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[PRICE ONE PENNY.

BLANKETS, FLANNELS, SCOTCH & KIDDERMINSTER CARPETS.

HORATIO CARWELL,

No. 4, Fabrique Street,
HAS just received per RESERVE, from London, a large assortment of Single Milled and Double Milled Welsh, Lancashire, and Saxton Flannels.
An extensive lot of 3-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, 13-4, 14-4, and 15-4, real Witney Blankets, including a few of a quality superior to any hitherto imported—price \$18 per pair.
20 pieces Scotch and superfine 4-4 Kidderminster Carpets.

These goods having been purchased on very advantageous terms, H. C. conceives that he will be enabled to offer them quite as moderate, if not lower, than any other in the market.

DAILY EXPECTED:
A large collection of MANUFACTURED FURS, made up to order, and of the very newest style, with his usual assortment of rich AUTUMN GOODS.
Quebec, 29th Sept. 1838.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED, AND OFFER FOR SALE,

THEIR supply of Stationary, consisting of superfine Writing Papers of various sizes, Quills, Steel Pens, Sealing Wax, Wafers, lead Pencils, Ink, Ink Powder, Inkstands, Blank Books, Memorandum Books, Paper Cases, with and without locks, Water Colours and Hair Pencils, superior Drawing Pencils, Drawing Paper and Card Paper, Stumps, Chalk, Indian Rubber, Poite-Crayons, embossed Music Paper, Music Pens, Visiting Cards, plain, gilt and enamelled, Pink Saucers, Thermometers, Chinese Japanned Tea Caddies, Screen Handles, Slates, Inkwells, Patent India Rubber, Office Lead Pencils, Bend's and Reeves & Son's Marking Ink, Screw Top Inks, Red Tape, Coloured Scraps for Albums, large and small Pencil Inkstands, rough Drawing Paper, Wedgewood Inkstands, Bookbinders Gold Leaf &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Bibles and Prayer Books, School Books, French, English, Hebrew and Latin, Woodcock and Olney's Atlas and Geography, Huntington's Geography and Atlas, and Dartmouth's Gazetteer.

W. COWAN & SON,
12, John's Street

13th October.

NEW BOOKS.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY
W. COWAN & SON,

THE Pickwick Papers, 1 vol. plates, Sayings and Doings of Sam Slick, first and second series,
Lockhart's Life of Sir Walter Scott, 7 v. Shakespeare's Works, complete in 1 vol., with plates,

Moore's Poetical Works, 1 vol.,
Alice, or the Mysteries, by Balwer, 1 vol.,
Hannah More's Private Devotion,
Comstock's Young Botanist, plates,
Do. Young Chemist, do.,
Preston's Book-Keeping,
Lévizet's French Grammar,
Perrin's Elements of French Conversation
Parley's Geography for Children,
Hall's Geography for Children,
Cramer's Instructions for the Piano Forte,
&c., &c., &c.

18 October.

TO THE LADIES OF QUEBEC.

HANN can with confidence recommend his present Stock of Ladies' and Gentlemen's made up FURS, which for workmanship and quality will be found far superior to those sold by interpolers in the Rue Trade.

AN AMERICAN TRADITION.

BY MRS. CHILD.

The County of Stafford, New Hampshire, is remarkable for its wild and broken scenery.—Ranges of hills, towering one above another as if eager to look upon the beautiful country, which offer off lies sleeping in the embrace of the clouds—precipices from which the eagle delights to build his eyrie—dells rugged and tangled with dark and deep ravines, form the magnificent characteristic of this picturesque region.

A high Precipice, called Chocorua's Cliff, is rendered peculiarly interesting by a legend, which tradition alone has saved from utter oblivion. This spot, being in the midst of very romantic scenery is little known, and less visited, for the vicinity is as yet, untraversed by railroads or canals, and no "mountain house," perched on the tremendous battlements allures the traveller hither to mock the majesty of nature with the insipidities of fashion.

In olden times, when Goffe and Whalley passed for wizards and mountain spirits among the superstitious, the vicinity of the spot, we have been describing was occupied by a very small colony, which, either from discontent or enterprise had retired to this remote part of New Hampshire. Most of them were ordinary men, led to this independent mode of life by impatience of restraint, which as frequently accompanies vulgar obstinacy as generous pride. But there was one master spirit among them, who was capable of a higher destiny than he ever fulfilled. The consciousness of this stamped something of proud humility on the face of Cornelius Campbell, something of a haughty spirit, strangely curbed by circumstances which he could not control, and at which he scorned to murmur. He assumed superiority, but unconsciously there was thrown around him the spell of intellect, and his companions felt, but they knew not why, that he was "among them, but not of them."

His stature was gigantic and he had the bold, quick tread of one who had wandered frequently and fearlessly among the terrible hidden places of nature. His voice was harsh, but his whole countenance possessed singular capabilities for tenderness or expression, and sometimes under the gentle influence of domestic excitement, his hard features would rapidly light up, seeming like the sunbeams flying over the shaded field in an April day.

His companion was one peculiarly calculated to excite and retain the deep strong energies of manly love. She had possessed extraordinary beauty; and had, in the full maturity of an excellent judgment, relinquished several splendid alliances, and incurred her father's displeasure for the sake of Cornelius Campbell. Had political circumstances proved favourable, his talents and ambition would unquestionably have worked out a path for ennoblement and fame; but he had been a zealous and active enemy of the Stuarts; and the restoration of Charles the Second was a death-blow to his hopes of advancement in his country. Immediately flight became necessary; America was the chosen place of refuge, and to this solitary spot he withdrew with his family.

A small settlement, in such a remote place, was of course subject to inconvenience and occasional sufferings. From the Indians they received neither injury nor insult. No cause of quarrelling had ever arisen: and although their frequent visits were sometimes troublesome, they never had given indications of jealousy or malice. Chocorua was considered a prophet among them, and as such, an object of peculiar respect. He had a mind which education and motive, would have nerved with giant strength; but growing up in savage freedom, it wasted itself in fury and ungovernable passions. There was something fearful in the quiet haughtiness of his lip—it seemed like slumbering power, too proud to be lightly roused, and too implacable to sleep again. In his small black fiery eye, expressions lay coiled up like a beautiful snake. The white people knew that his hatred would be terrible; but they had never proved it, and even the children became too much accustomed to him to fear him.

Chocorua had a son about nine or ten years old, to whom Caroline Campbell had occasionally made such gaudy presents as were likely to attract his savage fancy. This won the child's affections, so that he became a familiar visitant, almost an inmate of their dwelling; and being unrestrained by the courtesies of civilized life, he would inspect every thing and tasted of every thing which came in his way. Some poison prepared for a mischievous fox which had long troubled the little settlement, was discovered and drunk by the Indian boy, and he went home to his father to sicken and die.

From that moment jealousy and hatred took possession of Chocorua's soul. He never told his suspicions; he brooded over them in secret, to nourish the deadly revenge he contemplated against Cornelius Campbell.

The story of the Indian animosity is always the same. Campbell left his hut for the fields one bright morning in June. Still a lover, though ten years a husband, his last look was towards his wife, answering her parting smile—his last action a kiss for each of his children. When he returned, they were dead—all dead! and their disfigured bodies too strictly showed that an Indian's hand had done the work!

In such a mind, grief like all other emotions, was tempestuous. Home had been to him the only verdant spot in the wide desert of life. In his wife and children he had gathered up all his life—heat, and now they were torn from him. The remembrance of her love clung to him like the death grapple of a drowning man, sucking him down in darkness and death. This was followed by a calm a thousand times more terrible, the creeping agony of despair, that brings with it no power of resistance.

For many days those who knew and revered him, feared that the spark of reason was forever extinguished. But it rekindled again, and with it came a wild demonic spirit of revenge. The death grapple of Chocorua would make him smile even in his dreams—and when he looked, death seemed too pitiful a vengeance for the anguish that was eating into his very soul.

Chocorua's brethren were absent on a hunting expedition when he committed murder; and those who watched his movements observed that he frequently climbed the high precipice, which afterwards took his name probably looking out for their return. Here Campbell proposed to effect his deadly purpose. Having traced the dark-minded prophet to his lair, he was one morning startled at a loud voice, from beneath the precipice, commanding him to throw himself into the deep abyss below. He knew the voice of the enemy, and replied with an Indian's calmness, "The Great Spirit gave life to Chocorua, he will not take it away at the command of a white man." "Then hear the Great Spirit speak in the white man's thunder," exclaimed Campbell, as he pointed his rifle to the precipice. Chocorua, though fierce and fearless as the panther, had never overcome his dread of fire-arms. He placed his hands to his ears to shut out the stunning report, the next moment the blood bubbled from his neck and he reeled fearfully on the edge of the precipice. But recovering and raising himself on his hands, he spoke in a voice rendered more terrific as the huskiness increased—"a curse upon ye, white men! May the Great Spirit curse ye when he speaks in the clouds, and his words are fire! Chocorua had a son—and ye killed him while the eye still loved to look on the bright sun and green earth! The evil spirit breathe death upon your cattle! Your graves lie in the war-path of the Indians! Panthers howl and wolves fatten over your bones!—Chocorua goes to the Great Spirit—his curse stays with the white men."

The prophet sunk upon the ground—still uttering inaudible maledictions—and they left his bones to whiten in the sun. But his curse rested in the settlement. The tomahawk and the scalping knife were busy among them; the witch tore up trees and buried them at their dwellings; their crops were blasted, their cattle died, and sickness came upon the strongest men. At last the

remnant of them departed from the fatal spot, to mingle with the populous and fortunate colonies. Campbell became a hermit, seldom seeking his fellow men; and two years after the dispersion of this colony he was found dead in his hut.

To this day the town of Burton, in New Hampshire, is remarkable for a pestilence which infects its cattle; and the superstitious think that Chocorua's spirit sits enthroned on his precipice, breathing curses upon them.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FROM LATE EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN PAPERS.

A Jewish writer has just published in Europe the History of Christ, his doctrine and the church during the first century.
A new work has been published in London, entitled "Jonathanism," in two volumes. It is made up, juxta d'esprit from the American newspapers, letter biographies, &c.

There is not a single daily paper in Liverpool, England, a city nearly as large as New York. A father, mother and daughter, living near Newburg, (N. Y.) were poisoned to death by eating tea-toots; they were all dead a few hours after eating them.

A new historical work, by Raumer, is nearly ready, in three volumes; being Europe from the beginning to the end of the seven year's war, (1753 to 1783,) from documents in the British Museum and French Archives.

It is said that Jihuhar is now brought to a high state of cultivation in England, and is much used for medicinal purposes.

Havana contains about 150,000 souls, including strangers and garrison, about one half of whom only are whites, and of the blacks about one-third, or 25,000 slaves.

There were in the University of Berlin, in 1828, 1706 students.

The Virginians are cultivating the mulberry with great success.

A Mr. Bellows is lecturing at the New-York Institute, on the properties of mind, or the air.

It is said that Christ's Hospital in London, boards, clothes, and educates 1200 children.

In a committee of the House of Lords last week, it was contended in favour of a particular clause in the bill in discussion (the Loch Foyle Drainage Bill), that that clause had been inserted by the House of Commons. "Sir," said Lord Brougham, "there is no absurdity of which the House of Commons unformed has not been guilty, and there is nothing beyond absurdity of which the reformed House of Commons is not capable."

LOWER CANADA.

(From the Montreal Herald.)

The tug of war is again about to commence in real earnest, and the government and loyal inhabitants of the two Canadas are now to have a trial of strength with American sympathisers and French rebels, for the purpose of deciding which party shall have possession of the country. Sir John Colborne has received the most positive information that along the whole frontier line in the states of New York, Ohio, and Michigan, the most extensive preparations are making for an invasion, and there is no doubt but that Vermont and Maine will also turn out their hordes of buccaniers for a similar purpose. Sir John Colborne has once again thrown himself on the loyalty of the volunteers of this city, and we are sure that his appeal to their patriotism will not be made in vain. We are sure that there is not a man who can boast of the sea girt isles being his fatherland, but will respond with cheerfulness and alacrity to the spirit stirring call, and will be anxious with his life, if necessary, to assist in protecting his country from the domination of thieves and murderers. In predicting coming events we have been sneered at as inventing rumours, although we did not tell even half of what we knew. The Lieutenant Colonels of the different Volunteer battalions in town, were yesterday summoned to attend Sir John Colborne, who has given directions that they be again organised, their

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ected by the now more clearly demonstrated scarcity of wheat, and its necessary results in the employment of immense capital in the purchase of foreign wheat.

MONTREAL, 27th October, 1838.
ASHES—The stock in market is now large; and from this circumstance and the scarcity of freights, prices have given way. Pearls are now quoted 35s. and 40s. per 100 lbs.

FOUR—has been in considerable demand, and sales effected at 45s. for superior, 42s. 6d. for fine, and 40s. for middling. Sales of U. C. wheat have been made at 8s. 6d. per 60 lbs.

FRUIT—The demand for pork continues good, and the supply is still scanty. Prices may be quoted at \$20 for prime, \$22½ for prime mess, and \$23 for mess. A lot of new prime beef has been sold at 41s.

GRAIN—A good deal of business has been done in groceries during the week, but at prices equally low with the last week noted. At the auction sales of Messrs. B. Hart & Co. and Messrs. Tabin & Marston, the following articles were sold at the prices quoted:—

15 pipes Cognac Brandy, 3s. 7d. stopped sale; 5 pipes, 20 bids Geneva, 4s. 2½ (at 4s. 6d.); 30 do. bottled and raw imported oil, 2s. 9d. raw; 200 boxes Stoddard's Liverpool soap, 34s. (at 34s.); 40 boxes mould candles, 9½ (at 9½); 100 boxes tobacco pipes, 24s. (at 27s.); 100 do. button blue, 6d. (at 6d.); 10 do. indigo, 1s. 6d. (at 1s. 6d.); 100 kegs gunpowder, F. 75s.; FFF. 92s. 6d.; canister, 30s.; 75 boxes twankay tea, 2s. 6d.; 15 chests hyson skin, 2s. 6d.; 100 bags rice, 24s. 6d. (at 27s.); 50 bags pepper, 34s.; 150 casks blacking, quart, 6s. 6d.; white, 4s. 9d.; white paint, 8s. 8d.; nails, 3 penny, 2s. 11d.; 10 penny, 3s. 9d.; 12 penny, 4s. 4d.; 14 penny, 4s. 9d.; 25 penny, 5s. 6d.

25 bids bright Muscovado sugar, 45s. 6d. (at 46s. 9d.); 10 pipes 24 bid brandy, Orard, Dupuy & Hennessy's brands, 6s. 2½; 50 lbs nutmegs, 6s. 6d. per lb.; 2 cases indigo, 1s. 8d. per lb.; 11 puns Jamaica spirits, 5s. per gallon—strength, 3 to 7; 21 puns. Leeward, 4s. 8d. (at 4s. 9d.); 10 bid pale coal oil, 2s. 9d.; 10 do. coal oil, 4s. 4½; 25 chests 2s. 7d. do. young hyson, 2s. 7d.; 10 bags corks, 1s. 7d.

EXCHANGE on England is now without variation. On New York it is now quoted at 11 per cent. premium.

MONEY—The Banks, within the last few days, have contracted their discounts.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.
PORT OF QUEBEC.

ARRIVED.
 October 27th.
 Bark Horatio, transport No. 12, Humble, 33 days, London, Government, 4 passengers.
 Brig Rydgill, Kaidel, 19th August, Aberystwyth, Sydney & Ross, ballast.
 Schooner Phoenix, Caldwell, from Bay de Chaleur, with fish, oysters, &c.
 Two Schooners from Bay de Chaleur, with fish and oysters.

28th.
 Bark Lloyds, Blamford, 27th August, Southampton, LeMessurier & Co. ballast.
 Schooner Prudent, Billingsly, 13th Oct. Halifax, J. Young, fish, 2½ tons.
 Two Schooners from Bay de Chaleur with fish and oysters.

29th.
 Ft. M. S. Audenaerde, from Pictou.
 Ship Prince George, Pictou, 22d August, London, Price & Co. Government stores.
 Brig Forrester, Thompson, 6th Sept. do. Gillespie & Co. general cargo.
 Schooner Albion, Bay, 30 days from Bay de Chaleur, Montreal, fish.

Bark Sophia, 7th Sept. Liverpool, D. Bernet, salt.
 Sch. Maria, 15th Oct. P. E. Island, order, fish.

CLEARED.
 October 27th.
 Bark Ononago, Robinson, Cork, Pemberton, Brig Emery, Clark, Sunderland, do.
 Bark Argyle, Baldwin, Waterford, Price & Co.
 Bark Europe, Gubb, London, Atkinson & Co.
 Bark Fanny, Bartlett, do do.
 Brig Lord Ravensworth, Newman, Sunderland, Heath & Co.
 Brig Robert, McBean, St. John, N. B. do.
 Ship Providence, Brown, London, Chapman & Co.
 Sch. Mary, Bourbon, Ristigouche, Gilmour & Co.
 Sch. Dolphin, Lindsay, Miramichi, do.
 Brig Ocean Belle, Robinson, Sunderland, do.
 Brig Ann, Strong, Dougal, LeMessurier & Co.
 Brig St. Patrick, Molloy, Galway, do.
 Brig Horatio, Irving, Belfast, W. Newton.
 Brig Prince George, Macfarlane, Leith, Rodger, Dean & Co.

28th.
 Bark Blessing, Gibson, London, H. J. Caldwell.
 Brig Perseverance, Stepany, Fortsnouth, LeMessurier & Co.
 Brig Ocean, Robinson, London, Price & Co.
 Bark Mary, Owen, Liverpool, Sharples & Co.
 Bark Ouse, Williams, Lynn, Pemberton.
 Brig Oscar, Field, Bridport, Chapman & Co.
 Bark Jean Baptiste, Gellatly, Glasgow, Laurie & Burns.

MEMORANDA.
 Captain Caldwell, of the Schooner Phoenix, arrived on Saturday, says that a ship is wrecked at the entrance of the Bay de Chaleur, and it is feared that the master, mate, and 43 of the crew and passengers are lost—9 only saved. This melancholy accident occurred about twelve days since. Captain Ray, of the Schooner Albion, arrived yesterday morning, reports that he heard that the ship lost at the entrance of the Bay de Chaleur is a new ship, from London, and that she was built in Montreal.

We are afraid that the above vessel is the *Colborne*, Captain Kent, which sailed from London for Quebec on the 30th August, with a general cargo for Montreal, and the last from that place this season. The *Colborne* was built at Montreal last winter.

DIED.

On Sunday morning, after a severe illness, Marsden, youngest daughter of Mr. Daniel McDonald, of this city.

AUCTION SALES.

UNDERWRITERS' SALE.

Will be Sold, THIS DAY, at TWO o'clock, on the Wellington Wharf, for the benefit of whom it may concern;—

A LOT of Sheet Copper, } Landed from the
 and 2 Hawsers, } Ship *Catharine*.

—ALSO— }
 100 bags Ship Bread, 50 do. Cabin biscuit,
 THOS. HAMILTON.

SUGAR, TEA, COFFEE, RICE, FRUIT, TOBACCO, &c.

Will be sold, THIS DAY, Tuesday, the 30th instant, at the Stores of JOHN YOUNG, Esq., Goudie's Wharf:—

The Sale to take place positively without reference to the weather.
 36 BOXES Young Hyson, } Tea.
 56 catty boxes do, }
 13 chests } Souchong,
 48 boxes }
 6 tierces Rice,
 13 kegs and 10 half kegs Plug Tobacco,
 20,000 Cigars,
 24 barrels roasted Coffee,
 25 do. Java do. superior quality,
 220 do. Upper Canada Apples, Greenings,
 10 boxes Pine Apple Cheese,
 20 barrels Spirit Turpentine,
 25 baskets Champagne, *de Von Buren brand*,
 30 kegs Grapes,
 40 boxes Bunch Raisins, } Crop 1838.
 20 Jasks Muscovado Sugar,
 Sale at TWO o'clock,
 P. SHEPPARD, A. & B.

MORNING SALE.

Will be sold To-morrow, WEDNESDAY, the 31st inst., at the Stores of Messrs, J. H. JOSEPH & Co. on the Napoleon Wharf, at TEN o'clock precisely:—

16 HDSS. U. C. Leaf Tobacco,
 30 Kegs, 9 half Kegs Plug do.,
 20 Boxes Cavendish, do.,
 25 Kegs Snuff,
 9 Jars Maccabe do.,
 20 Boxes Pipes,
 Also, to close Consignments:—
 20 Cases old brown Sherry, 3 doz.
 5 Hbls. superior Hollands, each
 96 Kegs Butter,
 20 bbls. Blistered Steel,
 20 doz. Frying Pans,
 15 Bags of E. I. Sugar,
 A. J. MAXHAM.

SADDLERY.

THE Subscriber begs to inform his Friends and the public generally that he has received per *Joseph*, a large assortment of goods in his line, among which are—

Whips of all sorts and patterns; Japanese Steel, Portable Box, and other Spurs, Harness Mountings of the latest patterns, Hussar and Hunting Saddles, Horse Clothing, Blanket Rugs, Patent and Harness Leather, &c., &c. All of which he offers for sale on very moderate terms. Also, Portmanteaus, Valises, Carpet Bags, &c.

J. E. OLIVER,
 2, Fabrique Street.

PALACE WARD.

Department of Lord Durham.

A GREEBLY in Resolution of the Executive Committee of Palace Ward, the Members and all other LOYAL SUBJECTS, who may be pleased to associate with them, are invited to meet at the ALBION HOTEL, on THURSDAY, 1st November, and join in the Procession, as part of the escort of the Earl of Durham on his departure from Quebec.

Appropriate Flags and Banners will be provided for the occasion.
 By appointment,
 JAMES THOM,
 20th October. Secy. pro temp.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

ROBERT CAIRNS,

MERCHANT TAILOR,
 20, MOUNTAIN STREET.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has received per the *Vicforth*, and *Eleutheria*, a select assortment of articles in his line, comprising some of the best superfine Milled and Pilot Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings ever imported; Regulation Swords, Belts, Sashes, and Military Gloves, Staff and Navy Lace, Braid, Department Buttons, &c. &c.
 23rd October.

FOR SALE.

THIRTEEN Hogheads superior U.C. Leaf Tobacco,
 100 Catty Boxes Young Hyson } Tea.
 10 Chests Souchong }
 10 Half Chests do. }
 2 Boxes Pouchong }
 —ALSO— }
 Pork—Mess, Prime Mess and Prime.
 And daily expected,
 16 hbls. Gallipoli Oil.

HENDERSONS & CO.

25th October. St. Peter Street.

FURS.

W. ASHTON & Co.
 3, MOUNTAIN STREET, NEXT DOOR TO PRIBBOTT GATE,

HAVE MANUFACTURED throughout the summer, and now offer for sale a stock of

LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S FURS, which for neatness of style and quality of materials they feel proud to offer for competition.

Their having for some years past secured, during the summer season, probably the best Hat Trade in the Province, enables them to underbid any house depending on the winter trade for twelve months' support; this, together with the advantages they have over every other furriers in this city by importing their own material direct, are the only hints they think necessary to drop.

All description of Furs made to order, and returnable if not approved of.

In repairing any article, or altering it to the present fashion, W. A. & Co. pledge themselves that their charges will be on the most moderate scale, and will forfeit the value of any article when promised to be done at a certain time, in which they may be a single hour's want of PUNCTUALITY.

NO SECOND PRICE.
 Quebec, 29th Sept. 1838.

THE Subscriber has just received a large supply of the following celebrated Medicines, viz:—

OLDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA, HAY'S LINIMENT for Piles, Rheumatism, &c. HEADACHE REMEDY.

—ALSO—
 A fresh supply of MOFFATT'S LIFE PILLS and PHENIX BITTERS.

BEGG & URQUHART,
 13, St. John Street, and
 8, Notre Dame St., L. T.

29th October.

THE FAMOUS BRITISH LUSTRE FOR BEAUTIFYING STOVES, GRATES, &c. &c.—A small Lot for Sale; apply in time To P. GRACE & CO.

25th October.

JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER, NO. 1, FABRIQUE STREET,
 SUPERIOR SILVERED BLACK LEAD, for Stoves, &c.

W. LECHEMINANT.
 9th October, 1838.

OLD ESTABLISHED STAND,
 No. 4, FABRIQUE STREET,

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, (Military and Civil), in Quebec and vicinity, that he has opened the above concern with an extensive and carefully selected stock, all purchased from the best houses in England within the last three months, and on such terms as will permit them being sold at very low prices for CASH.

The Walking and Evening Dresses, Shawls, Scarfs, and other Fancy Goods, are the newest styles and fine qualities.

The assortment of Irish Linens, Shirts, Docks, Buckskins, Pilot Cloths, Wool Vests and Pantalons, Mullers, Overalls, Gloves, &c. &c. are large and good.

The Carpets are a very choice selection.
 A. MACNIDER.

Quebec, 22nd Oct. 1838.

FOR SALE,

BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,
 SIX HUNDRED MINOTS PEAS,

50 cwt. Ship Biscuit,
 20 bbls. Poston Crackers,
 50 kegs Butter,
 30 cases Salad Oil,
 40 casks Hull Cement,
 Green and Blue Paint.

CREELMAN & LEPPER.



THE Subscribers having just received from England a variety of materials for WINTER & SUMMER CARRIAGES, UNDER the personal inspection of Mr. J. SAURIN, from the first houses in London and Birmingham, are enabled to execute their work in better style, and much cheaper than any other house in Canada.

SAURIN & CO.
 Quebec, 29th Sept. 1838. Coachbuilders

BROWN'S
 CHEAP CLOTHING AND GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHES CLEANING ESTABLISHMENT,
 No. 9, outside St. John's Street Gate.

Cast off Clothes bought, sold, or exchanged for new, and money advanced on goods given in full sale.
 Quebec, 28th July, 1838.

JAMES S. MILLER,
 Commercial Buildings, St. Peter Street.
 Quebec, 18th Sept. 1838.

NEW GROCERY STORE,
 CORNER OF PALACE & JOHN STREETS.
 H. J. JAMESON,

RESPECTFULLY announces that he has commenced business in the above house, where he has on hand a choice selection of WINES and other LIQUEURS, TEAS, SUGAR, COFFEE, and all other articles usually connected in his line, and will dispose of them for the lowest possible profit, and by a strict attention to all orders which may be favoured with, he trusts to merit a share of public patronage.

N. B.—For Sale, at very reduced prices, 35 dozen of superior London Particular O.L.P. and O. L. P. T., warranted eleven years in bottle.
 Quebec, Sept. 1838.

GROCERY STORE.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to his friends and the public, for the liberal support he has received since he commenced business, most respectfully intimates that he has constantly on hand a choice assortment of Wines, Spirituous Liquors, Groceries, &c. all of the best quality.

JOHN JOHNSTON,
 Corner of the Upper Town Market Place
 Opposite the Gate of the Jesuits' Barracks.

BUSTS OF THE QUEEN.

A T the request of several friends, a mould has been made from a true likeness of HER MAJESTY QUEEN VICTORIA,

just arrived from Liverpool; and a few BUSTS are now finished and for sale at the stores of M'KENZIE & BOWLES,
 St. John Street.

ALSO,
 A handsome PEDESTAL, which will answer either for this or other figures to stand on.
 Quebec, 2nd October, 1838.

WILLIAM BURKE,
 BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER,
 No. 15, Fabrique Street,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has received from London a choice assortment of articles in his line, among which are black Buck and curried Goat Skins, of a superior quality, for Gentlemen's Summer Boots, which will be made up in the first style, and on the shortest notice.
 Quebec, 31st May, 1838.

MUSSON & SAVAGE,
CHEMISTS & DRUGGISTS,
UPPER TOWN,
HAVE just received a supply of **MOF-FAT'S LIFE PILLS & PHENIX BITTERS.**
Quebec, 10th Aug. 1838.

PILES, &c.
HÆMORRHOIDS—NO CURE NO PAY!
Price \$1—Hays Liniment—No Fiction.

THIS extraordinary chemical composition, the result of science and the invention of a celebrated medical man, the introduction of which to the public was invented with the solemnity of a death-bed bequest, has since gained a reputation unparalleled, fully sustaining the correctness of the lamented Dr. Gridley's last confession, that "he dared not die without giving to posterity the benefit of his knowledge on this subject," and he therefore bequeathed to his friend and attendant, Solomon Hays, the secret of his discovery.

It is now used in the principal hospitals and the private practice in our country, first and most certainly for the cure of the Piles, and also so extensively and effectually as to baffled credulity, unless where its effects are witnessed externally in the following complaints:—
For Dropsy—Creating extraordinary absorption at once.

All Swellings—Reducing them in a few hours.

Rheumatism—Acute or Chronic, giving quick ease.

Sore Throat—By cancers, ulcers or colds. Croup and Whooping Cough—Externally, and over the chest.

All Bruises, Sprains and Burns—Curing in a few hours.

Sores and Ulcers—Whether fresh or long standing, and fever sores.

Its operations upon adults and children in reducing rheumatic swellings, and loosening coughs, and tightness of the chest by relaxation of the parts has been surprising beyond conception. The common remark of those who have used it in the Pills, is "it acts like a charm."

THE PILLS.—The price \$1 is refunded to any one who will use a bottle of Hays' Liniment for the Piles, and return the empty bottle without being cured. These are the positive orders of the proprietor to the Agents, and out of the many thousands sold, not one has been unsuccessful.

We might insert certificates to any length, but prefer that those who sell the article should exhibit the original to purchasers.

CAUTION—None can be genuine without a splendid engraved wrapper, on which is my name, and also that of the Agents.

L. I. SIMS,
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
BEGG & URQUHART.

Quebec, 29th Sept. 1838.

RECENTLY RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,
SALMON, in hardwood Tierces and Barrels.

Dry Codfish; and Cod and Seal Oil, in Barrels.

EBENEZER BAIRD,
Quebec, 6th Oct. 1838.

SUPERIOR
INDIA RUBBER SHOES.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE ABOVE, just received, and for sale

MUSSON & SAVAGE,
Chemists

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LADIES' Gentsmen's, and Children's **INDIA RUBBER SHOES,** of the best quality.

FREDK. WYSE,

No. 3, Palace Street, opposite the Albion Hotel, Upper Town, and the foot of Mountain Street, near the Neptune Inn, Lower Town.

Quebec, 25th Sept. 1838.

MADEIRA WINE.
A FEW CASKS Howard, March & Co.'s **MADEIRA WINE**—price £70 per pipe of 110 gallons—for sale by

JOHN GORDON & CO.
St. Paul Street.

Quebec, May, 1838.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER.
A FEW barrels superfine Flour, (Walled Canal Mills.) Ship, Pilot, Cabin and Navy Biscuit, Crackers and Water Biscuit.
A. GLASS,
1, St. Peter St.
Quebec, 13th October, 1838.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS:
JUST RECEIVED,
Per Brig "Robert," from Jamaica,
81 PUNCHEONS Jamaica Rum, superior flavour and good strength.
41 Casks 5 Hhds. Fair Sugar.
258 Quarter Boxes very superior "Cuba" Cigars.
WM. PRICE & CO.
Quebec, 17th Oct. 1838.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

(RUE SOUS-LE-FORT—QUEBEC.)

GEORGE ARNOLD, PROPRIETOR.

IS now open for the reception of visitors. The situation and accommodation of the premises combine advantages unequalled by any similar establishment in Quebec, and unsurpassed in the Canadas. The arrangements have been made under the immediate superintendance of the proprietor, and as the business will be conducted by himself personally, every attention will be ensured to those who may favor him with their visits. To those gentlemen in particular who are connected with the business of the port, the situation of the premises, in the direct vicinity of the Steam-Boat Wharves, and Custom House, offers great advantages; and to the public in general, the arrangements of the establishment are such as to present every convenience. On the ground floor are an extensive, Saloon and Reading Room. On the first floor are two spacious rooms, which by means of folding doors between, may, whenever required, be converted into one magnificent apartment of 70 feet by 32 feet, and 15 feet high; a dimension which renders it a most eligible place for meetings, &c. The numerous apartments contained in the three upper stories are fitted up for the accommodation of families and individuals. A spacious gallery on the roof commands a splendid view of the harbour of Quebec and the surrounding country.

The Wines and other liquors of the establishment will be of the first order; refreshments of all kinds may be had throughout the day; and it will be the study of the proprietor in providing for his guests to combine moderate charges, and superior accommodation.

GEO. ARNOLD,

NOTE.—Lumber Merchants and others connected with that branch of commerce, will meet with every accommodation and attention, at the above establishment, the proprietor having for many years past had an extensive acquaintance with parties in that line, from the Upper Province and the United States.

PILES, DROPSY, SWELLINGS, ALL SORES, RHEUMATISM. It is absolutely asserted on the most positive proof that the above complaints are arrested and cured by the timely use of Hays' Liniment. It is impossible to find room in this paper to present those proofs which are conclusive and convincing. They may be seen at length as below.

The true article has a splendid engraved wrapper with agents' and proprietor's name, and may be had of

L. I. SIMS,
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
BEGG & URQUHART.

Quebec, Sept. 1838.

HEADACHE.

DR. E. SPOHN, a German physician of much note, having devoted his attention for some years to the cure and removal of the causes of **NERVOUS AND SICK HEADACHE,** has the satisfaction to make known, that he has a remedy which by removing the causes cures effectually and permanently this distressing complaint. There are many families who have considered Sick Headache a constitutional incurable family complaint. Dr. S. assures them that they are mistaken, and labouring under distress which they might not only alleviate, but actually eradicate by the use of his remedy. It is the result of scientific research, and is entirely of a different character from advertised patent medicine, and is not unpleasant to the taste. To be had of

L. I. SIMS,
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
BEGG & URQUHART.

Sept. 1838.

DR. BRANDETH requests a perusal of the following article:—

LIFE AND DEATH,

Every thing has two distinct principles to its nature; one

THE PRINCIPLE OF LIFE

THE OTHER

THE PRINCIPLE OF DEATH.

So long as the principal of Life predominates, Health is enjoyed. When the principle of Death, Sickness takes place. How is this accounted for?

By the principle of Death, I mean the principle of decomposition or decay, which is each hour going on in the human frame from the hour of birth, to that of our final exit. While the natural outlets—the pores—the bowels—and all other directories of the body, discharge these decayed particles as fast as they are generated, we are in a state of health; we are free from the presence of the disease.

When, from breathing an impure atmosphere, living in a vicinity of swamps, or where we are in the constant habit of coming in contact with bad smells—effluvia arising from obnoxious accumulations of animal or vegetable bodies in a state of putridity, being infected from a living body under the influence of disease in a malignant state; or, secondary occupations; or, in short, any cause which promotes decomposition faster than the stomach and bowels and the other excretories can remove, naturally; we are then in a state of disease. And should the cause which produces this state of the body remain, and nothing be done to drive the accumulated and accumulating impurities out of the body, the principle of death or decomposition, will become paramount, and the last glimmering of life depart from the once animated clay.

How then, shall we counteract these death dispensing influences? How?

PURGE!—Yes—I say Purge!

The magic in that word shall yet be understood, if this hand or brain can accomplish so mighty an explanation. Yes, purged be that pain in the head, the back, the bowels, the foot, the stomach, the side, the throat. Does it arise from internal or external cause,—I still say purge!—For know this self-evident truth, that pain cannot exist, save by the presence of some impurity—some deposit of decomposed particles upon the organ or part where the pain is seated. And purging discharges this impurity by the bowels, and continuing the practice daily will cure every complication of disease; and will prevent any one from becoming seriously indisposed; even when in constant contact with the most malignant fevers which cannot by possibility seriously affect the body, if we are continually careful to preserve it in a pure state, by frequent and effectual purgation. Hippocrates says, "Purgation expulses what must be expelled, and patients find relief; if, on the contrary, they are tormented by purgation, it is a proof there are yet matters which must be expelled."

The subscriber of this has resided in every variety of climate, and by always purging on the first appearance of sickness, has enjoyed for the last ten years, uninterrupted health. For we may call such the state of him who is never sick more than 6 or 8 hours, about the time it takes to secure the effect of a purgative. The purgative I make use of is my grandfather's pills, and they are, to my certain knowledge, the most judiciously balanced purge in existence. I have used them for 8 months daily, in doses of from 2 to 16 pills per day, to satisfy myself as to their innocence. It therefore, cannot be doubted. It is my opinion, that any person, be he ever so prostrated by disease, provided he is capable of taking exercise at all, may lengthen his life to 60 years, by continuing to assist his natural functions with the **BRANDETH VEGETABLE PILLS.** Death never can take place until the Principle of Decomposition puts out the lamp of life. And that would seldom be before 60 or 70 years, was this principle of purgation always resorted to on the first appearance of sickness.

In the hope that these remarks may be of some service, I am the public's obedient servant,

D. BRANDETH, M. D.

Great caution is required to procure the genuine Brande'th Pills. Druggists and Chemists are never in any place appointed Agents by Dr. B. All his

authorised Agents have an engraved certificate of agency, signed by himself; unless this certificate can be shown, do not purchase. This caution is absolutely necessary to guard the public against spurious Pills.

DR. BRANDETH'S PILLS

CAN BE OBTAINED GENUINE OF

FREDERICK WYSE,

No. 3, Palace Street, Upper Town, Foot of Mountain Street, Lower Town,

Who is the only authorised Agent for Quebec.

Dr. B.'s principal office, 241, Broadway, New York.

Quebec, 29th Sept. 1838.

BALDNESS.

A BEAUTIFUL HEAD OF HAIR is the grandest ornament belonging to the human frame. How strangely the loss of it changes the countenance, and prematurely brings on the appearance of old age, which causes many to recoil at being over-aged, and sometimes even shun society to avoid the jests and sneers of their acquaintances; the remainder of their lives consequently spent in retirement. In short, not ever the loss of property fills the generous thinking youth, with that heavy sinking gloom as does the loss of his hair.—To avert all these unpleasant circumstances, **OLDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA** stops the hair from falling off on the first application and a few bottles restores it again. It likewise produces eyebrows and whiskers; prevents the hair from turning gray, makes it curl beautifully, and frees it from scurf. Numerous certificates of the first respectability in support of the virtues of Oldridge's Balm are shown by the proprietors.

Read the following:

ROBERT WHARTON, Esquire, late Mayor of Philadelphia, has certified, as may be seen below, to the high character of the following gentleman:

The undersigned do hereby certify that we have used the Balm of Columbia discovered by J. Oldridge, and have found it highly serviceable not only as a preventative against the falling off of hair, but also a certain restorative.

WM. THATCHER, sen.

Methodist Minister in St. George charge,

No. 88 North Fifth st.

JOHN P. INGLISH, 334 Arch st.

JOHN D. THOMAS, M. D. 163 Race st.

JOHN S. FURRY, 101 Spruce st.

HUGH MCCURRY, 243 South 7th st.

JOHN GARD, Jr., 123 Arch st.

It will certainly raise its virtues in the estimation of the public, when it is known that three of the above signers are more than 50 years of age, and the others not less than 30.

From the Mayor,

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
City of Philadelphia.

I, ROBERT WHARTON, Mayor of said city of Philadelphia, do hereby certify that I am well acquainted with Messrs. J. P. Inghish, John S. Furry, and Hugh McCurry, whose names are signed to the above certificate, that they are gentlemen of character and respectability, and as such, full credit should be given to the said certificate.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the city to be affixed, this sixth day of December, &c.

[L. S.] **ROBERT WHARTON,** Mayor.

CAUTION.—Observe that each bottle of the genuine Balm has a splendid engraved wrapper, on which is represented the Falls of Niagara, the agent's name, &c.

Sold wholesale and retail by

J. J. SIMS,

MUSSON & SAVAGE,

BEGG & URQUHART.

Quebec, 8 pt. 1-30.

SWAIM'S

CELEBRATED PANACEA.

AN invaluable remedy for Rheumatism, Sciaticisms, and Ulcerous Diseases, and all disorders arising from an impure state of the blood, for sale by

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Chemists and Druggists

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