahogany and China Palettes,
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- Best Indian Ink, Gilt, Lion Head, and best Black.
- Moist Water Colors, in Tubes, all kinds,
- Cakes & Half Cakes do
- Nests Cabinet Saucers.
- Pearl Cement, for mounting Drawings &c.
- Slabs for Water Colors, in great variety.
- Turnbull's Demy, Royal and Imperial Crayon Boxes do do do Mounting Boards.
- Tubes and Bottles Chinese White,
- Sketching Blocks, Drawing Papers,
- Porte Crayons, and Leather and Cork Stumps.
- Bristol Boards, Sable Brushes very superior, large and all sizes, &c. &c., and generally all articles in use by Amateur and Professional Artists.

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WM. GOSSIP, 21 Granville Street. Sep. 19.

VALUABLE BOOKS,

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