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THE GARLAND.

THE POET'S BRIDAL-DAY SONG.

O! my love's like the steadfast sun, Or streams that deepen as they run; Nor hazy hairs, nor forty years, Nor moments between sighs and tears, Nor nights of thought, nor days of pain, Nor dreams of glory dreamed in vain, Nor mirth, nor sweetest song which flows To sober joys and softer woes, Can make my heart or fancy free One moment, my sweet wife, from thee.

STANZAS.

FROM THE PIPE HERALD. On yes! I often think of her, And of our bridal day; The village maid was all an air With hearts, like Nature, gay; 'Twas then the merry month of June, And balmy blew the breeze; The little birds were all in tune, And leafy were the trees.

THE MISCELLANEOUS.

AHMED THE COBBLER. In the great city of Isfahan, lived Ahmed the cobbler, an honest and industrious man, whose wish was to pass through life quietly; and he might have done so, had he not married a handsome wife, who, although she had descended to accept of him as a husband, was far from being contented with his humble sphere of life.

Ahmed, and asked what was the matter. "Don't you know Ahmed the cobbler?" said one of the bystanders, laughing; "he has been inspired, and is become an astrologer." A drowning man will catch at a broken reed; the Jeweller no sooner heard the sound of the word astrologer, than he went up to Ahmed, told him what had happened, and said, "If you understand your art, you must be able to discover the king's ruby. Do so, and I will give you two hundred pieces of gold, and if you do not succeed within six hours, I will, at my influence at court to have you put to death as an impostor."

"The same art!" replied Ahmed. "Foolish man! I don't know that I have an art, and that I have only pretended to it for the sake of pleasing thee. But I have sufficient skill to gain forty days, during which time we may easily escape to some other city, and, with the money I now possess, and the aid of my former occupation, we may still obtain an honest livelihood." "The same art!" repeated his lady, with scorn. "Will thy cobbling, thou wretch, enable me to go to the Emperor like the wife of the chief astrologer? Hear me, Ahmed! Think only of discovering the king's treasure. Thou hast just as good a chance of doing so, as thou hast of finding the ruby. In all events, I am determined thou shalt not escape; and shouldst thou attempt to run away, I will inform the king's officers, and have thee taken up and put to death, even before the forty days are expired."

The ruins of the old Himmam. There, casting his eye toward heaven, Ahmed muttered some words, which were supposed by the spectators to be magical conjurations, but which were, in reality, the prayer, and thanksgiving of a sincere and pious heart to God, for his wonderful deliverance. When his prayer was finished, he pointed to the southern wall, and requested that his majesty would order his attendants to dig there. The work was hardly begun, when the whole party formed. The wheel of fortune had taken a complete turn. The morning had found Ahmed in a wretched hotel, rising from a sorry bed, in the expectation of losing his life; in the evening, he was lord of a rich palace, and married to the only daughter of a powerful king. But this change did not alter his character. As he had been meek and humble in adversity, he was modest and gentle in prosperity. Conscious of his own ignorance, he continued to ascribe his good fortune solely to the favour of Providence. He became daily more attached to the beautiful princess whom he had married; and he could not help contrasting her character with that of his former wife, who he had divorced, and of whose unreasonable and unfeeling vanity he was now fully sensible.

said the farmer, coming upon him as he mounted the wall. "Bock again," cried Sawney, retreating with all possible expedition.—Ulster Sentinel.

THE GRAVE OF WASHINGTON'S MOTHER.—A writer in the Richmond Visitor and Telegraph, in speaking of the grave of the mother of Washington, near Fredericksburgh, says it is in a dreary, deserted, solitary field; that the mound of earth that was originally raised over her sacred remains, is now washed away, and not a stone—not the least fragment of human art—tells where she lies.

CONSCIENCE.—From the Broken Bow, one of a series of tales just published by Mrs. Cadrick, we copy the following forcible description of that internal monitor, which is justly designated as the empire of the Deity. "Conscience is the divinest gift of God to man—it is that which ever speaks, if man would listen, of our omnipotent Deity. It is not the raging of the ocean, storm, nor the terrific fury of a tornado, nor the fiery billow of the lava from its molten furnace; it is none of these that speak terror to the heart of man, but the spirit that inhabits that man, these are the avenging forms of an offended God.—Conscience! it is the consciousness, deeply implanted in the soul, of the existence of the unsearchable presence of a Superior Being; and its upbraidings are the torments, the self-abnegation, and the confusion of one who knows himself to be standing before a justly offended Judge.—Let a man have sickness, and sorrow, and scorn, and shame of face, and poverty and exile, every evil that can be poured out of the vials of wrath upon suffering humanity, and he may bear all with patience, save the horrors, the undying horrors of a reproving conscience."

THE FEMALE HEART.—The female heart may be compared to a garden, when cultivated presents a profusion of flowers and flowers, to regulate the soul and delight the eye; but when neglected, producing a crop of the most noxious weeds, large and rank, because their growth is in proportion to the warmth and richness of the soil from which they spring. Then let this ground be faithfully cultivated; let the mind of the young female be stored with useful knowledge, and the influence of woman, though undiminished in power, will be like "the diamonds of the desert" sparkling and pure, whether surrounded by the sands of desolation, forgotten and unknown, or pouring its refreshing streams through every avenue of the social and moral fabric.

"Whoever shall review his life, will find that the whole tenor of his conduct has been determined by some accident of no apparent moment."—Johnson.

"Fight against your spleen, I know how fast that sly enemy will creep into the mind and body of man, and what cursed work he will make when he is there!"—Bolingbroke.

"To make a man happy, virtue must be accompanied with at least a moderate provision of all the creature comforts of life, and a cheerful disposition."—Milton.

THE REFLECTOR.

RETROSPECTION.—Come and let us muse on days that have past; days, whose remembrance may awaken thoughts, melancholy and sad; yet, days which we love to view through the vista of memory. Transported by fancy to the scenes of our childhood, how delightful is retrospection! There we gaze at each playful humour of our youth—each innocent pastime of our boyhood.—We think of the friends who joined in our sports—the parents who promoted our enjoyment.—We wander through the same woods consecrated to friendship—through the same avenues sacred to youthful romance.—We listen to the rustling murmurings of the foliage of the forest—to the purring of the shrub stream, upon whose banks we formerly rioted in unalloyed pleasure, till we almost fancy those days to have returned with all their joyous gladsome hours.

But memory also brings with it a feeling of pensive sadness, when she reminds us that there have passed away, and with them the companions of our social glees. Then all is bright with hope; the heart was joyous and gay; the little troubles which a moment clouded our happiness, were soon forgotten; and the cares of the world were unknown and unregarded; but now we see hope lighted—former intimacies destroyed—and, where we imagined nothing but roses and flowers grew, but still we delight to think on the moments of bliss that have past; the friends that have become estranged, and the hearts that once were warm and dear.—We cherish their remembrance; and while we admire their virtues, almost forget that we are alienated and become as strangers.—Phil. Arist.

HOPE.—Oh, what is refreshing, so soothing, so satisfying as the placid joys of home! See the traveller. Does duty call him for a season to leave his beloved family? The image of his earthly happiness continues vividly in his remembrance; it quickens him to diligence; it cheers him under his difficulties; it makes him toil the hour which sees his purposes accomplished, and his face towards home; it commences as he journeys and hears the promise which causes him to hope.—"Thou shalt know also thy tabernacle shall be in peace, and thou shalt visit thy habitation and not grieve." Oh, the joyful reunion of a divided family! their pleasures of renewed interview and conversation after days of absence! Behold the man of science. He drops the labour and painfulness of research; closes his volume, smooths his wrinkled brow, leaves his study, and unbending himself, stoops to the capacities, yields to the wishes and mingles with the diversions of his children.

"He will not blush that has a father's heart To take in childish play, a childish part; But bends his sturdy back to any toy That youth takes pleasure in, to please his boy."

Take the man of trade. What reconciles him to the toil of business? What enables him to endure the fatigues and impertinence of customers? By and by, the season of intercourse will arrive; he will be embosomed in the caresses of his family; he will behold the desire of his eyes, and the children of his love, for whom he retains his ease; and in their welfare and smiles he will find his recompense. Yonder comes the labourer. He has borne the burden and the heat of the day; the descending sun has released him from his toil, and he is hastening home to enjoy repose. Half way down the lane, on the side of which stands the cottage, his children come to meet him; one he carries and one he leads. The companion of his humble life is ready to furnish him with his plain repast. See, his toil worn countenance assumes an air of cheerfulness; his hardships are forgotten; fatigue vanishes; he eats and is satisfied; the evening falls; he walks with uncovered head around his garden; enters again and retires to rest, "the rest of the laboring man is sweet, whether he eats little or much." Inhabitants of this lonely, lowly dwelling, who can be indifferent to thy comfort! Peace be to this house.

"Let not ambition mock thy useful toil, Thy homely joys and destiny obscure. Nor grandeur hear with a disdainful smile, The short and simple annals of the poor."

M. J. Parkinson

THE OBSERVER.

St. John, Tuesday, November 4, 1828.

and the continuation it would spread, especially in Asia. The final extinguishment of the Mahomedan power might thus also be forwarded.

RUSSIA AND GREAT-BRITAIN.

The question between the Imperial Majesty of Russia and the British Cabinet is empty of explanation and indemnity. For several centuries the British flag has been respected by the Ottoman Porte.

An Irish paper of the 23d September, has furnished us with some articles of intelligence from the theatre of war, which will be found under the appropriate head.

The worst anticipations of those who thought most meanly of the Constitutional cause and its supporters, continue to be fully realized.

Ireland continues to be greatly agitated by the much contested subject of Catholic Emancipation. A Protestant meeting was lately held in Kent, to consider the propriety and best means of expressing firm attachment to the Constitution.

Golden prospects for New-Brumswick.—The Timber cargoes of three St. John vessels, have experienced in Liverpool a rise of one penny per foot.

His WORSHIP the Mayor arrived from Frederickton, last evening, after having been sworn into Office by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Loss of the schooner Grampus, and two Children.—In consequence of the strong southerly gale on Tuesday, the schooner Grampus, Dorsey, from Little River.

Passengers in the Steam-boat St. John, on Thursday last: Lieut. Col. M'Donald, Rev. William Hunter, Messrs. Holland, Robert Crookshank, Hartford, George Murray, &c.

Major General Sir John Colborne, K. C. B. the successor of Sir Peregrine Maitland, in the Government of Upper Canada, arrived with his family in the Corinthian from London.

Mr. Merritt, the Agent of the Welland Canal Company, who arrived at New-York in the Napoleon from Liverpool, had the misfortune, while on his way to Canada, to break his thigh in two places.

THE SEASON.—The first marked frost this season followed the change of wind to the north-west on Monday evening last.

On Saturday evening last, by the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, Mr. William O. Smith, to Eliza B. eldest daughter of William Durant, Esq. of this City.

On Saturday morning, after a short but severe illness, Jane, only daughter of Mr. John Walker, aged 6 years and 6 months.

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WOOLLENS, &c.

The Subscriber requests the particular attention of the Public to a Consignment of WOOLLENS, just received:

YORKSHIRE Broad and Narrow CLOTHS and CASSIMERES; West of England Broad and Narrow CLOTHS and CASSIMERES—with a few Pieces of Elegant Superfine BLUES & BLACKS.

These GOODS will be sold on moderate terms for CASH, or approved Notes at 4 and 6 months.

SAMUEL STEPHEN, St. John, 4th November.

HAIR SEAL CAPS, GLOVES, &c.

THE Subscriber has just received from New York, an assortment of FUR CAPS, GLOVES, COLLARS, &c. which will be sold very low for CASH.

SAMUEL STEPHEN, Nov. 4.

FOR NEW-YORK, THE REGULAR PACKET BRIG HANFORD,

E. PIERCE, MASTER; Will sail for the above Port on THURSDAY MORNING next.

For Freight or Passage, having excellent accommodations, apply to the Master on board, or at the store of

W. & T. LEAVITT, North Market Wharf, Nov. 4.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER, THE FINE FAST SAILING SHIP BILLOW,

JAMES TITUS, Master; BIRTHEN per Register 65 Tons, carries a large Cargo, would take a Charter for any Port or Ports in the West-Indies.

Apply to the Master on board, lying at the South Market Wharf, November 4, 1828.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late DAVID OULIE, of this City, Mason, deceased, are requested to present the same to the Subscriber; and all persons indebted to said Estate, are required to make immediate payment to

GEORGE BURNS, Sole Administrator, St. John, Nov. 4th, 1828.

HAT AND FUR STORE, G. SEARS,

Has just received per JAS. & Henry Cumming, HIS FALL SUPPLY OF HATS,

Which he offers for Sale (as usual) at reduced prices, for CASH only—prompt payment!

ALSO:—A few Cases LADIES' BLACK and DRAB BEAVER BONNETTS,

OF THE LATEST FASHION, at 5s. 9d. and 10s. G. S. is daily expecting a supply of FUR CAPS, BONNETTS, MUFFS, TIPPETS, &c. &c. &c.

St. John, N. B. October 28th, 1828.

CHEAP SHOP, (North side of the Market-Square.)

MESSRS. LOWE & GROOCOCK, have imported per the Harmony, from London, and William, from Liverpool, the undermentioned extensive, fashionable and cheap assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable for the present season, which they offer for sale at lowest rates for prompt payment.

Superfine black, blue, olive & mix'd Broad Cloths; Drab, blue and olive Forest Cloths; Drab and blue Cassimeres; Drab and blue Kerseys; Black, blue, crimson, Waterfall, olive, brown, puce, ecru, and cytron HABIT CLOTHS; White and unbleached Cottons, all widths and qualities; Printed ditto; Lining ditto; [Lies; White and red Flannels; Twilled ditto; Green Baize; Ladies' black and slate worsted Hose; Drab silk ditto; Gentlemen's white and colored lambs' wool ditto; Ditto colored lambs' wool Socks; Children's ditto ditto; Ladies' and Gentlemen's black kid Gloves; Ditto ditto mix'd lambs' wool, white, scarlet and colored worsted Casings; Gentlemen's Backskin and Woodstock Gloves; Ladies' superior stuff Hats; do. Silk ditto; Scotch Plaids; blue and brown Cambrics; Irish Linens, of the best black and fabric; Coloured and black Norwich Crapes; do. do. Bombazines; 4-1 and 6 inch Italian Crapes; do. do. Pongee's Gauze; Bonnet and cap Ribbons, of the newest fashions; Black, white and colored Lustrating and Satin do.; A large assortment of colored Silks; Haberdashery of all descriptions; 4-4 Irish Poplins; Mill's best colored and white Stays; Green and purple Table Covers; Linen damask do.; Brown and black Hollands; Quilling and Cap Nets, figured and plain; 4-4 Scotch Carpet; Striped do.; Jean's and Nankeens; Book, jacket, mill and check Muslins; Drab, black and blue fine worsted Buttons; Plain and fancy gilt do.; ball do.; Cloak Clips; Artificial Flowers; Ladies' Caps; Blankets; Shawls; coloured and black Bombazines; Black and drab Beaver Bonnets; Black imitation Leghorn ditto; Black and drab Feathers; Stationery; Britannia Metal Tea and Coffee Pots; Knives; Scissors; Razors; Cork Screws, &c. &c. &c.

ALSO:—60 Dozen LONDON BROWN STOUT, 10 Crates well assorted EARTHENWARE, A few Sets elegant CHINA; 50 Kegs of NALLS, from 4d. to 20d.; With many other articles too numerous to mention.

250 Elegant London made Double and Single GUNS, with Apparatus complete; 50 Pair Percussion and Flint PISTOLS.

Received this day, per Ship James & Henry Cumming:—A few bales blue, olive, & drab 6-4 FLUSHINGS, and DRAB TROUSERS FOREST DITTO.

St. John, October 25, 1828.

NEW GOODS,

The Subscriber has received by the late ARRIVALS, his FALL SUPPLY OF BRITISH GOODS,

Which, together with his former Stock, will be sold at reduced prices for Cash payments.

October 7. JOHN SMYTH.

LONDON BUILT GIG.

FOR SALE.—A first rate London built GIG, with folding top and Morocco Lining; and Harness, complete. Enquire of

ALEXANDER YEATS, Saddler, 16th Sept. 1828. Market-Square.

AUCTION SALES.

MOULD CANDLES, &c. BY AUCTION.

TO-MORROW, (WEDNESDAY) At 11 o'Clock, By J. & H. KINNEAR,

In front of their Auction Room: 60 BOXES Mould CANDLES (sixes)

32 Ditto Ditto, (eights)

18 Ditto Ditto, (tens)

7 Barrels Fresh ORANGES, (twelves)

Just received per the James from Halifax.

—ALSO—Sundry BRITISH MERCHANDISE, A Lot of Brown STONE WARE, And a COOKING STOVE, (complete).

4th November.

FURNITURE—At Auction.

TO-MORROW, (WEDNESDAY) At 11 o'Clock, By KERR & RATCHFORD,

At Mrs. SCULLAR'S Brick House, occupied by Mr. ROBERT TAYLOR:

A QUANTITY of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of:—Bedsteads, Beds and Bedding; Mahogany Dining, Pembroke, and Card Tables; Chairs; Carpets; Looking Glasses; Secretary; a variety of KITCHEN FURNITURE, &c. &c.

4th November.

TO-MORROW, (WEDNESDAY) at 12 o'clock, Will be Sold by NICHOLSON & VERNON, on the premises:

A TWO story HOUSE, situated at York Point, between the properties of Jacob Snyder and Benjamin Miles.—Terms made known at the time of Sale, and possession given immediately.

4th November, 1828.

LADIES' PELISSE CLOTHS, BY AUCTION.

KERR & RATCHFORD, Will sell at their Auction Room,

ON FRIDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock: 50 PEDESTALS & Pelisse CLOTHS, of most fashionable colors and various qualities—at a Credit of 3 and 6 Months. WITHOUT RESERVE. Nov. 4.

To be sold by NICHOLSON & VERNON, at Mr. Welch's Long Room, on Wednesday the 12th day of November next, at 12 o'clock:—

ALL THE FURNITURE & PARAPHARNALIA of ALBION LODGE, NO. 52, consisting of—

PEDESTALS; Chairs; Tables with Moreen Covers; large and small COLUMNS; Rugs; Silk BANNERS; SILVER JEWELRY; Elegant Plated BRANCHES; Moreen CUSHIONS; a MINIATURE FLOORING; Large BIBLE and CUSHION; a Military SWORD, suitable for an Officer in the Militia, &c. &c. &c. October 28th, 1828.

GRENADA RUM.

The Subscribers have on hand:—25 PUNS, very superior flavoured and high proof GRENADA RUM, which they offer very low for prompt payment.

Oct. 28. KERR & RATCHFORD.

RUM.

The Subscriber has just received per Brig CHARLES, from Jamaica:—

A FEW Puncheons high proof and good flavoured RUM;

4 Tierces superior COFFEE; and, 80 Cow HIDES;

Which he will sell low for approved payment. GEORGE D. ROBINSON, 21st October, 1828.

PHILADELPHIA FLOUR.

Now landing ex Scl'r ELIZA-JANE, 100 BLS. Superior FLOUR, new, 50 Do. Fine & Middlings, 70 Ditto RYE Ditto, 100 Ditto CORN MEAL, Which will be sold low for Cash—part in Bond if required.

Sept. 30. KERR & RATCHFORD.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late HON. JOHN ROBINSON, deceased, are requested to present the same to the Subscriber; and all persons indebted to said Estate, are required to make immediate payment to

W. H. ROBINSON, Successor of BEVERLEY ROBINSON, Esq. St. John, N. B. 25th October, 1828.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of JOHN ST. CLAIR BLACK, late of Digby, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested; within thirty days from the date hereof; and all those indebted, are desired to make immediate payment to the Subscriber.

JOSEPH YOUNG, Administrator. Digby, N. S. Oct. 21, 1828.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Accounts or Demands against His Excellency Sir HOWARD DOUGLASS, are requested to send them in for payment.

Government House, St. John, 10th September, 1828.

WILL BE PUT TO PRESS.

As soon as a sufficient number of Subscribers can be procured, to defray the expense of Publication. (PRICE NOT TO EXCEED ONE DOLLAR.)

FORMS OF PRAYER.

Adapted for Social Worship, Sunday Schools, Family Religion, and Seasons of Affliction and Death.

By GEORGE BURNS, D. D. The work will be in 12mo. long paper, good paper and consist of at least 200 pages.

Copies of the Prospectus have been left at the Stores of Messrs. McKENZIE & TRUDELL, Market-square; Mr. GEORGE THOMSON, and Mr. SMITH, Stephen, St. John-street; Mr. JOHN ROBERTSON, North Market Wharf; Mr. JOHN McMILLAN, Book-seller, Prince William-street; and Messrs. WALKER & MACARA, Surgeons & Druggists, Market-Square.

BLANKS

Of various kinds for sale at this office.

NEW GOODS. The Subscriber has received by the late Arrivals from GREAT-BRITAIN & IRELAND: 500 P MUSLINS, 100 Pieces Book Muslins—plain and tanned, 50 Ditto Cotton Checks, 100 Pieces Broad Cloths, Naps & Coatings, White Jeans, Dimity's, and Bombazettes, Cambrics, & Carlisle-Ginghams & Sattinetts, Black Silk, and Cotton Velvets, Tamboured double Jaconet & Lace Collars, Babesta and Verona Handkerchiefs, Sarnett Calicos, black, book & foundation Muslins, Imitation Cambrics, Crapes & other Shawls, Black Barcelona & Bandana Handkfs., Norwich Crapes, Japan & Book Handkfs., Lindsey Woolsey and Honespuns, Black and light dye Sewing Silks, Coarse Wrappers, 20 cut 2 and 3 Hank Cotton, ALSO—ON CONSIGNMENT: Eight boxes Irish LINENS—assorted. A large lot of FLANNELS are daily expected. The above articles, with his stock on hand, will be sold on the most moderate terms. September 30. MATTHEW DELAP.

CHEAP SHOP. (NORTH SIDE OF THE MARKET-SQUARE.) MESSRS. LOWE & GROOCCOCK, apprise the inhabitants of the City and County of St. John, that in addition to their former extensive and fashionable STOCK OF DRY GOODS, they have imported per the William, from Liverpool, the undermentioned Articles; which, having been all purchased for Cash, and personally selected by Mr. Groocock, from the London, Manchester, and Scotch Markets, will be sold on the very lowest terms for prompt payment: Bales of Pelisse and Habut CLOTHS: White and unbleached Cottons; Monkey and Pea Jackets; White Flannels; Black and blue Worsted Hose; Rob Roy Plaid and Angola Cloaks; Cases of Beaver Bonnets; Black imitation Leghorn do.; (Muslin; Book, mull, medium, jaconet, and cambric; Scotch Plaids and Cambrics; Superfine water-proof, silk and stuff Hats; Black Bonnetcases; Colored and black Norwich Crapes; Colored, white and black Cotton Balls and Reels; Tapes of all widths and qualities; Threads; Stem and ball worsted Stay Laces; Ribbons; Ferrets; Bonnet Wire; Needles; Flax; shirt Buttons; Cotton, silk, Cashmere and other Shawls; A large variety of gauze and silk Handkerchiefs; Green and purple Table Covers; Towels; Cotton, for linings; Blue striped and checked Homespuns; Bed Lace; Worsted and cotton Bindings; Ladies', children's and men's Gloves; Table Damask; brown Holland; Irish Linens; Flannels and Druggets; cap, belt and bonnet Satin; Sarinet and Bunting; Gallons and shoe Ribbons; Quilting and cap Nets, figured and plain; 4-4 Hair Carpet; Jeans and Nankeens; drab, black, and blue silk Buttons; Book Muslin and other Handkerchiefs; Fig'd and plain Leno; men's and children's Socks; Girls' and women's cotton and worsted Stockings; Crates of EARTHENWARE and CHINA. Also, per the Harmony, from London: A large assortment of HABERDASHERY, of all descriptions; black and gold BOMBAZETTS; Best bottled London BROWN STOUT; STATIONERY, &c. &c. October 7.

NEW GOODS. Per CANILLA from CLYDE, and WILLIAM from LIVERPOOL, the Subscriber has received the following ARTICLES, viz: 3 BALES red, white & yellow FLANNELS; 1 do. green Baize; 15 do brown and white Shirtings & Sheetings; trunks well assorted Prints and Furniture COTTONS; bales Homespuns, Checks, Ginghams, and Stripes; 2 trunks Britannia Handkerchiefs—Boxes GLASS; Bhd. LOAF SUGAR; Boxes SOAP, &c.—All of which will be sold very low for approved payment. Sept. 30. GEO. D. ROBINSON. ROBERT CHESTNUT & CO. Have received per late Arrivals:— 50 B FLOUR, fit for family use; 50 Ditto ditto RYE ditto; 20 Ditto ditto NAVY BREAD. IN STORE— 3000 B BUSHELS fine Turke Island and Liverpool SALT; a few Puncheons fine flavoured St. Vincent RUM; Sugar; Coffee; Rice, by the barrel; Smoked Salmon, by the box; Smoked and Pickled Herrings, of superior quality; Pitch and Tar.—With a general assortment of Clothing, Groceries & Liquors. All of which they will dispose of very low for Cash, or approved Credit, at their Store in St. John-street, nearly abreast of Peters' wharf. St. John, July 29.

JULY 5, 1828. The Subscriber has for Sale at this date: JAMAICA, Demerara, and W. I. RUM, Sugar, Coffee, Raisins, Tobacco, Segars, Cotton Wool, Chocolate, fig Blue, Soap, Gunpowder, Flints, Fowling Pieces, BRANDY, in pip's and half pipes, WINES—Champagne, Port, Madeira, &c. Loaf Sugar, preserved Fruits, Olive Oil, Wine Bottles, Crockery, Glassware, Window Glass, Putty, Paints, Oil, Superfine and Middling Flour, part in bond, Pilot and Navy Bread, Beans and Pease. British Dry Goods, Viz.—superfine and second Cloths, Cassimeres, Flannels, Slops, Carpeting, White and printed Cottons, Muslins, Osnaburgh, Ravens Duck, Sheetings, Irish Linens, Diaper, Men's black and drab beaver and plated Hats, 1 Piece extra superfine scarlet Cloth, 1 Ditto ditto 10-4 Green ditto, suitable for Billiard and Table Covers, Bleached and brown Canvas, Cordage, Copper, Iron, Spikes, Chain Cables, Anchors, &c. ALSO— 50 M. prime R. O. Hoghead Staves, 100 M. Cypress and Juniper Shingles. CROOKSHANK & WALKER. July 8, 1828.

GEORGE THOMSON, Is now opening a Large and Choice Assortment of SILK, COTTON AND WOOLLEN GOODS. Just received per brig Margaret, from Liverpool, which he will sell low for Cash. ALSO— 25 Hogheads MOLASSES, of excellent quality, landing from Snack Delight. 15th July. THE SUBSCRIBER Has just received per the Brig SPRAY from Greenock, and JANE from Liverpool, A PART OF HIS SPRING SUPPLY OF BRITISH MERCHANDISE; AMONG WHICH ARE— AN excellent assortment of Shirting, bleached, and unbleached; Cottons; Muir's Patent Silk Hats, on Leghorn bodies, &c. &c. very suitable for the season.—The remainder of his Goods is daily expected from Liverpool and London, per the John & Mary, and Aurora—and which will be sold low for Cash, or other prompt payment. May 6. JOHN M. WILMOT.

NOTICE.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between JOHN W. M. IRISH and GEORGE A. LOCKHART, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All persons therefore, having any demands against the said Firm, are requested to present the same to JOHN W. M. IRISH, for adjustment; and those indebted, to make immediate payment to him. JOHN W. M. IRISH, GEO. A. LOCKHART. St. John, 21st July, 1828.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he will continue to carry on the Business, in future, on his own account, in the Store lately occupied by Irish & Lockhart, on the North Market Wharf, where he offers for sale, cheap for Cash— SUPERFINE and RYE FLOUR; Corn Meal and Corn; Cotton Yarn; Tea and Wool Cards; Cotton and Wool Cards; Tea; Coffee; Sugar; Molasses; Cases Gin; Cases Honey; Lignumvite; Logwood; Oars; Oar-Rafters, and Handspikes; with, A complete assortment of GROCERIES. Shipmasters supplied on reasonable terms, and short notice. JOHN W. M. IRISH. St. John, 29th July, 1828.

London Printed Cottons & Saddlery. 10 CASES elegant Printed COTTONS and FURNITURES, 2 Ditto SADDLES and HARNESS, Just landing ex Ship Harmony, from London. ALSO—Received by late arrivals: 3 Pipes best COGNAC BRANDY, 10 Hhds. 2 Pipes HOLLANDS, 2 Ditto RED WINE. All which will be sold very low for Cash, or short Credit. KERR & RATCHFORD. Oct. 7.

NEW GOODS. Received per ship ZETES, from Liverpool, on Consignment, and for sale by the Subscriber: BALES superfine and second Cloths; Trunks containing Printed Cottons; Britannia Handkerchiefs; Bed Tick; Brown and White Cottons, &c. GEO. D. ROBINSON. Sept. 23. FLOUR, MACKEREL & SEAL OIL. 150 BLS. Superfine, 150 Rye—Ex the sch'r Cyrus, W. Sears, master, from Philadelphia. 300 Bbls. MACKEREL, Ex sch'r Sar-18 Do. SEAL OIL, Ex prise, from Halifax—For Sale by I. & J. G. WOODWARD. July 29.

FROM ANTIGUA. KERR & RATCHFORD, Have just received per sch'r Prudence: 30 PUNS. superior Retailing MOLASSES, which will be sold cheap. ALSO, ON HAND— A few puncheons high proof RUM, And barrels fine SUGAR. For sale at lowest market prices. Aug. 26—4 FLOUR. Just received per brig Edwin, from N. York: 135 B BARRELS fresh SUPERFINE FLOUR, 50 Do. and fresh CORN MEAL. 25 Hhds. CROOKSHANK & WALKER. 16th September, 1828.

THE SUBSCRIBER Has just received per ship John & Mary, from LIVERPOOL, the remainder of his SPRING SUPPLY OF GOODS, CONSISTING OF— A VERY General Assortment, suitable for the Season. ALSO— A few Crates well assorted Earthenware, Iron assorted, Boxes Tin, Soap, and Candles, Brandy, &c.—Which will be disposed of on moderate terms for Cash, or other prompt payment. JOHN M. WILMOT. May 27, 1828. KERR & RATCHFORD, Offer for sale at lowest rates in the market, for satisfactory payment, the following Articles—part of which is just received—viz: AN extensive assortment of Cloths and Cassimeres; striped Shirts, and Slops of various kinds; printed and shirting Cottons; Linens; cases Hats; Boots and shds.; low priced red and white Wines; Porter; Rum, Sugar and Molasses; Pork; Beef; Bread; Mackerel; Shad; Wheat and Rye Flour, and Corn Meal; Pease; Oatmeal; Tea; Tobacco; Cigars; Cut Nails; Cotton Warp; Philadelphia Mill Saw; Canvas; Cordage; Oakum; Window Glass; bar Iron; Anchors; Paints; Oil; Lamp Glass; Glue; Liquid Blacking; Soap; Starch; Crown Blue; Pepper; Mustard; Ginger; Glass Bottles; Earthenware; Glassware; Saddles; Bridles; Harness, &c.; Stationery; Hardware; Smith's Bellows and Vices; barrels Epson and Glauber Salts; a patent Straw Cutter; ditto Iron Wheel. September 30, 1828.

CHEAP CORNER! THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has removed his Business from the South Market Wharf, to Cheap Corner, in Princess-street, lately occupied by Mr. GEORGE BRAGO, where he intends to keep on hand a constant and regular supply of the first quality of GROCERIES, particularly such articles as will be needed for present consumption in Families, which will be disposed of at very low rates for prompt pay. He trusts by assiduity and attention to the business, to merit public patronage, and be found a convenience to the neighbourhood in which he resides. GEORGE A. GARRISON. 12th August, 1828.

SALMON. SPICED or Souled SALMON as usual, put up in Kits for exportation.—The subscriber having his choice this season, of the first Salmon, before any are offered in the market, he is enabled to supply the Public with an Article he feels conscious will satisfy upon trial.—During the season, Families can be supplied with any quantities required. EDWARD LAKE. June 17, 1828. PORK, BEEF, BREAD, &c. KERR & RATCHFORD, HAVE ON HAND— A FEW BARRELS QUEBEC PRIME PORK; Do. Do. Prime Mess; Ditto; Do. Do. Prime BEEF; All of excellent quality—inspected the present year. ALSO— FLOUR, PEASE, and LINSEED OIL. All of which will be sold very low for Cash. September 9, 1828. RUM, SUGAR, and MOLASSES. 50 PUNCHEONS choice retailing MOLASSES, 50 Barrels prime SUGAR, 15 Puncheons Windward Island RUM, For Sale by August 26, 1828. G. D. ROBINSON.

BARBADOS SUGAR. A SMALL Consignment of Barbados SUGAR, in Barrels, has been received by the Subscriber, which he offers for sale cheap. SAMUEL STEPHEN. August 26, 1828.

PINE BOARDS. THE Subscriber offers for Sale one to five hundred thousand feet of White Pine Boards, to be delivered in the Harbour of St. John. Persons requiring boards to complete their cargoes for the West Indies may depend upon every dispatch. THOMAS HEAVISIDE. St. John, April 24.

INSURANCE AGAINST FIRE! THE ETNA INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Connecticut, continue to insure HOUSES and BUILDINGS of all descriptions, GOODS, FURNITURE, &c. within the Province of New-Brunswick, on the usual terms, for which, with any other particulars, please apply to the Subscriber, who is duly authorised to issue Policies, Renewal Receipts, &c. ELISHA DEW. RATCHFORD, St. John, May 27. Agent.

FOR SALE. THE New Ship SABIMM, burthen about 300 Tons, now lying in Cape River, Barrington, (N. S.)—Her dimensions are Length of Keel, 82 feet, Breadth of Beam, 26 feet, Depth of Hold, 18 feet. She is Copper fastened, and built of the following materials—Oak and Hackmatack above light water mark; Oak, Birch, and Beech below light water mark—is of the best workmanship, and in every respect a superior Vessel. Part of this SHIP belongs to the Estate of the late JOSEPH HOMER JUN. Esq. deceased, and as the Administrators are anxious to sell to close their accounts, she will be sold low.—For terms and other particulars, apply to MERRITT & VANHORNE. 30th Sept. 1828.

VESSEL TO CHARTER. THE new Brig MARY, burthen 280 Tons, will take a Charter for a Port in Ireland or the Clyde.—She will be ready to receive a Cargo by the 10th October. Apply to CROOKSHANK & WALKER. September 23, 1828.

NEW BREWERY, Caermarthen-street—Lower Cove. THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has established a BREWERY in Caermarthen-street, Lower Cove, second house south of the brick building of ROBERT ROBERTSON, Esq.—at which place, or at his Store on the North Market Wharf, he will constantly keep on hand, PORTER, ALE, BURTON ALE, and TABLE BEER, of as good quality as produced at any other establishment in the City. He hopes, by an unremitting attention to business, to receive a portion of the public support. YEAST and GRAINS, constantly on hand.—Highest price given for BARLEY. JOHN MONAHAN. St. John, 26th August, 1828. PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE. THE Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to the Inhabitants of St. John, in particular, for past favours, and takes this method of informing them that he now occupies that neat Cottage next to Messrs. LANGEN & ROBERTSON'S Store, in Queen-street; and hopes, that from the arrangements he has recently made, to merit a continuance of their patronage. N. B.—Excellent stabling for Horses. W. MILLER. Fredericton, 31st July, 1828.

REMOVAL. JAMES G. LESTER, Tailor, &c. MOST respectfully begs leave to inform his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop to that House in Charlotte-street, three doors South of Masonic Hall, and directly opposite the residence of Dr. PANDOCK; where he hopes the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, will still be extended towards him, as nothing shall be wanting on his part, to give general satisfaction. J. G. L. keeps constantly on hand, a small assortment of the most fashionable CLOTHS, which he will make up in the neatest manner, the newest fashion, and on the most reasonable terms. ALSO, ON HAND—A few sets COMMISSARY CUFFS and COLLARS. N. B.—All orders from the Country punctually attended to, and executed with neatness and despatch. St. John, 7th October, 1828.

DANIEL SCOTT, Tailor. MOST gratefully returns his sincere thanks to those who have favored him with their custom, while under the firm of SCOTT & LOWRY; and begs leave to inform them that he has commenced business on his own account, in that House on the south side of King-street, adjoining the residence of James Hendricks, Esq.—where, by punctual attendance, and a disposition to please, hopes to merit the favors of those who have heretofore employed him in the line of his profession. May 13.

DAVID ARMSTRONG, BOOT & SHOE MAKER, MOST respectfully begs leave to inform his Customers and the Public, that he has removed his Establishment to the house of Mr. DANIEL SMITH, in King-street, second door above Major WARD'S, and nearly opposite Mrs. Scollars's brick Building; where he will continue to do work in his line in a superior manner, and hopes from strict attention to Business to merit a continuance of their patronage. June 24, 1828.

JOHN S. MILLER, SILK, COTTON, LINEN & WOOLLEN DYER. Next door to the residence of Mr. DANIEL SMITH, Brussels-street. BEGS leave to remind his friends that he continues to Dye and Finish in the best manner— Lustings, Silk and Cotton, Silk & C. Shawls, Crochet, Worsted Cord, Hosiery & Gloves, Plush, Camel's Hair, Ribbons, &c. ALSO—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Garments of every description cleaned, and Stains removed from Cotton and Linen Goods of all kinds; Carpets cleaned, and Blankets cleaned and raised. Having imported a new apparatus for the purpose of cleansing Gentlemen's clothes by Steam—he flatters himself, that this improvement will enable him to finish his work in a style far superior to any heretofore done, and to the satisfaction of those Ladies and Gentlemen who may be pleased to favour him with their commands. St. John, July 15, 1828.

HOUSES & LANDS. TO BE LET, From the first of May next:— THE Dwelling-House and Store in Prince William-street, now occupied by Mrs. KURTZ. In addition to the Store, which is newly fitted up, and as a stand for business, surpassed by few in the City, the House contains eight Rooms, six of which have fire places, Pantry, frost proof Cellar, and other conveniences. There is a Kitchen and Wood-House attached to the premises, and a large Yard, with a well of Water in the same. For further particulars, apply to Mr. DOWLING, nearly opposite the residence of the late Hon. J. ROBINSONS, Germain-street. October 28.

FOR SALE. 400 ACRES of excellent LAND, situated in King's County, forty-two miles from Saint John, upwards of twenty acres cleared and in good cultivation, with a House, &c. on the same. For particulars, apply to JOHN COOK, Druggist. St. John, October 14, 1828.

TO RENT, Till first of May next, and possession given immediately— THAT HOUSE in Germain-street, belonging to Mrs. GRIGG, opposite St. Andrew's Church. Inquire of THOMAS PLUMMER. October 14.

TO LET, And possession given immediately— PLEASANTLY situated HOUSE, in Great George-street, well calculated for a small family. Apply at the OBSERVER OFFICE. 16th September, 1828. FOR SALE BY PRIVATE BARGAIN, OR TO BE LET, And possession given on the 1st May next:— ALL that Valuable PROPERTY fronting on a Prince Wm. and Queen Streets, as at present in the occupation of Mr. JAMES WHITNEY. For particulars apply to JOHN McLEAN. January 29, 1828.

TO BE LET, THAT pleasantly situated HOUSE and PREMISES in Horsfield-street, at present in the occupation of J. WOODWARD, Jun. Esq. The Premises may be viewed by applying to ROBERT F. HAZEN. February 26, 1828. FOR SALE, OR TO BE LET, THAT large, commodious, and well-finished HOUSE, in Germain-street, opposite Trinity Church, owned by the Subscriber.—The premises are well adapted for a Boarding House, for which the pleasant situation and other conveniences render it very desirable. The premises may be viewed, and terms and further particulars made known on application to February 12. GEORGE A. NAGEL.

NOTICES. ALL Persons indebted to Mr. JOHN STEVENS, late of the Parish of Lancaster, are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who is duly authorized to receive the same. WILLIAM STEVENS. St. John, Sept. 23.

NOTICE.—The Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the firm of ALEXANDER EDMOND & Co. having this day expired; all persons therefore having any demands against said concern are requested to tender them for adjustment, and those indebted, to make immediate payment to JOHN WISHART, Surviving Partner. March 1, 1828.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the Firm of SNEDEN & HENKELL, expired on the 1st of May last. All Persons having any demands against the said concern, will please present the same for adjustment; and all Persons indebted to them, are requested to make immediate payment to JACOB R. SNEDEN, EDWARD HENKELL. June 3, 1828.

THE Subscriber having received a Power of Attorney from THOMAS SMITH, of this City, Merchant, hereby requests all persons who have claims against him, to present them for adjustment, and those indebted to make immediate payment. JOHN KIRBY. Saint John, February 5, 1828.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICES. ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of ABRAHAM MABEE, late of this City, Pilot, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within Six Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to FRANCES MABEE, Adm'rs. EWEN CAMERON, ROBERT ROBERTSON, Sen. Adm'rs. St. John, 16th September, 1828.

ALL Persons having any just claims against the Estate of the late Captain JOSEPH CLARKE, of the County of Sunbury, are hereby requested to render the same for settlement, within Three Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, will make immediate payment to either of the Subscribers. L. H. DEVEBER, Administrators. N. HUBBARD, 12th August, 1828.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of JAMES M'KAY, late of this City, Merchant, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within Three Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted, are desired to make immediate payment to the Subscriber. JOHN McLEAN, Adm'r. on said Estate. St. John, July 26, 1828.

ALL Persons having any just demands against the Estate of THOMAS P. WILLIAMS, late of the Parish of Portland, deceased, are requested to present the same within six Calendar Months from the date hereof; and those indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to THOMAS P. WILLIAMS, ROBERT WELCH, THOMAS BARLOW, Esrs. May 20, 1828.

NOTICE.—All Persons having legal demands against the late Mr. HENRY GAULT, late of this City, Merchant, deceased, are requested to present the same within Twelve Months from this date, and all those indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to GEORGE WOODS, Adm'r. Saint John, April 1, 1828.

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE, BILLS OF EXCHANGE, Bills of Lading, Seamen's Articles, Manifests of various forms, Entries for Dutiable articles, Powers of Attorney, Mortgages, Bonds, Deeds, &c. &c. &c.

ASSIZE OF BRAC. Published September 27, 1828. THE Sixpenny Wheaten Loaf of Superfine lbs. as Flour, to weigh, - - - - - 3 3 The Sixpenny Rye - - - - - 3 12 And Shilling, Three-penny, and Penny-half-penny Loaves in the same proportion. H. PARKER, Recorder and Deputy Mayor. Mayor's Office, St. John, Sept. 27, 1828.

BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK. DIRECTOR for the Week....HUGH JOHNSTON, Esq. Hours of Business.—from 10 to 3. DISCOUNT DAY.—THURSDAY. Bills intended for Discount, must be lodged with the Cashier before 3 o'clock on TUESDAY.

MARINE INSURANCE OFFICE. COMMITTEE OF DIRECTORS FOR THE WEEK. Z. Wheeler, J. R. Partelow, George D. Robinson. Office Hours.—12 to 3.

WEEKLY ALMANAC. NOVEMBER, 1828. Table with columns for SUN, MOON, FULL Rises, Sets, Rises, Sets. Rows for 5 WEDNESDAY, 6 THURSDAY, 7 FRIDAY, 8 SATURDAY, 9 SUNDAY, 10 MONDAY, 11 TUESDAY.

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