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Merchants, Manufacturers and others are respectfully solicited to consider the claims of THE DAILY TRIBUNE in the distribution of their advertising patronage. THE TRIBUNE has already secured a large circulation in the city, while the sales on the afternoon trains, East and West, are not exceeded by any other Daily.

M. McLEOD, BUSINESS MANAGER.



**GENT'S SLIPPERS!**

Just Received:

70 PAIRS GENT'S FINE

**SLIPPERS,**

Different kinds—each pair warranted, at

GEO. JACKSON'S,

oct 3 32 King street.

**MAPLE HILL.**

THE Subscriber begs to announce to his friends and the public generally that he has leased and fitted up for a HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT the above delightful property on the MANAWAGONISH ROAD. This place is BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED about five miles from the city, and the drive presents a great variety of scenery.

The BEAUTIFUL & SPACIOUS GROUNDS at Maple Hill are admirably adapted for OUT DOOR SPORTS, and may be secured for PICNIC PARTIES, FREE OF CHARGE, on application to the Proprietor.

CHARLES WATTS,
July 19 PROPRIETOR.

**Continental Hotel.**

THIS new and commodious house, situated on

KING'S SQUARE,

Will be open for the reception of guests on the 14th inst.

The house is new, and fitted with all the most modern improvements, having just been built by Mr. G. Rix Price.

The Location is the Finest in St. John

The Subscriber, returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him while proprietor of the Sibley House, would respectfully request a continuance of the same in this NEW PLACE, where, with the best facilities to serve his friends, it will be his pleasure to make his house meet the requirements of all.

may 10 E. SIBLEY, Proprietor.

**WILLIAM DUNLOP,**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Flour, Groceries & Liquors,

No. 40 CHARLOTTE STREET,

nov 21 1y ST. JOHN, N. B.

CARD.

**D. E. DUNHAM,**

**ARCHITECT.**

Rooms, 1 and 2 Bayard's Building, (UP STAIRS,)

106 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET.

Persons intending to Build or Remodel their Buildings would do well to call at the above office before consulting carpenters, masons, &c., as the Subscriber *guarantees* to give all the information that can be obtained from the most practical mechanic, his theory being Beauty, Economy and Strength, so combined as to make the outlay worth, when finished, what it cost.

feb 25

**United States Hotel**

Offers from this date First Rate Accommodation and Board to Transient Boarders at

$1.25 PER DAY.

PERMANENT BOARDERS will be accommodated at much reduced prices during the winter months.

The rooms are large and pleasant, looking on King's Square and King Street, well ventilated and warmed.

☞ Also a Large Room to be let for Evening Parties.

JAMES HINCH, PROPRIETOR.

oct 30


*OUR PITIFUL STRIFE.*

Is it worth while that we jostle a brother
Bearing his load on the rough road of life?
Is it worth while that we jeer at each other
In blackness of heart?—that we war to the knife?
God pity us all in our pitiful strife.

God pity us all as we jostle each other;
God pardon us all for the triumphs we feel
When a fellow goes down 'neath his load on the heather,
Pierced to the heart: words are keener than steel,
And mightier far for woe or for weal.

Were it not well, in this brief little journey
On over the isthmus, down into the tide,
We give him a fish instead of a serpent,
Ere folding the hands to be and abide
Forever and aye in dust at his side?

Look at the roses saluting each other;
Look at the herds all at peace on the plain—
Man, and man only, makes war on his brother,
And laughs in his heart at his peril and pain;
Shamed by the beasts that go down on the plain.

Is it worth while that we battle to humble
Some poor fellow soldier down into the dust?
God pity us all! Time ofttoon will tumble
All of us together, like leaves in a gust,
Humbled indeed down into the dust.

## THE MANIAC.

The maniac was a giant. He had broken his heavy chains as Samson of old had broken his withes—had torn open the door of his cell—torn the keeper literally to pieces—burst the door open—killed the watchman with a heavy iron bar he wrenched from the door—and escaped with his formidable weapon into the city. The whole place was aghast at the news; and we students at the hospital and dissecting-room, who were connected with the asylum, had to nerve ourselves to help capture the escaped wild beast.

I had gone to the dissecting-room alone, and was about to commence using the knife on a subject. There was a storm raging, and with a low sob the wind swelled through the long aisle of forest trees, and flashed with the gathered force of an ocean wave against the dead-house. Simultaneously, a hand struck the light door, and the yell of a maniac rang through and through my brain.

Above the door, through the small ventilator, the face of the madman and the murderer peered down at me.

"Ah, ha! I have caught you at last—here—and alone. I have been waiting for you. You took me once, didn't you? Ha, ha! Let me in!"

The coolness of imminent peril brought powers to action. I held his eye an instant; but it was evident he was too wild for that; his blood was up, and it roved with eager ferocity through the room and over the frail walls. With the light bound of a leopard I gained the door and shot the double bolt. A gleam of rage darted from his eye; but he laughed, "Ha, ha! you think that will keep me out?"

He leaped to the ground. In an instant the light was out.

"Wait," I cried. "I have a weapon in my hand keen as a razor. It is poisoned by the dead body I have been working on. Burst the door and I'll plunge it in your heart. If it but touch you, you are a dead man. You may kill me, but I'll kill you also, as certain as fate!"

The swarthy giant shook the door until its hinges creaked and groaned beneath his hand. Then, laughing again low to himself, muttered, "Fool, I'll outwit you yet."

And stole off in the darkness. I heard him, for an instant, pressing against the wall of the building, and it swayed and bent inwards with the weight. Then silence. The din of my pulses made thunder in my ears, as I tried to hear his stealing tread, and the sobbing wind raising anew with weird, unearthly shriek, made my efforts fruitless.

A thousand times I heard his low, murderous laugh. A thousand times I felt brawny strength against the door, and saw his wild face look down at me through the gloom; but still he did not come. I tried to think he had abandoned the design and slunk off discouraged; but I knew it was not so—I knew he was crouching in some corner, on the watch to spring on me when I passed.

Could I stay there all night? No, certainly not. An hour more and Harry Leigh (my young wife's brother) would come to seek me—come unconsious of the danger, until a bloodhound at his throat would choke the brave young life down there for ever.

I listened in the intervals of the now fitful storm to hear if he was breathing near me; I waited for the next lull. It came—that deep hush that follows the gusty wind. I put my soul in the sense of hearing, but no human shadow of sound greeted it.

When the storm swelled again I drew the bolt and looked into the night; a black pall hung over the earth and sky. I had as good a chance to pass him in the obscurity as he to catch me. With my knife in my teeth, and the massive thigh bone of a skeleton to fell him with, if I must, I drew off my shoes and stepped into the darkness. A sudden whirl of the tempest almost took me off my feet, and a brick, dislodged from one of the chimneys, grazed my head in its passage and broke in half on the pavement.

With bated breath, and a step like the tread of a panther scenting his prey, I parted the thick darkness and turned my face toward the hospital. He might be either here—or hid in the angle of the wall at the door through which I must enter. This seemed most probable; but there was another door known only to doctors.

I thought I would elude him. With infinite caution I began to scale the high wall, dreading horribly lest some sudden break in the sky might reveal to the wild eyes that watched for me—but no.

Safely passing the summit, I threw my leg over for the descent, and felt my foot seized. It was but the clinging tendrel of a wild vine, skirting the wall. Grasping my knife in my right hand, I crept along the bushes for fifty yards, then struck across the lawn for the side entrance. The darkness perplexed me, but I thought I was steering straight. Suddenly my foot struck bricks. What was this? I tried to recollect. There was no pavement round that part of the hospital.

I pushed on uncertainly, and feeling a weight in the air, put out my hand to grope for some clue to my whereabouts. I was in an alley flanked with stone walls far above my head. I gave a sudden turn. In an instant I knew I was in the subterranean passages of the asylum. Turning to retrace my steps, the opaque density of some heavy body crouched between me and the outer air. I heard its stifled breathing—its stealthy tread approach me. Just heavens! he had followed me from the very door of the dead house here! A struggle for life with a madman in these narrow, gloomy vaults—to lie in the pool of one's own heart's blood in this undiscovered tomb—and my young wife, Constance!—was maddening!

For an instant my brain was on fire. Then I thought there might be an exit—other devious windings in which I could elude my deadly pursuer. Going deftly backwards, I turned the angle in the wall, and then plunged at the utmost speed of a young and active man along the back passage. Instantly I knew I was pursued. Meeting another crossed path I struck into it in the opposite direction. The maniac instantly followed me. What a race through those cavernous depths of the mad house! What tragic pitfall might lurk at every step! what black and stagnant pools lie waiting to engulf me! what deeper depths of icy blackness into which to fall—and fail for ever!

The passage grew narrower. We were, perhaps, under the very centre of the building, and farthest from the outer air. I had tried to breathe noiselessly; the effort exhausted me. I knew nothing of the labyrinths; could only guess at our position by the distance from the entrance. I had counted the turnings we had made. I thought I could retrace them. My strength was failing. I was the fleetest, but he was the most enduring.

Presently he would run me down. It was a terrible venture, but the necessity was imminent. I would try it. Gathering all my force, I darted like an arrow on into the darkness. The suddenness of my increased speed baffled him. I succeeded in putting fifty yards between us, gained and turned the next angle; then, drawing myself against the wall, with every nerve and muscle strained into preternatural tension, with the mighty heaving of my spent chest crushed into silence by an iron effort of despairing will, I awaited for him to pass me. I heard him come rushing on with new strength through the blackness, reach the angle, turn it, striking his massive body against the jutting stones. I heard him spring like an animal on along the track. I felt his hot breath like steam—the foam of his set jaws flung across my face—and he stopped. I felt that he was feeling for me! that he was crouching on the stones. I saw the red of his eyeballs glare up to me through the darkness. I felt the touch of his icy flesh on my hand. Like lightning he raised himself, and throwing his vast weight against me, pinioned me to the stones. And the mad rage of a man at bay surged upward to my brain. I clasped my knife convulsively, and seized him by the throat, resolved to die hard. It was hairy—it was shaggy. The hands against my chest had a thick coat of fur. I clasped him to my breast. It was Lion! my dog, Lion.

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"Great Heaven, Keene! what left you all night in that dead house? It is near day; the door has been open this two hours, and Derby and King have been asleep. I was getting on my boots to look for you."

"Why, in the name of common sense, did you let the dog out after me? Will you tell me that?"

"Why, he howled like a maniac, and clawed at the door till I thought you were in some danger, and I could not keep him in."

"Danger? Well, we can't talk now. Rouse yourself; I have had an interview with your maniac, and he is prowling round the grounds after me now. Call upon the men. I must go after Philip immediately."

"You don't say so?"

"Yes; don't waste a second."

In five minutes the whole force of the hospital was out in the grounds. We took him in the angle of the great door, crouching behind the jutting wall, waiting for me! He drew his lips back over his teeth, in the dumb ferocity of a mad brute, as he saw me, and his eyes settled into a dull, lurid glare, impossible to describe, as he hissed out, "Ha! ha! this is twice—twice you triumph; wait till the third time!"

Around the blazing grate, in the closing hour of the tempest-tossed night, we shook hands over the gladness of our reunion; and after the story was over, and the horror first and the laughter after, (at the close of my adventure), and Derby and King had left, and Harry Leigh and I stood at the window watching the young winter day rise over the hills, there was something very like tears in his bright blue eyes as he pointed to the granite walls of the mad house, and said, "Constance would have gone there, Keene, or died, mine would have been a heavy, heavy life after."

## NOTES AND NEWS.

### GENERAL.

Black silk sacques, quilted, inside and out, and trimmed with chinchilla or silver-fox fur, are new and will be fashionable.

The handkerchief scarfs won by the ladies, and so popular last season, have been revived again with great success.

A cat in Jessep, Iowa, upset a kerosene lamp, setting fire to the clothes of a lady, who was so badly burned that she died the same evening.

The town clerk of Lancaster, N. H., went gunning lately, and kept four young people in horrid torment two days waiting for their marriage certificates.

The St. Louis *Globe* remarks that the *Democrat* will have no heavy editorials on any subject later in the alphabet than B for the present, as only two volumes of the new Cyclopædia have yet been published.

A man in Maine, with a wife and two children, having taken a notion to study for the ministry and entered Bates College as a preliminary, commenced beating and abusing his wife because she was "not stylish enough for a minister's wife."

Another victim of the beneficent influences of anæsthetics is reported from Boston. A woman died in a dentist's chair from a moderate dose of ether. Of course this does not prove that it is generally dangerous to take ether, but it does impress the lesson of caution. Only when an anæsthetic is necessary to enable a person to endure a severe operation should it be taken.

It is a puzzling question what to do with a boy ten years old who kills a child of three, because he was "bothered" by him, as has been proved to be the case with the boy Curtis, of Acton, Mass. He seems to be altogether indifferent to his crime or its penalty. The probability is that he will be sent to the Reformatory, and it is to be hoped that some idea of morality will be instilled into him while there.

Time was when it was considered the duty of children to consult the wishes of their parents before entering the bonds of matrimony, but now, it seems, the parents must consult their children before venturing to take that important step. A man at Monongahela, Pa., married lately without the consent of his son, and the latter remonstrated with him with a butcher knife, with the most deplorable results. Parents should never forget the duty of obedience to their children and then they would get into no such trouble.


**Cigars.**

A LARGE STOCK OF CIGARS—various brands and prices—will be sold very low to make room for new supply.

M. FRAWLEY,
nov 1—frm 11 Dock street.

**CIDER.**

8 BBLS. CIDER—a superior article. For sale at lowest rates by

MASTERS & PATTERSON,
oct 12 19 South Market Wharf.

**Choice Flour.**

Landing ex Kittie Stevens, G. F. Baird, Elias S., Annie B. and Miles:

3000 BARRELS of the following brands:

SPINKS EXTRA, ALBION, ROSEBANK, PORT HOPE, SNOW FLAKE, CITY EXTRA, TEA ROSE, REINDEER.

For sale by

oct 29 HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

**J. W. MONTGOMERY**

WILL OFFER,

**Wholesale and Retail,**

IMMENSE STOCK OF

**FALL & WINTER**

**Dress Stuffs**

IN

Reps, Cord's, Checks, and PLAIN GOODS, all Colors.

**CLOTH GOODS CHEAP.**

**2 King Street.**

J. W. MONTGOMERY,
nov 1 Direct Importer.

**CAUTION--POISON.**

**Cor. King and Germain Sts.**

AS a report is in circulation that a late case of poisoning was occasioned by carelessness on the part of my establishment, this is to be a contradiction. If any person wishes to know the circumstances and will take the trouble to call, I will be happy to explain, and any one found spreading such report will be considered a slanderer.

oct 30 J. CHALONER.

**G. W. DAY'S**

**Printing Establishment**

46 CHARLOTTE STREET

All Descriptions of Printing executed with despatch.

Orders left at the Counting Room of the DAILY TRIBUNE, No. 53 Prince William street, promptly attended to.

jan 31 G. W. DAY.

**Just Received**

A further supply of the

**NON-FREEZING**

**SUBMERGED PUMPS,**

the best and most durable article in the market.

nov 7 W. H. THORNE.

**Flour Landing.**

3000 BARRELS REINDEER, Tea Rose, Pride of Ontario, Progression &c. For sale by

J. & W. F. HARRISON,
oct 29 16 North Wharf.

**SYDNEY COAL!**

NOW LANDING from brigt. Oscar—a choice cargo of

**FRESH OLD MINES**

**Sydney Coal,**

Fresh mined and well screened—with certificate.

Also, hourly expected—a cargo of WILKESBARRE HARD COAL, in egg, nut, and chestnut sizes.

☞ Orders left at our office will receive prompt attention.

T. McCARTHY & SON,
nov9 Water street.

**Table Salt.**

JUST RECEIVED ex Stmr. Linda—20 barrels in 5 lb. 10 lb., and 20 lb. bags.

nov 5 JULIAS TUNER

**Self-Feeders.**

WE have on hand Six Styles of SELF-FEEDING STOVES, the cheapest and best in the market.

BOWES & EVANS,
oct 31 No. 4 Canterbury street.

**Cook Stoves.**

WE have Ten Styles of first-class COOK STOVES, adapted for coal, hard or soft coal. Also, Nine Styles adapted for wood only. We invite attention to our Stock and low prices.

BOWES & EVANS,
oct 31 No. 4 Canterbury street.

**FALL STOCK TO ARRIVE**

Per Anchor Line Steamers and other vessels from Liverpool, London and Glasgow:

10 BBLS., 10 Hogs-heads, } Hewitt's CORK MALT WHISKEY.
10 hhds., 25 qr casks, 100 cases } Key Brand Hollands GENEVA.
50 cases Bloxd. Wolfe & Co's PORTER, pints and quarts;
25 qr casks Geo. Sayer & Co's. BRANDY;
25 " " Jas. Hennessy & Co., Brandy;
10 " " Bernard's GINGER WINE;
100 cases Bullech Lade's Whiskey, in pint flasks;
50 bbls. Guinesses PORTER and Allsop's ALE, pints and quarts;
10 hhds. Allsop's ALE;
40 qr casks, 4 octaves } TARRAGONA PORT WINE,
50 qr casks Pinet Castillon & Co's. Old Brandy;
100 hf chests London CONGOU TEA.
IN STORE, AND IN BONDED WAREHOUSES, 3, AND 12.
75 octaves Superior SHERRY WINE;
2 qr casks Tarragona Port Wine;
5 puncs OLD DEMERARA RUM, 40 p. c. o. p.
100 cases Hennessy & Martel Brandy;
1 hgd. casks Jas. Stewart & Co's Paisley MALT WHISKEY.
150 cases Hartman's GIN;
20 qr casks do do;
25 qr casks Hennessy's BRANDY;
50 cases Pint Flasks Pinet, Castillon & Co's. Old Brandy;
80 cases Quarts Pinet, Castillon & Co's. Brand;
18 qr casks OLD PORT WINE, } Superior
22 " " Choice SHERRY, } Brands.
10 " " Geo. Sayer & Co's. BRANDY, 3 years old;
5 cases cheap GERMAN CIGARS;
75 cases Jas. Stewart's Paisley Malt Whiskey, pints and quarts;
2 hhds. } HEWITT'S MALT WHISKEY
23 qr casks } 25 p. c. o. p.
16 hhds. Hartman's GENEVA:
8 " Key } Gor favorite brands:
60 cases (pints) Irish Whiskey;
40 cases pints and quarts OLD TOM GIN;
125 cases Dunville Whiskey;
60 green cases Gin; 5 bbls. Old Tom Gin
4 bbls. OLD BOURBON WHISKEY;
49 hf chests London Congou Tea;
30 " Cheap do;
30 crates Pint and Half Pint FLASKS;
30 boxes TOBACCO, 12's and 8's.
22 cases Kenney's Old JAMAICA RUM;
25 M good quality CIGARS.

sep 9 DANIEL PATTON.

**New Fruit!**

200 BOXES and qr-boxes New Fruit RAISINS. For sale at lowest rates, at

M. FRAWLEY'S,
nov 1—frm 11 Dock street.

**Cod Oil. Cod Oil.**

ON HAND—29 bbls. COD OIL. For sale low by

T. McAVITY & SONS,
nov 13 7 and 9 Water street.

**350 Cwt. Codfish,**

NOW LANDING. For sale at lowest market rates from vessel by

MASTERS & PATTERSON,
nov 1 19 South Market Wharf.

**COOPER BROS.,**

MANUFACTURERS OF VARIOUS KIND OF

**PATENT POWER LOOMS,**

To Weave Plain Cloths, Twills, Drills, Checks, Ginghams, &c., &c.

MACHINES TO FOLD CLOTH!
Do. TO PRESS Do.

Thread and Yarn Polishers, &c.

BETHESDA STREET FOUNDRY,
Burnley, Lancashire,
sep 10 d w tf ENGLAND.

**MACHINE OIL.**

**Just Received:**

5 BARRELS

**STOCK'S CELEBRATED MACHINE OIL,**

The best Lubricator in the market.

Warranted not to congeal in cold weather.

For sale low to close consignment by

W. H. OLIVE,
sep 9 tf 110 Prince Wm. street.

**DR. J. BREEN,**

Graduate of Georgetown Medical College,

WASHINGTON, D. C

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—*Morrison's Block.*

MAIN STREET,

**PORTLAND, N. B.**

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**Rum. Rum.**

Just received from Halifax:

A NOTHER LOT of 40 p. c DEMERARA RUM, very fine flavor.

nov 7 tel fmn HILYARD & RUDDOCK.

**Family Flour.**

THE Subscriber keeps constantly on hand—FAMILY FLOUR, in the choicest brands. Also, PASTRY FLOUR, in small bags of 25 lbs.

oct 29 R. E. PUDDINGTON.

**Yorkshire Relish.**

20 GROSS of this favorite Sauce, in Store.

H. L. SPENCER,
aug 1 20 Nelson street.

IVES & ALLEN'S

**Dominion Stove Polish,**

THE BEST IN USE 20 Gross in Store

H. L. SPENCER,
aug 16 20 Nelson street.

**Clarke's Essence of Rennet.**

THIS convenient and economical preparation is recommended for all purposes in which a firm curd is required, and obviates the uncertainty of making whey from the Rennet Bag. It is applicable especially for making cheese-cakes, and other articles of confectionery.

*The Whey is recommended by the Faculty for Infants when milk will not stay on the stomach, sweetened with sugar.*

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

To every quart of milk, made blood warm, add two large tea-spoonfuls of the Essence; then stir and cover it over. Place it at a little distance from the fire, in any convenient situation of moderate temperature, avoid disturbing it, and in an hour a fine curd will be produced. A larger portion of the Essence will produce the curd in a shorter time.

A fresh supply for sale at

HANINGTON BROS.,
nov 11 Foster's Corner.

1000 BOXES SMOKED HERRING Grand Manan extra scaled For sale by

MASTERS & PATTERSON,
nov 12 19 South Market Wharf.

**NEW WINTER GOODS**

150 Pairs Blankets,
100 Pieces Flannel,
100 Pieces Dress Goods,
300 Pieces Prints,
100 Pieces Tweeds.

GENTS' MADE-UP SHIRTS, FLANNELS, UNDERWOLLENS, &c., &c.

At FAIRALL & SMITH'S,

nov 3 52 Prince William Street.


**CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.**

November 3rd, 1873.

AUTHORIZED discount on American Invoices, until further notice, 8 per cent.

nov 12 d3i w1i R. S. M. BOUCHETTE, Commissioner of Customs.

**Public Notice.**

MAILS for Sheffield, Maugerville, &c., will close at 7 A. M. until further notice, and will be forwarded per Western Extension Railway.

P. O., St John, Nov. 10, 1873. } J. HOWE, P. M. nov 15 3i

**Public Notice.**

THE STREET and HOTEL LETTER BOXES in the City, with the exception of the Box at the Marsh Bridge, will be visited at 5 a. m. and 12 m.

The box at the Marsh Bridge will be visited at 11.30 a. m., and 5 p. m.

P. O., St. John, Nov. 10, 1873. } J. HOWE, P. M. nov 15 3i

**NOTICE!**

TENDERS will be received at the Office of Public Works, until WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of December, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the

Re-building of the Eastern Approach of Grand Falls Bridge, and the Repairing and Painting of the Suspension Span,

according to Plan and Specification to be seen at the Office of Public Works.

A written engagement, from two responsible persons willing to become security for the faithful performance of the work, will be required.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

WM. A. KELLEY, Chief Commissioner.

Department of Public Works, Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 3rd, 1873. } nov 6

**Familiar Quotations, No. 6.**

*"A Rat, Dec. 1d for a Ducat."* SHAKSPEARE.

THE Pharmacopolist has opened a nice soft thing in rat poison. It takes the old chap every time, and no mistake. It comes in small boxes now and sells for a quarter. If you want "rats, at rate, call at the Pharmacy and get a box or two of the Exterminator.

GEO. STEWART, Jr., Pharmaceutist.

nov 1 24 King street.

**WATCHES, GOLD CHAINS, &c.**

PAGE BROTHERS

HAVE JUST RECEIVED an assortment of

**English Patent Lever Watches.**

Also—Part of their Fall Importations of

**ENGLISH GOLD CHAINS**

and Fine Jewelry.

PAGE BROTHERS,
oct 27 41 King street.

LEINSTER STREET,

AKERLEY'S BOARDING HOUSE.

**MR. BERNARD**

HAS still some few hours to spare, and will be most happy to devote the time to teachers wishing to qualify themselves in the french language. oct 4 1m

**159 Union Street.**

GEORGE MURDOCH,

**Harness Maker,**

AND DEALER IN

*Fine Driving and Working Harness, Whips Curry Combs, Brushes, &c., always on hand.*

☞ Strict attention paid to JOBBING and REPAIRING. nov 21 1y

**Apples, Quinces, &c.**

Just received per steamer from Boston:

10 BBLS. APPLES;
3 bbls. QUINCES;
2 " Sweet Potatoes;
1 " HAVANA ORANGES;
1 " Chestnuts.

For sale by

oct 29 R. E. PUDDINGTON.

**Pig Iron & Drill Steel.**

Received per Lady Darling:

2 CASES 1¼ inch and 1¼ inch Extra Best DRILL STEEL.

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They have secured the services of four eminent professional lecturers, two of whom will come from the United States and two from the Mother Country.

The Regular Course, to which all members will be admitted, as usual, upon taking out their Season Tickets, will consist of *Eleven* Lectures and Readings, and will begin on the evening of MONDAY, 8th December next.

Programme of the Regular Course:

| 1873. | NAME OF LECTURER. | TITLE OF SUBJECT. |
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| 8th Dec'r. | EDWARD JENKINS, Esq., author of Ginx's Baby, &c. | "The England of To-Day." |
| 15th " | ISAAC J. HAYES, M. D., the Arctic Explorer. | "The Open Polar Sea." |
| 22nd " | HON. WILLIAM PARSONS | "Michael Angelo." |
| 1874. | | |
| 5th Jan'y. | HON. FREDERICK DOUGLASS | "William the Silent." |
| 12th " | PROF. L. W. BUSHEY, M. A. | "The Geology of the Present Period." |
| 19th " | J. W. LANERGAN, Esq., and MRS. LANERGAN | Select Readings. |
| 26th " | W. BRYDONE JACK, D. C. L. | "Space and its Contents," with illustrations. |
| 2nd Feb'y. | REV. JAMES BENNET | "Varieties of Humor." |
| 9th " | PROF. G. E. FOSTER, A. B. | "Foundation and Superstructure." |
| 16th " | REV. LEONARD GAETZ | "Help Yourself." |
| 23rd " | JOHN BOYD, Esq. | "Who Giveth this Woman?" |

In addition to the above, the Directors have arranged for the following

SUPPLEMENTARY COURSE.

| 1873. | | |
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| 9th Dec'r. | EDWARD JENKINS, Esq. | "English Satires." |
| 16th " | I. I. HAYES, Esq., M. D. | "The Ancient Mariners." |
| 23rd " | HON. W. PARSONS | "Cicero and Old Rome." |
| 1874. | | |
| 6th Jan'y. | HON. FRED. DOUGLASS | "Santo Domingo." |

The price of Tickets for admittance to each Lecture of this Course will be 25 cents. For the accommodation of business men and others, who cannot always arrive at the Hall before 8 o'clock in the evening, 200 seats will be reserved, the price of tickets for which will be 50 cents.

The Reading Room is open daily, (Sundays excepted) from 2 o'clock until 9.30 o'clock, p. m.

The School of Design is open from 1.30 o'clock to 9.30 o'clock, p. m. Terms—$2.00 per quarter to members; non-members, $3.00 per quarter.

The Library has been recently replenished, and is open daily, (Sundays excepted) from 3.30 o'clock to 4.30 o'clock, p. m., and every Monday and Friday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock.

The Museum is open every Monday evening from 7 o'clock.

The initiation fee for members is $2.00, which, with the payment of an annual subscription of $5.00, will entitle a member and two of his family to all the privileges of the Institute, including attending the Lectures of the Regular Course and the use of the Library, Museum and Reading Room when open.

Tickets for a single lecture of the Regular Course will not be issued.

Tickets and Programmes of the Course of Lectures, and all information concerning the Institute, may be obtained from the Curator, at the Institute, from 4 to 6 o'clock daily, (Sundays excepted.)

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GILBERT MURDOCH, President.
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St. John, N. B., 28th Oct., 1873. oct 30 tf


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