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May 28, 1852.

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August 22, 1856.

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Rooms per day,	50 cts.
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January 11, 1856. 1y.

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ST. JOHN, N. B.
August 29.

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50 ddz. Deep GOLD LEAF;
5 " Patent Glaziers' DIAMONDS.
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5 Bbls. Crushed SUGAR; 5 do. Granulated do;
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10 do. P. Y. SOAP; 10 do. Com. do.;
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2 do Old Hyson; 1 do. Gunpowder;
5 Bbls Crushed SUGAR; Brown Porto Rico ditto, and Molasses; Maple do, and Honey;
FRESH GROUND COFFEE;
300 Lbls. Dried APPLES, (sliced and cored);
2 Tierces CRANBERRIES;
40 Packages RAISINS, in prime order
Zante and Smyrna *Currants* and *Prunes*;
3 Tierces Rice; Family FLOUR, Oatmeal, Gray Buckwheat, and Corn MEAL, Clark's Corn Starch, Hecker's FARINA; "Morry's" Ginger, BROMA, Cocoa Paste, Prepared Cocoa and CHOCOLATE; Scotch Marmalade, Window GLASS and putty; Potter's Burning FLUID, Chamberlain's SALERATUS in boxes, Cucumber PICKLES in vinegar and pickle; Castile and other SOAPS; 20 bushels NEW BRUNSWICK GRASS SEED, Beans and Peas, Sage and Hops, Buckwheat, and OATS; 10 boxes Tobacco; 10 M. CIGARS choice brands; 10 do Woodstock Pipes; fat SHAD, Mackerel and Labrador Herrings—together with a general assortment of Groceries, inferior to none in the City at lowest Market rates, at No. 70 Charlott street, St. John.
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October 2nd, 1855.

Dear Sir,—I have great pleasure in informing you of the great good your excellent *Cough Lozenges* do in Pulmonary diseases.

I am a Medical Practitioner in Bombay, and am satisfied with their good effects, and would feel obliged by your sending me the wholesale price for a quantity.

I remain, Sir, yours, respectfully,
COWASJI RUTTONJI KHARADI.
T. KEATING, Esq.

Recent Testimonial to the value of Keating's Cough Lozenges.

I cannot express what I suffered,—coughing expectorating, and the respiration impeded Strange to say, I gradually recovered, without any treatment, except by taking a few boxes of Keating's Cough Lozenges My lungs were so much affected and the general health so debilitated, that I had but little hopes of recovery.

3rd Nov., 1853. (Signed) J. PICKERSGILL.
Sergeant 66th Regiment, Quebec.

To Mr. KEATING, 79, St. Paul's Church Yard.

☞ Agent for St. John—Messrs. CHUBB & Co.
For Fredericton—Mr. GALE, Druggist.
October 31, 1856.

E. N. POWERS, Undertaker, &c.

Fourth Door North Trinity Church, Germain-st
ST. JOHN, N. B.,

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CORN MEAL, in Bbls.; Do. in Bags;
Extra do for Family use;
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The undersigned hopes, by keeping a good Stock always on hand, and selling at a low price to merit a continuance of the very liberal patronage hitherto extended to the above establishment.
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LADIES' White and Black Satin BOOTS;
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Ladies' White and Black Kid SLIPPERS;
Ladies' Bronze Kid SLIPPERS;
Ladies' Finest Enamelled SLIPPERS, and several other sorts for Ball purposes.
September 26. S. K. FOSTER.

Poetry.

INVOCATION TO SPRING.

BY RICHARD COE.

Spring! beautiful Spring!
Come to this desolate, dreary world of ours,
Come with thy breath of balm—thy gift of flowers
Thy gentle birds that sing
In sunny bowers;
Come with thy gladsome hours;
Spring! beautiful Spring!

Earth is weary of its winter sleep,
And longs to waken into life again;
To see the budding vines and grasses creep
Along the cheerful plain;
For thou wilt bring,
O! beautiful Spring!
These and like beauties in thy gentle train!

Come with thy children three—
The stormy March that weepeth all the day—
The fickle April and the flowery May—
Oh! 'twere a happiness to see
Far up on high,
Thy clear blue sky,
Like a bright beautious and eternal thing,
Spring! beautiful Spring!

What time the primrose with a keen delight,
Comes peeping upwards from the fallow ground
What time the swallow in his rapid flight
About the barn-door circleth round and round;
I love to walk abroad and trace
On nature's face
The gladness of thy coming, and to sing,
With bird, and flower, and bee,
Sweet praises unto thee,
Spring! beautiful Spring!

Come, then, sweet Spring!
Come to this desolate, dreary world of ours;
Come with thy breath of balm, thy gift of flowers;
Thy gentle birds that sing
In sunny bowers;
Come with thy gladsome hours,
O! beautiful Spring!
And bring, ay, bring it near,
Sweet childhood of the year,
Joy, health, and freshness on thy dewy wing,
Spring! beautiful Spring!

Miscellaneous Selections.

ADVENTURE AT A MASKED BALL.

A letter from Berlin mentions a singular adventure of a young officer who rode from Pasewalk, twelve miles, to Berlin for the pleasure of attending a court masquerade, having leave of absence for only a few hours. He did not arrive in Berlin till late, and found the friend he had expected to accompany already gone to to the ball. The card of admission was left for Lieutenant von B, however, and he lost no time in seeking for a mask and domino. After going to several places he found a white silk domino with a cap ornamented with a white, a red, and a blue feather, and a band of the same three colors, which had been made expressly to order; but as it had not been called for at the hour named, the shopkeeper had no scruples about disposing of the articles.

The young Lieutenant was soon equipped, and in a quarter of an hour was among the masked guests in the royal castle. He had hardly walked through the room when a lady dressed exactly as he was, come quickly towards him, seized his arm and whispered—

'For mercy's sake where have you been! I have waited this hour. Now, make haste! away!' She drew him quickly into the hall and down the staircase. The officer yielded willingly, for the slender form, white rounded arm, and sweet, youthful voice of his companion, gave promise of rare loveliness, and the adventure was to his taste. At her bidding he called one of the hackney coaches that stood at the door, and helped her in; then pausing with his foot on the step, asked—'where the man should drive!'

'I do not understand you!' cried the lady in a tone of reproach; 'you know—to Brandenberg!' The lieutenant whispered to the coachman to drive out of the farthest gate, and stop at the first inn—and sprang into the carriage.

'Ah, Pierre,' exclaimed the lady—, now that the step is taken, I half repent! You will not abuse my confidence!'

Her companion assured her he would not.

'Did you find any difficulty,' she resumed 'in selling my diamonds?'

'Oho! Monsier Pierre has been selling diamonds!' said the officer to himself, 'and who knows what he has done with the money!' He began to feel compassion for the deceived one, and to ponder how he should break the truth to her. To her reproach for his silence he answered—

'I must confess that the step we have taken—'

'Have you not urged me to it!' cried the lady quickly. 'You cannot forget how reluctantly I consented.'

'It is not too late to return; the step can be retraced without awakening suspicion' —said the gentleman in his natural voice.

'Gracious Heavens! Who are you?'—cried the lady in the wildest terror. How came you in that dress, which has enabled you to deceive me?

The lieutenant explained all, and dwelt on the supposition that the lover she expected had gone off with her jewels. He concluded by advising her immediate return to the ball before her absence could be noticed. On their way back, the lady showed her confidence in his honor by revealing her name. She was the daughter of the Minister von B. Her lover was her father's secretary, a French emigrant, who pretended to be of noble family.—and, despairing of the parental consent had persuaded her to an elopement for the purpose of a private marriage.

They reached the castle in good time, and the fair Mademoiselle von B., was seen mingling among the dancers, not one of whom was the wiser for her absence. This romantic adventure ended in her marriage to the officer, for nothing was ever heard of the diemonds.

REV. C. H. SPURGEON—THE "MODERN WHITFIELD."

The following sketch of the world-known preacher was written by Mr. John Boyd for the Boston Journal, from which we copy it. It was written on the 30th of last month in London.

The Rev. Mr. Spurgeon is a preacher, about whom every one is anxious to know, and to form an opinion.

Mr. Boyd's description of this matter and manner will assist the judgement of the enquirer.

The interest excited by the "Modern Whitfield" as some call him, the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, may perhaps be gratified in some degree by another, who will add his experience to that oft-told, and in so many opposite varieties, by others.

Mr. Spurgeon has resumed his services in the large hall of the Surrey Gardens, the scene of the lamentable accident a short time since.

Long before the hour for public worship, we found ourselves amidst a dense mass of human beings, all hurrying to the same point. Having secured tickets, which are sold at one shilling each, (the proceeds devoted to the erection of a new church,) we had no doubt of obtaining a seat as the paying public were first provided for; but on our arrival we found every seat in that immense hall taken—and in a short time every foot of room for sitting or standing was occupied, there being in all not less than 10,000 persons!

Here was a sight rarely witnessed, and on such an occasion, perhaps never, before the advent of this man.

Such an opportunity rarely falls to the lot of a Christian Orator, and seldom has our world produced a man who was better fitted for his position than this eloquent young preacher.

I am not of the christian denomination to which he is attached, nor do I sympathize with some of his theological opinions, so that my judgement worth little or much, will be at least, impartial; but there has been so much written—and not always in the best spirit—that I will attempt to describe the man and the services, and while recording my judgement will endeavour to defend him from the attacks of some who have fallen into the error of which it is written.

"He that answereth a matter, before he heareth it, it is a folly and shame unto him."

The preacher commenced the services with a short and solemn appeal to God to bless the congregation and prepare all for their sacred duties. The hymn was then given out—

"Come let us join our cheerful songs,
With angels round the throne;
Ten thousand thousand are their tongues,
But all their joys are one."

Most appropriate words for an audience of thousands and they were sung with thrilling effect—the preacher having requested all to join.

He then read the second chapter of Joshua, continuing at the sixth chapter to the 22nd verse to the end, it being an historical account of Rahab and the Spies, on which he offered a commentary of much originality.

The following verse was then sung:

"Now my soul thyself prepare
Jesus loves to answer prayer,
He himself has bid thee pray—
Therefore he will not say Nay."

He next offered up a prayer, referring to the varied blessings which the people enjoyed—and then he pleaded for the necessities as a church—a family—a community—a nation—and concluded with a fervent appeal to the Great Spirit to come down, fill the house with His presence, any every heart with His grace, while thus engaged in solemn sanctuary services.

The beautiful hymn followed—

"Rock of ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."

The text of his discourse was taken from the 11th chapter Hebrews, 31st verse—a chapter which he characterized as a monument erected to commemorate the victories of faith—of the victory of faith over death, in the person of Enoch—over that of Sarah—over fraternal affection, in Abraham—over despair in Jacob—over temptation, in Moses—and even in the case of the harlot, the most remarkable of all faith struggled with sin, and held tournament with iniquity; but yet came forth a mighty conqueror.

In analyzing the faith of Rahab, he viewed it a saving, singular, sympathizing, and sanctifying, and on all these points his illustrations were rich, glowing, eloquent and impressive.

There are few subjects which require more care in bringing before a mixed audience, and one marked feature in the discourse was the delicacy displayed in alluding to the peculiar character of Rahab, and the application founded upon it, addressed to her sisters of the present day, many of whom, the preacher was aware was there present.

Extreme peculiarities were not certainly displayed on this occasion.

The speaker made many happy hits at prevailing follies. He illustrated by anecdote many of his positions, but all were exceedingly appropriate, and fastened the attention more powerfully on the point he was discussing.

Illustration and anecdote were daguerreotype of the events passing in their midst. Of his power one may judge from its effects.

I noticed many whose gray hairs and weather beaten faces showed them long "unused to the melting mood," and yet in vain they tried to hide the falling tear. Pur one heart seemed to animate that vast throng.

The slightest whisper, had there been such, might have been heard, there was wrapt, solemn silence broken only now and then by some quaint allusion which, however, only tended more powerfully to intensify the attention.

And why all this? There was no passionate appeal—no violent declamation—but solemn home truths, uttered by one and in a manner which left no doubt that the speaker himself felt in all their power these utterances.

Here then is one grand source of the preacher's power.

His own soul seems warmed and elevated with his subject. In his analysis of the human heart you follow him willingly, because you see there spread before you the workings of your own. Into his descriptions of life scenes you readily enter, because all these you have seen again and again; and his arguments you receive, for while they possess all the force and strength of the most logical arrangement, they are presented in a manner which even a child may understand.

While we often hear the expression, "the man of the people," he is emphatically the preacher of the people; and yet the desire to hear him is not confined to one class. On this occasion there were among his auditors Lord John Russell, Lord Stanley, the Lord Chancellor, &c., and it is rumoured that the Queen has expressed her intention at some future time to hear him, and as Her Majesty is herself one of the people, in feeling, I have no doubt she will carry out this intention.

Mr. Spurgeon has departed from the beaten track of pulpit etiquette in this country, as Father Taylor and Henry Ward Beecher have done in yours, and for this reason he has had much to contend with even among those who should be the first to give him their approval. But for this he cares little. He stands on no ceremony when souls are perishing. When the ship is sinking, he feels that it is not the time to attend to one's toilette. We admire such a character. The people love him, and why? Because he has 'pluck' (excuse the word) to tell them in a manly direct way, their follies, and also the means of escape. We forget the foolhardiness of a Peter in his earnest devotion; the vehemence of a Luther in his manly exposure of error; the violence of a Knox in his fearless integrity. Then why here dwell upon slight defects, and allow these to out weigh the more sterling excellencies?

In the bright sunshine of an April day, the occasional showers serve only to clear the air, and by contrast render it more beautiful.

So with our preacher; those which some regard as defects, only serve to show more clearly beauties with which they are surrounded.

I can hardly describe his personal appearance. In the print shops, portraits innumerable are to be seen. In stature he is short—broad built; he has a pale full face, with a large peculiar shaped mouth and unintellectual countenance. He has not the appearance of a great student of either men or books although he must have carefully studied both. In the former, I think the lower and working classes have been his chief study, in the latter, the Bible and the Puritan divines, such as Flavel, Bunyan, Baxter, Howe, Charnock, and others of this stamp, whose writings he frequently quotes. I was told that he was intended for a Veterinary Surgeon, but a friend who noticed his peculiar ability as a Sunday School Teacher induced him to enter the ministry.

Such is C. H. Spurgeon—a great mission is before him. Four and twenty summers have not yet passed over him, and the influence he exercises is most powerful. On every occasion of his public ministrations, thousands who never enter a place of worship flock to hear him, and hundreds who went to mock, remain to pray! The full results of his mission eternity alone will disclose. Let us be careful how we join in the outcry against him. The day will declare his work—"if it be of men it will come to naught; but if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it, lest haply ye be found even to fight against God!

ALEXANDER DUMAS.—A person more remarkable for inquisitiveness than good breeding—one of those who, devoid of delicacy and reckless of rebuff, pry into everything, took the liberty to question Mr. Dumas rather closely concerning his genological tree.

"You are a quadroon, M. Dumas?" he began.

"I am, sir,' replied M. Dumas, who had seen enough not to be ashamed of a descent he could not conceal.

"And your father?"

"Was a mulatto."

"And your grandfather?"

"A negro," hastily answered the dramatist, whose patience was waning.

"And may I inquire what your great grandfather was?"

"An Ape, sir," thundered Dumas, with a fierceness that made his impertinent interrogator shrink into the smallest possible compass. "An Ape, sir—my pedigree commences where yours terminates."

HOW TO COOK RHUBARB—It is a common error in cooking rhubarb to peel it. This should never be done as the skin contains the aroma of the plant, and is not at all fibrous but cooks as readily and becomes pulpy. We have derived this information from a French cook of note, experience and skill. The same cook tells us that asparagus should be cut into pieces about three quarters of an inch long before cooking. It should be boiled with a nice piece of salt pork and served up in the same manner as peas.

"My wife tells the truth three times a day," remarked a jocose old fellow, at the same time casting a very mischievous glance at her. Before rising in the morning, she says—O dear I must get up, but I do not want to.' After breakfast, she adds—'Well, I suppose I must go to work, but I do not want to,' and she goes to bed saying —'There, I have been fussing all day, and have not done anything.'

SURGERY.—The following is an anecdote of Dr. Johnson: Boswell once asked Johnson if there was no possible circumstance under which suicide would be justifiable. 'No,' was the reply. 'Well,' says Boswell, 'suppose a man had been guilty of some fraud that he was certain would be found out.' 'Why then,' says Johnson, 'in that case let him go to some country where he is not known, and not to the devil where he is known.'

FRANK'S DREAM.

"We haven't said our prayers, mother."

"Never mind, dear, I'll hear them in the morning."

"Please to hear me say mine, mamma!"

The earnest pleading tones in which these words were uttered, made the mother hesitate for a minute before she replied, "You know mamma's in a hurry, dear. There is company in the parlor; but she'll hear them in the morning." And with a kiss and a look of unutterable fondness bestowed upon each of her little boys, the young, beautiful, and loving, but careless, thoughtless mother descended to the parlor, leaving the door ajar, so that if the little ones should call for any thing, they could be the more distinctly heard. The wind blew in this crevice, making the light of the candle flicker, until at last was extinguished. There was silence in the room for some ten minutes; then a sweet silvery voice asked, "Are you asleep brother?"

"No!" was the reply.

"I wish nursie was come home to-night?"

"Why?"

"Because she would listen to my prayer."

Another silence followed. Then again was heard the same sweet voice, "Let us get up and say our prayers, brother?"

"Why it is all dark, Willie."

"Never mind! we will take hold of each others hand, and you know God can see us in the dark, just as plain as if it were light."

"But it's so cold."

"We won't stay in the cold long; and we will soon get warm again, when we get back into bed. Will you brother?"

"Mother said it was no matter; she said she would hear them in the morning."

"May be God will not take care of us until morning, if we do not ask Him to, brother. Will you come?"

"Mother knows best, and she said never mind!

After another silence there was a slight rustling in the room.

"Where are you, Willie?"

"By the bedside, brother. I will pray for you too."

Some ten minutes elapsed, when again a slight movement was heard, which showed that the little fellow was creeping back into bed. "O, how cold you are, Willie!" was the exclamation, as his feet touched his brothers.

"I do not mind it, brother, I am so happy. I wish you had prayed, too, but I asked God to take care of you, too, to-night, and I think He will.—Brother, if I should die to-night. I would not be afraid. I don't think it is hard to die."

"I do. I never want to die, and leave pa and ma."

"I would be willing to leave ma and pa, to live with God in heaven, and be always happy and always good. Wouldn't you?"

"No! I think it is a great deal pleasanter here. I don't believe that they have any kites or tops in heaven."

"But you know nursie says that the little angels have crowns of gold on their heads, and harps in their hands, and that they play such beautiful music on them and sing such pretty hyms. Oh, I'd like to be in heaven with them!"

"I would rather spin my top, than play tunes on a harp."

But it isn't like playing common tunes; it is praising God! O, brother! if you would only pray, you would love and praise Him! I do not mean to say your prayers after mother or nurse, although it is very pleasant to have them teach us pretty ones. But I mean to ask God for whatever you want, just as you do ma and pa, and to coax him to make you good. Oh how I wish, mamma papa, and you would learn to pray so!"

"Where is nursie, mother? she has not been in our room this morning."

"Then she did not get home last night. She said that if her sister was worse, she would stay all night with her. But where is Willie?

"He is asleep yet; I spoke to him, but he did not awake."

"Then I will keep some breakfast warm for him and we will let him sleep as long as he will. I do not think Willie is well. Did you notice dear," continued the mother, turning to her husband, "how heavy his eyes looked yesterday? But when I asked him if he was sick, he answered in his usual gentle way, "Only a headache, mama; don't be worried."

"I did not observe that he looked ill,' was the reply. "But if he does not appear well to-day you had better send for a physician."

"O, I had such a funny dream last night, about Willie and I," exclaimed little Frank.

"What was it my boy," asked his father, willing to be amused with the prattle of his child.

"Well, after mamma left us last night, the light blew out; and Willie wanted me to get up in the cold and dark with him to say our prayers, and I wouldn't because mamma said that we needn't say them till morning, and I thought she knew best. But Willie got up and said his, and when he came to bed again he was so cold that it made me shiver all over to touch him. But he said he didn't mind it, he was so happy, and he talked a great deal about flying, and about the angels in heaven, until I fell asleep, and it was that which made me dream, I suppose; for I thought Willie and I we.t to bed just as we had done, and that he said his prayers, and that I wouldn't say mine. But I thought the window was raised, and that the shutters was wide open, so that I lay on the bed looking up in the sky, and thinking how beautiful the moon and stars looked, when I saw way up in the heavens, further up than the stars, two shadows moving, that looked alike; but they kept floating down till they reached the lower stars, and then I saw that they were angels; but they looked so small at such a distance that I thought them baby angels, but as they came nearer and nearer, they grew larger, and when they floated through the windows into our room, they looked like two very lovely ladies, with crowns on their brows, like Willie told of. But one seemed rather younger than the other, and she appeared to look up to the other angel, as if to be guided by her. But O, such beautiful voices as they had! When they spoke it sounded even sweeter than the church organ, when it plays very sweet and low. When they came towards one bed, they looked, and then [illegible] the arm.

I was frightened, and covered my face with the bed clothes. I was afraid they would take me away with them, and I remembered that I had refused to pray, so I did not want to be taken where God was, then I heard one of those beautiful voices ask, 'Are we to take both?' O such music as was made when they talked! All around our room it floated sweeter than the soft, low carol of a bird; and I heard the answer, 'No: only the one that prayed. We are to leave the other one a while longer upon the earth, in hopes that he may learn to pray before we carry him before the great Hearer of prayer.' Then they came close to me and I trembled dreadfully, and my heart beat so that I could scarcely breathe; and they uncovered my face and looked at me, but I dare not look at them; by-and-by I felt a big tear drop on my cheek. O, mamma, how grieved I was then, to think that I had made the angels weep; for now thought I would much rather have crowns like they wore, and be as good and as lovely as they, and have God to love me, than have all the kites and tops, and marbles that are in the world! But they passed away from me, and they went to the other side of the bed, then I opened my eyes to watch them and they both smiled on Willie; and when they smiled their whole face grew bright until they shone like the sun; then they stooped down and kissed Willie, and he smiled too; and I saw that his face was shining like theirs; and he stretched out his little arms again, and the taller angel lifted him from the bed, and laid him on the bosom of the younger one, who hugged him close to her, as though she loved him so much. Then the other angel twined her arms around both, and they all three floated through the air, until they sailed past all the stars, and became like pale white clouds that grew smaller and smaller, until they were nothing but little specks, and I saw them no more! For a long time I lay very still, looking up into the bright sky, hoping to see them come again, and bring Willie back again. But when I found they came no more—oh, I was so lonesome! I cried so hard, and when I looked at Willie's place in bed, and thought he would never lie there again, and that I must always sleep alone, and have no little brother to play with or to talk to, I thought my heart would break! But when morning came, and I awoke and found little Willie in bed with me, I was glad and happy! His eyes were only half closed, that made me think at first that he was awake; his lips were parted with the same sweet smile that he wore last night when the angels looked at him, which made him look so like one of them; that made me feel so strangely again, so that I could not speak loud, but whispered softly, 'Willie! Willie!' but it did not wake him; then I laid my hands on him very gently, but he was so cold that it made me start. When I found that he did not get warm all night I put bed clothes tight around him, and did not try to wake him again.'

A strange chill crept through the mother's heart as she listened; and rising from the breakfast table, she hastened to the children's room. She found her little Willie lying on the bedside, pale, cold, and very beautiful, in that sleep which knows no waking.—*Ladies' Visiter.*

CHINA AND CHINESE CONSPIRACIES.

The despatches from Hong Kong are to the 15th of March.—The following is from the *China Mail* of that date:—

Affairs in the Canton river have been very quiet for some time past. The Imperialist junks are in great force. In the entrance to Eatshan Creek an attempt was made to dislodge them by the Encounter, small steamers, and boats of the squadron, on the 28th Feb., which failed, the Encounter not being able to get within 2700 yards of the nearest junks, her bow pivot gun alone being able to reach them. The steamers Hong Kong and Forbes were a few hundred yards in advance, and kept up a hot fire with admirable precision, by which three of the junks were silenced. Had the boats advanced and attacked them at close quarters, confusion and panic would have ensued on the part of the "brave," and the destruction of the junks would have been inevitable. No doubt there would have been much loss of life in the boats from the first volley, as all the broad side guns were depressed. The firing was kept up on both sides upwards of two hours, when, as if by mutual consent, there was a cessation of hostilities.

The Cantonese have not has yet commenced rebuilding the suburbs or forts. They have contented themselves by digging in salt into the soil of the Factor gardens, and making a few small batteries on the left bank of the river below the ruins of the French folly. Not a boat to be seen in Elliot Passage, being exposed to the guns of the Encounter, Comus, Acorn, Elk and Barracouta. Whampoa is still in a deserted state. H. M. S. Sybille, Sampson, and Hong Kong are at Second Bar; Nankin still at anchor off Wantung Forts. The Nankin's crew have been busily employed destroying the South Fort, and this, the main branch of the river to Canton, is in the possession of Sir M. Seymour. The passage boats now ply by the Broadway Passage, Macao River, and Hyacinth Creek, turning to the right if for Canton by boat passage, or to the left if for Fatshan, which is now a place of considerable importance.

An attack and the burning of some Chinese men-of-war junks at Toom Choong, by the steamers Auckland and Eaglet, with the loss of only one man belonging to the Auckland, after a few hours' engagement, have given us considerable satisfaction, the more so as being a set off against the successful capture of the Queen steamer; and we trust that rewards will be allotted to Mr. Ellis, commanding the Eaglet, and Lieutenant Davis and de Ellin, of the Auckland, for their gallant conduct in that affair.

Our brave old Admiral Sir Michael, as is always on the *qui vive*, constantly on the river between this place and Canton, inspecting, instructing, and occasionally attacking.

GUNBOATS FOR CHINA.—Plymouth, Monday.—At noon, to-day, 13 gunboats left here for the China waters, under convoy of the paddle-wheel frigate furious, also the Surprise and Mohawk, despatch vessels, and Hasper, steam store-ship, which steamed out after them. In the course of the afternoon sails were set, as the wind was fair, and as the gun boats carried coals on deck they rolled heavily in going out. They will probably rendezvous at Madeira. Considerable interest is felt as to their capability of performing so long a voyage.

HEALTH OF LONDON.—The total number deaths registered last week was 1071—of which 546 were those of males, 531 those of females. Last week the births of 828 boys and 768 girls, in all 1596 children, were registered in London. In the ten corresponding weeks of the years 1846-55 the average number was 1417. In the thirteen weeks that ended 27th September, 14,056 persons died in London, which is about a thousand more than in the same quarter of 1855.

The Chronicle.

St. John, N. B., May 29, 1857.

THE RESIGNATION OF THE GOVERNMENT.—This occurrence, to the infinite delight of the opposition has at length taken place, but not to the entire satisfaction of that violent party. The history of this Province does not furnish a parallel to the artifices resorted to by the "Smashers" for the purpose of obtaining for themselves the power to rule, and the sweets of office thereunto attached. The meanest *chicanery*, the most spacious *promises*, the most barefaced *bribery*, have all been called into action, to aid them in the position they have obtained, and yet with all those attributes and appliances, the confidence of the country in the Conservative Government has not been shaken. They have undergone the ordeal of an appeal to the people, and the people spite of the attempts made to debase them, to desert the men in whom they believed, have made that fact known to them, and true to themselves, and to their country, that government has been returned—*fully* returned—a whole, and an unbroken phalanx, while many of the opposition, principally men who by betraying the party they were pledged to support, have received at the hands of a deceived constituency their full reward, by being rejected. Between this and the sitting of the House, the new Executive, that have boasted so much of the measures they would bring before the Legislature, and so loudly condemned, those they were pleased to designate the "do nothings," will have an opportunity of fully maturing their great schemes of Reform—mean time we shall look with no ordinary anxiety and with no ordinary expectations, for those great, masterly, and beneficial strokes of statesmanship, which under the dictation of those master spirits who wield the magic wands in editorial chairs of the Courier, the Leader, and the News, must as a natural consequence be produced. We shall look for a perfect, and a more economical Rail Road Bill, if possible, with fewer, and cheaper overseers for carrying out the work, and with that despatch which was so much wanting in the Conservative party. (Of course the increase of the number of Commissioners as hinted at by the News, was a mere joke, perpetrated by that funny man "Saint George of Canterbury.") We shall expect too an Election Bill that will please all sect and denomination, perfect and satisfactory in all its parts, as well as an unexceptional and an efficient scheme for peopling this Province with Emigrants, with a thousand and one other good measures, for retaining our young men that are leaving by thousands, and converting this Province, which *they say* has been so dreadfully retarded in its progress by Tory Fogyism, into a perfect elesium, when *health, wealth, peace,* and *plenty*, shall for ever dwell in the bonds of harmony. We shall see.

FIRST FRUITS OF LIBERALISM.—One of the principle charges brought against the Gray and Wilmot Administration, was, that they refused the people an extension of the Franchise, and the vote by Ballot; hence they were designated Tories, *Old Fogies*, and Stick in the Muds, and would grant no boon to the people, until it was wrenched from them by pressure from without. How stands the case now? Why the Fisher and Tilley Government brought forward and carried, during their short lived rule, an Election Bill that *was to be* a cure for all the evils of Toryism and Destructiveness. A Bill that while it disfranchised four hundred of our fellow Citizens, *Freemen*, also placed the sole control of who should, and who should not vote for members of the Assembly, into the hands of the Revisors, and those Revisors appointed by themselves. Hoping by this "cunningly devised fable," to entrap the people into a belief that they were the true Liberals, their organs, the *Courier*, *News*, and *Leader*, ransacked the whole vocabulary of Billingsgate for epithets sufficiently foul with which to bespatter them. At the late Election, this *great* Bill was put in operation in the County of York, Mr. Fisher's own County, and the Revisors were, his own particular friends, yet *all* would not do, that party instead of carrying all before them as they had previously boasted, were completely defeated, and the father of the *great* Bill found himself at the *foot of the Poll*. Oh! Liberals what a falling off is here!! But what of the Ballot now? Why this circumstance has in a great measure cooled the ardour of their glowing zeal, and we find one of their organs, the St. Stephen's *Patriot*, already hinting that the Ballot is not what it was "cracked up to be," that after all it *may be* "subject to many objections." True this is played upon a very small pipe, of a very small organ, yet straws will show which way the wind blows, and so soon as it is considered safe to do so, we may expect to hear the full swell of the *Base Notes*, of organs of larger pipe, in this City, amusing their dupes with the same tune. What the next dodge may be is in futurity, we shall watch for it.

NUTS FOR THE NEW GOVERNMENT TO CRACK.—The new Government now it is conceded on all hands, that such a thing will be, have got to handle the Railroad Bill, and so to handle it as will if possible, (and which we do not believe possible,) suit all parties. It is known beyond the possibility of a doubt that the Members from the "*dark north*," Johnson, Smith, Mitchell, &c., are bound hand and foot to use their best exertions for carrying the Railroad round by the North Shore, while the "*Smashers*" of York, Sunbury, and Charlotte, are equally bound to carry it by the way of the Valley of St John. Here, then, is antagonism, that if it does not fully effect a break up of that party, will go so far in scattering their ranks, as to permit the enemy to dash in and prevent them from again re-forming. After the solemn pledges made by those parties, in order to succeed at the late elections, we do not see how they will again dare to face their respective Constituencies, having failed in being able to effect what they promised. Another and it appears to us a much greater difficulty presents itself, there must be a School Bill. Now we are assured that there is a great diversity of opinion on this question among the "*Smashers*." One portion of that party insists the BIBLE *shall not* be made a class book in the Public Schools, while another portion as obstinately insist it *shall*. Again one portion of them is for a general School Tax, while another portion is deadly opposed to any such Tax. We are at a loss to know in the solution of those knotty questions, when we shall find that portion of the Protestants, and their organs that so luxuriated in the abuse of the Postmaster General simply because he was a Catholic. Which ever way they turn, we think their unmeasured abuse and illiberality, now to be accounted for, has placed them on the horns of a dilema.

A St. Louis paper estimates the population of that city, as to nationality, as follows:—Americans, 28,000; Germans, 25,000; Irish, 36,000; French, 4,000; English and Scotch, 5,000; Italians and Spanish, 6,000; Bohemians, 5,000.

THE NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL.—It is rumoured through the City, and confidentially believed that our fellow Townsman Charles Waters, Esq., will be called to fill this important office in the new Executive. Now although our friends the Conservatives have received at the hands of the "*Smashers*," an unmeasured amount of abuse for appointing the Hon. Mr. McPhelim, to the office of Postmaster General, on the score of his being a Catholic, we are not desirous of following what we consider very illiberal and graceless conduct on their part, by objection on account of Creed, to the gentleman above named. It is true we opposed Mr. Waters' Election to the Legislature, as we did that of all of the party to which he belongs, but the victory being on their side, we can afford to be magnanimous, and wish him joy, and that he may wear "his new got honors jauntily," and in common fairness we are constrained to say, that if there is a man among the Opposition that deserves the Office it is Chas. Waters, (albeit the son of a Tradesman.) We have a due respect and reverance for those who respect and revere the representative of Her Majesty, and it is due to Mr. Waters to say, that when faction and envy caused the "Smashers" to refuse to partake of the hospitalities of our worthy Governor, a piece of illmanners scarcely to be forgiven, Mr. Waters was not in the number of the uncourteous. Under those circumstances, we know of no one that His Excellency could with so much justice and propriety call upon, to form a Government, as Mr. Charles Waters.

INEBRIATE ASYLUM.—An effort is being made in New York to raise by subscription $50,000 for the establishment of an Asylum for the medical and scientific treatment of inebriates. We see it stated that of this sum $32,000 has already been subscribed. The citizens of Buffalo have given $2010, Albany $1010, Rochester $1100, Syracuse $1000, Utica $720, Lockport $600, Oswego $550, Rome $420, Watertown $420, Auburn $326, Binghampton $340, Albion 250, Amsterdam $240.

We know of no establishment so much required in this City as the above, and we feel assured, it would effect more in the way of curing drunkenness, than a thousand Temperance Societies.

LATE, AND HIGHLY IMPORTANT!—The Conservative Administration closed its career yesterday, by tendering their resignation *en masse*. His Excellency was pleased to accept of their resignations, and sent for Mr. Fisher to form a new Government. It is morning Mr. Fisher took passage in the steamer for St John, in order to make the necessary arrangements, and to ascertain who are to be his colleagues. It is said that the leading "Liberals" will hold a caucus meeting in St. John, and there settle how the "spoils" shall be divided. St. John is now the seat of Government *temporarily*, as it will be *permanently* if the Radicals remain in office one year.—*Hd. Quarters, 27th inst.*

☞ We are informed by a gentleman connected with the "Union Iron Mining Company" that during a late tour over that part of Digby neck covered by the leases of the Company, he discovered innumerable veins of iron ore, indicating beyond a doubt, the existence of immense deposits of that material in the district. Mining operations are to be commenced under the auspices of the company during the present season. *Apropos* of iron ores we have at our office several specimens of chrystalized magnetic ores of iron, taken from a fissure in the North Mountain. It is mingled with chrystalized quartz, and is supposed to contain over 80 per cent. of pure iron. A large quantities are supposed to exist in the locality from which these specimens were taken. The same person has also presented us with specimens of *Torrendi Stone* and what we take to be a pure article of *plumbago*. We shall have them examined by competent judges.—*Western News.*

THE GRAIN PROSPECT.—The cry of short crops which was set up a few weeks ago, is becoming exceeding faint as more favorable reports came crowding in from the grain-growing regions in all directions. Even from the Illinois, where the cry was first started and where a total failure of the wheat crop was predicted, intelligence is received giving quite a different color of the picture. The local press throughout the State, with few exceptions, speak of the grain prospects as most encouraging. A gentleman who has traveled quite extensively over the Western States, writes to the Cincinnati *Gazett*, that in his judgment, in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky, there will be a larger crop of wheat harvested the coming harvest than ever before. Similar advices are received from the South, and the present indications are that both the cereal and fruit crops of the country will be most abundant.—*Boston paper.*

NEW YORK May 18.

More Mormon Outrages.—The Times correspondent gives details of recent Mormon outrages at Salt Lake City, where a band of armed Danites entered the U. S. Court Room, while the Court was in session, and by threats of personal violence, compelled Judge Stiles to adjourn the Court *sine die*. The Judge, previous to submitting, appealed to Brigham Young for protection, but that functionary replied that he would not interfere, but let the boys have their own way; for the Court had already caused him much trouble. The greatest excitement existed in the city, as the Mormons were well armed, and had threatened the most disgraceful personal violence upon the Gentiles, and especially upon the U. S. Surveyor General.

HEAVY SUGAR SPECULATION.—"It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good." The high price of sugar has already yielded a fortune to those dealers who were in a situation to take advantages of it, and among them may be mentioned the house E. D. Morgan & Co., and of Spoilord & Tileston of New York. The latter firm sent an order for ten thousand tuns of Manilla sugar, a part of which has already arrived. The outlay for this venture was about $300,000, and the profits are expected to exceed $250,000.

A negro man named John Thompson was at porter house about three miles from Jersey City, when liquor was given him until he was able to drink no more. A man named David Keene, and others, then poured some down his throat. After this they saturated his hair with camphene, and set fire to it. He was then rather roughly handled, and died the same night.—*State of Maine.*

A SWINDLE.—A man appeared at Hartford a few days since, professing to be agent for company of singers, and made all preparations for a concert, and when the evening came stood at the door and took the money. After the audience were seated he said he guessed he would go over to the hotel and get the singers, but the singers did not come, and it was found that the agent took 8 o'clock train.

Forty of the prisoners who tried to escape from Sing Sing were subjected to the shower bath punishment; and in addition to the showering, the ringleaders were placed upon bread and water diet, in a dark cell or dungeon. Dunn, the ringleader, received the infliction twice with the Croton hose full in his face.

A gentleman of New Bedford, last week, out of curiosity analyzed whiskay obtained from several liquor dealers of that city, and found large quantities of strychnine in each.

An Albany editor says he didn't see why his place was not washed away during the recent flood there, unless it was because there was such a heavy mortgage on it.

John Hames, a man 131 years old, is now living in Murray County, Georgia. He emigrated to South Carolina from his home in Virginia over a hundred years ago.

[From the Head Quarters.]

WHO ARE THE MEN?—We believe the members of the Conservative Government have all tendered their resignations. This is right and proper, and was determined upon the moment the result of the late elections were known; they only held on a few days to square up the routine business of some of the offices. In all probability His Excellency has, this very day, called upon one of the leading Radicals to form a new Ministry. Rumor has it that Mr. Fisher is the man, and although the old dame is said to be a great liar, we believe that for once she has spoken the truth.

We have been much amused during the few last days to see two of the Radical presses in St. John quarreling about the division of the spoils. The *Leader* (?) published a programme of the (supposed to be) new Government, with Johnson as Attorney General, and omitting Mr. Fisher's name altogether. The *News* was very wroth at this, and came out strong for Fisher. We must say that the sub-editor of the *News*—who is the writer of the articles we refer to—has shown more *nous* in this instance than we gave him credit for. Fisher, with all his faults, is far less objectionable than any other man of his party. He is not a smasher. In fact he is less progressive in his views than certain members of the Government who are about leaving office.

It may be asked why His Excellency selects Mr. Fisher as the new Premier. We cannot know His Excellency's motives, but it is easy to justify his course. Mr. Fisher was Attorney General, and *nominally* the leader of the Government from Oct. 1851 to 1856. It was not for His Excellency to know that after the elevation of Mr. Ritchie to the Bench, coxcomb Johnson assumed the leadership,—it was not for his Excellency to know that Mr. Fisher was the *ruled*, and not the *ruler* in the Council. One ministry out His Excellency could draw no nice distinctions, and would as a matter of course, call upon the man who was the leader (nominally) of the late Radical Government to form a new ministry.

What singular luck attends some men! In 1854 Mr. Fisher had an opportunity of joining and strengthening the Government, and if he had done so they would have been in existence still, and he the Attorney General. But excessive greediness warped his judgement, and he, by joining the Smashers, has caused all the turmoil and strife,—all the bickerings and quarrels, and expense of contested elections,—and all the long discussion in the Assembly, and neglect of public business that has taken place since his greediness was fully developed. We may thank Mr. Fisher for the whole of it. Again, in the winter of 1856, when he could not induce his colleagues in the Government to support his railway scheme, had he the manliness to resign and throw himself upon the House and the country, the Smashers would have been scattered to the winds, and he would have been chosen leader of a new administration powerful enough to carry any reasonable measure they might propose. Were it not for these grave errors in Mr. Fisher's career our railway to Canada would have been built ere this. Now, although returned low on the poll, only thirteen votes ahead of his fourth opponent, and only seventeen ahead of his double-dyed traitor protege, he has (if rumour speaks the truth) the cards in his hands for the third time. Has he grown wiser by experience? We cannot think so. He is too shrewd to be blind to the errors he has committed. He knows well that he has joined the wrong men and the wrong party. He knows that his conduct is, and has been, most injurious to this section of the Province, and that he is becoming day after day more and more unpopular in York. But with the obstinacy of a mule he will walk over the precipice with his eyes open. He will deserve his fate, and is not to be pitied, but meantime the country will suffer.

Mr. Fisher will claim for himself the office of Attorney General, and he will get it. Notwithstanding the Tilley press sets him down for an office of secondary importance, and gives the Attorney Generalship to Johnson—notwithstanding the sneers of that wit upon stilts at the idea of Fisher occupying a position from whence he may step upon the Bench on the first vacancy occurring—notwithstanding the modest programme of that very modest man, Smith who gives himself an office, and Mr. Fisher a seat in the Council *without office!*—he will have the power in his hands, and instead of being a humble suitor, as they wished and expected, he will be in a position to dictate terms to them. The poor Smashers will wince, but when it comes to the point they will gulp down their pride, and submit.—Johnson will be no higher in office than he was before. Smith will have the *honor* of a seat in the Council, and may grin like a monkey who see a dog picking a bone,—he will have the pleasure of looking on while others devour the spoils he has worked for. The sleek Mr. Tilley may have the Secretaryship again if he considers it worth his while to remove his family to Fredericton for the sake of nine month's salary. Mr. Watters will have to content himself without office once more—a penalty he has to pay for joining the Smashers. Mr. Connell cannot get the long coveted office of Postmaster General,—the northern Smashers despise him, and will override all Mr. Fisher's influence in that respect. Mr. Harding may have office, if he dare take it and run Mr. Lawrence a single race over the St. John course. Dare he do it. A prope of this political windmill: he joined the Conservative party for the sake of office was tendered him, but he shrunk from the ordeal—he dared not contest an election with Tilley; and then he censured and betrayed the Government because they did not give him office! Sly and cunning Charlie! Mild, sleek, and cat like Samuel! Know your man. If you wish to secure him you must carry him in your arms to the polls and elect him!

It is idle to speculate farther. Fisher, Johnson, Tilley, and Steeves will probably each resume his former position. Mr. Brown perhaps will have the Speakership. There will then be vacant the offices of Surveyor General, and Chief Commissioner of the Board of Works,—two offices for which there are no less than *twelve* hungry claimants, viz: Smith, Watters, Harding, Steadman, R. K. Gilbert, Gillmor, W. E. Perley, M'Leod, M'Clellan, Sutton, Mitchell and Connell! "O what a row, what a rumpus and a-doting all those endure, you may be sure, who go to sea,"—we mean all that embark in the *Smasher Clipper*.

If Mr. Fisher succeeds in forming a Government of Radicals, as he will strive to do, we shall be found true to our post in opposition. Our duty then will be to watch every movement of the party now in power, and hold up their errors to the ridicule and contempt of the world. This, we imagine, will keep our hands full. But should they—by the merest accident—introduce a good measure, it shall receive our hearty support, notwithstanding the rotten source from whence it emanates.

On Thursday morning, the 30th April, at a quarter after 5 o'clock, her Royal Highness the Duchess of Gloucester, aunt to her Most Gracious Majesty, departed this life at Gloucester House.—She was the last of the children of George III., was aged 81 years, and was looked upon as one of the most honored of that family. The immediate cause of dissolution was an entire decay of vital power; the proximate cause was, doubtless, the severe attack of spasms which prostrated the little remaining strength she had, and through dropsy or water on the chest supervened, yet it was not that which proved fatal in its effects. The Royal Duchess was unable to make the least mark of recognition to any of the members of the royal family.

The Marquis Dowager of La Rockejaquelin, the celebrated lady who rode on horseback by the side of her husband in the war of La Vendee, has just died at Orleans, in the eighty-fourth year of her age.

At the great Court Ball, the jewels of the Empress Eugenie were estimated at four millions of francs and the flounces of Alencons lace which covered the lilac satin robe of her Majesty cost six hundred thousand—the dress and jewels thus amounted to almost a million of dollars.

A movement has been set on foot amongst the influential Welshmen for the purpose of paying a national tribute to the memory of Llywelyn, "the last independent Prince of Wales."

THE CIRCASSIANS.—The following letter, which is extracted from the Pesth *Lloyd*, cannot but be acceptable to all these persons who take an interest in the fate of the Caucasian races:—Circassian Head Quarters, Tuabs, Feb. 26. By means of the British schooner Kangaroo, you will receive this letter, which will perhaps convey to Europe the first intimation of an event that may have very great influence on the future fate of the Circassian nations. It is known to you that Mehemed Bey (Bangnya), to whose person I am attached, has acceded to the wishes of the chiefs and deputies of the Circassian tribes, and has accepted the post of commander-in chief. On Monday the 23d February, we landed at Tuabs, where we have our head-quarters. Before our departure, Mehemed Bey engaged a couple of hundred military instructors for the different arms, and they accompanied us hither. Mehemed Bey has been solemnly proclaimed general-in-chief of all the Circassian forces. The princes, nobles, and deputies of the people have sworn on the Koran to obey him, and a deputation of the Circassian Diet has to-day sent in the flag of the prophet, which is the symbol of the highest power. The enthusiasm was very great when the new commander swore fidelity to the sacred standard. (The flag itself is green, and on it is a sword with the cresent and the star.)—The excitement is great, and the Circassians have resolved to obtain their complete independence or to perish in the struggle for it. It is expected that 150,000 men will be in the field by the month of May. "Russia," said Mehemed Bey to me just now, "will soon have an opportunity of convincing herself that a new spirit prevails. I know the materials which are placed at my disposal (Mehemed Bey was with the Circassians during the late war), and am of opinion that a nation which, without a military organization, could resist its enemy during thirty years, will, when properly organised, be able to achieve its complete independence. You may expect to receive some important news from these mountains in the coming spring. You shall have from me as early information of what happens as our means of communication will permit."

A singular legal case has just been concluded in Cincinnati. The defendant fifteen years ago found an infant upon his door steps and left it to a humane institution. He is now made to pay $150 per year for its support ever since.

When a native of Java has a child born, he immediately plants a cocoa tree, which, adding a circle every year to its bark, indicates the age of the child. The child, in consequence, regards the tree with affection all the rest of its life.

The *Moniteur* furnishes from official sources the grand total of the population of France, 36,039,-364. The tax on dogs, in the 37 thousand townships, yielded an aggregate of five millions of francs per annum.

The mission to the Friendly Islands has been so successful that the nation is a nation of Methodists; and the whole population from the King, (who is a "local preacher") down to his meanest subject, attend the Wesleyan ministry.

☞ *Holloway's Pills.*—Persons of plethoric habit, subject to a temporary loss of consciousness from a sudden determination of the blood to the brain, will find grate benefit from a course of Holloway's Pills. Epileptic spasms, convulsions, hysterics, palpitation of the heart, and all affections arising from disordered action of the vascular and nervous systems, are cured by a steady and persevering adherence of this mild cathartic. It regulates the action of the great internal organs and thus equalizes the circulation.

Married.

On Monday evening 25th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. C. Stewart, Wesleyan Minister, Mr. William D. Robinson, to Charlotte A., eldest daughter of Captain John Harvey, all of this City.

On the 18th inst., by the Rev. I. E. Bill, at the Baptist Personage, in Germain Street, Mr. Miles Hoar, of Salisbury, to Miss Elizabeth Hezen, of Sussex.

On Wednesday evening the 20th inst., by the Rev. C. Stewart, Wesleyan Minister, Mr. Daniel McLauchlan, to Miss Jane McKee, all of this City

By the Rev. Samuel Robinson, on the 19th inst., Mr. William W. McFeters, of this City, to Miss Catherine Elizabeth, fourth daughter of the late Mr. Wm. Redman, of Kingston.

On the 13th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Ferrie, A. M., Mr. Thomas Lennox, to Miss Susan Caitlis, both of Mushquash.

Died.

On Sunday morning, the 24th inst., after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Martha, widow of the late Mr. Ebenezer R. Herrington, and eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Fearebay, Senr., aged 64 years.

On the 28th inst., after a short illness, Michael J., only son of Lachlan and Maria Norton, aged 2 years and 3 months.

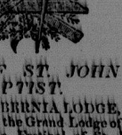
On Tuesday, the 26th inst., in the 88th year of his age, Michael Callahan, a native of Rosscarbery, County Cork Ireland.

On the 22d inst., Mr. George Cummins, in the 93rd year of his age.

At Westfield, (K. C.) on the 14th March, Mrs. Mary Smith, wife of Captain John Smith, and eldest daughter of the late Captain Joseph Britain, aged 64 years. She lost her mother at twelve years of age, and took the charge of a family of ten children until she was eighteen years of age, at which period she married, and subsequently became the mother of twelve children. She was an amiable and affectionate mother, and her heart and hand was ever ready and open to the relief of the poor and sick. Her loss will be long lamented by her family and a numerous number of relatives, neighbours and acquaintances. She departed in that good hope of a blessed immortality, her first and last end was peace.

At Sussex Vale, (K. C.) on the 20th instant, Mary, relict of the late Christopher Sheck, aged 91 years;—a Loyalist of 1783, from Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Masonic Celebration!!



FESTIVAL OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

THE Members of HIBERNIA LODGE, No. 301, on the Registry of the Grand Lodge of Ireland, intend celebrating the Festival of St. John the Baptist on the 24th June next, by forming in PROCESSION at the MASONIC HALL, Princess Street, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and marching through the principal streets of the City.

All Lodges Chapters and Encampments throughout the Province, and all transient brethren are fraternally invited to be present and participate in the proceedings of the day.

COMMITTEE.

ABRAHAM MAGEE, JOHN S. HALL,
M. N. POWERS, WILLIAM NAGLE,
EDWARD WILLIS.

By Order. EDWARD WILLIS,
Secretary to Committee of Arrangements.

St. John, May 29, 1857.

For City and Country Trade!!!

GOOD CLOTHING,

OF THE BEST QUALITY, AND AT LOW PRICES.

The Cheapest and largest Stock of Ready-made

CLOTHING,

is at Granite Hall, No. 5, Dock-street.

Every article warranted to what it is represented, or the money returned.

☞ GARMENTS made to measure at low prices, and in a superior manner.

May 29. THOS. R. JONES.

Selling Off at Great Reduction,

AT THE ST. JOHN CLOTHING MART,

Sign of the Royal Arms, No 3 Water Street.

THE large and splendid Stock of SUMMER CLOTHING which will be sold at such Tremendous Low Prices as cannot fail to secure a host of *Ready Customers!*

OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING LIST OF PRICES:

Black Dress Coats, a beautiful article, from 15s. upwards;
Black Dress Frock do., do do. 40s. "
do. Paletots do., do do. 23s. 9d "
do. Hunting do., do do. 20s. "
do. Sacks do., do do. 22s. 9d "
Satinett Hunting do., various colours, 18s. 9d "
Spring Bottom Pants, a beautiful article from 12s. 6d. to 52s.
Summer Vests, of all descriptions;
Silk Velvet Vests, various colours;
BOY'S CLOTHING—of every description;
Seamen's Outfits, in great variety;
HATS, CAPS, CARPET BAGS, &c.;
RUBBER CLOTHING—of every description.

Wholesale and Retail customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

VESTINGS—in great variety;

☞ GARMENTS made to order in the most fashionable style, at the shortest notice.

May 29. FRANCIS NEILL.

St. John, N. B., 16th May, 1857.

Now Landing ex the "Arthur White" from London.

7 TONS Brandram's No. 1 ground WHITE LEAD, in 1, 1-2, 1-4, and 1-3 cwt. kegs.
2 tons Brandrams No. 1 COLOURED PAINTS;
6 cwt. Dry PAINTS, consisting of Red Lead; Rose Pink; Orange & Lemon Chrome Yellow; Prussian Blue; Ultramarine Blue, &c., &c.
1 Tin Brandram's Patent Liquid Dryer.
20 Brls. common Whitening; 12 casks PUTTY in Bladders;
6 Casks Raw Linseed Oil; 1 Can White Spirit Varnish.
6 Cases Double Boiled do.; 1 can Superfine Coach do.;
2 Chests INDIGO; 1 Cask Red Chalk;
11 Boxes Lescher's Blue Starch; 1 Cask Cream of Tartar;
10 Kegs Coleman's S. F. Mustard; 1 Cask Blue Vitriol;
2 Casks Mixed Pickles; 1 case Spanish Liquorice;
1 Case Black and Red Current Jelly; 1 do. Orange Marmalade.
5 Bags Black Pepper; 1 Case Nutmegs;
12 Half chests Florence Oil; 2 Casks Saltpetre;
1 Cask Hemp Seed; 1 Case Deep Goldleaf;
And 8 other Packages, containing a large assortment of Drugs, Medicines, Soaps, Perfumery, Brushes, Combs, &c., &c. For Sale, Wholesale and Retail, by S. L. TILLEY,
May 29, 1857. No 35, King-street.

AMERICAN OYSTER SALOON and EATING HOUSE.

No. 27, Water Street.

THE Subscriber grateful for the kind patronage bestowed on him by his friends and the public generally heretofore, and soliciting from them a continuance of their favours, begs leave to announce that he has just received from Shediac a few barrels of Prime OYSTERS, which will be served up in any style required to suit custom ers.

MEALS at all hours of the Day and Evening.

Choice LIQUORS and CIGARS, Mineral, Soda Water, Syrups and Beers of the first quality, always on hand, and ready to order at a moments call. (May 29. JAMES KENNY.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.—WILL IN FUTURE BE SOLD FOR 7 1-2d.

God Save the Queen,

May 29. B. O'BRIEN.

LIVERPOOL HOUSE COALS.—Landing ex "John Duncan"—60 chals Liverpool House COALS, which will be sold low if taken from alongside. JOHN WALKER.

May 29. Ward-street.

FOR SALE at 104 Prince William Street.—PAPER HANGINGS and BORDERS, of all kinds; Window GLASS, all sizes; Green Window SHADES, 33, 36 and 40 inches; BASKETS and PUTTY. GEORGE NIXON.

St. John, May 29, 1857.

RECEIVED.—At the North American Clothing Store, 19 King-street—A large lot of Carpet Bags and Valises, will be sold remarkably CHEAP by Wholesale or Retail

May 29. R. HUNTER.

A Further Supply of STRAW HATS of the following descriptions: Panama, Leghorn, Canton, Caracoa, Sennett and Cuba.

And of FELT HATS of the following descriptions:—Kossuth, Hungarian, Empire, Panama, French, Cassimere & Cashmaretti—various colours and qualities, have just been received and will be sold Wholesale and Retail, by

C. D. EVERETT & SON,
May 29. 15 King-street.

CLOTH CAPS, various styles, qualities and prices, at Wholesale and Retail,

C. D. EVERETT & SON,
May 29. 15 King-street.

GERMAIN STREET BAKERY, FRONTING TRINITY CHURCH.

C. MACLARDY begs to inform her friends and the public generally that she continues to make the best HOUSEHOLD BREAD, and every description of PLAIN and FANCY CAKES; also; always on hand BRIDE CAKE, (not to be equalled in the Province.)

Call and judge for yourselves. Only Flour of best quality used at this essablishment.

May 29, 1857. (1m.)

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of 4 per cent. for the Six Months ending the 30th April last, will be paid to the Stockholders of the St. John Gas Light Company, at their Office Carmarthen Street, on or after TUESDAY the Ninth day of June next.

By order of the Board.

May 29. 3i. R. BRITAIN, *Treasurer.*

NOTICE.

St. John, N. B, May 16th, 1857.

THE general ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Gas Light Company will be held within their Office, Carmarthen Street, on TUESDAY the ninth day of June next, at noon, for the election of Directors, &c.

By order of the Board,

May 22. R. BRITAIN, *Secretary.*

SATIN HATS.—Gentlemen wishing a superior light SATIN HAT, can be supplied with a very superior artice at 41, King-street.

May 29. D. H. HALL.

SHIRT COLLARS.—A good assortment of London-made Shirt COLLARS, *two and three p'y*, just opened and for sale low, by

May 29. D. H. HALL, 41, King-street.

1000 SUMMER COATS,

LONDON Made, cut in every make worn, in Linen, Cord, Alpaca, &c., new and beautiful styles, at prices from 5s. to 25s., GRANITE HALL, No. 5 Dock-street.

☞ Boy's Linen COATS in great variety.

May 29. THOMAS R. JONES.

London Oakum, Oil and Paint.

20 TONS Best London OAKUM;
17 hhds. Boiled and Raw OIL, Brandram's best;
50 kegs WHITE LEAD, Brandram's best;
Landing ex "Arthur White," and for Sale by JOHN WALKER,

May 29. Ward-street.

GIN.—Now Landing ex Ship "Arthur White:"
20 Hhds. GIN, 50 Gallons each, and 50 Cases.
And daily expected p r Brig "Victor" from Charente:
6 Hhds. BRANDY, and 100 Cases.
—IN BOND—
20 Pipes, Hhds., and Qr. Casks Pale and Dark BRANDY;
10 Puncheons WHISKY, Cameron Bridge;
30 Pipes and Hhds. GIN;
50 Hhds. and Qr. Casks Port and SHERRY WINE;
10 Puns. ALCOHOL. For Sale low by

May 29. JOHN KIRK.

Government Contracts

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office, in this City, until TUESDAY, 30th June next, at noon, for the Grading and Masonry of that portion of the Railway, between the Nine-Mile House and Hampton, including the Viaduct over Hammond River—a distance of about twelve miles. The character of this work is very heavy, comprising a large amount of rock excavation, as well as bridge masonry.

Proposals for the above work may be made in sections, or for the whole distance; the Commissioners reserving the right of adopting whichever mode may appear the most advantageous, and of rejecting any tender not deemed satisfactory.

Tenders must be accompanied with names of responsible persons willing to become security for the performance of the contract, or other satisfactory evidence of competency to perform the work.

Plans, specifications and Forms of Tender and Contract may be seen, and all other information obtained at the Engineer's Office, in Wiggins' Buildings, on and after 10th June next.

W. H. SCOVIL,
Chairman of Railway Board.

Railway Commissioners' Office,
St. John, N. B., 11th May, 1857.

Railway Notice.

AS the Railroad is not open to the public, and the the morning and evening Trains are only run for the accommodation of the Laborers employed on the Works, and whereas, large numbers of persons have been in the habit of crowding the Cars, the public are hereby notified that if any casualty should occur through the cars being so crowded, or from any other cause, the Government will not be answerable therefor.

W. H. SCOVIL,
Chief Commissioner.

Railway Commissioners' Office,
St. John, 23d May, 1857. 2i

Government Contract.

To Wharf Builders.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Railway Commissioners, Saint John, and also at the Engineer's Office of the E. & N. A. Railway, Shediac, on MONDAY, 8th June, until 3 o'clock, p. m., for BUILDING A WHARF at the Harbor of Shediac. The length of the Wharf will be about 1750 feet.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Engineer's Offices at St. John and Shediac, on and after Monday the 1st June.

W. H. SCOVIL,
Chairman of Railway Board.

Railway Commissioners' Office,
St. John, 25th May, 1857. 2i

New Books.

CHAMBERS' JOURNAL, for April and May, price 7 1-2d. each;
Youths' Illuminated Magazine for June;
Harper's, Peterson's and Ballou's do., do.;
Spurgeon's last Great Sermon, 1½;
Last New York LEDGER, price reduced to 2d. per copy.

May 29. B. O'BRIEN.

St. John Hotel Buildings,
82, King Street.

HAMS, CHEESE and BUTTER, ex steamer "Adelaide." The Subscriber has received in prime condition the following Goods, which he will dispose of at the lowest market rates.

1 tierce Sugar-cured HAMS;
3 boxes American CHEESE;
5 tubs fresh-made BUTTER;
1 doz. Children's WILLOW CARRIAGES.
☞ COFFEE, fresh ground every day.

May 29. 2i. ROBERT STEWART.

Steamer "Maid of Erin"
NOTICE.

THE well known and favourite Steamer "MAID OF ERIN," Capt. John De'more, having been thoroughly overhauled and put in a complete state of repair, is ready to resume her previous route, viz: Leaving St. John for Digby and Annapolis every Monday morning at 8 o'clock, returning same evening. Leaving St. John for Dorchester, Hillsborough and the Bend every Tuesday and Friday evening tide, and returning leaves the Bend next high water.

Shippers for Dorchester and Hillsborough will please take notice that Freight for those places is payable in advance, and that the owners of the steamer do not hold themselves responsible for any Goods after landing them on the respective shores.

Passengers are requested to look after their own baggage, as the owners will not be responsible for anything unless given in charge to the proper officer and signed for. For particulars apply to JOHN WALKER.

May 29, 1857. Ward-street.

"Saint John Hotel Building,"
82, KING STREET.

JUST RECEIVED by the subscriber, in good order, per the schooner "Mary Jean," "Wren," "Trident," "Caroline," and "Catherine Brown," the following Goods, which he will sell wholesale and retail at moderate rates:—

20 chests superior Breakfast Souchong TEA;
4 boxes Tomato Ketchup; 3 barrels Beans;
200 lbs. Ground Pepper; 5 boxes ground Pimento;
1230 do. green Java Coffee; 1 bag whole do.
10 bladders Scotch Snuff; 3 boxes Yeast Powder;
1 case Olive Oil; 3 boxes Cream of Tartar;
2 boxes Lemon Syrup; 1 do. Sperm Candles
2 casks Trulls Saleratus; 4 reams Letter Paper
3 cases American Matches;
30 reams Straw Wrapping Paper;
10 do Crown do do;
4 reams Foolscap Paper; 18 doz Lead Pencils;
5 doz Carpenter's Pencils;
3000 buff, straw, and White Envelopes;
10 gross Leather-headed Tacks;
300 papers Carpet do; 3 bbls Dried Apples;
50 lbs. Cut do; 1014 Cocoa Nuts;
5 barrels Porter's Burning Fluid;
5 doz Whip Handles; 2 gross Fluid Wicking;
3 doz Raw Hide Whips; 3 bales Candle do;
5 boxes Ground Ginger; 2 bales Cotton Batting;
10 " Harper's Diamond 10s. Tobacco, a superior article;
3 " Wine Sap do.; ½ Lumps do., extra quality for chewing;
6 dozen Washboards; 12 doz. Corn Brooms;
2 doz Corn Brushes; 1 do. Patent do;
10 boxes Clothes Pins, No. 1;
1 doz Mincing Trays; 3 doz setts Measures;
10 Children's Willow Basket Carriages, new varieties;
4 gross patent-spring'd Clothes Pins;
2 doz Wooden Spoons; 2 doz Butter Ladles;
2 doz Wooden Fawcetts; 3 doz Alicant Watts;
5 boxes Sullivan's Blacking.

—IN STORE—

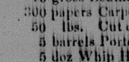
20 drums Fresh Figs; 3 Puncheons Alcohol
2 casks pale and brown Sherry Wine;
1 " Port do;
4 hhds Hollands Gin; 1 pun. Scotch Whiskey;
5 pipes Hennessy's Brandy;
6 cases sparkling Champagne;
3 cases Old Jamaica Rum;
3 bbls Nova Scotia Cider;
70 quintals No. 1 Codfish;
1½ Tons Oatmeal;
250 lbs. No. 1 Starch;
ORANGES and LEMONS;

Bed Cords, Clothes Lines, Shoe and Scrubbing Brushes, Nuts, Castor Oil, London Pickles, Chocolate, Brema, Corn Starch, Tripoli, Digby Herrings, Bird Cages, Citron Peel, together with a general assortment of Groceries too numerous for enumeration.

Hourly expected—5 tierces RICE.

may 15 ROBERT STEWART.

Phœnix Livery STABLE.



THE Subscriber has removed his Livery Stable to the Premises occupied by himself in Charlotte street, (two or three doors north of the country market) and begs to acquaint the public that he has on hand TO LET a number of the best trained HORSES ever offered to the public for kindness, speed and durability together with CARRIOLES, BUGGIES, WAGGONS and SADDLES, or in any style to suit customers.

The public may rely on being well accommodated and no imposition.

☞ *HORSES bought, sold, or Exchanged.*

WM. GABRIEL.

St. John, January, 1857.

NEW BUTTER, HAMS, &c.

Received per Admiral from Boston:—

2 TUBS of New BUTTER;
1 Tierce Sugar Cured HAMS;
1 box New CHEESE;
3 bags cored Dried APPLES.

—IN STORE—

10 dozen (Preston & Merrill's) Yeast Powder;
1 barrel Round PEAS;
2 do. superior white BEANS;
15 chests and ½ chests superior TEAS;
6 boxes assorted Brands TOBACCO;
6 M. superior Havana CIGARS. With a full and general assortment of Groceries and Provisions—cheap as the cheapest.

W. H. LESTER,
May 22, 1857. Bustin's Corner.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

SUMMER CLOTHING!

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, and Summer Coatings,

Personally selected by the Subscriber in the leading British Markets.

☞ GARMENTS made in a superior manner, at LOW PRICES.

May 22. THOMAS R. JONES.

Ship Chandlery.

LANDING EX "JOHN DUNCAN:"—

63 BALES CORDAGE, (assorted;)
Spunyarn; Marline; Houseline: Ambroline; Log Lines; Tar Brushes; Wool Mop Heads; Ship Scrapers; Patent Deck Lights; Cork Fenders; Liverpool Oakum.

The above are the Manufacture of that well known firm Hutcheson & Jarvie, of Liverpool, and are warranted to be of a superior quality.

10 brls. Black Varnish; 1 Bag Carpet Thrumbs;
4 kegs Countersunk Nails, (assorted;)
1 case Flags and Bunting; Cod Lines;
Connectings LINKS, (assorted.)

The above, together with the Subscribers Stock of General SHIP CHANDLERY, are for Sale at lowest Market rates. JOHN WALKER,

May 22. Ward Street.

LIVERPOOL OAKUM.—Landing ex "John Duncan"—5 Tons Liverpool OAKUM. For Sale by JOHN WALKER,

May 22. Ward-street

North American House,
No. 7 North side of King's Square,
ST. JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK.

IS now kept by the Subscriber, who having recently refitted and furnished the same in a thorough and most comfortable manner, and now is prepared to entertain Residents in this City, Farmers, and Travellers generally, by the day or for any period, in an agreeable style and on satisfactory terms. *Good Stabling* is attached. Experienced Attendants are employed in every department.

The Daily and other Newspapers are regularly taken and filed. Every information with regard to the Markets, and other business of the City, is promptly afforded. Purchases can be made for Strangers.

EXTRA MEALS, when called for, are provided without delay. In short nothing is wanting at any hour that can be reasonably required.

May 22.—1m. HUGH CHISHOLM.

To Ship Builders and Owners.

THE Subscribers begs to call attention to a new and superior description of *CAMBOOSE*, which they are now manufacturing, suitable for a Vessel of from 1500 to 2000 tons, which from its great thickness of plate and improved arrangements will be found fully equal if not superior to any Camboose heretofore in use, it having numerous improvements of vast importance to its utility and durability, which have been hitherto neglected. They have also made similar improvements to their former Stock of PATTERNS, which they feel confident will make them superior to any others at present in the market, and will sell them lower than they can be imported.

May 22.—6w HARRIS & ALLAN.

Harris & Allan

INVITE especial attention to the New Screw STEERING GEER manufactured by them, which can be seen at their Establishment. They confidently recommend to all Ship Owners and Masters, as the best Ship-Steerer now in use. It works easier, and more promptly than the common tiller with ropes and blocks, and can be worked easily by one man in the heaviest gale. By an ingenious arrangement, a gradually increased power over the Rudder is obtained, which prevents sudden jirks, so well known to nautical men with the common gear. Its action is direct, prompt, and is not liable to get out of order. For strength and durability it is superior to any other apparatus that has yet been applied, and will be sold considerable lower than they can be imported.

May 22, 1857. 6w.

31st March, 1857.

RAILROAD LUMBER YARD,
PORTLAND BRIDGE.

THE Subscribers grateful for the patronage extended to them during the past year, now offer for sale on reasonable terms a varied Stock of Seasoned LUMBER, comprising:—

PINE BOARDS and PLANKS;
Planed and Rough FLOORING;
Spruce and Pine Refuse BOARDS & SCANTLING;
CLAP-BOARDS, Siding, LATHS, &c. &c.

WHITING & PENALAGON.

J. M. F. WHITING,
J. T. PENALAGON.
May 1 1m.

French Paper Hangings.

Ex "Zurich" from Havre, thence by "Charles," from New York:—

2 CASES containing a very rich assortment of French PAPER HANGING—all new styles.

May 1. B. O'BRIEN.

PEACHES, APPLES, &c.—The Subscriber has received per steamer "Admiral," on Friday evening last:—

10 brls. APPLES; 1 do. PEACHES;
2 do. ONIONS, all in prime order.

W. H. LESTER,
September 19. Bustin's Corne

CAUTION.

ALL Persons are hereby Cautioned against cutting TIMBER, LOGS, or WOOD of any kind, or removing or meddling in any way with the CORD WOOD lying on the rear of My Farm, cut by Mr. Cramer, or Tresspassing in any way on my Property, situate in MANAWAGONISH, (Parish of Lancaster) County of St. John, for in the event of their so doing, they will be prosecuted to the utmost rigour of the Law.

☞ Any Person giving information to the Subscriber of any such Trespass, will be liberally rewarded. JOSEPH H. W. SCOTT,

March 13. For himself and other heirs.

TO LET.

THE above Farm, situate on the St. Andrews' Road, about 5 1-2 miles from the City, and an excellent business Stand, will be leased to a good tenant on the most reasonable terms for one or more years. Apply as above. (1m) March 13.

Brandrams No. 1. White Lead and Coloured Paints.

RECEIVED per "Ann Rankin," and For Sale by the Subscriber—

4 Tons Brandram's No. 1 White LEAD;
1 Ton assorted COLOURS;
4 Casks Dry Red and White LEAD;
Raw and Burnt Umber; Raw and Burnt Terra do.; Sienna, Drop Black, Ultramarine Blue, &c. &c.;
1 case Deep Gold Leaf; 6 cases Florence OIL.
IN STORE—9000 feet Window GLASS, assorted sizes.

Oct. 24. S. L. TILLEY.

HOLLOWAY'S MEDICINES.—Now landing from the "John Barbour," one case London Holloway's PILLS and OINTMENT, warranted genuine. For sale by

S. L. TILLEY,
April 17. 35, King street

WANTED.—A TEACHER for the MADRAS School, at Shediac. He is expected to possess the qualifications of a No. 1 Class Provincial Teacher, and be competent to instruct in Bible History, assist in the Church of England Sunday School, and Catechize in accordance with the principles of that Church. Apply to the Rev'd. Charles Lee, Rector of St. Paul's, Portland, and Revd. Dr. Jarvis, Shediac. Letters prepaid.

GEO. S. JARVIS, D. D. *Rector*
R. C. SCOVIL, } *Church*
JAS. WELLING, } *Wardens.*

Shediac, May 8, 1857. 2i

NORTH AMERICAN CLOTHING STORE,
Sears' Brick Building,
19, NORTH SIDE of KING STREET.

R. HUNTER

HAVING removed into the large and spacious Store and Wareroom formerly occupied by Messrs. HORSFALL & SHERATON, (one door West of his former stand,) has received per late arrivals from Great Britain and the United States, his

SPRING IMPORTATIONS,

which with the Stock previously on hand, will complete the largest and most general assortment of CLOTHING, CLOTHS, FURNISHING GOODS, &c., ever exhibited for Sale in any Clothing Establishment in the British Provinces, and which will be sold wholesale and retail at the lowest possible prices.

THE STOCK IN PART CONSISTING OF:

Coats, Vests, and *Pants,* in all the various materials now in use, and all qualities and prices, cut and made up on the premises in the most fashionable styles;

India Rubber *COATS, CAPES, LEGGINGS,* &c.;
Silk and Satin HATS, Kossuth and Glazed do.;
Cloth and Tweed CAPS, Glazed Caps.

The Furnishing Department.

comprises a general assortment of *Shirts,* Shirt Collars and Fronts, Hdkfs., Stocks Neck Ties, Braces, Drawers, Hosiery, Gloves, Carpet Bags, Umbrellas, Trunks, Valises, &c. &c.

A splendid assortment of BROAD CLOTHS, Meeton and Satin Cloths, *CASSIMERES, DOESKINS, TWEED,* Russel Cord, Moleskin, Satinetts, &c.

VESTINGS in great variety.

☞ Garments made to order in the most fashionable style at the shortest notice.

May 22. J. H.

Saint John & Liverpool
Line of Packet Ships.
1857.

Appointed to Sail from Liverpool as under.

Ships.	Capt's.	Tonnage.	To Sail
John Duncan,	Kenny,	921	5th April.
Peter Maxwell,	Marshall,	1058	20th do.
Middleton,	H. Betts,	996	5th May.
Imperial,	Moran,	1279	20th do.
John Barbour,	Abell,	990	5th June.
Athenais,	Crocker,	1016	20th do.
John Owens,	Brown,	1236	20th July.

These Ships are built of the best materials, sail remarkably fast, classed A 1 at Lloyds and coppered, and will be despatched punctually on the day appointed.

They are commanded by men of the greatest perseverance and nautical skill, and no expense or exertion will be spared to make this line efficient in every respect for the safe and speedy conveyance of goods and passengers.

Orders for Shipment of goods by this Line are respectfully solicited.

For Freight or Passage apply in Liverpool to Messrs. FRANCIS BROTHERS, & Co., Walmer Buildings, Water Street, or here to

J. & H. REED.

To Farmers, Travelers, & Citizens.

THE Subscriber has refitted and renovated his Hotel to meet the Spring business, and where Travellers will find every comfort desired. He returns thanks for the very liberal share of patronage which has been awarded to him, and assures his numerous customers that every effort will be made as heretofore, to benefit.

His House is No. 15, Charlotte street, and reference is respectfully asked of former visitors.

Experienced Grooms always in attendance to see that Horses are properly attended to.

May 22. WM. YOUNG.

OLIVE OIL.—Just received and for Sale by the Subscriber—200 gallons OLIVE OIL.

May 22. S. L. TILLEY, 35 King-street.

WANTED.—At the North American Clothing Store, 19 King-street—a smart active Boy of good character. (May 22.) R. HUNTER.

CONFECTIONARY.—Now Landing from John Duncan, 5 tierces, and 1 case of Scotch CONFECTIONARY, assorted. For sale low by

May 22. S. L. TILLEY, 35 King-street.

Eldon Orange Lodge, No. 2.

THE Regular Monthly Meeting of "Eldon Orange Lodge, No. 2," will be held in the Orange Hall, Brussel-st., on the first FRIDAY in every month. By order of the W. M.

CHAS. HILL, Secretary

May 22. *"God Save the Queen."*

Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 5.

THE Members of the above Lodge will meet at their Lodge Room, Marshall's Building, Princess street, on the evening of the Second FRIDAY in every Month. The brethren are respectfully invited to attend.

March 20. JOIN S. MAGEE, *Secretary.*

No. 80, Prince William Street,
SAINT JOHN, N. B.

SAMUEL WILSON—*Tailor and Draper*—Is prepared to stop the importation of all *Slop* made CLOTHING—if Customers will only call and have their measure taken—and choose their own CLOTH—as I attend to the Cutting, &c., myself. Please enquire as above, No. 80.

September 19. SAMUEL WILSON.

FAIRBANKS'
CELEBRATED
SCALES,
of every variety,
34 Kilby Street, Boston.
GREENLEAF & BROWN, Agents.

A full assortment of all kinds of weighing apparatus and store furniture for sale at low rates. Railroad, Hay, and Coal Scales set in any part of the Provinces.

For Sale in St. John by WM. THOMSON.

May 15th, 1857. (1y.)

FOR SALE—A FRANKLIN STOVE, nearly new, with ash-pan, sheet iron and fender.—Apply at the Chronicle Office. May 8.

NOTICE TO BOARDERS.—A limited number of Gentlemen can be accomodated with BOARD at MRS. LEWIS', No. 31, Princess Street. May 15th, 1857.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late DANIEL SHECK, deceased, will hand in their Account, duly attested, within three months from this date, and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, will make immediate payment WILLIAM McLEOD,

JAMES MACKY, } *Executors.*
DANIEL SHECK.

May 15th, 1857.

WANTED, by a young man belonging to the City, a situation in a Grocery Store, having some knowledge of the business would be willing to make himself generally useful, will give good refference. Apply at this Office. April 17.

Oysters. Oysters.

4 BBLS. Prime Shediac OYSTERS, which will be served up in any style required.

Also—MEALS and LUNCHEONS served up at the *shortest notice*—Day an Evening—at

JAMES KENNY'S,
Sept. 26. Eating House, Water-street

SUPREME COURT.
In Equity.

To be Sold at Public Auction, on MONDAY the Seventeenth day of August next, at 12 o'clock, noon, under the direction and with the approbation of the Undersigned, in the Market square in the city of Saint John—

PURSUANT to a Decretal Order of the Supreme Court, in Equity, made the 27th day of January last, in a certain case, wherein JOHN HAWS, is Plaintiff, and JAMES JOHNSTON is Defendant, the LAND and PREMISES now in the possession and occupation of the said James Johnston situated in the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, embraced in a certain Mortgage, dated 8th December, 1854, and made between the said John Haws and the said James Johnston, and described as certain premises leased by the Honorable Charles Simonds to the said James Johnston on 1st May, 1848, for 21 years, at a yearly rent of Ten Pounds Six and Three pence per annum, together with all the Lands, Out Houses, Buildings and Improvements, Privileges and Appurtenances.

Terms made known at the time of Sale, or on application to the Plaintiff's Solicitor.

Dated at Saint John, the 13th day of May, A.D. 1857.

DAVID S. KERR,
BARRISTER.

CHARLES W. STOCKTON, *Plaintiff's Solicitor.*

Intelligence Office.

MR. CROWLEY begs to inform the citizens of Saint John that he has removed to his old stand Princess-street, at the rear of J. & G. THOMPSON'S Paint Shop, where he intends to open his office for Male and Female SERVANTS, &c. on MONDAY next, the 11th inst. His humble, yet ready efforts to serve the public when formerly engaged in the business will, he trusts, incline families requiring Servants to give him a call.

Mr. C. will open at the same place an EVENING CLASS for young Ladies, from 4 'till 6 o'clock, and for Young Gentlemen, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

☞ *Terms,* 20s. per quarter. No school on Saturdays. 3i. May 5.

SHOPS TO LET.—Two shops in the Brick Building on the Corner of Union Street and Wellington Row. These shops are in an excellent position and have been fitted up for either Dry Goods or Groceries. Apply to

May 15. (*Nbr.*) C. W. STOCKTON.

ONE PENNY REWARD.—Runaway from the service of the Subscriber two indented apprentices named John Williams, and John French, aged about 20 years. All persons are hereby cautioned against harbouring or trusting them on my account, as in the event thereof they will be prosecuted as the law directs.

RICHARD CALVERT.

May 8, 1857. (3in. pd.)

FRENCH PAPER HANGINGS.—Just received 5 cases of the above Goods, all new Patterns. GEORGE NIXON,

may 1 101, Prince William St.

WANTED.—An Apprentice to the Printing Business. Apply at the office of this paper.

May 1, 1857.

New Garden & Flower Seeds.

RECEIVED from London a full supply of GARDEN & FLOWER SEEDS, warranted fresh and true to their sorts.

—ON HAND—

100 bushels Harvey "GRASS SEED";
6 barrels Red & White Clover.

W. O. SMITH.

May 1, 1857. North side Market Square.

RECEIVED per "Athenais"—Two Cases London HATS, a superior article, made expressly for this Market; also, Children's HATS in great variety. Expected per steamer from Boston—A large Stock of Leghorn and Panama *HATS,* all of which will be sold Wholesale or Retail, at low prices for Cash or approved paper.

27 North side King street. A. MAGEE.

St. John, May 1.

GARDEN, FIELD, GRASS, AND CLOVER SEED.

JUST received per "John Owens" from Liverpool—3 casks containing a large assortment of Garden and Field Seeds. Also, superior White Clover Seeds, all warranted fresh.

Also on hand, and to arrive in a few days:—2000 lbs. Northern Red Clover SEED, and 80 bushels Harvey Timothy SEED of superfine quality. Agricultural societies supplied at a small advance on cost. For sale by S. L. TILLEY.

April 17. No. 35 King street.

REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber has removed his Entire Stock in-Trade from his old stand, to 27 North side King street, next to Mr. Frost's Shoe Store, and directly opposite Canterbury street, where will be found a general assortment of *HATS* and *CAPS,* Foreign and Domestic.

A. MAGEE Hatter, &c.,
27 North side King street.

☞ The Latest Fashions always on hand.

Feb. 27.

S. R. FOSTER'S Shoe Store.

Just received per steamer from Liverpool:—A Large assortment of Ladies, Misses, Boys, Children's, and Infants CLOTH BOOTS, of all qualities, suitable for the season.

A great variety of Men's, Women's, Misses, Children's and Infants FELT BOOTS, Shoes and Slippers of every quality.

ON HAND—A large lot of Women's Prunella BOOTS, suitable for wearing under Rubber Shoes in Winter—for 3s. to 4s. 6d. a pair.

Oct. 17. S. R. FOSTER.

NEW MEAT SHOP.

THE Subscriber thankful to his friends and the public generally, for the liberal patronage bestowed on him since his commencement in business, begs leave to inform them that he has taken the SHOP No. 11 Market Street, where (in conection with his Stall No. 4 City Market,) there will always be found a general assortment of MEATS and POULTRY of the best the market affords.

VEGETABLES of all kinds when in season.

☞ All orders left at either place will be strictly executed on the Square.

Jan. 22—1m. WM. C. GODSOE.

Notice.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of Andrew Sherwood late of the Parish of Upham, in King's County, (deceased) are requested to present the same duly attested within eighteen months from this date and all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment to

RICHARD C. SHERWOOD, } *Executors*
JOHN F. SHERWOOD,
Upham, K. C., March 7th, 1857.

ST. ANDREWS' ALE.

THE Subscriber having been appointed AGENT for the sale of the above excellent ALE, begs to inform the public that he will in future keep on hand a constant supply, which will be furnished to his customers and the trade on very favorable terms.

Just Received—64 Casks, containing 10, 15, 20 30 and 60 gallons each.

JOHN McCOSKERY.

November 17, 1855. tf.

Glass Ware.

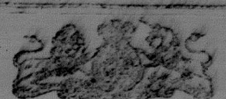
Ex "John Duncan" and "Middleton"—CUT GLASS in complete Sets for the Dinner Table, is now opened, with a large Stock of Plain and Moulded Glass, in DISHES, TUMBLERS, DECANTERS, WINES, LAMPS, CANDLESTICKS, &c., &c. As these goods are very *moderate in price,* purchasers will find them well worth their attention.

FRAS. CLEMENTSON,
Oct. 17. 29 Dock-street.

NOTICE.—All persons having legal demands against the Estate of Thomas Cox, late of Waterborough, Queen's County, deceased, are hereby required to render the same, duly attested, within three months from this date, and all persons indebted to the said Estate, will make immediate payment to

PETERS COX, } EXECUTORS
JOHN EARLE,
Queen's County, March 10, 1857.

GLASS SHADES FOR WAX FLOWERS.—Now landing from "John Barbour"—GLASS of various sizes. F. CLEMENTSON.



BY AUTHORITY.

(631.) CROWN LAND OFFICE, May 11, 1857.

THE Petitions of the undermentioned persons for the purchase of Crown Land payable by labour on the Public Roads are complied with, subject to the Regulations of 23d May, 1852; but no Commissioner is to allow work to be done in payment for any Land at present in the occupation of any other person. And the Commissioners are required, in every instance, to satisfy themselves that the representation which the Applicant has made to Government, that he owns no Land already, is correct.

J. MONTGOMERY, Sur. Gen.

WESTMORLAND.

Thomas Cochran,	John M'Donald,
John Grossman, Jr.	Hugh M'Kinnon,
Michael Fitzgerald,	Neil M'Quarrie,
Daniel Berrington,	Donald M'Intosh,
Amasa Kilham, Jr.	Thomas Reed.

ALBERT.

Ezekiel Hopper.

SAINT JOHN.

Robert Cooper,	James Murphy
John Kent,	Neal M'Kennon,
James Keefe,	Archibald O'Doherty.

CHARLOTTE.

Abner Harris,	Thomas O'Brine.
Gideon Harris,	

KING'S.

Thomas Bell,	Martin Leavis,
William Bustard,	John Malone,
John Cooper, Jr.	Samuel Tate,
Edward Gourley,	John Cooper, Jr.

QUEEN'S.

John Foster,	Johnston Wilson.
James Magee,	William Pike.
William Rob,	

SUNBURY.

John Campbell,	Samuel Machum,
John Donohoe,	Samuel Moore,
William Hanson,	Stephen Moore,
Robert Johnson,	Moses Parsons,
Edmund Kingston,	Abraham D. Peterson
Jonathan Kingston,	

(630) CROWN LAND OFFICE,
May 5, 1857.

THE undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on Tuesday the second day of June next, at noon by the respective Deputies, at their offices, agreeably to the regulations of 11th May, 1852, and no sale on credit will be made to any person who is indebted to the Crown for previous purchases.

(*Not to interfere with the right to cut Timber or other Lumber under Licenses applied for previous to the applications for the purchase of the Land.*)

(*No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres payable by instalments.*)

WESTMORLAND.

By Deputy Palmer, at Dorchester.

100 acres, next lot N, block 7, Moncton, M. Lutes.
90 acres, lot 2, block 11, Salisbury, G. H. Congle.

ALBERT.

By Deputy Stiles, at Hopewell.

100 acres, in tier 15, north of Stony Creek, John Rogers; Joseph Lannan to be paid for improvements, if any.

KING'S.

By Deputy Arnold, Sussex.

100 acres, lot 77 north, block D, Sussex, Peter Snider.
50 acres, north of 43, block D, Sussex, John M'Gurgin.
100 acres, lot 56, block 17, Studholm, H. Shortland.
100 acres, lot 57, block 17, Studholm, James Doyle.
100 acres, lot 58, block 17, Studholm, Jas. Barry.
100 acres, lot 25, block 18, Studholm, John White
100 acres, lot 26, block 18, Studholm, Edward Thomas.
100 acres, lot 16, block 17, south of Butternut Ridge Road, John M'Leod.
100 acres, lot 27, block 18, Studholm, P. Holman.
100 acres, lot 28, block 18, Studholm, John Smith.
100 acres, lot 39, block 18, Studholm, James Thomas.
100 acres, lot 40, block 18, Studholm, Thomas Boyle.
80 acres, north of 41, block 18, Studholm, John Duncan.
100 acres, lot 75, second lot west of Scovil, block 18, Studholm, Sarah Mullett.
100 acres, lot 85, block 18, Studholm, J. Williams
100 acres, lot 86, block 18, Studholm, Dan. Jones
100 acres, lot 57, block 18, Studholm, Tim. Daffy

QUEEN'S.

By Deputy Colling at Gagetown.

50 acres, lot N, block A, George Lyon's Road, Isaac Cochran, small improvement.

(4w) JOHN MONTGOMERY, *Sur. Gen.*

(621) CROWN LAND OFFICE, March 24, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, That JOHN DIBBLEE, Esquire, will offer for Sale by Auction, at Woodstock, on Wednesday the twenty seventh day of May next, at noon, a Lease of part of the MEDUCTIC INDIAN RESERVE, for the term of five years.

Further particulars made known at the time of sale.

(8w) J. MONTGOMERY, *Sur. Gen.*

(623) CROWN LAND OFFICE, May 1, 1857.

THE Lots numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4, in the POCMOUCHE INDIAN RESERVE, containing Forty Eight Acres of Land each, will be offered for sale at Public Auction, by Messrs. Bishop and Napier, at Bathurst, on the 8th day of July next.

(9w) J. MONTGOMERY, *Sur. Gen*

New Books.

THE GENIUS OF CHRISTIANITY, by Viscount deChâteaubriand;
St. John's MANUAL; a Guide to the Public Worship and Services of the Catholic Church;
A Vindication of Italy and the Papal States, from the Dublin Review;
John Mitchell's Great Lecture on Thomas Devin Reilly, delivered in the Tabernacle, N. York;
Hendrick Conscience's Tales, complete;
Nos. 1 to 4 of the Complete Works of Gerald Griffin—to be completed in 20 numbers;
Luck is Everything, by W. H. Maxwell;
Charles Lever's Works, 4 vols., octavo cloth;
Love after Marriage by Caroline Lee Hentz;
The Border Rover by Emerson Bennett;
The Rats of the Seine, by Paul Preston;
The Doomed Ship, by Harry Hazel;
Dow's Patent Sermons, new edition;
Reynolds' Complete Works;
Historical Magazine, and Notes and Queries for May, 1s.;
Harper, Putnam, the Youths, Household Words, New York National, Waverley, and Blackwood for May.
The Testimony of the Rocks, by Hugh Miller.
☞ Latest "New York Ledger," &c.

May 8. B. O'BRIEN.

Cheese, Apples, Hams, &c.

Now landing per steamer *Adelaide,* from Boston:

2 BOXES Extra Goshen CHEESE;
6 Barrels fine Table APPLES;
1 do PARSNIPS, in fine order;
2 Tierces of those Sugar Cured *HAMS,* superior to the last lot, which will repay those parties who were disappointed in not getting any of the others.

IN STORE—2 bbls. No. 1 SHAD, on Retail; 1 cask CRANBERRIES; also Dried Apples, Dates, Prunes, *Oranges and Lemons, Potatoes, Turnips, Carrots,* Onions, &c. &c. &c.—Cheap for cash at Bustin's Corner.

March 26. 6i W. H. LESTER.

CURTIS ON MANHOOD—SHILLING EDITION.
A MEDICAL ESSAY ON NERVOUS & GENERATIVE DEBILITY.

Just Published, the 77,000 with numerous plates, in sealed envelope price 1s., or cent. postpaid, by the Author, to any British possession for 14 st.

MANHOOD: The CAUSE and CURE of PREMATURE DECLINE with Plain Directions for Perfect Restoration to Health and Vigour; being a Medical Review of the various forms and modern treatment of Nervous Debility, Impotency, Loss of Mental and Physical Capacity, whether resulting from Youthful Abuse, the Follies of Maturity, the Effects of Climate, or Infection, &c.; with Observations on a new and successful mode of detecting Spermatorrhœa, and other Urethral Discharges, by Microscopic Examination; to which are added, Curious and Interesting Cases, with the Author's Recipe of a Preventive Lotion.

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"QUERY ON MANHOOD.—It is the duty of all men to study the laws of their body, no less than those of their mind. In the pages of this work will be found golden rules for preserving the one and procuring the other."—*Morning Chronicle,* March 31, 1856.

"We feel no hesitation in saying, that there is no member of society to whom the book will not be found useful—whether such person hold the relation of a parent, preceptor, or a clergyman."—*Sun, Evening Paper.*

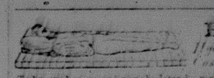
Sold also by HEAD & Co., 33, Paternoster row, London.

TARPAULINGS AND SACKS.

EDGINGTON and Co. from Tooley street, Southwark, Inventors of Waterproof Tarpaulings, have a large stock of Seasoned Cotton Canvas, Sacks, Clothes, Sacks, Threading Clothes, Wheat Sacks, Marquees, Tentand Flags, Engineers & Co. 48, King William-street, City. Warehouse 17, Smithfield Bars, London, England.

CROGGON'S PATENT ASPHALTE ROOFING FELT: Indispensable for damp walls, Hop-houses, Stables, sold in rolls 24 in. wide 1d per square Foot. Also Dry felt for Sheathing Ships, Sheds, &c. Roofing and Sheathing Felt, Tarred and Gravelled, Sheathing Felt, Building Paper, Tarred Rope, Tarpaulings, Canvas, Sacks, Sheeting, Tarpaulings, and Patent Leather Belting.

CROGGON & Co. 2, Broughill, Lond n.



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Hydrostatic Beds and Cushions for Invalids.

To be used on an ordinary bedstead—may be filled with air or water at any temperature. They are invaluable in cases of

BEDSORES	FEVER	RHEUMATISM
CHOLERA	GOUT	SCIATICA
CONGESTION	LOW STOW WOUNDS	SLEEPLESS NESS
DROPSY	PARALYSIS	TYPHUS FEVER, &c.

The comfort they afford is greater than can be conceived.

The width of the Bedstead should be sent with the order.

Also Hooper's Waterproof Sheets for preventing Bedsores.

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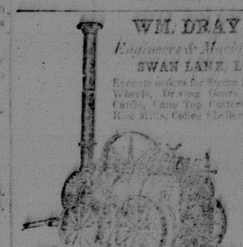

Execute orders for Steam Engines, Water Wheels, Driving Gears, Gearing, Mill Gearing, Corn Top Cutters, Bone Mills, Rape Mills, Cotton Shellers, and Corn Mills, Hoisting Jacks, Screw Jacks, Hydraulic Jacks, Iron Presses, Metal Moulds, Machinery for Metal Turning, Machinery for Planing Metal, Machinery for Boring Metal, Machinery for

Poetry.

THE FARMER'S WIFE.

She sitteth at home, in the old retreat
The grand-sire loved in his day,
And hair-cloth covers the oaken seat,
Of ingrain fine is the carpet neat,
Delight with colors gay.

And pictures hang from the painted wall,
And garnish the music stool,
And grace the table and spacious hall—
They came from the hand of the artist, all—
The daughter at boarding school.

The old retreat wears a happier face—
The porch where the song-bird calls
Hath a trumpet-vine, and a rose to grace
The pillar'd way, and the eye may trace
Rich plants where the sunlight falls.

No longer left to the ploughshare rude
Is the grassy lawn below;
The roisette climbs where the sunflower stood,
And in the place of the dense old wood,
The orchard vinery grow.

The long-wooled sheep and short horned cow,
The hen with the feathery shoe,
The Hong Kong, the Suffolk, the subsoil plough,
Are all the pride of the farmer now,
And the farmer's lady too.

She knoweth to trace each horned line
Of the dame in the pasture green;
She seeketh from science the fruit most fine,
And for the guest who cometh to dine,
She spreads the table clean.

She holdeth the pen for columns free
From the stain of party strife;
She teacheth the art of cookery,
And sometimes her name on the list you see
Of poets famed in life.

Oh, give me the heart content to dwell
Away from the glare of strife,
Where taste, and beauty, and order tell
How wealth may lavish her bounty well
On the home of the farmer's wife.

GET IN ROOT CROPS.

We write under the settled conviction that the profit of the general farmer may be more rapidly increased under a judicious cultivation of the various roots, than in any other way; that more than double the value per acre may be obtained from them than from hay crops, and more, even, than from the small grains or Indian corn.

The cultivators of England have long understood this secret, and have become prosperous under its teachings. No man, probably, from the country, ever gave the subject such attention as Mr. Webster during his mission in England. And few men, in our judgement, have done the country so signal a service as he did by his investigations of this subject, and by a promulgation of the facts which he learned. They awakened attention and the fruits of his suggestions are now manifest all through New England, at least.

Of the turnip there is a great variety, and their cultivation is too well understood to need any explanation of ours. For winter and spring use, many persons prefer not to put in their root crops until the third week in June. We prefer a little earlier date.

We are gratified to notice that the cultivation of the sugar beet is beginning to enlist the attention of farmers. Those who have made a trial of it, speak of it in terms of approbation. It is not only very productive, but of the best roots that can be fed to milch cows and young cattle—causing a rich flow of milk in the former, a great vigor, sprightliness and hardihood in the latter. There is probably no climate in the world more admirably adapted to the cultivation of the sugar beet that of N. England. In no case which has fallen under our observation, have those who have planted it failed of securing a paying crop, while in most cases it has yielded a great profit than any other product of the farm.

It should be planted in drills, on good, deep and rather warm soil, well stimulated with rich invigorating manure, and should be carefully hoed and kept clear of weeds. The soil between the rows, and between the roots in the rows, should be kept light, in order to facilitate the absorption of those fertilizing agents from the atmosphere upon which, in a very great measure, the perfect development and maturity of the system are found to depend.

A mechanic having a cow, and but a small piece of ground from which to derive the means of sustaining her, cannot do much better than to plant a portion of the whole of it to sugar beets. He will in this way secure more edutary aliment for his animal than in any other way, and at less expense. From eight to thirteen hundred bushels have been taken from an acre, and in several cases the crop has amounted to fifteen hundred. The roots attain a large size, and are very nutritious and wholesome. Swine fatten rapidly on boiled sugar beets, and the pork made on this food is said to be more solid than that made on potatoes or any other roots. We advise every one this season to put in a small lot of this vegetable, and give it a trial.—*N. E. Farmer.*

A STRIKING SIMILE!—THE HEALING WATERS!

Our readers will doubtless remember the magic properties assigned the River Lethe in the Mythology of ancient Greece. In those darker ages superstition held predominant sway, and usurped the mind of men. Immersion in its waters was believed to cause forgetfulness of past and present woes—the afflicted mind and diseased body could alike throw off the trammels that bound them, and being thus no longer the slaves of mental or bodily enthralment, finished the rest of their days with indifference to the past, and unalloyed anticipation for the future.

But start not! attentive reader! when we tell you with less fable, but far sterner fact, that *we* have a Lethe near our homes and earths, whose waters not occasionally, but at *all times* flow in one continuous stream of healing beneficence!

Whether the affliction emanate from the deep seated cole of long neglected disease, or from the ravages of malignant epidemic, or again from long protracted habits of dissipation and vice, there is at hand, within the easy grasp of the poor sufferer, be he high or low, a remedy for his woes to which he can look for succour, as did the benighted "Israelite" upon the "Brazen Serpent" in the dreary Wilderness.

We allude, in the above remarks, to the vastly spread and mighty influence of the remedies which bear the name of the world famed and renowned Professor Holloway.

Countless thousands of every tongue and clime, daily hymn *his* praise, as having lifted them from a bed of suffering and sorrow to new life and reanimated vigor!

Be the malady hidden in the inmost vitals of the human frame, or evinced by superficial sores, by sure, but gentle means, he eradicates the secret evil, and disperses to the winds the *chronic venom* that has for years defied the Physician's skill!

These are not idle words we utter, visionary imaginings of a fevered brain, but the stern realities of long tried practice and *unfailing issues.*

The suffrages of universal acclamation stamp *Holloway* as the man, and his medicines as the means that administer to the "healing of the nations," from the "Orient" to the "Occidental Sun!

The printer heralds it from pole to pole, and leaves to all and each but a "*trial's test*" to wring from the unwilling lips of the skeptic and doubter the universally allowed confession that "these things are so."—*Philadelphia Sun.*

☞ Dr. Johnson observes that little debts are like small shot—they are rattling on every side, and can scarcely be escaped without a wound. Great debts are like a cannon, of loud noise and little danger. Ninety-nine out of a hundred will acknowledge the truth of the Doctor's observation.

An editor in California lately received a long document, which he was requested to insert gratis under his editorial head. He placed it under his pillow that night, and expresses his willingness to insert similar communications in the same way, and on similar terms.

The King of Prusia has just entered in his sixty-second year, having been born October 13th, 1795.

FOUNTAIN HOUSE.

THE Subscriber wishes respectfully to inform his friends and the public that in order to provide the travelling community with a large and commodious house of entertainment in this City, he has purchased and fitted up at great expense that large and convenient Hotel, situated on the North side of Kings Square, and known as the FOUNTAIN HOUSE, where he intends to serve the public, and will be able to accomodate a large number of persons with well furnished single bed rooms, good Sitting Rooms, and all other conveniences for the comfort of travellers or permanent boarders. Also—a splendid Barn—none to exceed it in the City, with stalls for forty horses, and a large yard attached, all under cover, where sleighs, carriages, and loads of country produce can be driven in free from storms.

The subscriber is thankful to his friends and the public for the liberal manner in which he has been patronised and assures them that strict attention will still be paid to those who favour him with their patronage.

August 16. G. RIX PRICE.

Joshua Tapley,

IN returning thanks to his numerous friends and the public, for the liberal patronage he has received for the last six years he has been in the BOOT and SHOE BUSINESS, desires to inform them that he has enlarged his Establishment, and is now prepared to furnish all articles in his line particularly Waterproof BOOTS, at as low prices as can be found in the City, at his stand, Parish of Portland, near St. Luke's Church.

May, 1856.

Spring Style of Paper Hangings, for 1857.

JUST RECEIVED at the New Paper Store—12,000 Rolls of Gold, Velvet, and Common PAPER, of all kinds and shades. For Sale low for cash by GEORGE NIXON,

March 20. 104 Prince William Street.

NOTICE.

SEASONED PINE, LUMBER of every description, large and small, SCANTLING, REFUSE BOARDS, and DEALS, LATHS and PICKETS. For Sale at No 1 Lumber Yard, Jeffery's Hill. FROST & CO.

St. John, March 13, 1857.

Spring, 1857.

THE Subscribers have just received from the United States, a large assortment of Hungarian Kossuth, and Wide Awake HATS, various styles, colours, qualities, and prices.

They have also made up a Stock of SATIN HATS, of the *Spring Style* for 1857.

Expected by first arrivals from Liverpool—Children's Fancy CAPS, Felt Hats, Leghorn Hats, &c

All the above will be sold at a small advance on cost *Wholesale and Retail.*

C. D. EVERETT & SON,

April 15. 15 King street.

CONFECTIONARY, HOLLOWAY'S MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, &c.

Now landing ex "John Duncan" from Liverpool, and for sale by the Subscriber:—

1 CASK and Scotch CONFECTIONARY; 1 case Holloway's Pills and Ointment; 1 case perfumery, SOAPS, Patent Medicines, &c. —consisting of—

Hannay's Rondolitia and Verbena;
Rigge's Oagetable Essence and Military Soap;
Cleaver's Honey Soap; Batten's British Oil;
Leeming's Essence; Dalby's Carminative, &c.

S. L. TILLEY,

Jan. 30. 35, King-st.

A Large Stock of Furs.

5 CASES FURS just received by the Subscriber, ex "Middleton" and "Courier," in addition to 6 cases opened ex ships "John Barbour" and "John Duncan" from one of the largest and probably the best assorted stocks of RICH FURS ever offered to purchasers in this market, embracing Stone Martin, French, Sable, Northern do., Ermine, Chinchilla, Mink, Fitch, Grey Squirrel, British Sable, &c., in MUFFS, BOAS, CUFFS, &c.

These Goods are all marked low, and in plain figures, with a view to early and quick Sales.

D. H. HALL,

October 24. 41, King-street

Just Received

AT THE NEW PAPER STORE:—

245 BOXES NO. 3 WINDOW GLASS per ship "Peter Maxwell" from Liverpool.

20 boxes	9x12;	20 boxes	9x13;
25 "	9x14;	40 "	10x13;
40 "	10x14;	15 "	10x15;
15 "	9x15;	10 "	11x14;
10 "	11x15;	15 "	11x16;
15 "	11x17;	15 "	11x18;

GEORGE NIXON,

August 15. 104, Prince Wm.-street

Pictures! Pictures!

NEW PRINTS AND ENGRAVINGS.

POTTER & CO., have just received by the Mail Steamer "Niagara," a case containing a splendid assortment of NEW PRINTS AND ENGRAVINGS, comprising pictures in every style of art. Attention is particularly invited to those beautiful Pictures, after the English Masters, of Landscape Painting, and also to a superb lot of FRENCH PHOTOGRAPHS, superior to anything yet seen in America.

Sept. 26. 85, Prince Wm. Street.

OAKUM AND OLIVE OIL.—40 bundles American OAKUM; 5 casks Olive OIL, landing ex Franklin, by

JOHN WALKER.

September 19. Ward-street.

HOLLANDS.

LANDING ex "Ann Rankine" from London:—150 packages GENEVA, Anchor Brand, which will be sold at 4s. per gallon in Bond from Wharf. THOS. PARKS,

October 24. 25, Dock-street.

LARD OIL and PORPOISE OILS.—On hand—120 galls. Extra Lard OIL; 200 galls. Porpoise OIL. For Sale low by.

S. L. TILLEY.

September 19. 35, King-street

French Calf Boots.

JUST RECEIVED—4 cases Gent's. French Calf Skin BOOTS, (Sewed,) warranted to be of the best quality.

The above lot of Boots are all that are now remaining in the Province, or ever will be at 20s. *per pair.* B. O'BRIEN,

October 3. 69, Waverly House

Land for Sale.

A LOT OF LAND on Salmon Creek, Parish of Johnston, Queen's County, containing 200 acres, part of which is cleared Land, with a good Mill privilege. For particulars apply to

SAMUEL H. GILBERT,

Feb. 13, 1857. Gagetown.

HIGH & BARRY.

Wilson's Celebrated TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 70, Prince William Street, Saint John, N. B.

THE whole Community are respectfully invited to call and examine the superior style in which the Cutting and Fitting is done in the Manufacture of my Stock of

FALL & WINTER GOODS.

On hand a large, and elegant assortment of West of England Cloths, all ready for the Scissors.

ALSO, an expensive lot of Ready-made articles suited to all classes and sizes, from Tom Thumb, to Goliah the Giant.

CALL AND SEE.

November 9. SAMUEL WILSON

BUTTER CROCKS, CREAM CROCKS, and MILK PANS, of the white Earthenware, now landing and for sale wholesale and retail, by

FRAS. CLEMENTSON,

August 29. 29 Dock Street, St. John.

TRAVELLING TRUNKS, VALEISES, &c. CARPET BAGS, in all qualities, at

T. R. JONES', 5 Dock-street,

Oct. 3, [one door above the Old Stand.

BUFFALO ROBES—A fresh supply received per Steamer *Admiral*, and for sale by

D. H. HALL,

dec. 19. 41, King Street.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON

Fire and Life Insurance Company.

Established in 1836—Empowered by Special Acts of Parliament.

CHIEF OFFICE—37, Castle Street, Liverpool, 20 & 21 Poultry, London.

THOMAS BROCKLEBANK, Esq., *Chairman;* J. C. EWART, Esq., M. P., and F. HAYWOOD Esq., *Deputy Chairmen;* SWINTON BOULT, Esq. *Secretary.*

BRANCH OFFICES AND AGENCIES.

Europe—Manchester, Hamburgh, Lisbon, Stockholm. *United States*—New York, New Orleans, Boston, Philadelphia, Charleston, Savannah, Mobile, San Francisco. *British America*—Montreal, Halifax, N. S., Saint John, N. B., Saint Johns, N. F. *South America*—Rio de Janeiro, Valparaiso, Demerara. *Australia*—Sydney, Victoria, Adelaide, Swan River. *New Zealand*—Lyttleton, Wellington, Auckland. *Tasmania*—Hobart Town, Launcester. *East Indies*—Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Madras, Manilla. *China*—Canton, Hong Kong, Shanghai.

Capital, Two Millions Sterling.

Paid up Resources, £719,231 15 8, Sterling,

CONSTITUTION—UNLIMITED LIABILITY.

Fire Premiums Received in 1855, £186,271 16 11, Sterling

Business—Insurance against Loss or damage by FIRE, on every description of Property.

Losses paid promptly on proof of claim.

NEW BRUNSWICK BRANCH: OFFICE—98, Prince William Street, St. John.

(No Charge for Policy.)

April 25. EDWARD ALLISON, *Agent.*

VULCAN FOUNDRY

REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber would take this opportunity of returning thanks to his friends and the Public for the liberal share of patronage he has received during the past ten years, while doing business in the Establishment known as VULCAN FOUNDRY, on the South side of Main Street: and having Removed directly opposite to his former place of Business No. 11 and 13, *Main Street*, where he intends to carry on the Foundry Business in the various branches of *ENGINE, MILL, and SHIP WORK, Ship Builders'* CRAMPS, WEDGES, Hoisting WHEELS, JACK SCREWS, &c. &c.—Together with a variety of the most approved STOVE PATTERNS and FRANKLINS.—all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms.

On Hand—Two STEAM ENGINES, one of 18 inch diameter by 36 inch Stroke, one of 10 inch diameter by 24 inch Stroke.

P. S. Also for Sale as they now lie at Digby Gut, or delivered in St. John,—Two large Steam BOILERS, 7 feet 8 in. diameter by 19 feet long, formerly belonging to the steamer "*Pilot*," and were in use about 18 months, and are now in good order; also, two Wrought Iron SHAFTS 9 inches in diameter, 18 feet 6 inches long, with two Wrought Iron CRANKS, 30 in. long from centre to centre; together with two second hand Cast Iron *SHAFTS*, of 6 and 10 in. diameter, 15 and 20 feet long.

All of the above articles will be sold on the most liberal terms.

Plan of Boilers can be seen at any time at the Foundry.

December 11. G. CRAIG.

EAGLE FOUNDRY,

Steam Engine and Machine Shop,

SAINT DAVID AND ALMON STREETS,

Near Messrs. W. & R. Wright's Ship Yard Courtenay Bay.

ALWAYS on hand at the the above Establishment, Patent and Common WINDLASSES for Vessels of all sizes; Capstan Heads; Sheave-and Rollers; Bushes; Pump Chambers; Gamboose; Ploughs; Truck and Barrow Wheels; Waggon Boxes; Oven and Furnace Mouths; Treenail Machines.

The Subscriber in returning thanks to his friends and the Public for the very liberal patronage bestowed on him since his commencement in business, solicits a continuance of the same, and would further add, that having served a regular apprenticeship to the Engineering and Millwright business in Great Britain, and having practised the same the last thirty years, continues to manufacture at the above Establishment all kinds of

STEAM ENGINES.

High and low Pressure, For Boats, Saw, or Grist Mills, and for Propelling any kind of machinery.—Steam Engine Boilers for Marine or Land purposes made and repaired; all kinds of Machinery repaired; Iron and Brass Casting made to order; BRASS AND IRON TURNING; Blacksmith Work of all kinds executed promptly and on favorable terms. ☞ As cheap or cheaper than any other Establishment in the Province. ☜

JOHN SMITH,

St. John, December 1, 1855. ENGINEER.

HORSE SHOEING

AND GENERAL

BLACKSMITHS ESTABLISHMENT

THE Subscriber having received a liberal share of public patronage during the time he has been in business, begs respectfully to return thanks for the same, and begs further to state that he is prepared to manufacture, to order, all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

among which will be found the Improved Wrought Iron Scotch PLOUGH, and a newly invented and highly approved of Wrought Iron HARROW.

☞ HORSE SHOEING, ON THE MOST SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES.

For reference to his efficiency in this department he refers to the owners of Horses who have favored him with their support.

JAMES SCRYMGEOUR.

St John, June 1, 1856.

SHARPS

BALSAM of HOARHOUND & ANISEED,

Is a safe and sure remedy for the cure of Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Inflamation of the Chest, Hoarseness, Wheezing of the Lungs, &c.

This is the cheapest and best Medicine ever offered to the public for the cure of the above named diseases. Its speedy and extraordinary effects have gained for it a reputation far above all other remedies of a similar kind.

The most flattering Testimonials have been received from the following gentlemen:

Daniel Leavitt, Esq., J. P.
E. Hunt, Esq., Merchant.
W. D. Pickup, Esq., do.
John Armstrong, Esquire.
Capt. Hugh Chisholm,
William Neagle, Merchant.
James Bennett.

Prepared by John G. Sharp, Pharmaceutica Chemist, and Sold by James H. Chipman; Geo F. Everett & Co; Chaloner & Hunt; J. F. Scovil; Wm. Neagle.

CARLETON—Henry Nase, & Richard N. Knight.

St. John, Jan. 9, 1857.

For Sale.

A SITE FOR A GENTLEMAN'S VILLA.

FROM 10 to 15 Acres of GOOD LAND, situated on the St. Andrew's Road, between 3 and 4 miles from Carleton, on the upper side of the Road, and having a splendid view of the Bay of Fundy. The Land is of an excellent quality, and possession will be given at any time. Terms accommodating. For particulars, apply at the *Chronicle* Office, or on the premises to

dec. 19. SAMUEL HILLIS.

WINTER CAPS.—The Subscriber has just made up, and has on sale, a full assortment of Gent's. and Youths' FUR CAPS, various styles.

Do. do. PLUSH, do. do.;
Do. do. CLOTH, do. do.;
Do. do. do, do. Fur & Plush.
Trimmed.

Also—FUR COATS, BOOTS, and *Mufflers* GLOVES—in Fur, Buckskin, Cloth, Kid, &c.

D. H. HALL,

dec. 19. 41, King Street.

We have obtained the Victory.

KENNAY & SCRIBNER,

PIANOFORTE MANUFACTURERS

South side King Square, St. John, N. B.

HAVING taken the First and Second Prizes, and the Diploma for their Instruments, at the Provincial Exhibition, beg leave to inform the public that they can supply PIANOFORTES, at the allowing prices:

Square Front Mahogany Piccolo,	£30	0	0
Rosewood O. G. Piccolo,	35	0	0
Do. Elegant do.	40	0	0
Cottage,	42	0	0
Semi-Cabinet,	45	10	0
Full Cabinet,	50	0	0
Elegant, with French front, tuss legs, and circular bottom,	65	0	0

The whole of the above Instruments are 6 3.4 Octave to A above.

N. B.—All Instruments manufactured by K.&S. will be warranted three years.

Every description of English and American Pianofoters tuned and repaired.

RECEIVED!

PER LATE ARRIVALS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

100 PIECES SATINETTS & DOESKINS; 5 bales Grey COTTON;
1 bale Cotton FLANNEL;
1 case American Shirts and Drawers;
1 " Silk Handkerchiefs and SHAWLS.

Also—An assortment of Ladies, Gents, and Children's Fancy BELTS; Tortoise Shell, India Rubber and Ivory COMBS; 1 case French Wax DOLLS; Silver and Alberta Tea and Table SPOONS.

A splendid assortment of ACCORDEONS and FLUTINAS; Knives, Scissors, and RAZORS; Pocket Books, Portmonies, &c., &c.

9,000 vols. New and Second BOOKS, in various departments of Literature, to arrive per schooner "Orlando."

A large assortment of BOOTS and SHOES, of a superior quality—made to order—just received per steamer.

☞ The public will please take notice that the above Goods will be sold at greatly reduced prices to suit the times.

September 26. B. O'BRIEN.

Fish, Liquors, etc.,

—IN STORE—

350 QUINTALS prime CODFISH;
75 do. HALLOCK;
6 whole and 50 half-barrels prime SHAD;
10 chests Congo TEA; 300 pieces Grind-stones, from 15 in. to 45 in.; 20 brls. Gibb'd Herrings;
19 boxes FIFES; 5 do. Pepper Sauce; 20 dozen Bushel BASKETS, 1 brl. Rum Colouring, Am.;
1 pun. Cammelton WHISKEY; 1 pun. Am. RUM;
3 puns. Am. RUM; Port and Sherry WINE;
1 pipe Cognac BRANDY; 1 do. H. GIN; and a general assortment of good GROCERIES.

—In Bond (at Walker's)—

5 puns. ALCOHOL—for sale at lowest Market Rates.

JOHN MARVEN,

Ward-street.

I would also inform my Customers and the Public in general that I have enlarged my premises, and will be better able to accommodate them in future.

Oct. 17. J. MARVEN.

FRESH ARRIVALS.

Received per Brigt. "Antelope:"—

10 QR. CASKS Fine Pale SHERRY;
10 do. do. Hennessy's Old BRANDY;

Also, per "Enterprise:"—

30 pipes De Kuyper's HOLLANDS;
15 hhds. do. do.;
30 do. Hennessy's and Martell's BRANDY
10 puns. Scotch WHISKEY, fine quality.

For Sale at market rates.

September 26. JOHN McCOSKERY.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against cutting Trees, or carrying away Lumber of any kind, or trespassing in any way upon Lots Nos. 22, 23, and 24, in the Victoria Settlement, Parish of Burton, County of Sunbury; or upon Lot No. 1 on the Nerepis Road, near the Grant, Parish of Blissville, said County; as such trespassers are by the Act of Assembly punished by a Fine of £50 or by imprisonment for one year, at the discretion of the Court. The Proprietor is determined, after this caution, to enforce the Law against all trespassers to the utmost extent.

JOHN ROOP,

December 12. 3m *Owner of said Lands*

Confectionary.

THE Subscriber has just received per Pilgrim from Glasgow—150 lbs Choice CONFECTIONARY, consisting of Conversation, Peppermint & mixed LOZENGES, Motto HEARTS, Ginger & Polka *Seals*, Rosebuds, Bracelets, Polka & Princess Balls, Horehound, Acid, Rose Acid, Pine Apple, Pear, Fish, Strawberry, and Alphabet Drops, Almonds, BARLEY SUGAR.

July 11. S. L. TILLEY,

Earthenware, China & Glass,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

No. 20, Dock Street, Saint John, N. B.

The subscriber invites the attention of the Public to his extensive assortment of

CHINA, EARTHENWARE and GLASS, (imported from our own Manufactory,) of the newest designs and patterns, in China, Ironstone, White stone and EARTHENWARE. Breakfast, Dinner, Dessert and Tea SETS, in Mosaic, China and Whitestone; China and Parian ORNAMENTS; Figures, Satinetts; Glass Moulded and *Cut Decanters*; Claret Jugs, Pitchers, Hock, Claret and Wine Glasses; Champagnes; Goblets; Tumblers; Butter Coolers; Ice Cream Plates; Centres; Round and Square Dishes; Dimes Bottles; Finger Cups; Toilet Bottles; Plates, Salts, Sugars, and Creams; Cruet Frames, Glass shades, and Artificial Flowers; Window GLASS—all sizes; German and Smithwick Cream and Butter Crocks; Preserve and Covered Crocks; Jars, ½ to 3.4 gallons; and all descriptions common EARTHENWARE, suitable for the Country, can be selected from a large and varied Stock.

April 11. FRAS. CLEMENTSON.

HORSE SHOEING.

[Shop one door north of the Country Market]

WILLIAM GABRIEL begs to Tender his sincere thanks to his friends and the Public for the extensive patronage hitherto received from them; and he takes this method further to inform them that he is prepared at all times to execute orders in his line of business, in the be t possible manner, and in the style that is most suitable to this Country.

January 20, 1854.

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

THE balance of our stock of Winter CAPS—Our hands are all employed in making up a first rate stock of HATS and CAPS for Spring & Summer wear, consisting of Satin, and Cassimere, and Glazed Caps, &c., Wholesale buyers would do well to leave their orders early.

On hand—A large stock of Kossuth and Wide-Awake HATS, in Black, Drab, and Brown. Wholesale and Retail.

C. D. EVERETT & SON,

Feb. 13. 15, King-street.

MAGEE, HATTER.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public in general, that he has removed a part of his Establishment to 27, North Side of King Street, directly opposite Cross Street, and one door below Mr. J. Frost's Shoe Store, where he will be found ready to serve the Public with HATS and CAPS of his *own Manufacture*, made under his inspection, which he feels warranted in saying are equal to any made or sold in this City, as has been proved at the Exhibitons held in this City and Fredericton, and also at Halifax, N. S., from which he received a Certificate of merit under the Seal of that Province.

The business will be conducted as formerly at his old Stand, under the management of his Nephew, D. MAGEE, a practical Hatter; where the Public will always find a good article, and at a reasonable price.

HATS and CAPS made to order.

A. MAGEE,

27 North Side, King street.

St. John June 6.

MEDICAL REVOLUTION!

THE WORLD UNANIMOUS.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

THE GREAT COUNTER IRRITANT!

The virus of disease often makes its way to the internal organs through the pores of the skin. This penetrating Ointment, melting under the hand as it is rubbed in, is absorbed through the same channels, and, reaching the seat of inflammation, promptly and invariably subdues it, whether located in the kidneys, the liver, the lungs, or any other important organ. It penetrates the surface to the interior, through the countless tubes that communicate with the skin as summer rain passes into the fevered earth diffusing its cool and regenerating influence.

SKIN DISEASES & GLANDULAR SWELLINGS.

Every species of exterior irritation is quickly reduced by the anti-inflamatory action of this Ointment, Angry ERUPTIONS, such as SALT RHEUM, ERYSIPELAS, TETTER, RINGWORM, SCALD HEAD, NETTLE RASH, SCABIES (or ITCH) &c., die out, to return no more under its application. Hospital experience in all parts of the world proves its infallibility in diseases of the skin, the muscles, the joints and the glands.

ULCERS, SORES, AND TUMORS.

The effect of this unrivaled external remedy upon Scrofula, and other virulent ulcers and sores, is almost miraculous. It first discharges the poison which produces suppuration and proud flesh, and thus the cures which its healing properties afterward complete are safe as well as permanent.

WOUNDS, BRUISES, BURNS, AND SCALDS.

In cases of the fracture of the bones, injuries caused by steam explosions, BRUISES, BURNS, SCALDS, RHEUMATISM, STIFFNESS OF THE JOINTS, and contraction of the sinews, it is employed and warmly recommended by the faculty. This marvellous remedy has been introduced by its inventor in person into all the leading Hospitals of Europe, and no private household should be without it.

UNDENIABLE TESTIMONY.

The Medical Staff of the French and English Armies in the Crimea have officially signed their approval of Holloway's Ointment, as the most reliable dressing for sabre cuts, stabs, and gun-shot wounds. It is also used by the surgeons of the Allied Navies.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions,	Rheumatism,	Sore Throats,
Burns,	Ringworm,	Sores of all kinds
Capped hands,	Salt Rheum,	Sprains,
Chilblains,	Scalds,	Stiff Joints
Fistula,	Skin Diseases	Tetter,
Gout,	Swelled	Ulcers,
Lumbago,	Glands,	Venereal Sores,
Mercurial	Sore Legs,	Wounds of all
Eruptions,	Sore Breasts,	kinds.
Piles,	Sore Heads,	

*** Sold at the Manufactories of Professor Holloway, 80, Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States and the civilized world, in pots, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and 1$ each.

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each pot.

S. L. TILLEY, *Provincial Agent*, No. 2, King Street, St. John, N. B.; A. Coy & Son, Fredericton; W. T. Baird, Woodstock; Alex. Lockhart, Quaco; James Beck, Bend of Petitcodiac; O. K. Sayre, Dorchester; John Bell, Sheffie; John Lewis, Hillsborough; John Curry, Canning; and James G. White, Belleisle.

☞ CAUTION!—None are genuine unless the words "HOLLOWAY, NEW YORK & LONDON," are discernible as a WATER-MARK in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by "holding the leaf to the light." A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

S. K. FOSTER'S,

Fashionable SHOE STORES,

"FOSTER'S CORNER,"—*Saint John.*
"QUEEN STREET,"—*Fredericton.*

NEW FALL GOODS.

Received per Packet ship John Barbour and recent steamers from Boston—

LADIES' BOOTS and SHOES of the best English manufacture, suitable for the season; Gentlemen's Black and Drab Cloth BOOTS; Misses', Boys', and Youths', and Children's Boots and Shoes, of English and American make. Ladies', Misses' and Children's American make BOOTS and SHOES in great variety.

—ALSO—

Men's, Women's, Boys', Youths', Misses' and Children's Rubber Boots and Shoes.

—DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE.—

Gentlemen's Dress Elastic side BOOTS
Do. Calf and Patent do.;
Do. Calf, Morocco & Patent BOOTTEES;
Boys', Youths', and Children's BOOTS, Boottees and SHOES, with many other varieties.

September 19. S. K. FOSTER.

PHŒNIX FOUNDRY.

POND STREET, SAINT JOHN, N. B.

THE above establishment having recently been enlarged, and Machinery and Tools of the latest improved kinds introduced, the Proprietors respectfully inform their patrons and the Public generally, that they are prepared with superior facilities to manufacture High and Low Pressure STEAM ENGINES, and BOILERS, Steam Boat, Saw, and Grist Mill MACHINERY, Turning Lathes, Screw Presses, Ship Builders Cramps, Windlass Gear, Cast Iron Pumps, Hawser Pipes, Warping Checks, Shives, Sheets, and Rollers, &c.; Bark Mills, Oven and Furnace Mouths, Ploughs, Thrasher and Fanner Wheels, Truck and Barrow Wheels &c.; Iron and Brass CASTINGS, Blacksmith Work, &c. &c.

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October 17, 1856.

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Also, a Lot of Land, containing 200 acres, situated on the English settlement, head of Washademoak Lake, thirty to forty acres of which are cleared, ten acres having been ploughed. It has on it a good Frame Barn, in the vicinity there are Episcopal, Presbyterian, and Methodist Churches, several Schools, a Saw Mill, Grist Mill, Oat Mill, and a Carding Machine.

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By late arrivals:—

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ST. ANDREWS ALE.—Just received, a small lot of St. Andrews Steam Brewed ALE, very superior. For sale by

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FIRE BRANCH.

Persons Assured by this Company are not subject to any covenants or calls to make good losses which may happen to themselves or other, nor do they depend on any uncertain fund or contribution, the Capital Stock of this Company being an unquestionable security to the Assured in case of Loss or Damage by Fire.

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In addition to the more customary methods of Insurance, the Company likewise Assures Lives on any of the following contingencies:—

For the terms of One Year, Seven Years, or any other definite period.

For the whole continuance of Life—The Premiums to cease, after a limited number of Annual Payments.

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Premiums on Credit.—A portion of the Premiums on Credit. Assurances may be effected in various ways, not enumerated, to meet the convenience of parties.

The important advantages afforded by the Company in the Life Branch will include the following viz:—

The Guarantee of an ample Capital, and Exemption of the Assured from liability of Partnership.

Moderate Premiums.

Large Participation of Profits by the Assured amounting to Two-thirds of its net amount, which may be applied at the option of the party effecting the Assurance:—1st. By the immediate payment of the sum so apportioned.—2nd. By an equivalent increase of the sum assured.

Small Charge for Management.—The expenses of the Office being borne in due proportion by the two Branches.

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Thirty Days are allowed for the Payment of Premiums after the day on which they respectively *Additional Advantages offered to Lives Assured with this Company at St. John, N. B.*

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