their pretended king was shut into his last stronghold, Nanking, by the Imperialist forces, where he soon afterwards died by his own hand. The Ever-victorious Army dispersed, Colonel Gordon refused the munificent pecuniary reward pressed on him by the grateful Imperial Government—refused, too, all offers of command that would take him out of the ranks of the British service, and, resolute against temptation, returned once more to England. Here the young commander-in-chief was, after much delay, brevoted a lieutenant-colonel, and found himself assigned to the civil duties of his corps. Doubtless he has lived to discover that the fact of his being an engineer has, professionally speaking, ruined his prospects. France may have found in an engineer, Cavaignac, her best Algerian general, and in another, Neil, her ablest marshal; William of Prussia may by his personal choice have brought Kameke from the engineer section of the War Office to win the heights of Spicheren, and so begin for Germany her course of victories; America may boast of her Lee and Meade, engineers both, as in the first rank of commanders: we in England know better than they. Colonel Gordon being an engineer, spends in an obscure civil office the genius that saved China from ruin.

A PERSIAN named Minassia Parseck has been twice before the Lord Mayor of London on a charge of forgery. The accusation was preferred at the instance of the Russian Consul-General for the City of London, and was to the effect that the prisoner had in his possession certain plates, on which were engraved various component parts of Russian rouble notes. The prisoner described himself as a colonel in the Persian army, and a member of the Shah's suite. It appeared from the evidence that he was at the Persian Embassy when a member of a City firm of engravers, by whom the invitation card to the Guildhall entertainment in honor of the Shah had been executed, was present on business connected with that work. This accidental meeting led to the prisoner's making proposals which struck the engraver as suspicious. He put himself in communication with the Russian Consul-General, and afterwards acted under the instructions of that gentleman's solicitors, until it was thought advisable to arrest the prisoner. The case was remanded.

A FATAL accident has occurred at a school at Romsey to a child of the Prince and Princess de Vismes, similar to that which recently befell one of the Queen's grandchildren. The child, who was four years old, was looking out of on upstairs window when a protecting iron gave way and he fell some twenty feet, and died a few hours after the accideet.

MARRIED.

On Thursday evening last, at the Cathedral, by the Very Revd. D. Falconio, O.S.F., Mr. David Hennessy, to Miss Julia Ann Shelmadine, both of this town

DIED.

On Monday evening last, after a lingering illness, Mary, daughter of the late Mr. John Callahan, aged 16 years.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN'S.

ENTERED.

July 29—Anciola, Diez, Havana—C. F. Ancell.
30—Pride of the Channel, Martyn, Cadiz—W. Grieve & Co.
Northern Home, Eagles, New York—J. Murray.
Mignonette, Gardner, Port Medway—P. & L. Tessier.
Elma, Doddridge, New Earlisle—J. & W Boyd.
31—Chilianwallah, Fuller, New Yord—J & Stewart.
Acadia, Ganion, New York—Baine Johnston & Co.
Sylph, Bursell, Figueira—Stabb Row & Co.
Clarissa, James Cadiz—E. Duder.
Aug. 1.—Ocean Wave, Hocken, Figueira W. Grieve & Co.
Souvenir, Hartfield, New York—G. Browning & Son,
Isabelita, (sp) Sabaten, Mayaquely—C. F. Bennett & Co.
New Dominion, Jancas, Quebec—Baine Johnston & Co,
Hibernian, s.s. Archer, Halifax—A. Shea.
Grace, Steer, Cadiz—Baine Johnston & &o.
Pedrito, (sp) Abriel, Nuevita—Morey Brothers.

CLEARED.

July 29—Era, Facey, St. Pierre,—Messurier & Knight.
Gazelle, Swim, Boston—T. N. Molloy.

FOR SALE.

Just received from Sydney, C. B.
10 Rolls Grained and Split
LEATHER.
A. T. DRYSDALE.
Aug. 2. 1m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE LET
'Til the end of the year, or for twelve months, the
WHARF AND STORE
At the rear of the Street Shop Premises lately occupied by Messrs. Ridley & Sons. Apply to
E. W. QUINTIN.
July 22. †tf.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF NEWFOUNDLAND.
A DIVIDEND on the Capital Stock of this Company, at the rate of Ten per Cent, per Annum, for the half year ending 30th June, 1873, will be payable at the Banking House, in Duckworth Street, on and after TUESDAY the 15th instant, during the usual hours of business,
(By order of the Board,)
R. BROWN, *Manager.*
St. John's July 14 1873.

LUMBER!
THE SUBSCRIBERS
ARE now Landing and offer **For Sale** the Cargo of Schooner *Kate*, rom Bridgewater, N. S., consisting of—
40 M. Hemlock BOARD
20 " Spruce do.
20 " Pine do.
GEO. C. RUTHERFORD & Co.
uly 15.

Very Important Notice!
The Wonder of the World!
GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!!
Prof. HERMAN'S
WORLD RENOWNED
VERMIN DESTROYER!
WHICH IS KNOWN TO BE
Far Superior to Anything Ever Yet Discovered
FOR KILLING
Rats, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ants, Bugs Cockroaches, Black Beetles, Fleas on Dogs Blight and Insects on Plants, Moths in Furs, Tick or Scab on Sheep or Goats also on Cattle, &c., &c.

Sold in Packets at 25 cents per Packet; or Six Packets for $1.25.

The Powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any Climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to Cats or Dogs, as they will not eat it.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON EACH PACKET.

MANUFACTORY:
Gravel Lane, Houndsditch,
CITY OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a Silver Prize Medal at the Inter-Colonial Exhibition of Victoria, Australia, of 1866, besides numerous testimonials.

OUTPORT AGENTS:
Messrs. Squires & Noble, Harbor Grace.
" Jillard Brothers, "
Mr. W. H. Thompson, "
" Michael Jones, "
Messrs. Duff & Balmer, Carbonear.
" G. & J. Smith, Brigus.
Mr. P. Nowlan, "
" G. C. Jerritt, "
" Robert Simpson, Bay Roberts.
" Moses Gosse, Spaniards Bay.
☞ Wholesale Agents for the Island of Newfoundland
Messrs. W. & G. RENDELL, St. John's
Who will supply all Outport Agents who may be appointed by the English Representative, as only Agents so appointed can be supplied.
May 23. 1y.

LUMBER!
—BY—
H. W. TRAPNELL.
Now landing, ex "Atalanta," from Port Medway, N. S.:
20 M. Seasoned Prime Pine BOARD
20 do. Hemlock do.
30 do. No. 2 Pine do.
July 30.

NOTICES.

METROPOLITAN LIFE Insurance Company, OF NEW YORK.
JOSEPH F. KNAPP, President.
J. R. HEGEMAN, Vice-President.
R. A. GRANNISS, Secretary.
WM. P. STEWART, Actuary.
B. R. CORWIN, Manager.
THOS. A. TEMPLE, Attorney.

DEPOSIT AT OTTAWA
For Canadian Policy Holders only.
HON. L. A. WILMOT, D. C. L,
Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick,
Director at the Board for Canada

The Reserve Divi dend ystem
Is one more step in the march of progress. Presented only after mature thought, it invites the test of the severest scrutiny. Its chief merit is its PERFECT ADAPTABILITY to the wants of insurable lives. The RESERVE DIVIDEND and RESERVE ENDOWMENT POLICIES originated and published by the Company's Actuary, under copyright in 1869.
The principle involved renders every form of insurance a provision in life. It converts an ordinary life Policy, otherwise payable only in the event of death, into a CASH ENDOWMENT, MATURING EVERY TEN YEARS.
W. H. THOMPSON,
Harbor Grace,
General Agent for
NEWFOUNDLAND.
April 1. tff.

SAILMAKING!
The Subscriber
BEGS respectfully to acquaint the Shipowners and public of Harbor Grace and the outports that he has taken the Workshop lately occupied by Mr. Robert Morris, No. 10 Victoria Street, where he is prepared to perform all work in the above line in a satisfactory manner, and hopes by strict attention to merit a fair share of public patronage.
GEORGE CARSON.
May 23. ttf.

C. BREEKER,
Sailmaker,
WOULD respectfully intimate to the Shipowners and public of Harbor Grace and vicinity that he has taken the Loft lately occupied by Morris & Parsons, (opposite the premises of Messrs. John Munn & Co.) where he is prepared to make and repair SAILS of all shapes and sizes in a manner calculated to afford general satisfaction, and with the utmost dispatch.
April 25. tff.

Bazaar!
THE co-operation of CHRISTIAN FRIENDS is respectfully solicited in aid of a
BAZAAR
To be held in NOVEMBER next, for the purpose of raising funds for the liquidation of the debt on
St. PAUL'S CHURCH
IN THIS TOWN.
The sum of **£2,300** has been expended in completing the enlargement of the original Building. The balance remaining unpaid at this date is about **£300.** Our friends in St. John's kindly contributed **£100**, and the rest, amounting to **£1,90,** has been raised by the unaided efforts of the Congregation.
☞ Contributions in Money, in Useful and Fancy Articles, or in Materials for making up, will be thankfully received by
Mrs. S. ANDREWS,
" W. O. WOOD,
" EVILL,
" TAPP,
" C. ROSS,
" A. RUTHERFORD,
" BADCOCK,
" FORD,
" A. CLIFT,
" HIGGINS.
" BERTRAM JONES.
March 28, 1873.

BLANK FORMS
Executed with NEATNESS and DESPATCH at the Office of this paper.

FOR SALE.

Just Received
A SUPPLY OF THE
'Favorite'
SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINES,

Manufactured by the Kendall Manufacturing Co., Montreal.
CHEAPEST AND BEST.
THE
"FAVORITE"
SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINES
Are a wonderful achievement of inventive Genius and Mechanical Skill.
For Simplicity, Durability and Beauty they stand Unrivalled.
Stitch Alike on Both Sides.
They will do all kinds of
FAMILY SEWING
With perfect ease, and are equally good for light Manufacturing purposes.
They have a large *Shuttle* and *Bobbin* and make the regular
LOCK STITCH,
the same as made by the Singer, Wheeler & Wilson, Weed, and all other First Class Machines.
They use a short, straight Needle, and the
Four Molton Drop Feed,
Which is considered the best in the World. The Feed being made of one piece, it is impossible for it to get out of order.
THE SHUTTLE CARRIER
Is also made of one piece, and is so constructed that the Shuttle face is always kept close to the race, which prevents the Machine from missing stitches.
Each Machine is furnished with a
Hemmer,
Gatherer,
Braider,
Self-Sewer,
Quilter,
6 Needles,
4 Bobbins,
Oiler,
Screw Driver,
Guage and Screw,
Directions and Spools ready for use.

Makers' Price List.

	Retail Price.
By Hand, on Marble Slab	$22.00
With Plain Walnut Table	27.00
With Quarter Case Walnut Table	30.00

☞ Orders executed by return post, and Machines sent free of expense, ready to commence sewing immediately—with explicit instructions.

THE ADVANTAGES
OF THE
FAVORITE
Shuttle Sewing Machines
OVER ALL OTHERS.
1st.—They are simple, perfect, and easily operated.
2nd.—They make the celebrated Lock Stitch alike on both sides, that will not rip or ravel.
3rd.—They are sold at a price within the reach of every family in the land.
4th.—They can be operated by a child.
5th.—They are particularly adapted for all Family Sewing and Dress Making.
—ALSO—
No. 2 SINGER
MANUFACTURING MACHINES,
New Improved Pattern,
F. W. BOWDEN, St. John's,
Agent for Newfoundland.
ALEXR. A. PARSONS,
Sub-Agent Harbor Grace.

FOR SALE.

—BY—
THE SUBSCRIBER,
231 —Water Street 231
BREAD
Flour, Pork, Beef
Butter, Molasses, Sugar
Tea, Coffee, Cheese,
Ham, Bacon, Pease, Rice
TOBACCO
KEROSENE OIL, &c.,&c
CHEAP FOR CASH, FISH OR OIL.
DANIEL FITZGERALD.

J. Mellis.
TAILOR & CLOTHIER,
208, Water Street, St. John's,
BEGS respectfully to inform the public of Conception Bay generally that he has always on hand a complete assortment of
CLOTHING
For all seasons of the year, which can be obtained at the LOWEST remunerative PRICES. All Clothing to order, cut in the most fashionable styles, and forwarded with despatch. Terms moderate. Orders from the outports promptly attended to.
☞ J. M. visits Conception Bay twice a year, of which notice is duly given.
Dec. 10. 1y†

W. H. THOMPSON,
AGENT FOR
Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

JUST RECEIVED
A FRESH SUPPLY OF
ADAMS' INDIAN SALVE.
W. H. THOMPSON.

PIANO TUNING!
Mr. J. CURRIE,
TUNER AND REPAIRER OF
PIANOS.
IN returning thanks for past favours begs respectfully to solicit a continance of the same. All work executed punctually, and satisfaction guaranteed.
CONCERTINAS also repaired.
☞ Satisfactory references as to ability will be given on enquiry.
Orders left at No. 170 Water Street wil receive immediate attention.
Dec. 17. tff

G. R. BARNES,
Blacksmith & Farrier,
BEGS respectfully to acquaint his numerous patrons and the public generally, that he is EVER READY to give entire satisfaction in his line of business. All work executed in substantial manner and with despatch.
☞ Off LeMarchant St., North of Gas House.
Sept. 17.

CAUTION!
HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that, after this date, I will not be responsible for any Debts contracted in my name, without a Written Order from myself.
LUCINDA BARTLETT.
Bay Roberts,
Nov. 13, 1872.

E. W. LYON,
Has just received a large assortment of
Coloured French Kid GLOVES,
Which he offers to the public at VERY LOW PRICES.
July 9 tf.

W. H. THOMPSON,
AGENT FOR
Fellows' Compound Syrup OF HYPOPHOSPHITES