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POETRY.

I AM ALL ALONE.

I am all alone!—and the visions that play
Round life's young days, have passed away;
And the songs are hushed that gladness sing;
And the hopes that I cherished have made them
wings;
And the light of my heart is dimmed and gone,
And I sit in my sorrow,—and all alone!

And the forms which I fondly loved are flown,
And friends have departed—one by one;
And memory sits, while lonely hours,
And weaves her wreath of hope's faded flowers,
And weeps o'er the chalice, when no one is near
To gaze on her grief, or to chide her tear!

And the home of my childhood is distant far,
And I walk in a land where strangers are;
And the looks that I meet and the sounds that I hear
Are not light to my spirit, nor song to my ear;
And sunshine is round me,—which I cannot see,
And eyes that beam kindness,—but not for me!

And the song goes round, and the glowing smile,
But I am desolate all the while!
And faces are bright and I'm glad,
And nothing, I think, but my heart is sad!
And I seem like a blight in a region of bloom,
While I dwell in my own little circle of gloom!

I wander about like a shadow of pain,
With a worm in my breast, and a spell on my brain;
And I list, with a start, to the gushing of gladness,—
Oh! how it grates on a bosom all sadness!—
So, I turn from a world where I never was known,
To sit in my sorrow,—and all alone!

THE CAMDENTOWN BAKER.

About two years since I was brought to London on business. I employed my time pleasantly. Being almost a stranger, to that great Babylon—which is daily creeping onward on all sides, and enclosing in its huge vortex the surrounding villages that, in the days of our grandfathers, were a distance from town—being then, as I have said, a stranger to the sights of this sight-seeing metropolis, I made as much of the time as I was disposed as I could.

Having one day no exhibition determined on—no panorama, picture gallery, or other place that attracts a gaping crowd, in view for my day's diversion, I strolled towards Kensington Gardens. The day was splendid; a midsummer sun, bright and pleasant, warmed the poor mortals who were within its influence; thousands of busy people thronged the streets; intent each on his own pleasure or his business, they jostled and hustled each other along.

Speculating on the crowded sample of human life around me, I walked forward, and almost forgot, in my mental abstraction, that which was passing on all sides. Suddenly my reverie was broken, and my speculations put to flight by the contemplation of a strange looking figure that presented itself in my path. A man lean, with an attitude of almost theatrical despondency, against a tree. He was dressed in a threadbare but military-looking frock; pantaloons, skin-tight and sloped over the boot (which latter was no longer shapely or new), eased his nether limbs; and, to complete his apparel, a pair of formidable spurs graced his heels.

He wore a sallow-looking, but yet not pale. He wore the appearance of being neither ill-fated, nor yet absolutely in want; and a huge moustache and favoris covered the lower part of his visage, save where, now and then, a white tooth stole its way into light while he opened a capacious mouth—to sigh. A guitar, decorated with a broad blue riband, lay by his side. Reader, do not fling down your book and exclaim—romantic trash! Such it is not; nay, I pledge myself to cause a laugh to displace your sneer ere we part. A laugh to displace to tell you, lay by his side; slowly raising the instrument, he passed the riband gracefully over the cap and tarished good tassel that adorned his head, and bending over it, he commenced a plaintive song. I am not particularly musical, but it struck me that,

though he sang sweetly, and with passable execution, yet, that he was by no means master of the imperfect, and, indeed, difficult instrument with which he accompanied himself. I listened anxiously for the words of his song, but it was in a language that I had never heard before. I strained my ear again, but I could not anywhere distinguish a word that I recognized as familiar.

A crowd was collecting fast: I passed on fearful of my pockets being lightened of their trilling load, and walked some considerable distance through the gardens. I loitered in the glorious sunshine, and watched the merry groups of children that sported in the warm air. At length I began to experience a sensation which was all subject to, from the peasant to the prince; I involuntarily I turned homeward—reader, I was hungry. Yes; oh, most potent appetite, how many of our actions doest not thou influence with thine irresistible sway!

Again I mused, and again I had I forgotten my fellow-mortals; not in speculating on their frailties, or their wants, but simply, carelessly, singly, willy nilly and sojely, cogitating—what I should have for dinner. "Thrum, thrum—thrum thy, thrum ti-tee." What! not gone yet? No, by Jove; I am here, in the identical spot where I left him more than an hour ago. But his audience had increased seven-fold; old and young, rich and poor—the chimney sweeper and gentleman in the nanken tights, with a watchchain depending from the upper part thereof about as large as a steepie hung by the bell-ropes—were collected round the musician in a motley group.

The next day, by a strange curiosity, I was led to the same spot the same hour. There he was again—yes; the same despondent attitude—the graceful, yet theatrical bend. Again his guitar was slung majestically from his shoulders, and his "thrum thrum—thrum thy, thrum," again attracted the wondering loiterers of the garden. What was he, who could he be? Poor fellow! what a miserable lot is his, thought I. No tongue utters a familiar sound; men speak, but it is to thee but a dumb show; none hast thou to whisper thee a consolation for the days that are passed—none to tell of hope for the days to come.

"Mr. Robinson requests the honor of Mr. J.'s company to a musical soiree on Thursday evening next, to meet a distinguished foreigner.

"Kensington Terrace, Monday.

"R. S. Y. P."

Such was the card I found left at my lodgings by a professional friend, who thought he should confer an obligation in persuading his better half to "do me the honour" of asking me to a musical soiree. Though disliking most universally everything and anything approximating to this description of party, I went.

I found the house of my friend on "Kensington Terrace," as my card informed me, and boldly made my way up stairs to the first landing. Suffocating, insupportable absolutely, was the air on that landing—gentlemen and ladies crushed indiscriminately into a miserable space, while the room to which it formed the entrance was, I suppose, very nearly at the boiling point of Fahrenheit's thermometer. "Nimparte," whispered I to myself; I stay and carry out the fainting ladies who may be handed over the heads of the people on their journey towards the outer air.

After a time, I was carried along with the undulating crowd into the interior of the "salon de musique," and found myself, by a process of locomotion with which I was hitherto unacquainted, standing opposite to a lady who I presumed, from her general deportment in the chair, was the "dame de maison." Of course, hap-hazard, I made my bow, when Robinson, who was close by, whispered something to his amiable spouse. Immediately she rose, and, acknowledging my courtesy, she requested permission to present me to "the distinguished foreigner." Reader, my heart jumped at the thought. Yes; I, even I, might become acquainted with a German prince, or

perhaps an archduke of Bohemia, or—God knows who.

"Count Spallantatsky," said the hostess allow me to make known to you my friend Mr. J.—"

He turned at the words; it was—there was no mistaking it—it was my friend of Kensington Garden no longer. "I thought he had something noble about him," flashed through my mind as I bowed low to the man of the hairy visage.

"Comment se va-t'il, Monsieur," said he: "you play guitar, are you?"

"No, have not that honor," muttered I, scarce knowing what it was I said.

Ah! beautiful; ve, grande indeed—splendide amusement. Dare you shoud learn—learnie play this grande chote?"

"Can't," said I; "no talent that way, sure you—not the least?"

"Ah! I see," said he; "ver good. I peety moshe you, poor man; not never able for devert your time. Ver well, Madame Robinson, shall I commangee? Eh bien done—thrum, thrum—thrum ty, thrum ti-tee."

"Splendid! capital! beautiful, ain't it? Really those Polish airs are so magnificent, I love 'em so handsome too. Fity him very much; I lost all his property—all, every stick, of course." A politician of the liberal school here pronounced an indignant anathema against the barbarous Russian Czar. A benevolent lady, who prided herself on being a linguist, advanced to address him in French. She uttered—

"Permettez moi d'être votre negociant—interprete—avec ces gens ci—peak for you—allow me."

"Ah! merci, mille mercies; tanks, very moshe tanks, mais je vous prie. I prefer to learn speak English. I wish, well for talker, dans cette langue, you will excuse."

Spallantatski had a mortal aversion to any language but English. He was "moshe obliged" to the ladies that wished to get him tutored; but he could not communicate his French or Polish ideas if he did not know the tongue into which he translated them. No, "he preferred bien to learn English."

He became a prodigious favourite. There was no soiree without a mile-and-a-half of Kensington Gardens without Spallantatski.

Two men were walking idly up Piccadilly, they were clothed in soiled and tattered great coats, with remnants of sundry capes hanging from the shoulders of them. Hais had they, but they were in the classification of that item of "lies," or "dates," or "caters,"—or any thing else rather than regular built hats; they were, in fact, under the denomination of what is called, in the language of hats, "four-in-hands" that is to say, coachmen's "Golgothera." One had a heavy red cotton handkerchief rolled round his neck, with the spiral end protruding at right angles to his apology for a shirt; the other supplied the place of a cravat with a worsted comforter.

"Bill," said one of them "I'm blow'd if this here'll ever do; ve does no work this ere fine vether, them damned busses gits all to do except vot the cabbin picks up to keep 'em from starvin."

"Jem," said his companion, "I thinks ve ought to git up a petishun to the comity for Martin's cruelty to banimals, in order to purvide reglar hours for takin of exercise to sitch 'osses an men as 'as no work; for I'm bless'd if I aint gitt all natter that any 'oss culd live that's got nothin to do all day but stand—it's enuf to tire the life out of any four-footed beast, so it is."

"Bill," said the other, "I'll give you a henigmy, jist to fill your belly with, as you've nothin else at present. Vot's the reason ve're precious like humberllas?"

"Bless'd if I know," answered Jem. "I vas never no good at makin out of them things, any more than at picking out pockets, vich I takes to be a 'compishment of the same natur, 'cos they're both only jist grotup in the dark."

"D'ye give it up?" said Bill.

"I gives it up without remorse, as the cab 'ous said ven he took leave o' the cab."

"Vell, then, the reason is, becoss ve're only called off the stand ven the vet wether coons," answered Bill.

"Hoo, hoo," laughed his companion. "Bill, it's a sorry riddle; it puts one in mind o' a hungry belly."

"Jem, ve ought for to be the best calculators in Lunnon ve 'eckney coachman," said Bill.

"Vy so?" asked Jem.

"Teli you vy. It's sitch a precious sight o' time since you or I got a fare 'at ve're learnin substraashun every day."

"Bill," said Jem, "ven's the last time you had a fare?"

"Bless'd!" said Bill; "vell, if ever—vot did'n you hear?"

"No; vot's got the matter now?"

"Blow'd if ever I see so stupid a fellur; you did'n hear at the stand 'bout my last fare, an' it ater being in all the newspapers, as a living instance o' fatal credulity!"

"Go along, Bill; let's 'ave it now then," said Jem.

"Vell," said Bill, "you know'd a fellur as was wally de sham to a gen'lman in black, as they called Cornel Villyger?"

"Vot's that? the tall gemman as snok'd himself into a dropsy, is it?"

"Yes, that's the very man; don't you 'member, ven you vas a cad, he giv'd a half a sov'n 'stead o' a sixpence vone day?"

"I 'member the 'alf sov'n, but in course I forgets the gemman as gived it."

"Vell, it's the wally de sham I wants at present; an' the black man, the gemman, takes this here fellur abroad with him, and there's no standing of his ven he comes home. He vas ater bein in all sorts of forin parts, and sitch like tomtoozly, and he comes back a danglin of chains an' terecatouts. Vell, the master dies, and in course the wally gets a share o' the bones; welly, welly, welly, welly; he sets up 'businet and bread shop in Camdentown, and then it's 'pull devil, pull baker,' for the devil himself couldn't stand him."

"Vone day he'd be a figged out in the dead man's clothes, and a moustaches all over his face, and a yellow-head stick in his hand, and audin on a borrow'd 'oss to Epsom or sitch-like; an' I'm blow'd but you couldn't tell witch it vas—Dick Stubbs the gemman vas taking off a baker, or Dick Stubbs the baker vas taking off a gemman."

"Vell, know the devil couldn't stand that any more than a baker. I drove down that there line o' road vone' or twice with a fare 'casionally, and in course I stopp'd for a roll sometimes."

"My man, sis he vone evenin. 'Vell,' says I, 'vot then, my man?' 'You're cussed stiff,' sis he. 'Very vell,' sis I again. 'Vill you do a job on the sly?' sis he. 'I vill,' sis I, 'if I gits paid for it.' 'Certainly so,' sis he. 'Drive down here to-night,' sis he. 'bout eight o'clock.' 'Very vell; I'll come for certain,' says I, drivin off."

"Vell,' sis he, 'you're come are you? ven I drove up 'bout quarter to eight. 'Light,' sis I. 'Len a hand,' sis he, 'to put in your fare.' 'Certainly I vill.' 'Very vell, sis, I'm blow'd but we put up 'bout twenty-four 'sides into the vone small coach as I drove then."

"Dammé, Bil," said Jem, "you're twigging now."

"Passels, man; passels," said Bill; "twenty-four passels. There was two sets of china an a glass jug, an a basket o' German silver forks, knives, an' spoons, ditto; g'annon board and a tetter bed; a small nam chair and a Turkish pipe, and dif'rent others too tejus to menshuan."

"Vell," said Jem, "go on."

"Vell, sir, ve drove off in great style—Dick on the box 'longside me; an' ve vas rattlin off pritty stout ven 'p'iceman 'D, twenty-eight, sees us [I'm blow'd if I don't think them 'ere new 'p'ice is bro't up to scent jist like tarries]. 'Holloo 'P'iss lie, 've're you going for now?' 'Drive like a tuncer,' sis Stubbs nudging me. 'Cordingly, I pull up and walks the 'osses.' 'Holloo, ho 'P'iss the 'p'iceman. Stubbs never pre'fends to mind him. Hoy! stop, and be damn'd to you,' sis

James Bailey, Oliver, 28th do. Belfast, Rodger, Dean & Co. do.
 Thomas, Allen, 22nd do. London, LeMesurier & Co. do.
 Fanny, Sloane, 1st Aug. Liverpool, Sharples & Co. do.
 Fingalton, Pinmore, 1st do. Liverpool, Gilmour & Co. do.
 Brig Rother, Hall, 26th July, Newcastle, C. E. Levey & Co. do.
 Orion, Shields, 14th do. Sunderland, Chapman & Co. do.
 Transit, Bailswater, 23rd do. Dublin, Penderont, Belfast.
 Rose Bank, Fitzsimmons, 25th do. Belfast, to the master, do.
 Eliza Ann, Hyde, 29th do. Cork, Chapman & Co. do.—11 passengers.
 Sch. Martin, Bostanger, 2d Sept. Miranichi, to master, 1st.—14 do.
 19th.
 Erik Winesides, Walmley, 26th July, Liverpool, Montreal, general cargo.
 Indus, Arley, 1st Aug. do. W. Chapman & Co. Belfast.
 Brig Major, Laing, 2d do. Portmah, LeMesurier & Co. do.
 Corsair, Riechie, 8th Sept. Sydney, to the master, do.
 Robert McWilliam, Edward, 12th July, Dublin, Gusty & Co. do.

CLEARED.

September 18th.
 Brig Elio, Mitchell, Ayr, Gilroy & Co.
 Cora, St. Mary, Glasgow, Munson & Co.
 Quebec Packet, S. Cole, Harrington, Glasgow & Co. 19th.
 Brig Sir Win Wallace, Anderson, Aberdeen, J. G. Heath & Co.
 Ark Caldonia, Fisher, Liverpool, Finto & Co.
 Brig Nelson, Govey, St. Mary, Gilroy & Co.
 La. Ave. Frank, Dan-Aron, Greenock, Rodger, Denn & Co.

Yesterday afternoon, the brig *Pomona*, Madison, and her crew, after being in contact with the India Wharf, and drifted from their anchors, when the Liverpool of the *James Biddle* became entangled with the mizen-mast of the *Pomona* ship *Mohel*, but caused her very little injury. The *James Biddle* broke her lower part in two, to her fore-topmast, and received some trilling injury to her rigging. We believe the *Pomona* suffered very little damage.

The brig *Union*, of Sunderland, Captain Wrighton, which arrived here on Sunday, from Berwick, met with a disaster on her passage, the particulars of which are as follows: On Sunday the 9th instant, at 10 1/2 P. M. while in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, off Magdalen river, the *Union* was run foul of by a ship, the name of which Capt. Wrighton has been unable to ascertain, but which he knows to be New-Branswick built. The *Union* had ballast, stanchions, stow, fire-wood, masts, spars, and masts, and a great quantity of cargo, which was all blown overboard. The damage done to the ship was considerable, but from the darkness of the night the people of the *Union* were unable to ascertain the extent of it.

Captain Hepburn, of the bark *Centurion*, 3th Aug. from London, arrived yesterday, has furnished the Exchange with London papers, to the day of her sailing, from which we have copied the following shipping news: London, Aug. 2d—Arrived—*Pomona*, Wilmshay, from Quebec.
 Portsmouth, Aug. 3rd—Arrived—*Arab*, transport, from Quebec.
 Weymouth, Aug. 3rd—Arrived—*Cybele*, —, from Quebec.
 Southampton, Aug. 3rd—Arrived—*Lloyd*, Bramford, from Quebec.
 Fleetwood on Wre, July 30th—Arrived—*British Tar*, Blackham, from Quebec.
 Arr. Aug. 1st—Arrived—*Princess Victoria*, —, from Quebec.
 Belfast, July 27th—Arrived—*Robert Ker*, Gourlay; from Quebec. Aug. 1st—*Thomas Galtoun*, Milligan, from do.
 Deal, Aug. 2d—Arrived and remains—*The John*, from ship of London.
 Plymouth, Aug. 2nd—Cleared—*Edward McKenzie*, Quebec.
 Belfast, Aug. 1st—Cleared—*New Eagle*, Lovring, Quebec.
 Shelton, Aug. 1st—Cleared—*Harmony*, Tindle, for do.

Wexford, July 28th—Sailed—*Molly Moore*, Richards, to Quebec.
 Ringdown—Bay of Dublin, Aug. 1—Put in—*Martin*, Vernon, from Quebec—*Agatha*, Defender, from, from Quebec for Dublin.
 Kirkilly, Aug. 2d—*The Diana*, Miller, from Quebec, arrived at Leven yesterday.
 Newick, July 29.—Passed Portland Frith, Brig *Energy*, of Sunderland, from Shields for Stromway, for purpose of taking on board emigrants for Quebec.
 Royal Yacht *Seymour*—Coves, Aug. 3rd—Cleared—*The Brig Charlotte*, Lieut.-Col. Hon. R. P. Hill, from Portsmouth for Quebec. She grounded the Brantles, beating down in thick weather, at 11 P. M. on the 1st, but got off without any damage.

PASSENGERS

the packet ship *Hellington*, from London and Southampton, at New York.—Capt. LeMoire and lady, of do.; Dr. Austin, and lady, Thos. S. Smith, lady, family, W. F. Hallock, Esq., and A. Stuart, Esq., of do.
 the packet ship *United States*, from Liverpool at New York.—B. Flint, and J. Cuthbertson, of Canada.



THEATRE ROYAL, VAUDEVILLE NIGHT.

THIS EVENING, THURSDAY, SEPT 20th, WILL BE PERFORMED, THE LOAN OF A LOVER.
 Captain Amersfort - Mr. MADSON
 Peter Spink - Mr. LATHAM
 Ernestine - Mrs. H. KIDM
 Gertrude - Miss MELLON

AFTER WHICH, (FIRST TIME,) THE YOUNG HUSSAR; OR, LOVE AND MERCY.

TO CONCLUDE WITH MY HUSBAND'S SECRET.

Doors Opened at a quarter to seven, the Performance commencing at eight—Eight—Boxes, 5s; P. 2s 6d. GALERIES, 1s 3d.

Tickets may be had at the Box Office.



THE COUNTY OF QUEBEC AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Under the patronage of His Excellency THE EARL OF DURHAM, GOVERNOR GENERAL OF BRITISH N. AMERICA.

WILL hold their Annual Exhibition of CATTLE, Sheep, Poultry, Hives, Grain, Vegetables, Butter, Cheese, &c. &c. at Hadley Lodge Farm, the property of A. ANDERSON, Esquire, on TUESDAY, the 2nd of October next. Competitors to be allowed to pass Dorchester Bridge free, and must be on the ground at eight o'clock, A. M.

A list of the Premiums which will be awarded will be published in a few days, and distributed among the Farmers in the County by order of the President.

D. M'DONALD, Secy. N. B.—The subscribers to the above Society are respectfully requested to pay the amount of their subscriptions without delay to the Treasurer, R. H. Gardner, Esquire.

Quebec, 23th Sept 1838. D. M'D

STOPPED,

SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN STOLEN, A PLOT OF CLOTH COAT.—Apply at C. T. BROWN'S Clothing Store, No. 9, outside St John's Gate. Quebec, 20th Sept 1838

BLANKETS, FLANNELS, SCOTCH AND KIDDERMINSTER CARPETS.

HORATIO CARWELL, No. 4, Fabrique Street,

HAS just received, per RESOURCE, from London, a large assortment of Single Milled and Double Milled Welsh, Lancashire and Scotch Flannels. An extensive lot of 3-4 10-4 11-4 12-4 13-4 14-4 and 15-4 real Winery Blankets, including a few of quality superior to any hitherto imported; price \$18 per pair. 20 pieces Scotch and supreme 4-1 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, 20th Sept 1838

JUST RECEIVED,

AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER—112 Hds. MUSCOVADO SUGAR 18 Bds. 4,000 Gallons Pale Seal Oil JOHN YOUNG

Quebec, 20th Sept 1838

AUCTIONS.

BY J. M. FRASER & CO.

PUBLIC SALE

OF ST. MAURICE AND THREE-RIVERS STOVES.

On FRIDAY next, the 21st September instant, on the WELINGTON WHARF, at ONE o'clock, will be sold—

- 75 DOUBLE STOVES, 36 inch, A
- 75 do do do 30 do W
- 75 SINGLE do 36 do K
- 50 do do do 31 do M
- 50 do do do 31 do I
- 50 do do do 21 do O
- 25 do do do 21 do Q
- 25 do do do 21 do I

—ALSO— A quantity of COOKING and PARLOUR STOVES.

TERMS LIBERAL. Quebec, 15th Sept 1838

FLOUR, TEA, &c.

TO-MORROW, (FRIDAY,) the 21st instant, at the Stores of RODGER, DEAN & CO. McCallum's Wharf, at TWO o'clock precisely

- 600 BARRELS extra Superior Hamburg Flour
- 10 kegs Plug Tobacco
- 23 chests E. I. Company's Bona Tea
- 24 do do Hyson Skin do
- 49 boxes do Hyson do
- 3 do do Pekoe do
- 50 do do Tawankey do
- 51 qr. casks Sherry Wine, ex KINGSTON,
- 20 octaves S from Cadiz
- 1300 Empty Bags
- 300 Mat's

—ALSO— 20 cases British Wine, 8 do in each, just received from Frankfort-on-the-Main, viz—

- 5 cases "Heisterin," 1834
- 5 do "Stockheim," 1834
- 5 do "Rudelsheimberg," 1831
- 5 do "Castle of Johannesberg," 1834

PATENT CORDAGE MANUFACTURER, AND GENERAL SHIP-CHANDLER.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER:— A LARGE and general assortment of Tarr'd Cordage, 1-4 to 10 inch

- Do do Manila do do
- Do do Ball Rope do do
- Do do Hambro Lincor and best sails

Russia and Manila. Cod Lines, Hawser Lines, Deep Sea Lines, Clothes and Fishing Lines, Sail Duck, Sail Twines, Needles, and other articles of Ship Chandlery. Best Chain Cables and Anchors, Iron Work &c. Qalun, Tar, Pitch, Rosin, Blaes &c.

S. C. SALESBRY, Commission Merchant and General Agent, Atkinson's Wharf

N. B.—Orders for full Gauge of Rigging, fitted complete, executed with dispatch. Quebec, 20th Sept 1838

FOR SALE

No. 11, Noire Dame Street THIRTY TIERCES OF BRAGT-SMUG, 100 Kegs Plug Tobacco, 100 Boxes English Candles, 4 Hds. Mustard, 5 Pipes superior Cognac Brandy.

JOHN FISHER

FOR SALE

BY THE SUBSCRIBER:— TWO HUNDRED kegs manufactured Tobacco 30 Hogsheads American and Upper Canada Leaf Tobacco.

- Cuba and St. Domingo Leaf Tobacco
- 25,000 Havana Cigars, best quality
- 40 Cases Liqueurs—among which are— Curacao, Maraschine, Eau-de-Vie d'Anis Eau-de-Vie de Dantzick, &c.
- 50 Cases Pickles, Grenada Rum, Masevala Sugar, Pork, Flour Rice, G. mixed, Pearl Barley, Brooms, Almonds Filberts, Teas, Lard, Turpentine, green roasted Coffee, Port, Madeira and Malaga Wines An assortment of Manila and Tar Ropes Hambro' and Fishing Lines, Lemon Syrup, &c.

JOHN YOUNG, Quebec, 8th September, 1838.

NEWSPAPER & PERIODICAL AGENT

G. P. BRADFORD begs respectfully to inform the Proprietors of Newspapers, and others, that he has commenced the above business, and he trusts by attention and care to merit any confidence placed in him. No exertion shall be spared to further the interest of his patrons. No 2, Saint Stanislaus-street, } 16th August, 1838

J. HOBROUGH, MERCHANT TAILOR,

begs leave to announce to his friends, that he has received his

FULL SUPPLY OF GOODS, Consisting of Cloth and Vestings of the finest description, and newest fashions

—ALSO— Flat and Backskin Cloth, for Winter Top Coats, which he will make up according to order, on the shortest notice, and most reasonable terms. General Wholesale, corner of Palace and } St John Streets, Sept. 20th }

R. C. TO D, HERALD PAINTER, No. 16, St. Nicholas Street.

TO SHIP-MASTERS. THE subscriber begs to inform the Ship-Masters trading to Quebec that the highest prices are paid at his establishment for all sorts of old SAILS, CORDAGE, ROTTS, &c. &c. JAMES S. MILLER, Commercial Chambers, St. Peter's-street Quebec, 15th Sept 1838

DESIRABLE INVESTMENT.

THE subscriber offers for Sale the whole of his Stock in Trade, consisting of Newly-manufactured FURS, of the best quality.

To any person desirous of embarking in a good profitable business, the present offers an excellent opportunity. The subscriber would remain on the premises for six months to instruct the purchaser in every branch of the business. G. HANN, 19, Saint Joseph-street Quebec, 15th Sept 1838

FOR SALE, BY THE SUBSCRIBER:—

SIX HUNDRED Minots Peas, 500 cwt Ship Biscuit, 20 barrels Boston Crackers, 50 kegs Butter, 20 cases Salad Oil, 40 cases Hull Cement, Green and Blue Paint.

CREELMAN & LEFFER, MADEIRA WINE.

A FEW CASES 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.

NEW CONFECTIONARY STORE.

No. 92, St. John Street. THE subscribers most respectfully intimate to their friends and the public at large, that they have always on hand a choice assortment of Fresh Cakes and Confectionary as usual. SCOTT & McCONKEY, Quebec, 1st May, 1838.

JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE, BY THE SUBSCRIBER:—

450 MINOTS superior Marrowfat Peas 100 do Boiling Peas 200 bushels Irish Cut Potatoes 10 barrels Loudon Porter, 3 dozen each —ALSO— A general Assortment of Wines, Spicedum Liqueurs, fine-flavoured Teas, Penner's Cider, —and every article in the general grocery line. July 16 T. BICKELL, Corner of St. John & Stanislas Streets.

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 respect fully intimates that he has constantly on hand a choice Assortment of Wines, Spirituous Liqueurs Groceries, &c. all of the best quality. JOHN JOHNSTON, Corner of the Upper-Town Market Place, Opposite the Gate of the Jesuits' Baracks

MUSSON & SAVAGE, CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS, UPPER TOWN.

Have just received a supply of MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS, AND PHENIX BITTERS. Quebec, 16th August, 1838.

FOR SALE,

A FEW first rate plain and shodded SADDLES, by H. J. MANNING, SADDLER, 55, St. John Street, near the Gate. Quebec, 14th August, 1838

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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 uncovered, and sometimes even shun society to avoid the jests and snubs of their acquaintance; the remainder of their lives is consequently spent in retirement. In short, not even 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, OLDRIIDGE'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 preventive against the falling off of hair, but also a certain restorative.

- Wm. TITCHER, sen.
Methodist Minister in St. George charge,
No. 85 North Fifth st.
JOHN P. INGLISH, 334 Arch st.
JOHN D. THOMAS, M. D. 163 Race st.
JOHN S. FERRY, 101 Spruce st.
HUGH MCCARTY, 213 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 30 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. English, John S. Ferry, and Hugh McCarty, 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, 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 HEAD ACHE, 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 laboring under distress which 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

J. J. SIMS,
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
BEGG & URQUHART.

PILLS, DROPS, 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 Hay's 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 a below.

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

SUPERIOR CHAMPAGNE AND CLARET WINES.

THE BOTTLEDERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED, And offer for Sale—

- 56 BASKETS JOLLY'S CHAMPAGNE, — price \$10. per dozen.
10 baskets Jolly's Champagne, Cup P and, 90. per dozen.
74 cases Latite and St. Julien Claret, 70s. per dozen.

JOHN YOUNG,
Quebec, 14th August, 1838.

PROUDLEY'S ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL.

MANY Masters of Vessels, Gentlemen and Families visiting Quebec, and seeking the accommodations of an Hotel, have been led into error by supposing that the subscriber occupied the house built on the spot where the St. Lawrence Hotel formerly stood, and which was kept by him previous to the fire by which it was destroyed. He therefore deems it necessary respectfully to inform them, that he has removed to the house fronting on the Queen's and Napoleon's Wharves, and

OPPOSITE To the Establishment he formerly occupied; and he trusts, by assiduity and attention in promoting the comfort of his visitors, that he shall continue to receive the same liberal patronage and support with which he was favored in his former establishment.

H. PROUDLEY,
Quebec, 18th August, 1838.

AGENCY FOR THE TRANSCRIPT IN THE UPPER TOWN.

MR. JAMIESON, LIBRARIAN, No 21, Fabrique Street, opposite the Market Place, is AGENT FOR THE TRANSCRIPT in the Upper Town; he is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. and from him the paper may always be had immediately after publication.

BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT.

MRS MARTYN, formerly Leighton, respectfully acquaints the Public that she intends again opening a Boarding Establishment in the House formerly occupied by Sir John Caldwell, St Peter Street, Lower Town, and hopes by strict attention to merit a share of Public favour.

37 The Stabling attached to the above premises to let.

T. RICKABY, CABINET MAKER, UPHOLSTERER, And Undertaker.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has removed to No. 36, St. John Street-3, Suburb, the house formerly occupied by Mr. Allan, boot and shoe-maker, where he hopes by strict attention and moderate charges to merit and receive a continuance of the liberal support he has hitherto received.

37 Funerals furnished on the shortest notice.
Quebec, 20th May, 1838.

MORISON'S UNIVERSAL MEDICINE.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers, general Agents for Morison's Pills, have appointed WILLIAM WHITEFAX, Sub-Agent for the Upper Town, No. 27 St. John Street.

LEGG & Co

That the public may be able to form some idea of Morison's Pills by their great consumption, the following calculation was made by Mr. WING, Clerk to the Stamp Office, Somerset House, in a period of six years, (part only of the time that Morison's Pills have been before the public), the number of stamps delivered for that medicine amounted to three million, nine hundred, and 1 one thousand.

The object in placing the foregoing before the public is to induce therefrom the following powerful argument in favour of Mr. Morison's system and to which the public attention is directed, namely, that it was only by trying an innocuous purgative medicine to such an extent that the truth of the Hygeian system could possibly have been established. It is clear that all the medical men in England, or the world, put together, have not tried a system of vegetable purgation to the extent and in manner prescribed by the Hygeia. How, therefore, can they (much less individually) know any thing about the extent of its properties.

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 curled 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.

BEGG & URQUHART.

BEG to intimate to the public, that they have opened and stocked with Fresh Medicines, of the finest quality, that Shop
No. 8, Notre Dame Street, Lower Town, (formerly occupied by the late Dr. ROBERTS,) where they intend carrying on the business of

CHEMISTS and DRUGGISTS

in all its branches, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.
THEY HAVE FOR SALE—
Very superior Stouglton Bitters
Black, Red, and Copying Inks
Shir's Medicine Chests, complete
Sola Water and Lemonade from the Fountain and in Bottle.
Moffat's Life Pills and Noenix Bitters:
Quebec, 17th May, 1838.

NEW GROCERY STORE,

CORNER OF PALACE AND JOHN STREETS.
H. J. JAMIESON,

RESPECTFULLY announces that he has commenced business in the above house, where he has on hand a choice selection of WINES and other LIQUORS, 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 with which he may be favoured, 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. F. and O. L. P. warranted eleven years in bottle
Quebec, Sept. 1838

GILLESPIE, JAMIESON & CO.

HAVE FOR SALE
RUM, Jamaica and Grenada
Sugar, Moscovado and Clayed
Molasses
Bohea Tea
Cognac Brandy
Hollands Gin
U C Flour
Upper Canada Leaf Tobacco
Pickles, Sauces, &c
Blacking,
Limesed Oil, Boiled and Raw
Mahogany.
Quebec, 14th August, 1838

BROWN'S

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

* * Cast off Clothes bought, sold, or exchanged for new, and money advanced on goods given in for sale.
Quebec, 28th July, 1838 6 to 2

ENGRAVING, &c.

J. JONES, Visiting Card Engraver and Printer, REMOVED to No. 18, Couillard Street, two doors from St. John Street, Upper Town.
Quebec, 28th July, 1838 3 to 2

FASHIONABLE GOODS

THE subscribers beg to inform the public that they have received a splendid assortment of FASHIONABLE GOODS of every description, including Straw and Dunstable Bonnets of the latest shades, which, with the newest Gauze Ribbons,—they will be prepared to show on Saturday. The other Goods are now preparing, and will be ready for sale early next week.

R. SYMES & Co.
Who have also an assortment of Gentlemen's best and most fashionable BEAVER HATS.
May 17, 1838.

SWAIM'S CELEBRATED PANACEA,

AN invaluable remedy for RHEUMATISM, SCROFULOUS, AND ULCEROUS DISEASES, and all disorders arising from AN IMPURE STATE OF THE BLOOD For sale by

MUSSON & SAVAGE,
Chemists and Druggists,
Quebec, 16th August, 1838 Upper-Town

MOFFAT'S Life Pills and Phoenix Bitters.

THE subscribers have just received a fresh supply of the above.
BEGG & URQUHART,
Agents,
Quebec, 5th May, 1838.

H. CARWELL,

REMOVED from Palace Street to Fabrique Street opposite the Upper Town Market.
Quebec, 4th May, 1838.

BRITISH AND ITALIAN MARBLE CHIMNEY PIECES, for Sale by
RICHARDSON BROWN,

T. HOBBS,

Cabinet, Sofa, and Fancy Chair Manufactory,
No. 18, SAINT JOHN STREET,

IN returning thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal encouragement he has hitherto received, informs them that in addition to his Cabinet stock of Furniture on hand, he has commenced a FANCY CHAIR BUSINESS in all its branches, having engaged experienced workmen for that purpose. On hand, and nearly finished, 300 Chairs of various patterns and colours; Garden Chairs made to any pattern, of the best materials.

All orders in the above line executed with dispatch

37 Funerals furnished on the lowest expense.
Hearse to let
Quebec, 16th August, 1838

Oatmeal, Pot Barley, Sails, &c. FOR SALE.

A FEW TONS OATMEAL, in bags and barrels, 45 barrels Pot Barley, superior quality;
ALSO,

A variety of Sails,—comprising Fore-sails, Top-sails, Top-gallant-sails, and Gill-sails, suitable for vessels of from 200 to 800 tons.
10 cwt. 2, 3 & 4 Spun Yarn, and
A few cwt Oatmeal.
1000 8, 3, and 4 bushel Bags and Sacks
JAMES S. MILLER,
Commercial Buildings, St. Peter Street

VICTORIA HOUSE

(BUE BOIS—FORT—QUEBEC.)
GEORGE ARNOLD, PROPRIETOR,

IS now open for the reception of visitors. The situation and accommodation of this 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 favour 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 dimension which render 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 harbor 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.

Quebec, 23d June, 1838.
GEO. ARNO D

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 of that line, from the Upper Province and the United State.

FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD.

WHEREAS WILLIAM COATES, of the City of Quebec, late First Teller, of the Branch of the Montreal Bank, established at Quebec, and discharged with feloniously stealing, in the month of February last, from the Office of the said Bank at Quebec, a large quantity of notes of the Montreal Bank, amounting in the whole to nearly Ten Thousand Pounds currency; and whereas the said William Coates hath been committed to the common jail of the District of Quebec, to take his trial for the said offence, and whereas the greater part of the said Notes so stolen, as aforesaid, has not been found or traced—Notice is hereby given, that the above reward of

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS currency, will be paid to any person or persons who shall give information by which the whole of the stolen property shall be recovered, and a proportionate part of the above Reward according to amount which may be so found and recovered upon application to the undersigned at the office of the said Bank in St. Peter Street, in the city of Quebec.

A. SIMPSON, Cashier.
N. B.—The Notes stolen are principally Notes of 100 dollars, 50 dollars and 20 dollars each, of Montreal Bank, payable at Quebec.

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