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## LONDON MINOR THEATRES.

SEVENTY MONTHS AGO AND NOW.

It is all very well to dabble in the great art of aristocracy, and to endeavour by a speciousness and plausibility, to all reading works with a belief that the London Stage—such as is occasionally described in the correspondent of "the Spirit of the Times"—is and was the great mark of attention for every grade of society in the metropolis. The writer of those articles is, without doubt, convinced of the correctness of his position, and probably never entered a London Theatre without paying 7s. sticking his seat in the dress circle; a sum which he bought for as a free admission for the evening, at a Minor Theatre. It is true, we allow, that Kemble was not in the stock company; Macready could not be persuaded to perform for three nights only, it would have been labour in vain to attempt to negotiate with young Keen; still there was a theatre, with boxes, pit and gallery, orchestra, a music-box, two large lights, and a green curtain. It was situated near Lisson Grove, and presided by all the shop-keepers, traders, and mechanics in the neighbourhood. We shall describe our aristocratic friend in the "Spirit," as not a particular night. We shall describe him when the upper part of the audience called a *deux*, a female *deux*.—Some excitement existed in the street, several apartments were surrounded by patrons of the theatre, members of the *Ragocracy*, who displayed earnestly, and somewhat fiercely, the name of the fair candidate for their favor.

"I say Bill," remarked an individual with a ragged coat, to another individual who was in coat-of-arms, "not in the name of hard could he put this freak into *Sophia's* hands, to leave up doll, hoysters and spout in a cigar?"

"No," replied Costless, "she says as hoc and water makers give next to nothing for the shells, and them's her only parkaste appearance: a hundred is too small, consider as how they pumps 'em out to the public's acceptance a glass."

"Well," said Rags, "I think *Soph* 'ell she can come it strong if she likes, and if only she 'em two or three of her hand up by looks, it's all right, but we must pull through; how does them butcher boys go to her?"

"They're all right," quoth he, without an argument; "Jim milk'd the list last night out of just enough to push right into the cry, and three into two, then there's the grinder and five omnibus cars, who'll bring on 'em votaries to come opposition a dead sartins."

It was the edifying dialogue, which had ably its counterpart in different streets of the scene of action. The posters on all the dead walls in Paddington, the notices shops displayed the bill, and the sides of all the gin-palaces in the vicinity of the attention of the customers to the instant announcement of which the following a literal copy—

THEATRE, PADDINGTON.  
This evening will be performed Shakespeare's play of FAZIO: The part of Bianca, by a Lady—(her first appearance on any stage.) Mr. Effingham—Aldabella, Miss Ridgway, of the first set a *MOULINE FIANC*, by the Lady and Mr. Effingham. To conclude with the drama of THE INJURED FIG, OR THE SUE OF REVENGE, with a new catastrophe, expressly for the Theatre. For characters call bills.—Doors to be open at six, and begin at seven.—Boxes, four pence.—Pit, two pence.—Stalls, one penny.—on half price in the Gallery. Seats allowed in the Boxes.—Gentlemen who sit in the Gallery are requested not to spit into the street.

few minutes before seven, we were at my place, and rendered our money; the waiter, (a female), looked sneeringly, as he went to say "do you expect to get a seat for a night as this, continue so late?" I asked if the house was full? "Full! Full!" screamed the money-taker. I think you said full, sir; I don't know you might call full, but here I've took

two and twenty shillings in copper and eight in silver, besides a queer sixpence or two, and I'm blowed if I think you can scrounge in any where; but you may try sir, you may try!"

We took the pass-check, and being pretty respectably dressed, the box-keeper thought we should make a decent audience-show, and put us into a side box near the orchestra, the only unoccupied seat in the theatre. Two lamps, one at each end of the stage, were flaring at an awful rate, to say nothing of the delightful effluvia which a compound of fat and kitchen grease diffused through the arena. It was a bumper—decidedly a bumper, without the assistance of a single newspaper puff—it was a thirty shilling house!

The weather was exceedingly hot, and the lady treasurer not coming within the meaning of the Plurality Bill, held two offices, viz: money-taker for admission, and money-taker for cigars, apples, and ginger-beer, more generally known by the martial name of Wellington Pop. Dorothy Clabbs, (her name sometimes shortened into Dolly, or snipped into Doll, was a most industrious person for her size (250 lbs. the just); she kept a fruit and green shop in Church street, Paddington, plac'd by eldest daughter with a "libel" barrow of apples and oranges in Edgeware Road, sent four of her boys to hawk and peddle the same commodities through various streets of the Metropolis, and in the evening she was occupied as above stated. Dolly had an extraordinary memory, she kept no book or memorandum, but she knew every debtor, and the amount he owed;—she never opened a new account until the old one was squared, and it was therefore difficult to get into her debt more than sixpence. On the night in question we saw her carry out a little of her system of finance. A young scoundrel about 15 years old sidled up to the singer saying "Doll, can't you trust us a cigar?"

"No!"

"I owes you nothing."

"Perhaps you don't."

"What?"

"This night three weeks, my covey, two Haywainers and a Pop."

The applicant sneaked off, and by the time he had resumed his seat in the pit, the Paddington clock was striking seven. This was a broad hint to the audience—seven o'clock and nothing done—then commenced a clapping of hands, stamping of feet, cries of "music," "tip us the cat-gut," "let's have scrape," accompanied by whistles and penny trumpets—at length the sound of a violin, in a state of *tune-tion* was heard, and presently the music made its appearance. What a sight! A half-starved ragged blind fiddler, led by a quite starved, squallid child, was placed on a stool in the orchestra. He commenced an overture of his own, an *ad libitum Fantasia*, but it was too deep for that public, and they called out for a lively tune; at length every one named an air of his own fancy, and had the unfortunate violinist complied with all the demands upon his talents, he would have had to continue playing for three weeks! All we could catch in the din was a duetto (with variations of course) between *sen* Der Frischcutz and Donnybrook Pair; the confusion was ended by the sudden ringing of a bell, and up went the curtain.—"Fazio and Bianca discovered!"—so runs the text book. A burst of vociferation greeted the new aspirant; she (a great little person) swaggered to the front, put herself in a fencing attitude, drew back her left foot and right arm, became perpendicular, and hobbled a something between a bow and a courtesy. The swell manner in which this manoeuvre was perpetrated put her supporters upon their metal. Shouts of "go it *Soph*," "a tip it 'em," "well done oysters," were mingled in delicious harmony. When quiet was restored the dialogue commenced—the dialogue!—the dialogue between Fazio and Bianca! Shade of Milton!—(is he dead?)—Gentles of Kemble and O'Neill! It was a common place jabber, a *l'Impressadori*, betwixt the two—not a word of the original, not a syllable. After a little bye-play, she looked savagely at some

one in the pit, and in an under-ton said—"Bill, if you don't keep still o' winking at me you'll put me out." "Turn him out," cried a hoarse voice—"Sh! his windpipe," pit ditto, "chuck him over," gallery idem, followed by twenty "siences" and twelve "shares" promiscuous. The scene closed—Enter Aldabella, followed by Fazio—she said nothing, and walked off, Fazio after her. End of Act Ist—Fidler—Curtain rose, Bianca in her night cap waiting for Fazio, who entered and rolled his eyes about and himself into a chair. She sprang up, caught him by the throat, and screamed out, "You vagabond, you've—you've—seen Aldabella!"—she dragged him to the front, he fell on one knee, she raised her arm, and struck the astonished Fazio with such violence that he lost his balance, tumbled into the orchestra, carrying the music with him in his downward course. This was a *Medea touch*—it was unorthodox, the audience rose en masse, and gave *Soph* three tremendous cheers, which she acknowledged by many thumps on her left side, meaning thereby everlasting gratitude. Exit Bianca—End of Act 2nd.

The dance as per bill was demanded—Mr. Effingham limped forward and declared, that in consequence of the fall he had suffered, it would not be performed, but if the audience would permit, he would substitute a song. In answer thereto, bravos proclaimed the general acquiescence, and he achieved that delightful cavatina, "If I had a donkey you would't go" to a double encore, which was received in full payment for the Highland Flieg.

The third and fourth acts did not seem to come off at all, for the curtain rose and we saw Bianca and Fazio in prison. She cried—seemed—toe her hair, and said some thing about love and madness—a bell toll'd—Fazio started, looked at Bianca, and stalked off. She of course followed.

Scenes the last, a churchyard with tombstones, &c. Enter Bianca, and she fell upon one of the graves, and a groan was heard—she started, a tomb opened—the ghost of Fazio rose—she rushed upon him, fell in his arms, and they both sunk together, amidst the deafening shouts of an admiring auditory.

Thus was the celebrated tragedy acted by three performers, there was no *Bastelo*—no *Duke*—no nothing else. We did not wait for the "Injured Fig," considering we had a pretty good fourpen'orth.

## THE EMPRESS CATHERINE.

At the time of Jegur's embassy at the Russian Imperial Court, in the reign of Catherine II., a stranger of the name of Suderland filed the office of treasurer to the empress. One morning he was informed that his house was surrounded by soldiers, and that the commanding officer requested an audience.

This officer, whose name was Belien, came in then with an appearance of the utmost consternation: "Mr. Suderland," said he, "it is with indelible grief that I see myself called upon to perform on you an execution of the most horrible nature, oh! horrible in the extreme! and I am totally ignorant of what crime you can have guilty, to have incurred the mighty displeasure of her most gracious majesty." "I! what have I done?" replied the treasurer in amazement, "What in the world do you mean? I know no more than you do, what I can have done. And what is that dreadful execution you speak of?" "Sir," answered the officer, "it is to mention it—is it fearful?"

"Have I then lost the confidence her majesty trusted in me?"

"Oh, if that were all, you would not see me so afflicted. Confidence may be regained, an office may be restored."

"Well," asked Suderland, "am I to be banished—banished to Siberia; oh, tell me this, my dreadful fate?"

"It might be possible for you to return from there. That is not it."

"Am I then to be cast in a dungeon?"

"That were preferable."

"Gracious heavens I am I then to suffer the

knout?"

"It is a dreadful torture; but you might recover—it is not that."

"Oh! for the mercy of heaven, no longer keep me in doubt—am I then to die?"

"My gracious sovereign," replied the officer, trembling with emotion, "ordered me to have you—good heavens! how dreadful—to have you—stuffed!"

"To be stuffed!" exclaimed the astonished treasurer, "to be stuffed! Either you must be lost your senses, or her majesty must be in a dream. Surely you never received this order without remonstrating on its barbarity?"

"Alas! my poor friend, it was all to no purpose. 'Go,' said her majesty, 'and recollect it is your duty to execute what orders I assign to give you!'"

It would be impossible to depict the amazement, the anger, the fear, the despair, of the poor treasurer, that one short quarter of an hour was granted to put his affairs in order; and it was with extreme difficulty that permission was given him to write a short note to Earl Bruce. His Lordship having read this note, stood transfixed, as may be supposed, with astonishment; he lost to time in requesting an audience with the empress, to whom he revealed the contents of Suderland's note.

Catherine, hearing the strange recital, was at a loss to imagine what it could be that could have given rise to this extraordinary circumstance. "Good heavens," she exclaimed, "run, oh, my lord, and be in time to deliver my poor treasurer from his terror!"

The earl hastened to Suderland's house, fortunately, in time to save him; and on his return found the empress laughing to her heart's content; her majesty had discovered the cause of this strangeness. "I see now," said she, "how it is: my poor little favorite dog, that I had christened Suderland, after my treasurer, who had made me a present of it, lately died, and I gave orders to have it stuffed this morning."

To impale and to stuff are expressed by the same words in the Russian.

## Miscellaneous.

The Queen and Lady Peel.—Many stories have been told about the recent ball given by the Queen. We have heard her following from an eye witness, viz, that Her Majesty made a point of giving a most cordial shake of the hand to Lady Peel, as if anxious to prove that her political sentiments did not interfere with her private feelings. We mention this little incident, first, as an amiable trait in Her Majesty's character, and secondly, as an example generally to the ladies of the United Kingdom, who have lately allowed politics to obtain much too great an influence over them, even to the imbibing of private life, the poisoning of friendship, and the souring of the very best feelings of the human heart. This is a hint which is much wanted.—*Liverpool Chronicle*.

In the course of an inquest held in London, the Coroner, Mr. Wakley, M. P., made the following observations:—"Gin is the best friend I have; it causes me to have annually a thousand more inquests than I otherwise should hold. I have reason to believe that from 10,000 to 15,000 persons die in this metropolis annually from the effects of gin drinking, on whom no inquests are held. Since I have been Coroner I have seen so many murders and suicides by poison, drowning, hanging and cutting the throat, in consequence of drinking ardent spirits, that I am confident the Legislature will, before long be obliged to interfere with respect to the sale of liquors containing alcohol. The gin-seller will be made so responsible as the chemist, and I think it is right that publicans should know that even now they are to a certain extent responsible in the eye of the law. If a publican allows a man to stand at his bar, and serves him with several glasses of gin and sees him drink it





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I. Rum, 1 to 5, 4s.
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Tobacco 16s 10d
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July 13.

Coff. e 9d @ 10d; 14 baskets Salad Oil 19s
6d @ 20s; 7 boxes Sperm Candles 2s 6d @
2s 7d; 29 boxes Glazed Pipes 22s 3d @ 23s
6d; 2 do Faced do 21s 3d; 10 sacks common
Live-wood Sals 5s 5d @ 5s 8 1/2; 13 bbls Carolina
Rice 28s 6d @ 31s; 3 bales Cotton Bating
7 1/2 @ 8 1/2; 2 Gruyere Cheeses 1s 3d per lb;
18 boxes Dippy Herrings 4s 5 1/2; No 1 New-
foundland Herrings 19s; No 2 do 13s; 40 bxs
H M Raisins 1s 3s @ 11s 5d; 5 hf do 5s 8d;
5 boxes London Starch 7 1/2; 24 boxes Scented
Soap 10 1/2 @ 1s; 5 boxes Castle do 9 1/2;
50 boxes Shaving do 5s @ 5s 9d; 15 boxes
Lemons 12s 6d @ 16s; 9 boxes Y H Tea 2s 5d
@ 2s 6d; 20 Catty Boxes do 2s 7d; 3 hlds
Spanish Wine 2s 4 1/2; 17 do Port 2s 7 1/2 @
2s 9 1/2; 7 puns New Rum 3 to 5 1/2 @ 10 1/2
@ 5s; 5 puns do 3 to 5 1/2 @ 10 1/2 @ 4s 11d; 2
puns E 1 Rum 2 to 5 1/2 @ 2d; 3 hlds common
Gin 3s 1d @ 3s 6d.

General Average Price of Corn, week ended
7th June—declared London, 13th June.
Impetial—General weekly average.
Wheat . . . 69s 7d Rye . . . 43s 11d
Barley . . . 38 10 Beans . . . 39 11
Oats . . . 26 4 Peas . . . 39 7
Aggregate average of six weeks which governs
duty.
Wheat . . . 70 7 Rye . . . 41 7
Barley . . . 39 3 Beans . . . 39 0
Oats . . . 25 8 Peas . . . 38 8
Duty on Foreign Corn.
Wheat . . . 10 8 Rye . . . 8 0
Barley . . . 3 4 Beans . . . 11 0
Oats . . . 9 3 Peas . . . 12 6
London, 13th June, 3 P. M.—Consols for the
account 93 1/4.

Table with columns: Places, Prices, Remarks. Lists prices for various goods like flour, sugar, and other commodities across different locations.

ARRIVED.
July 19th.
Schr. Judique, 1st July, Sydney, Price & Co. her-
rings, 2 passengers.
REPORTED BY TELEGRAPH.
July 14th.
Bark Brunswick, 29th May, to order, ballast.
Schr. Mary Margaret, 29th June, Halifax, Symes
& Ross, oil, 3 passengers.

CLEARED.
July 17th.
Bark Hunter, Cape Hull, Gilmore & Co.
Bark Exaine, Nicol, Liverpool, Gilmore & Co.
Bark Seon, Dominion, Bristol, Mainland & Co.
Bark Thos. Young, Newford, London, Atkinson.
Bark Green, Taylor, Gloucester, Mainland & Co.
Bark Young Queen, Turpin, London, Price & Co.
Bark Prospect, Brown, Sunderland, Curry & Co.
Bark Jane A. Malvin, Stoney, Montreal, Main-
land & Co.

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Barth Jas. Lemmon, Senor, Dublin, by land.
Brig Scipio, Greece, Dublin, Pemberton.
Schr. Lazy, Jonca, Miramichi, W. J. Newton.

PARSENGERS.
In the packet ship Toronto from London at New
York, 11th inst.—P. M. Cayley, Esq. of Canada
for Liverpool.
The packet ship Ville de Lyon, which arrived at
New York on the 14th inst. from Havre, saw on
the 17th inst. in lat. 40 45, lon. 67 50 the steam
ship Liverpool which left New York on the 9th
for Liverpool. The Ville de Lyon also saw, on the
24th ult. in latitude 44 13, lon. 54 45, a large steam
vessel steering east supposed to be H. B. Majesty's
steamer Columbia, for Portsmouth which sailed
from Halifax on the 18th June.
The French steam ship Meteor, arrived at New
York on the 11th instant in two days from Nor-
folk, U. S.
A splendid new packet ship called the Memphis,
has been launched at New York; she was to start
for Liverpool on the 16th instant with a full cargo
of cotton and had on the 13th 40 passengers engaged.
New York, July 13th.—Up for Quebec, ship
Brunswick, Porter.

From English papers by the Siddons—
London, June 12—Cleared outwards in ballast,
Ulysses, Purdy, for Quebec.
Deal, June 12—Arrived from the river, and sail-
ed. Recovery, Barkley, for Quebec.
Portsmouth, June 11—Sailed, Spey, Beverley, for
Quebec.
Liverpool, June 13—Sailed, Washington, Mc
Lay, for Quebec. Lonsdale—Petrel, Bell, for
Montreal.

PORT OF MONTREAL, July 14—Arrived, Bark
Countess of Durham, Stowe, Cuba, general cargo.
—10th. Bark Tyward, Portaux, Liverpool, general
cargo.—Cleared, 10th, Brig Southampton,
Richardson, Granada—10th, Schr. Hesione, Boyd,
Quebec; Bark Dryope, Hamilton, Liverpool.

LETTER BAGS AT THE EXCHANGE.
London—Brig Lord Althorp—will close to-day.
Liverpool—Ships Forts and Dryope—to-morrow.
Dublin—Brig St. James.
Greenock—Brig Iris.

WANTED.
TWO OR THREE ACTIVE BOYS, to
carry the Transcript. Apply at this
Office.—17th July.

TO THE LADIES.
Just imported per Earl Dunmore,
7 CASES OF LADIES' BONNETS, of the new-
est shapes and trimmings.
C. T. BROWN'S Tailors and Straw Hat
Warehouse and Clothing Store, corner of rue
du Fort and Bunde Streets, Upper Town.
19th July.

JAMAICA PRESERVES.
THE Subscribers have just received by the
Countess of Durham, from Jamaica a
small supply of
Preserved Ginger,
Limes, Citron,
Cashew, Oranges,
Guava Jelly,
Green Sweetmeats,
Jamaica Jam,
Candied Fruits.
AND,
Cayenne Pepper.
GIBB & SHAW,
Notre-Dame Street, Lower Town.
19th July.

FOR SALE.
ONE HUNDRED Pancheons Rum,
25 pancheons Molasses,
100 barrels Tar.
R. PENISTON,
McCallum's Wharf.
19th July.

MILL SITE FOR SALE.
A GOOD MILL STREAM situated be-
tween the Beauport Seignory Mill and
Mill Bank, capable of working 4 pairs of stones
and distant only 3 quarters of a league from
Town.
N. B.—A fine Quarry of Building stone is
convenient to the above Mill Site.

ALSO,
A GOOD one Story Wooden House,
with a 2 story wooden Hauger,
erected in the rear; also, a Stable and spacious
Yard situated in St. Paul's Street, St. Roch's
Suburbs.

ALSO,
AT LAVERGNE, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL.
A GOOD one story Wooden House, with a
substantial stone Hauger; also, a Stable and
Barn erected in the rear; this property is
situated in an advantageous place in the Village,
and the whole is in good order.
Application to be made for the above prop-
erties to
SIMON BEDARD, FARMER,
14th July.

FOR SALE, at the Store of H. CARWELL
17 1/2, Fabrique-street, a choice assortment
of gentlemen's superior black beaver HATS
of the newest shapes and best quality, price
\$8; also, summer gossamer hats, 12s. 6d. each.
A few ladies' riding hats, superior quality,
Queen's Own, Adelaide, Durham, and other
new shapes.
Quebec, June 8th, 1839.

NEW SHIP CHANDLERY
ESTABLISHMENT.
THE Subscribers having entered into Co-
partnership, intend carrying on the above
business (in the premises lately occupied by S.
Brocklesly & Son, St. Peter-street,) under
the style and firm of Pinkerton & Oliver,
A. H. PINKERTON.
J. E. OLIVER
Quebec, 20th May.

JOHN SHAW & CO.
Importers,
ARE NOW RECEIVING
"ERUBHERA," "ERMANUEL," "JOHN
BENTLEY," "LEO," and other vessels, their
usual spring assortment of
HARDWARE, &c.
CONSISTING OF
BRONZED, Brass, and other FENDERS,
FIRE SETS, Tea Urns, Papier Machee,
and other Tea Trays, Fancy Kettles, Lamps,
Lamp Shades, superior Cutlery in Knives and
Forks, Scissors, Penknives, &c.
WITH A VARIETY OF
FANCY IRONMONGERY, &c.
Cabinet Maker's Brass and Iron Work, House
Joiners' ditto, ditto.
Quebec, 1st June, 1839.

MORISON'S UNIVERSAL MEDECINE
NOTICE.
THE subscribers, general Agents for Mo-
rison's Pills, have appointed WILLIAM
WHITTAKER, Sub-Agent for the Upper Town,
No. 27, St. John Street.
LEGGE & CO.

HAVANNAH CIGARS.
10,000
HAVANNAH CIGARS, best
quality, just received by the
Subscriber.
PETER DELCOUR,
24 May, 1838. No. 3, St. John Street.

JUST RECEIVED BY THE SUBSCRIBER—50 Jars Pickled Oysters.
W. LECHMINANT,
No. 1, Fabrique street.
8th July.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE,
200
MINOTS Boiling Peas,
50 dozens London Porter,
10 qr. casks Port Wine,
5 ditto superior Sherry ditto,
6 pancheons Montreal Cider,
50 boxes Liverpool Soap,
25 ditto Montreal ditto,
2 hds. American Hams,
1 ditto Westphalia ditto,
20 barrels and half ditto Limerick
Pork.
ALSO, English and American Cheese, Sou-
chong, Congou, Twankay and Hyson Tea,
Fresh Pickles & Sauces, Salad & Castor Oil,
Lemon Syrup, Win's and Wardle's Mustard
in 1 lb. and 4 lb. bottles, Spermceity Olive and
Pale Seal Oil, Indian Meal and Oatmeal, &c.
THOS. BICKELL,
Corner of St. John & Stanislaus Street.
10th July.

FOR SALE.
At No. 11, Notre Dame Street.
CASKS ALUM,
10 Casks Epsom Salts,
8 Casks Brimstone,
10 Baskets Double Berkley Cheese,
7 Bags Cotton Wick,
1 Hhd. Westphalia Hams,
3 Cases Preserved Ginger,
12 Boxes Seochong Tea,
10 Cases Gin.
JOHN FISHER.
Quebec, 8th June.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned having commenced busi-
ness as COMMISSION MERCHANT
and BROKER, will make liberal advances
on Consignments.
THOS. JACKSON.
17th May.

SUPERIOR STEAM-MADE SODA
WATER, for sale by
MUSSON & SAVAGE.
Quebec, 1838.

PASSAGE TO BELFAST.
THE splendid coppered bark Ro-
bert Alexander Parker, Mast.
SALTERS, Master, will sail for the above port
about 25th instant, has superior accommodations
for cabin passengers, can also accommodate a few
steerage passengers by early application to the
Captain on board, at Napoleon Wharf; or to
G. H. PARKE,
15th July. India Wharf.

PASSAGE TO LIVERPOOL.
THE fine first class ship Farth,
528 tons Register, JAMES LAMB,
Master, has superior accommodations for a few
cabin passengers, and will sail for the above
port on or before the 17th instant. Apply to
the Captain on board, at Price's Wharf, or to
WILLIAM CHAPMAN & CO.
15th July. Goudie's Wharf.

FOR SALE,
BY THE SUBSCRIBER,
100
BARRELS Prime Mess Pork,
200 ditto Prime and Cargo Beef,
(Quebec Inspection).
120 kegs Flng Tobacco,
30 hds. U. C. and American Leaf ditto,
20,000 Havanna Cigars,
150 barrels U. C. Whiskey,
20 ditto Sperm. Oil, (winter),
74 ditto Cod ditto,
10 hds. Seal ditto,
40 bags roasted Coffee,
240 boxes Bunch Raisins,
100 dozen Corn Brooms, of super. quality,
40 bags Walnuts,
20 ditto Filberts,
70 kegs U. C. Butter,
50 chests Young Hyson Tea,
50 ditto Hyson Skin ditto,
50 ditto Souchong ditto,
100 boxes Pecco, ditto,
100 ditto Souchong, ditto,
84 tierces Muscovado Sugar,
150 barrels ditto ditto.
JOHN YOUNG.
3rd July, 1839.

SALT AFLOAT.
CADIZ SALT for Sale, from on board the
barque "Eliza Ann," Captain Caruthers.
—Also in Store,—
150 barrels Prime Mess Hamburg Pork,
5 kegs Fine Lard.
J. W. LEAYCRAFT, DUNSCOMB & Co.
3rd July.

THE Subscribers have just received and
offer for Sale, a consignment of LEA-
THER, consisting of—
CALF-SKINS,
KIP,
LININGS,
JOHN SHAW & CO.
8th July. St. John street.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,
TWO Hundred Barrels superfine FLOUR,
—Grantham Mills—a very superior ar-
ticle.
WM. PRICE & CO.
21st June.

FOR SALE.
450
BOXES Limerick Oranges, superior fruit
and in fine order, now landing at Gil-
lespie's Wharf, ex schooner Alert, from Lisbon.
15 pipes Spanish Red Wine, now landing
5 hds. } at the Wellington wharf, ex Celia
200 lbs. Hambro' P. M. Pork, ex Emanuel.
—AND IN STORE,—
Teneriffe Wine, Pasley's brand, L. P. and
Cargo in pipes, hds. and qr. casks.
300 boxes Waterford Flg Blue.
WM. PRICE & CO.
29th May.

MADEIRA WINE.
THE undersigned have received via Lon-
don a FRESH SUPPLY of the much esteem-
ed brand "J. Howard, March & Co."
JOHN GORDON & CO.
17th June.

JUST RECEIVED,
AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER
No. 11, Notre Dame Street,
20
SEROONS of BLACK PEPPER,
(sifted),
10 Baskets Olive Oil,
20 Barrels Roasted Coffee,
20 Casks superior Alton Ale, in wood
and bottle.
ALSO—
1 Pipe Blackburn's Madeira,
10 Hds. Vinagar, &c.
JOHN FISHER.
Quebec, 17th June, 1839.

**NOTICE.**  
 THE business heretofore carried on by GEORGE HOWARD will from the 1st May, be continued by the Subscribers, under the firm of GEORGE HOWARD & SON, Shoeing-smiths and Farriers, St. Paul Street, Quebec.  
 1st May.

THE subscribers will commence in their new establishment as well as the old in a few days, where they will have on hand all sorts of ready-made Implements of Husbandry, such as Forks, Hoes, Axes, Spades, Ploughs, Harrows, &c., &c. Horses shod in the best of styles—Good Stabling for Sick Horses. They flatter themselves that they shall be able to give every satisfaction; and as they wish to do business on as short credit as possible, all those who have been in the habit of putting off payment from time to time, will have to pay cash on the spot,—as times and prices will not allow more than three months credit.  
 GEO. HOWARD & SON,  
 18th May. Post Hope Street.

**CALEDONIA SPRINGS.**  
 THE favorable opinion I formerly entertained of the waters of the Caledonia Springs is MORE THAN CONFIRMED, as well from the benefits I personally derived from their use, as from what I observed of their effects on others. The water should be drunk in moderate quantities before breakfast, and persevered in for some weeks at least.  
 (Signed) WILLIAM ROBINSON, M.D.

**A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED**  
 BY BEGG & URQUHART,  
 Quebec, 18th May, 1839.

**NOTICE.**  
 THE Subscriber having entered into Partnership, under the firm of CHARLES CAMPBELL & Co., purpose carrying on business as Agents and Shippers of Lumber, at that part of Sillery Cove, lately in the occupation of Mr. W. H. JEFFERY, where they will be at all hours ready to receive and ship every description of Lumber.  
 CHARLES CAMPBELL,  
 HENRY LE MESURIER, Junr.  
 Quebec, 25th May.

**THE SUBSCRIBERS OFFER FOR SALE—**  
**300 KEGS** London White Lead,  
 100 Kegs do. do. genuine No. 1,  
 15 Casks English LINSEED OIL, double boiled,  
 5 do. Raw do.  
 100 Boxes superior English YELLOW SOAP  
 100 Casks fine Canada ROSE NAILS 3 1/2  
 36 lb.  
 40 doz. SHOVELS,  
 10 Cwt. best English GLUE,  
 WITH A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF  
**HARDWARE.**  
 JOHN SHAW & CO.  
 IMPORTERS, QUEBEC.  
 2nd March, 1839.

**NOTICE.**  
 AN AGREEMENT having been entered into between the Phoenix Fire Assurance Company of London, and that of the Metellus of Glasgow, which provides for the cessation of the business of the latter, and the assumption of its risks by the former, we hereby announce the same to the public, and request that the holders of Policies issued by us as Agents of the Metellus will apply to the Agents of the Phoenix in all things relating thereto.  
 (Signed) TREMAIN, WHITE & CO.  
 In consequence of the agreement referred to in the above advertisement, we beg to inform the holders of Policies of the Metellus Fire Company of Glasgow, that the Phoenix having assumed the risks of that Company in the Canadas, they are ready to issue new Policies of the Phoenix, free of charge, for the unexpired term of those of the Metellus.  
 (Signed)  
 GILLESPIE, MOFFAT, JAMIESON & Co  
 Agents for the Phoenix Fire Assurance Company for the Canadas.

**A. PARROTT,**  
 HAS REMOVED to No. 19, Mountain Street, opposite Mr. Neilson's Bookstore, where he will be happy to receive orders for all kinds of work in his line.  
 Quebec, 8th May

**SPLENDID BOOKS.**  
 THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED AND WILL SELL FOR CASH THE UNDERMENTIONED  
**SPLENDIDLY ILLUSTRATED WORKS,**  
 VIZ:  
 FINDEN'S TABLEAU of the Affections, a series of Picturesque Illustrations of the womanly virtues.—1839.  
 GEMS OF BEAUTY, displayed in a series of 12 highly finished engravings of Spanish subjects, by the first Artists.—1839.  
 HEATH'S PICTURESQUE ANNUAL for 1839, edited by Lettick Ritchie.  
 FINDEN'S PORTS AND HARBOURS, Watering Places, Fishing Villages and other picturesque objects on the English Coast  
 THE RIVERS OF FRANCE, from drawings by Turner.  
 METROPOLITAN IMPROVEMENTS, or London in the nineteenth century, from drawings by T. H. Sheppard.  
 THE GALLERY OF MODERN BRITISH ARTISTS, consisting of series of engravings from Works of the most eminent Artists.  
 HEATH'S GALLERY OF BRITISH ENGRAVINGS, 2 vols.  
 W. COWAN & SON.  
 19th June.

**PROUDLEY'S SAINT LAWRENCE HOTEL,**  
 Sous-le-Port Street, Lower Town.  
 THE Subscriber begs respectfully to return thanks to his friends and the public for past favors, and to assure them that no care or exertion on his part shall be spared to render this establishment deserving of the decided preference which has hitherto been given to it. His house has just undergone many improvements and additions, and now combines very superior advantages for the accommodation and comfort of visitors. The situation is convenient and healthy, commanding a view of the river and shipping of the port, unsurpassed in Quebec.  
 The table of this hotel will always be provided with the best market affords; and the wines and liquors will be found of the choicest qualities.  
 H. PROUDLEY.  
 Quebec, 29th May, 1839.

**SODA WATER, GINGER BEER, LEMONADE AND MAGNESIA WATER, FROM THE FOUNTAIN.**  
 A McLEAN having been appointed Agent for the Sale of NIXON & CO.'S SODA WATER, which has since its first production in this city, given universal satisfaction, respectfully intimates to the inhabitants and visitors of Quebec, that he has, at a considerable expense, had the whole of the apparatus of his Fountain refitted with all the improvements suggested by the great experience of Messrs. N. & Co., and that he is now ready to attend to the kind orders of his friends for any quantity of the above Soda Water, in the highest state of perfection;  
 ALSO,—THAT PLEASANT BUT EFFICACIOUS EFFERVESCENT BEVERAGE,  
**MAGNESIA WATER.**  
 As a delicious and wholesome summer beverage, he is prepared to supply from the same Fountain,  
**EFFERVESCENT LEMONADE, & GINGER BEER,** which will be found superior to any thing of the kind ever offered in this city.  
 N. B.—A choice selection of SYRUPS always on hand, for the purpose of combining with any of the above beverages.

**JOHN SHAW & CO.**  
 HAVE JUST RECEIVED, AND OFFER FOR SALE—  
**BLACKMORE'S PATENT BOLTING CLOTHS,**  
 50 doz. Spades and Shovels,  
 300 casks Fire Canada Rose Nails,  
 50 casks Deck Strikes,  
 500 casks White Lead,  
 Black blue, yellow and green Paints,  
 Painter's Dry Colours,  
 Boiled and Raw English LINSEED OIL,  
 250 boxes Superior English YELLOW SOAP,  
 20 boxes WHITE SOAP,  
 6 casks "Bryant & Jones" celebrated PATENT INDIA RUBBER OIL BLACKING,  
 50 Doz. "Shaw & Co.'s" double refined CAST STEEL MILLSAWS,  
 4 1/2 7 feet.  
 A few Circular SAWS.  
 Quebec, 8th June, 1839.

**LONDON HATS, BOOTS, SHOES**  
 &c. &c.  
 FOR SALE AT THE STORE OF  
**HORATIO CARWELL,**  
 No. 4, Fabrique Street.  
 A SMALL selection, assorted prices, Gentlemen's Black and Grey BEAVER HATS, made to order, of the newest shapes.  
 ALSO:  
 Three trunks Gentlemen's Dress Pumps; Wellington Cloth and Leather and Clarence Dress Boots, made of the best materials and of the most fashionable make.  
 19th April, 1839.

**FOR SALE,**  
 By the Subscriber,  
 No. 11, NOTRE-DAME STREET, LOWER TOWN  
**14** HHDS. Leaf Tobacco,  
 80 Kegs superior Plug, 16s and extra 10s.  
 150 Boxes Candles, long 6's & 8's.  
 100 do. Soap, 60 lbs.  
 120 do. do. 30 lbs.  
 40 bbls. bottled Port and Sherry Wines,  
 15 bbls. E. I. Madeira Wine, 3 doz. ea.  
 15 bbls. Pot Barley,  
 20 boxes Young Hyson Tea,  
 40 chests Bohem,  
 20 do. Twankey,  
 40 do. Hyson Skin,  
 5 do. Souchong,  
 20 tierces Sugar,  
 15 barrels Roasted Coffee,  
 3 hhds. Mustard,  
 2 cases Black Lard,  
 250 reams Wrapping Paper,  
 3 pipes 5 hds. Cognac Brandy,  
 102 casks Sherry Wine,  
 60 punche, Whiskey.  
 JOHN FISHER.  
 8th May, 1839.

**ON SALE,**  
 BY THE SUBSCRIBER—  
**100** BOXES LONDON WAX WICK AND MOULD CANDLES.  
 20 Boxes London Sperm do.  
 100 do. Soap,  
 30 do. Wind. 31 and Fancy do.  
 20 Pipes Benecato Wine,  
 20 Hhds. and 5 pipes Holland Gin,  
 10 Hhds. and 5 pipes C. T. nerille  
 10 Qr. Casks Old L. P. &c.  
 2 Pipes Blackburn's Madeira,  
 30 Barrels London Porter,  
 30 Cases Schiedam Gin,  
 30 Hampers Fresh English Cheese  
 5 Casks Currants,  
 1 Cask Nutmegs,  
 5 Hhds. Refined Sugar,  
 120 Bags Fine Salt—  
 Champagne and Cret Wines, Rata Maraschino and Curacao Liqueurs, E. I. Arrack, Fresh Pickles and Sauces, Salad and Castor Oil, Macaroni, Cocoa, London Starch, Mocha Coffee, &c. &c. &c.  
 P. LANGLOIS.

**CHARLES McDONALD,**  
**HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTER,**  
 GLAZIER, &c. &c.  
 RETURNS thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received from the inhabitants of Quebec, and respectfully informs them that he continues to carry on business at  
 No. 13, St. Louis Street,  
 where all orders will be promptly attended to, and he flatters himself that his terms will be found as reasonable, and his materials superior to those hitherto furnished.  
 Quebec, 10th April, 1839.

**HORATIO CARWELL,**  
 No. 4, Fabrique Street.  
 BEGS respectfully to inform his friends and the public that he has now on hand an unusually large selection of Plain and Fancy Dry Goods, received per the Eleutheria and Emanuel and other vessels, from London, and being desirous of making quick sales the whole is now being offered at reduced prices, for cash or short credit.  
 Quebec, 8th June, 1839.

**INDIA RUBBER SHOES.**  
 JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE,  
 LADIES', Gentlemen's, and Children's  
**INDIA RUBBER SHOES,** of the best quality.  
 FREDK. WYSE,  
 No. 3, Palace Street, opposite the Albion Hotel, Upper Town, and the foot of Mountain Street, near the Neptune Inn, Lower Town.

**LONDON COFFEE HOUSE,**  
 Col-de-see, Lower Town.  
 A McLEAN respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that the above establishment is now re-opened for the season, and he solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage of which he has enjoyed so large a share during the last seven years. Visitors will here find every convenience and comfort. The Table will be supplied, as heretofore, with every delicacy the season can afford.  
 A. McL. has just received from London, a choice selection of Wines, Spirits, Liqueurs, &c., all of which he can confidently recommend as of the very best quality ever imported.  
 N. B.—AN ORDINARY every day from 2 till 4 o'clock.—Luncheon or Private Dinner prepared at the shortest notice.  
 Ice may be had in any quantity.  
 Also—30 casks London Porter.  
 23rd May.

**BALDNESS.**  
 A BEAUTIFUL HEAD OF HAIR is the grandest ornament belonging to the human frame. How strangely the loss of it changes the countenance, and prematurely brings on the appearance of old age, which causes many to recoil at being unrove 30, and sometimes even shun society to avoid the just and sneers of their acquaintances; the remainder of their lives consequently spent in retirement. In short, not even the loss of property bills the generous thinking youth with as heavy sinking gloom as does the loss of his hair.—To avert all these unpleasant circumstances, OLDDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA stops the hair from falling off on the top application and few bottles restores it again. It likewise produces eyebrows and whiskers; prevents the hair from turning gray, makes it curl beautifully, and frees it from scurf. Numerous certificates of the first respectability in support of the virtues of Oldridge's Balm are shown by the proprietors.  
 Read the following:  
 ROBERT WHARTON, Esquire, late Mayor of Philadelphia, has certified, as may be seen below, to the high character of the following gentleman:  
 The undersigned do hereby certify that I have used the Balm of Columbia discovered by J. Oldridge, and have found it highly serviceable not only as a preventative against falling off of hair, but also as a certain restorative.  
 WM. THATCHER, M.D.  
 Methodist Minister in St. George's Church, No. 88 North Fifth St.  
 JOHN P. INGLIS, 334 Arch St.  
 JOHN D. THOMAS, M. D. 163 Race St.  
 JOHN S. FURRY, 701 Spruce St.  
 HUGH McCURRY, 243 South 7th St.  
 JOHN GARR, Jr., 123 Arch St.  
 It will certainly raise its virtues in the estimation of the public, when it is known that three of the above signers are more than 70 years of age, and the others not less than 60.  
 From the Mayor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, City of Philadelphia:  
 I, ROBERT WHARTON, Mayor of said city of Philadelphia, do hereby certify that I am well acquainted with Messrs. J. P. Inglis, John Furry, and Hugh McCurry, whose names are signed to the above certificate, that they are gentlemen of character and respectability, and as such, full credit should be given to the certificate.  
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the city to be fixed, this sixth day of December, &c.  
 [L. S.] ROBERT WHARTON, Mayor.  
 CAUTION.—Observe that each bottle of genuine Balm has a splendid engraved wrapper, on which is represented the Falls of Niagara, the agent's name, &c.  
 Sold wholesale and retail by  
 J. J. SIMS,  
 MUNSON & SAVAGE,  
 BEGG & URQUHART.

**THE** Subscribers have just received a supply of the following celebrated Medicines, viz:  
**OLDDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA,**  
**HAY'S LINIMENT** for Piles, Rheumatism, HEADACHE, REMEDY,  
**BEGG & URQUHART'S**  
**PHENIX BITTERS.**  
 A fresh supply of MOFFAT'S IFF and PHENIX BITTERS.  
 BEGG & URQUHART,  
 11, St. John Street, Lower Town, Quebec.

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