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THE undersigned has pleasure in submitting to the patronage of the Public, the NEWFOUNDLAND ALMANACK for 1860. That there are omissions and mistakes he much fears, but trusts that, due allowance will be made for occasional imperfections, seeing that the little Manuel has become almost indispensable for general purposes.

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