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...tions occasions to which you advert, and it affords me the greatest satisfaction to be assured that, the services rendered to this community by myself and the corps under my command, have been deemed worthy of so marked an approval of them. I cannot, Sir, deny myself the pleasure of here acknowledging that the kind consideration and attention which I have at all times experienced from the Civic Authorities, whenever I have found it necessary to refer to them on subjects connected with the Military, have rendered it a pleasing duty to meet their wishes and to co-operate with them.

Though I feel that your partiality has too much extolled my former Military Services, I cannot but rejoice that they procured for me the honour of your confidence, at a crisis so eventful as that which threatened the interruption of peaceful relations on your Frontier.

In conclusion, permit me to say that, with a feeling of regret in taking leave of you, I respond in sincerity to your kind wishes, and beg to offer you the earnest assurance that whatever may be my future destiny, and wherever the duties of my profession may hereafter call me, I shall revert with satisfaction to the period I have passed among you, and ever feel a deep interest and sympathy in the prosperity of Saint John, and the welfare and happiness of its Inhabitants.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
with sentiments of consideration and regard,
your very faithful
and obedient humble servant,
ROBERT BROOKES,
Major 63th Reg't.

His Worship the Mayor, of the
City of St. John, N. B.

SMALL POX.—This alarming disease has broken out near St. Mary's, in Nova-Scotia, some few deaths are said to have taken place, and the authorities at Digby are using every precautionary measure to prevent its spreading in that district.

THEATRE.—Mr. Preston is making preparations and will soon take his departure for Halifax, to open at that place for a short period.—Mr. Preston has been at every expense here, and has made more improvements in the Theatrical line, than were ever witnessed before in NewBrunswick.—We wish Mr. Preston much success in Halifax.

SIGNIOR BLITZ.—This astonishing Magician terminated his series of wonderful experiments on Wednesday evening last, before a crowded and most fashionable audience, who testified their admiration of his performances by long and continued acclamations. The Signior took his departure yesterday for Halifax, by way of Windsor in the steamer Nova-Scotia; his stay at Halifax will be short, but we have no doubt of his reaping a rich harvest among our respectable neighbours of the Sister Province. The Signior intends returning to St. John for the purpose of visiting Fredericton, and other townships in this Province, when our good citizens will have another opportunity of witnessing the magical and astonishing feats of this *little great* man.

THE LARGEST YET.—The splendid ship 'Greenock' of two hundred and ten feet in length, and upwards of 1300 tons in measurement built by Mr. John M'Millan, under the superintendance of Mr. Robert F. Smith, of this city, was launched in fine style at Buctouche on Wednesday morning last.—This vessel is said by many judges to surpass any heretofore built in the Province in fastening and purity of model. We wish the enterprising builder every success. Mr. M'M. is about laying the keel of another large ship, besides smaller ones at Buctouche. The Greenock is intended for the East India Trade, and is commanded by Captain Fleck.—*Courier.*

On Saturday last, a splendid ship was launched from the Ship Yard of Messrs. Francis and Samuel Smith, in Portland, called the "*Queen of the Ocean.*" We understand she is *truly* the Queen of the Ocean, in model, workmanship, and every thing appertaining to her.—This vessel is owned by Mr. Alexander Yeats, and is 1195 tons burthen.

[FLOUR AND SALT PROVISIONS.

Extract from a communication made to the Collector of Her Majesty's Customs at this Port by the Chamber of Commerce, dated 30th July, 1839, on the subject of articles for the use of the Fisheries.

"The Chamber would also at this time beg to call the attention of the Collector to the reported difference now existing between the practice in Nova Scotia and this Province, in respect to the admission free of duty, of articles for the use of the Fisheries. In Nova Scotia, the practice of the principal officers of Her Majesty's Customs is to allow any and every thing declared to be for the use of the Fisheries, to pass free of duty, much of which is consumed by others than those employed in the prosecution of that branch of Trade; for instance, it is reported, that this season many thousand barrels of flour and other articles have been entered at the Port of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, as for the use of the Fisheries, and thence carried to Annapolis and other ports, and distributed through the country, without regard to the occupation or employment of the consumer. We have no objection to the same being general, but wish to know if there is any reason (presuming at the same time that your views and acts are correct) why you do not allow the same privilege here, as we are informed exist in Nova Scotia, knowing that the same Act of Parliament governs the question in both Provinces; but the Chamber of Commerce are of opinion, that instead of restraining the practice in Nova Scotia, it would be advisable to remove the duties on Flour and Salted Provisions, and allow the same privileges as are enjoyed in Canada, convinced that it would promote the general interest; but unless that should be done, the present practice in Nova Scotia is injurious to the Trade and other interests in this Province.

(Signed) L. DONALDSON, *President.*
I. WOODWARD, *Secretary.*

(Copy.) *Custom House, London,*
5th May, 1840.

Sir,—Having read your letter dated the 10th September last, No. 66, enclosing Copies of a Correspondence with the Chamber of Commerce at your Port, respecting the admission duty free of Articles for and necessary for the Fisheries.

We transmit here with a copy of an opinion of Her Majesty's Attorney and Solicitor General upon a case upon this subject, which we recently caused to be laid before them, and we direct you and the officers under your survey to govern yourselves by the opinion herewith transmitted.

(Signed) R. B. DEAN,
W. LEGGE,
H. CUST.

Collector, St. John, New-Brunswick.

Extract from the Case submitted for the opinion of the Law Officers.

Your opinion is requested, First, Whether the fact of a person importing any of the articles, enumerated in section 9 of 3 & 4 Wm. 4, ch. 59, into the place at or from whence the Fishery is carried on, *and entering them as fit and necessary for the Fisheries*, does not entitle him to have the same delivered duty free, provided the proper Officer shall be satisfied that they are Articles ordinarily and commonly used in carrying on the Fisheries, without requiring the party to produce proof in the first instance of his intention so to use them, (a point it is to be observed most difficult to be solved by any proof he could adduce,) or to require from him, at any subsequent period, proof that they had been actually and bona fide consumed in the Fisheries, and not applied to any other purpose.—and

Secondly, Whether in the event of it being ascertained that any part of such Articles which had been admitted duty free at the place of importation, had been subsequently applied to purposes other than those contemplated by the Act, having been sold by the original importer to persons unconnected with the Fisheries, in the common course of Trade, the same would be subject to forfeiture under the 28th section of the 3d and 4th Wm. 4, chap. 59.

OPINION.

1st. We are of opinion that the Articles specified in the proviso to sec. 9 of 3 & 4 Wm. 4, ch. 59, may be imported duty free without requiring the party to produce proof in the first instance of his intention to use them in the Fisheries or requiring him subsequently to prove that they have been actually and bona fide consumed in the Fisheries.

2d. We do not think that there would be a forfeiture of the Goods under the circumstances stated. If it is necessary to guard against fraudulent importation and sale under the pretext of the Fisheries, it will be necessary to obtain fresh precautions by Legislative enactments.

(Signed) J. CAMPBELL.
THOS. WILDE.

Temple, March 12th, 1840.
Certified Copy: H. B. SMITH, Collector.

Extract of a Despatch from Lord John Russell to Sir Colin Campbell, dated 16th June, 1840.

"The Act, No. 2046, for appointing a new Board of Governors for Dalhousie College is objectionable on account of the manner in which the Governors are to be appointed.

"It is not desirable, in the choice of the Rulers of a Collegiate Institution, that the Assembly should exercise any controul; for it can scarcely fail, in the result, to happen, that the party feelings by which the two Houses of Legislature are so continually animated, should be infused into the College. However, it is the exercise of functions which neither correctly or advantageously belong to the Assembly to assume."

DOWNING STREET, July 1.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles D. Day, Esq., to be Solicitor General in the Province of Lower Canada.

MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.—The brig Galen, Captain Merriman, from Boston, in lat. 36, long. 75, fell in with a sloop called the Two Sisters. The sloop had on board three negroes; one of the negroes was dead at the time they fell in with the sloop, the body remaining, as the other two were not able to resign it to the ocean. Captain Merriman was obliged to hoist the two negroes on board his brig, one of which died a few hours after being taken on board the brig. One of the three is alive, and on board the brig, which has arrived at our port.

All the information Capt. Merriman could obtain was, that the sloop was from Turks Island bound for Caicos, to the wreck of a vessel. They were driven to sea, and in a perfect reckless state, not knowing where they were and what to do. They had been without provisions for some time. It is impossible to state correctly how long they had been in this state of starvation. If the negro's tale be true, it is lamentable—but perhaps they may be fugitives from this or some other Southern State, trying to make their escape.—*New Orleans Bulletin.*

We are informed, it has been decided that Flour and salt Provisions, with we believe some other articles, are in reasonable quantities admitted to entry at the Custom House, duty free, for the use of the Fisheries.

☞NOTICE.—A Sermon will be preached in St. Luke's Church, Portland, on Sunday evening next, and a collection made in aid of the funds of the Episcopal Sabbath School.—The Pews will be free both in the gallery and also on the ground floor, on the occasion. 7th August.

To Correspondents.—"R." and others have been received, several parts of R's. Communication we cannot decipher.—We shall feel obliged to our numerous correspondents on political and local affairs, by their furnishing their names with their correspondence to the Editor.

MARRIED

On Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. B. G. Gray, D. D. Mr. John Lawrence, of this City, to Miss Eliza Ann, third daughter of Mr. Richard Gridley, of Clements, Nova Scotia.

At Sussex Vale, on the 25th July, by the Rev. Mr. Arnold, Mr. Robert Seely, of the parish of Kingston, to Charlotte Frances, fourth daughter of Mr. Jacob Snider, of the former place.

DIED

On Monday 27th ult. Isabel Ann, third daughter of Charles C. Stewart, Esq. aged nineteen months.

On the 31st ult. George W., infant son of Mr. David S. Marshall, aged 4 months.

At Sussex, King's County, on the 21st July, Wellington Hugh, aged 17 years.

At Cornwallis, N. S. July 8, aged 84 years, Mr. Joseph Starr, one of the oldest inhabitants of that part of the country.

SHIPPING LIST.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived, 30th—Brig Souris, Campbell, Belfast—J. & H. Kinnear, merchandise—105 passengers.
Red Rover, Godfrey, Lubec—to order, ass'd cargo.
2d—brigt. Juno, M'Taggant, Liverpool—J. Walker, salt.
3d—steamer North America, Brown, Boston—J. Whitney & Co. passengers.
4th—brig Fame, Walker, Dublin, 70—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.
5th—brig Hebron, Quinn, Wexford, 47—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.
Addington, Austin, Demerara, 16—J. Kerr, & Co. ballast.
6th, ship Jane Walker, Whyte, Liverpool, 40—J. Walker, salt.

CLEARED.

Ship George, Grundell, Cork, deals—Geo. Ball; Marchioness of Abercorn, Hagarty, Londonderry, timber—R. Rankin & Co.
Brig Eugenia, Young, Dublin, deals—A. B. Thorne; St. Mary, Moran, Baltimore, salt; Lyra, Davidson, Greenock, timber—Adam & Davidson.
Schr. Henry Davenport, Ritchie, Jamaica, fish, &c., Crookshank & Walker.

The Addington left Brig Kate, to sail in 2 or 3 days for Halifax.—Arrived ship Gossipenn, on the 14th July.—19th spoke Schooner George and Susan from St. Vincents, bound to Yarmouth.

IRON AND COALS.

The subscriber is now landing ex *Wanderer*, Dixon, Master:

7093 BARS and 330 bundles common and refined Iron, assorted, as follows:—Round, from ¼ to 3 inches; Square, from ¼ to 5 inches; Flat, from 1 inch to 4 by ½; Do. 1 to 5 by ⅜; Do. 1¼ to 4 by ½; Do. 2 to 4 by ⅝; Do. 2¼ to 4 by ¾; Do. 3 to 4 by ⅞; Do. 3 to 4 by 1.
90 Tons Coals.—Which will be sold low while landing, to save storage.
July 3. WILLIAM CARVILL.

☞TO SMOKERS.

The subscriber has this day received per schooner *Banner*, from Boston:
20 BOXES very best Havana CIGARS,—*Caller's Brand*; 20 boxes do. do. do. *Manuel Amores* Brand.—The above were selected by a *judge* of the article, and are offered for sale by
July 21. J. MALCOLM.

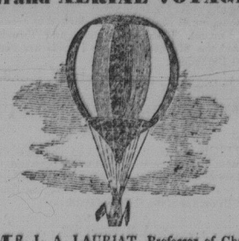
GENERAL
Printing Establishment.
Smith's Brick Building, South side of the Market Square.

THE Subscriber having imported several fonts of new Type, together with Printing Press and other materials, begs to inform his friends and the Public, that he is now prepared to execute every description of Printing.
June 26. ROBERT SHIVES.

Mechanics' Institute.

A Monthly Meeting of the MECHANICS' INSTITUTE of Saint John, will be held at their Room, Germain street, on Monday Evening next, at 8 o'clock, when Mr. Watson's claims against the Institute will be brought before the meeting.
7th August. W. JACK, *Sec'y.*

Grand AERIAL VOYAGE.



MR. L. A. LAURIAT, Professor of Chemistry and Aerostatic Exhibitions, respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of St. John, that he will on MONDAY next, 10th August, make a Grand Ascension in his splendid BALLOON, the *Star of the East*, within the Barrack Square,—being his 36th ascension in America, and his first and ONLY one in this Province.

The lower Barrack Gate will be opened at 1 o'clock, P. M.—Inflation to commence at 2, and the Ascension will take place at 5 o'clock, precisely.—During the inflation, small privateer Balloons will be set off to ascertain the direction of the wind.

☞Tickets 2s. 6d.—Children half price—to be had at the Book Stores, Circulating Library, Saint John and Commercial Hotels, and at the Lower Gate of the Barrack Yard.

*** The arrangement is such, that those admitted within the inclosed space of ground, will have a full and interesting view of the Chemical Process of generating the prodigious quantity of Hydrogen Gas in the short space of two and a half hours, and also of the whole Chemical Apparatus.

Should the wind or weather prove unfavorable, the ascension will take place on the next fair day.
August 7.

Corporation Contract.

TENDERS will be received at the Police Office until 12 o'clock on Wednesday the 12th August instant, from persons willing to contract with the Corporation for Finishing that part of Morris Street, from Carmarthen to Pitt Street, agreeable to a Plan and Specification to be seen at said Office. The work to be completed by the first day of December next.
JOHN HUMBERT,
THOS. HARDING,
ROBERT RAY,
WM. HAGGARTY, } *Committee*
St. John, 7th August, 1840.

NEW AND SPLENDIDLY ILLUSTRATED WORKS.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Gentry and Inhabitants of New-Brunswick and Nova Scotia, he has received per the *Edwin*, from London, the first number of a new and beautiful Work

"Canadian Scenery Illustrated"

uniform with American Scenery, Switzerland, Scotland, &c., from Drawings by W. H. Bartlett, the Literary department by N. P. Willis, Esq.

It is intended this work will comprise views in each of the Provinces:—a part will be published regularly every month, containing four exquisite engravings and eight or twelve pages of historical and descriptive text.
Price to Subscribers 3s 9d.
Subscribers to the undermentioned Works who have not completed their Vols. can now do so at the following prices,
Scotland in parts, - 2s. 6d.
Switzerland, do. - 2s. 6d.
Waldenses, do. - 2s. 6d.
There are a few Volumes of the above Works in elegant bindings, which will be sold at the lowest London prices.
W. DUNBAR,
Sole Agent for Nova Scotia and N. Brunswick.
King Street, St. John, August 7.

SHOE STORE.

The subscriber has just received, per ship *Clarence* from Liverpool, an extensive supply of
NEW BOOTS AND SHOES,
COMPRISING:
LADIES' fashionable Prunella Boots, of every quality; ditto ditto slipper, tie, and Walking shoes; do. Russia Kid, seal skin and Morocco shoes, assorted; do. seal skin and Russia kid walking shoes; do. fine patent leather and French kid slippers; do. very cheap house shoes of all kinds.
Gentlemen's summer cloth Boots; do. Clarence and Coburg Boots; do. pumps, shoes and slippers, assorted.
Youths' Dress and Walking shoes and Dancing Pumps; do. stout Coburg boots and shoes.
Girls' seal skin, leather and prunella Boots; do. Russia kid, seal skin and prunella slippers; do. seal skin and Russia kid walking shoes.
Children's and Infants' boots and shoes of every description; Webb shoes of various qualities, &c. &c.—For sale wholesale and retail.
☞Further supplies daily expected.
S. K. FOSTER.
Corner of King and Germain streets.
August 5, 1840.

Ex 'EDWIN,'—London:
240 KEGS best London White LEAD; 5 Pipes, 10 hhds., 20 Qr. casks Sicily MADEIRA WINE.
7th August. W. H. STREET.

Valuable Business Stands
FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale—Four well situated STORES, on Peters' Wharf; each has a finished Counting House, and the Stores are finished and fitted with every convenience necessary for Warehousing, or Sales' Rooms. The terms of payment will be made accommodating to purchasers.
T. L. NICHOLSON.
31st July.—Cour. and Obs.

House for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a one story House, in the Parish of Portland, opposite Mr. Owens' ship yard; it is 24 by 17 feet, comfortably finished; the lot is 24 by 100 feet, subject to £6 per year for 21 years, and then renewable. For further particulars please apply to Mr. Milliken, next door to the Golden Ball. The terms will be made easy to the purchaser.
July 31. CHARLOTTE VANCE.

Tenders

FOR the erection of a small CHURCH, 30 by 40 feet, with a Chancel, at Cocagne, near Shediac, will be received during the month of August, by the Rev. Dr. Jarvis, W. Hannington and J. Long, Esquires. The Church to be built according to a plan and specification in their possession. July 31, 1840.

CANVAS.

LANDING, ex *Clarence*, 5 bales Double blanched Whitehaven Canvas, for sale by
31st July. J. MALCOLM.

Auction & Commission Merchant.

W. D. W. HUBBARD, begs leave to notify the Public that he is prepared to transact any business that may be offered him, as Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, and solicits from his friends a share of patronage in that line.—Office at present in Prince William street, over the store of Mr. E. L. Thorne.
N. B.—All persons indebted to him are requested to liquidate their accounts immediately, he being desirous of finally settling his former business as soon as possible. 10th July, 1840.

Theatre Royal.

Benefit of Mr. FLETCHER.
This Evening, [Friday,] will be performed a new Petite Comedy entitled
MY FELLOW CLERK.
After which Mr. FLETCHER will exhibit his Classical Scene of the VENETIAN STATUE.
To conclude with the Drama of
Luke the Labourer.
On MONDAY Evening the Tragedy of *Douglas* will be performed, for the Benefit of MRS. PRESTON.
Young Norval, by - - Master KING.
August 7.

VALUABLE PROPERTIES
FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale all that valuable and well situated Leasehold Property at the corner of Germain and Princess streets, the same embracing the Post Office, Circulating Library, Miss Martin's Seminary, and Sorlie's *Cool Retreat*; the premises may be considered new, and are in every respect in first rate order, and being also on the opposite corner from a Fire Plug about being laid down by the St. John Water Company, the Property is thereby rendered still more valuable. The unexpired Lease has sixteen years to run, at the nominal rent of £18 per annum—all improvements then to be paid for or the Lease renewed at the same rent. The Property is well finished, and consists of four Shops and eighteen Rooms, with every convenience attached thereto. Its central and commanding situation renders it one of the best Stands for Business in the city, and a most desirable place of residence. One half of the premises now rents for £125 per annum. The Property being so well known, a further description is considered unnecessary. Persons desirous of purchasing can call at any time and examine for themselves.

ALSO FOR SALE,
That very valuable FREEHOLD PROPERTY next adjoining the above, being Lot No. 616, fronting 40 feet on Princess-street and running back 100 feet, butting on the property annexed to the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel—together with all the Buildings thereon, at present renting at £60 per annum.
Should the above Properties not be disposed of on or before TUESDAY the eighteenth day of August next, they will on that day be offered at Public Auction. For terms and further particulars apply to the subscriber on the Premises.
31st July, 1840. C. DAVIES.

Canvas, Cordage, &c.
Landing ex 'Clarence,'
90 BOLTS Boiled CANVAS; 1 1-2 Tons Bolt Rope 1 3-4 to 3 inch;
7 Coils CORDAGE, 6 3-4 inch;
300 Ridge Tile. For sale by
31st July HENRY S. GAULT.

On Consignment, per 'Edwin:'
66 COILS of London made CORDAGE, assorted, from 12 thread to 5 inch;
20 coils 2, 3 and 4 yarn Spunyarn;
20 coils Manilla Rope, ass'd. from 2 to 3 inch;
320 Kegs London WHITE LEAD, 28 lb. each;
40 Kegs do. Red ditto; 40 do. do. Yellow ditto;
40 Do. do. Black ditto; 40 do. do. Green ditto.
The above is of very superior quality, and will be sold low if applied for immediately.
July 31. W. P. RANNEY.

Per Sophia,
198 COILS Manilla ROPE, of very superior quality, assorted from 6 thd. to 3¼ inch;
23 Reams Sheathing Paper; 1 case Stationery;
The above are now landing on the subscriber's wharf, and will be sold low if applied for immediately. JOHN ROBERTSON.
24th July, 1840.

Glassware on Sale.

Per brig Edwin, from London, and now landing for the Subscriber:
30 CASKS well assorted GLASSWARE, containing Tumblers, Wines, Decanters, Cruet Frames, put up expressly for the Saint John Market. For sale by
31st July. JOHN V. THURGAR.

New Lunch House.

JAMES SORLEY respectfully informs the respectable portion of this community, that he has opened a LUNCH HOUSE in Princess street, adjoining the Post Office, where every attention will be given, and the smallest favor kindly acknowledged. JAMES SORLEY.
July 24.

FOUND a short time since, a sum of money. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying the expence, on application to
July 17. T. COLLINS.

Valuable Building Lots.

TO LET, for a term of years—a large and valuable Building LOT in a most central situation, in Lower Cove, being 105 feet on Carmarthen street, and 40 feet on Queen street. It would be divided into three Lots of 35 by 40 feet each, if required.—For further particulars apply at the *Hibernian Hotel.* JAMES NETHERY.
10th July.

Iron, Paints & Oil, &c.

E. L. JARVIS & CO. have received by recent arrivals from London, Liverpool and Hull:
1000 KEGS Nos. 1 and 2 WHITE LEAD; 400 Kegs Green, Yellow, Black, Red, Blue, and Brown PAINTS;
30 Hogsheads Boiled and Raw Linseed OIL,
3 Tons PUTTY, in bladders,
30 Casks PIPE CLAY and Paris WHITING,
60 Tons Banks' best and common IRON.
ON HAND:
A very general assortment of IRONMONGERY, and further supplies daily expected.
Brick Store, South Market Wharf,
8th May, 1840.

Colonial Labor Saving SOAP.

THE attention of House-keepers is respectfully directed to the above article. By using this Soap *more than half the time* and nearly *all the labor* usually employed in washing are saved!
It goes further and washes better than any other soap.—The hands are not effected by it, neither does it injure the texture of the finest linen, or remove the colour from Printed cottons.—One trial is sufficient to convince every one of its superiority.
Price 6d. per single pound.—Printed directions are given to every purchaser.
Sold in St. John by Messrs. J. & J. Alexander, and Mr. G. Chadwick; in Carleton by Mr John Cook, and by the subscriber at the Chemical works.
JOHN ELLIOTT.
Hampton, July 1840.

Alloa Ale! Alloa Ale!!

THE subscriber has received, consigned to him per ship *Sophia*, 100 Casks ALLOA ALE, of a superior quality, which he offers for sale.
July 24. GEO. YOUNGER.

TO LET—From the first August next, the Upper Flat of a House in Charlotte street, calculated for a small family.—For further particulars enquire of
ASA BLAKSLEE.
July 24. *King's Square.*

Deals Wanted.

THE Subscribers require about 200 M feet SPRUCE DEALS, half of which must be bright, the remainder may be rafted.
July 17. RATCHFORD & BROTHERS.

Forty Dollars Reward.

WHEREAS some evil disposed person or persons did during last night, cut the Haulyards of the Flag staff or Pole at the *Hibernian Hotel*, Church street, and carried away an Ensign hoisted thereon, (which had inadvertently been left flying in the night,) and also broke several panes of glass, to the great annoyance of the proprietor.—The above reward will be paid for the detection and conviction of the person or persons guilty of the base transaction. As the haulyards could not be reached without raising a ladder of 30 feet, the boldness of the perpetrators must have been very great, and affords another instance of the negligence and uselessness of the City Watch.
JAMES NETHERY.
St. John, 21st July, 1840.

Boards, Deals, Shingles, &c.

400,000 FEET (Superficial) bright Deals: 200,000 feet White Pine Boards; 250,000 do. Merchantable seasoned Pine ditto; 200,000 do. Clear do. do.; 100,000 do. Refuse do. do.; 250,000 Merchantable spruce Boards and Plank; 150,000 Scantling, different dimensions; 200,000 sawed Pine Shingles; 50,000 sawed Cedar ditto; 100,000 Rift pine and spruce ditto; 300,000 Laths of superior quality.
ALSO—4 Shares Nova Scotia Steam Boat stock.
The above is offered for sale by the subscriber at lowest market rates for cash or approved paper.
July 24. JOS. FAIRWEATHER

REMOVAL.

W. NETHERY respectfully begs to acquaint the gentlemen of this City that he has removed his Establishment to that stand in the *Albion House*, Church street, recently kept by Mr. Reagan. It is newly fitted up, and he can promise those who will favour him with a call, good accommodations and genuine Liquors.
Lunch, Lobsters, and all the luxuries of the season always on hand.
☞Those gentlemen whose names he has in his books, will confer a favour by calling and having them erased. June 12. 2m.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

EXTENSIVE IMPORTATIONS OF
NEW GOODS.
12th June, 1840.

THE subscriber has just received and now ready for inspection, a very extensive and varied assortment of
Turc and Bristol Satins and SATINETS,
Plain and figured DUCAPES and GRO DE NAPS;
Plain and figured Irish and English TABINETS;
SATINS, in every style and colour with Ribbons to match;
Plain and Printed Challi and Orleans CLOTHS;
New style of Muslin de Laine and Saxony Cloths;
SHAWLS,
of the newest & most fashionable designs,
450 Pieces RIBBONS of the newest styles;
500 PARASOLS, from 2s. upwards.
Cash only.
WILLIAM DOHERTY, JUN.
No. 12, King-street.

SCYTHES, SICKLES, &c.

The subscribers have just received per ship WARD, Masters, from Liverpool:
5 BALES containing 50 dozen Griffin's real prime cast steel Scythes, from 40 to 48 inches;
1 cask containing 60 dozen Sickles, (ass. sizes,)
1 cask containing ship Scrapers, shoe Thread, &c
20 dozen Shovels.
In store—Received per late arrivals:
150 Boxes Mould Candles; 30 do. Dipt ditto,
200 Ditto Liverpool Soap; 12 cwt. black Pepper;
25 Ditto London Blue and White Starch;
20 Ditto Glazed and Figured Pipes,
4 Bales Bed cords; Bales Wrapping Paper,
20 cases *Taylor's* London Pale Ale;
20 cases and bbls. *Barclay & Co.'s* London Porter,
100 Whole, half, and quarter chests Gunpowder, Hyson, souchong and 'Clifton's' Teas;
With an extensive stock of Wines and Spirits, in bottle and on draught, wholesale and retail, cheap for cash or approved paper.
19th June. J. & J. ALEXANDER.

New-Brunswick House,
No. 1, King Street.

The subscriber has received ex ships *Brothers* and *Ward* from Liverpool, *British Queen* and *Neptune* from London, his spring supply of fancy and domestic DRY GOODS, as follows:
BLACK, blue, and medley super. Broad Cloths, Albert ribbed Trower stuffs; Plain and ribbed Buckskins, Cassimeres and Tweeds; Plain and printed Moleskins, linen Drills and Bed Tick, Osnaburgs, Dowlas and Diaper, White and Grey Shirting, Regatta stripes and shirts, Checks and Homespuns, Fine and superfine Irish Linens, Damask Table cloths and covers, Printed calicoes and Muslins; book, jaconet, mull, and swiss mull Muslins; Mousseline de Laine and rich sewed Muslin Dresses, in variety; sewed and tambored lace and muslin Collars and Capes in great variety; silk, lace, kid and cotton Gloves, all sizes; blond & gimp Laces and Quillings, Ribbons in great variety; Plain and figured Gro de Naps; plain, printed and figured Saxonies; plain and figured Merinos; a superior selection of crape, Thibet-wool, filled centre and Indiana SHAWLS and HANDKERCHIEFS; Coronation silk Velvet; Brighton and Lama ditto, worsted and cotton Velvet, white and red Flannels, Blankets and Baizes.
1000 Pairs Ladies' and children's prunella Boots and Shoes; 50 dozen Ladies' Tuscan, Rutland, Rice, Dunstable, Devon, Tissue, Berlin, and Palmetta BONNETS; Children's ditto ditto; 20 cases Gentlemen's black and drab Beaver and Gossamer HATS, as low as any in the city; plain and embossed silk and satin stocks; worsted, cotton, and India Rubber Braces; German silver and Britannia metal tea and table spoons; Cutlery and small wares, Trimmings, &c. &c &c.
The subscriber, in offering the above Goods to the Public, feels confident that from the quality, together with the low price he is now selling at, will ensure him a share of the public patronage which has been so liberally bestowed on him since his commencement in business.
☞*CASH and CASH ONLY.*
No second price, nor Patterns cut.
19th June. JAMES BOWES.

Board and Lodging.

FOUR or Five Gentlemen can be accommodated with *Board and Lodging*, in that large and commodious Brick Building, in Germain street, owned by Noah Disbrow, Esq., which has recently undergone repairs. Every attention will be paid to those who may honour the Establishment with their custom to make it a desirable residence.
June 25. THOS. GARD.

Oysters.

JUST received, and only 3 days from the beds, a supply of Shediac Oysters, which may be had by the barrel, bushel, peck, or otherwise, on immediate application at the *Hibernian Hotel.*
July 10. JAMES NETHERY.

Cordage & Fishing Lines.

Just received, and for sale by the subscriber—
AN invoice of staple Cordage, from 12 thread Ratline to 3¼ inches; 1 bale Fishing Lines, assorted. For sale very low by
JOHN V. THURGAR.
July 3. *Corner Duke & Water streets.*

COUNTRY RESIDENCE.

TO LET or for sale, at Wolfville, (Horton, N. S.) and possession given immediately;—that pleasantly situated Cottage, at the Village of Wolfville, together with the gardens, fields, stables, coach house, and other out houses, formerly owned by the Rev. John S. Clarke, and now owned by the Hon. John Leander Starr.
The situation of this dwelling is peculiarly delightful for a summer residence, being located in one of the most picturesque spots in Nova Scotia, remarkable for its healthiness, and overlooking the splendid scenery and headlands which skirt the Basin of Minas. There is an Icehouse, well filled, on the premises; and at the entrance to the grounds is a convenient lodge for servants; forming altogether a pleasant residence for a family from Halifax during the summer, being a convenient distance from the Capital, (a Coach passing the main road in view of the house daily), and the atmosphere dry and exempt from fogs.
To a purchaser, the terms will be made very easy, and the terms reasonable; or it will be rented for a year or more, at a moderate rent, to any careful and respectable family. Apply to ELISHA DEWOLF, Esq. at Wolfville, or to
RATCHFORD & BROTHERS.
St. John, July 10, 1840.

1st July, 1840.

Received per *Branches, British America*, and other recent arrivals:
300 BOLTS CANVASS—bleach Nos. 1 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7;
15 Chains, close linked, from ¾ to ½ inch;
17 Chain Cables, from 9-16 to 1½ inch, from 45 fathoms to 105 fathoms;
50 ANCHORS, from 1 cwt. to 21 cwt. with Iron and Wood stocks;
4 Second Hand Chain Cables, from 1 inch to 1⅛ inches;
2 Tons Bar Sheet Lead; 20 boxes IC TIN;
60 Hogsheads EARTHENWARE, assorted;
100 Kegs coarse POWDER;
90 Boxes Pipes, containing about 8 gross each;
25 Bags Wine, Phial, and Bung Corks;
20 Tons CORDAGE, including all sizes from 7½ in. Shrouding to 6 inch Ratline;
2 Tons Spunyarn, 2 and 3 yarn;
1 Ton Marline, Houseline, and Hamberline.
ALSO, IN STORE—
32 Puncheons Jamaica SPIRITS, high proof and superior flavour;
300 Boxes Holland Geneva, 1 doz. ea. (fine flavor)
80 Bbls. Cargo BEEF; 20 bbls. PORK;
200 Bbls. Calcined Plaister;
60 Bbls. Rye FLOUR, Corn Meal and Middlings Flour;
3 Chests INDIGO, very superior quality;
200 Pieces Grey and White Cottons;
50 Bbls. ROMAN CEMENT;
All of which will be sold on reasonable terms.
JOHN ROBERTSON.
City Bank Building.

Paints, Anchors, Chains, &c.

Just received and for sale by the Subscriber:
6 CASKS Raw OIL; 60 tin cans Boil'd and Raw OIL, 2 to 5 gallons;
4 Tons No 1, London White LEAD;
1 ,, Hull do.
½ ,, Black Paint; ½ do. Yellow;
1 ,, Putty, in bladders, 7, 14, and 21 lbs.
1500 fathoms short linked CHAIN, (proved) from from ⅜in. to 1¼ inch.
30 Kedge Anchors, from 3-4 to 5 cwt.
2 Dozen timber Crow Bars;
2 ,, Gin Wheels, assorted sizes;
8 ,, Ship's Scrapers, 8 do. ships Mops with handles, 12 doz. Log Glasses, 14 & 28 sec.
1 ,, 12 Hour Glasses; 1 do. 1 Hour;
4 ,, Log Slates, 4 do. patent Binnacle Lamps;
18 ,, ground Paint Brushes, assorted sizes;
12 ,, long handled Tar Brushes;
10 ,, Signal Lanterns, ass. sizes, 10 do Cooks do.
138 Coils Marline, Houseline and Ratline,
2 Dozen water laid deep sea Lines,
8 ,, ,, Hand Lines,
10 ,, Log Lines; 20 do. Roping & sail Twine,
10 ,, 18 th. Codline; 1 Ton Oakum.
St. John, 12th June. W. ROBERTSON.

Cotton Batting.

20 BALES of a very superior quality, for sale, cheap for cash only, by
19th June. S. K. FOSTER.

JOSEPH SUMMERS & CO.

BEG to announce they have on hand, a good assortment of watered and figured Moreens; handsome Chintz Furniture Prints; Lining's, fringes, Gimp Trimming, Orris Laces; superior 4-4 scotch Carpeting; Venetian Stair ditto; Hearth Rugs—all Brussels patterns); 8-4 and 10-4 Linen ditto; Window