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THE MAN ON THE MAST.

Continued.

an instant the physician was on his knees
a sort of litter made of coats, while a
held over his head a brand taken up from
and which, as it flickered and flashed,
and the apparently lifeless form of a w
Some of her dripping clothes had been
she had been chafed, and a drop or two
fits applied to her lips; but hitherto with
effect.

She must be removed at once to a house,"
the physician, after examining her atten-
for a few minutes. "Nothing can be
(ill that is accomplished," and he rose
his knees.

"We cannot leave our duty, sir," they re-
"and there is no one else here but this
man. The folks below have something
to think of, and the nearest cabin is half
off, at the least."

Well, this man and I can take her there
then us. It is the only chance for her life."
set at once about devising as convenient
of removing her as possible. The pro-
of a reward out of his own pocket brought
services of the greedy peasant, and they
in a short time or so again travelling in
any, though with a cumbersome addition
to their party. Hardly they worked that night,
plunterer and the mercenary, beating their
feet a burden through the swampy fields,
over the slippery fences, in the storm; and
as when their loud knocking at the door
of the peasant and his family from
labourer's slumbers.

It was needless to detail the alarm at first; the
peasant, and then the ardent compassion of
the poor cottagers. By those who know the
pitious timidity, and the boundless hospi-
tality of the lower classes of the Irish, the suc-
cess of these feelings is understood at once;
he who do not, a description sufficiently
clear for the present purpose would scarce-
satisfactory.

As the body, as it may be called, was deposited
in the body, warm from the occupation of
the day, the few turf ashes were blown
and replenished with fresh fuel and all the
bedding of the house (scarcely enough
to be collected and heated to envelope
the body of the stranger. The poor woman
with that peculiar alertness and
of management commonly met
amongst the peasantry of that secluded
district, set herself to strip the
habitations from the cold and senseless
on the bed, and to chafe and dry it
it was resolved in the course but well-
arrangements she had collected for the pur-

pose of not being extinct, these efforts, under
the auspices of the pale-faced
man, produced, at last, their effect, and it
with real pleasure he saw the lids unclose
the eyes of an interesting looking female,
and under the middle age, and in ap-
pearance somewhat above the common class,
were the discoveries he made that night,
to her history and fate, we have not
the means of ascertaining, as he never
lower questions put to him with that ob-
duracy it is to say that, whatever the dis-
may have been, they were of a nature
as long a lively interest, and secure his
ideas as long as they could be of any

value.

After dawn the morning after, a violent
storm was heard at the door of the cabin
of the pale-faced physician was still
in his patient.

"Is there?" exclaimed the shivering
man, from amongst some straw by the fire,
in the door, Lynch; we want you, man,
bring yourself."

"I'm sorry, sir, but I'm not
able to go, giving admission to a terrific gust
of wind, and the two of the sailors whom
I have already introduced to our readers,
one down to the quay, Lynch, and he
and take a beam oar with us. There's

a vessel gone down in Chape Bay, and there
are her mast above water, with some poor
devil of a seaman holding on."

A scream from the bed interrupted the rest
of the sentence and, in a moment the female
had started up with clasped hands, exclaiming,
"Oh, God! is he upon it?"

The men started back in astonishment, so
wild and unearthly was the voice, and so un-
expected the question. When they recovered
themselves they professed their inability to
answer it—there was not light enough to dis-
tinguish anything beyond the bare fact of
there being persons thus peculiarly situated.

There was nothing to be gained from them;
but the whole character and demeanour of the
woman was changed. She seemed to become
a new creature—her delicacy and gentleness
vanished together; she was endowed with su-
pernatural life and energy, and the return of
hope had brought with it a morbid strength,
which raised her above all the natural effects
of her recent exhaustion. As the men went
out, she energetically, and almost imperiously
requested of the physician to retire, and in
spite of his expostulations and entreaties she
insisted not more than a few minutes to elapse
ere she was clothed in her half-dried garments,
and pressing out at the door into the storm
her way to the shore. The overpowered phy-
sician made what haste he could to follow her;
but it was not so easy to overtake her. She
seemed to fly rather than run; her hair and
apparel streaming behind her, and shaping
her course towards the sea, the road to which
she seemed to discover by instinct.

On the shore, meantime, a considerable
assemblage of persons had been collected, consist-
ing (besides the coast-guard) principally of the
country people, although two or three of the
newer gentry, to whose ears tidings of the
wreck had already reached, were of the num-
ber. The morning was clear and bright; the
sun was fast ascending towards the horizon;
but the weight of the north easter was still
rushing in, might and main, marking the
surface of the water with white foam, and throw-
ing the breakers upon the shore with tremen-
dous fury.

At the place the surf was the more broken
by the unevenness of a rocky bottom, here and
there rising above the surface of the sea, and
sinking abruptly below it. The conformation
of the rock seemed to add to the trouble of the
waters. It was placed in slightly undulating
layers, assuming in general nearly a horizon-
tal position, so that the leaves or laminae were
here and there peeling off, as it were, and
heaped over the other part in confusion. The
lime-stone rock, dark itself, and roughened with
adhesive shells and sea-weed, bristled up black
amidst the seething mass, and, at times, might
be fancied to resemble the head of some mighty
sea-monster, emerging from the waves, and
plunging beneath them again. A little farther
out, where the wave had depth to curl, the
great green wall swept up towards the shore,
carrying a little light spray toppling on its
crest, and then, by degrees, turning majesti-
cally over, till the clear top plunged its head
into the thick of the foam with a stunning
roar, and rolled in one boiling mass onward
towards the land. Father still, and just be-
yond the curl of the shoaling water, it was evi-
dent a vessel had sunk in the night, for there
were two masts by this time perfectly dis-
cernible, standing up almost perpendicularly,
immersed about as far as the tops, as they are
technically termed; that is, the broad frame-
work, which affords footing at the junction of
the mast and topmast. Of these, the foretops,
being lower than the other, were rather below
the level of the sea, but the maintops were
above it, and on these the outlines of four hu-
man figures could be seen with tolerable dis-
tinctness by a spectator on the beach, stand-
ing out against the moving stay, although so little
raised above the water, as to be partially im-
mersed by every wave as it swept past.

As soon as ever this had been ascertained
by those on land, there had been a cry for a
boat. The three sailors already mentioned
were the first to volunteer their services, and
it was with a view to completing their crew
that two of them had gone up to Lynch's cabin

while the third went northward across a neck
of land to the little pier of—, close to which
their yawl lay high and dry. The greater part
of the gazers from the top of the cliff had fol-
lowed in the direction of the projected launch;
but the officer of the coast guard, an experi-
enced seaman, remained with his men at their
original station, occasionally raising his glass
to his eye, and taking a narrow survey of the
mast and those clinging to it; but when spok-
en to about the boat, and the chance of getting
them off, he only looked up sagaciously to
windward, without saying a word.

He had just shut up his glass, and slung it
once more in his leathern case behind him,
when the unhappy creature he had assisted to
save the night before, came running wildly up,
her hair floating behind her, her face ashy
pale, and all the intenses of fearful inquiry
in its expression. Breathless and agitated, she
could not at first say a word, but looked wildly
back and forward along the horizon, the rapid-
ity of her gaze preventing her from catching
the object she was in search of. At last she
gained utterance, and cried,

"Oh, sir, where are they? Where are they?
Show me them, for God's sake! Oh, show me
them!" and she clasped her hands before
him.

"Look over that black rock there, about a
quarter of a mile off shore, and you'll see the
masts. I doubt whether you can make out
what's on them, though. D—d hard to see
at all at this hour of the morning, with the
spray in one's face."

She shaded her eyes with her hand, and ran
her glass more slowly in the direction pointed
out, and at length screamed—

"Yes, yes, that's our stiff; there she is,
and people on the mast. Oh, who are they?
For God's sake tell me, sir, I beg thee!"

"Don't know, ma'am, indeed. Can't well
see yet who's there. Besides, I don't know
the person you speak of, that I am aware of.
Not likely he and I should be acquainted."

"Oh! look, look, sir! take the glass, or
give it me. He's tall, sunburnt, with blue
jacket. Oh, you can't mistake him!"

"Here, my lady, said the officer to his men,
"unstrap this spy-glass, and hand it to me."
They unhooked it from the back of their
spectacles, where it had been slung, and when
he had received it at their hands, he com-
menced leisurely to place it at its focus, while
the poor woman continued to watch him with
agonized impatience.

"Here, take it yourself, ma'am. You know
him better than I do. No doubt you can find
him if any one can."

She took the instrument in her trembling
hands, but her efforts to steady and direct it
were vain. The inventions of science are of
little use in the hands of passion or agony.

"Ah," said she, as she lowered it, her eyes
filled with tears, "I see nothing but clouds
and rolling waves! Take it yourself, sir, and
tell me what you can discern. Surely he might
be there as any one else—and yet did I not see
him swept away?" and she wrung her hands
in the agony of the recollection.

The gruff officer put the glass leisurely up to
his eyes, and having covered the mast, gave
the result of his survey slowly, pausing be-
tween each word.

"Why, ma'am, as well as I can see, there
are four men holding on, and a boy, I think,
besides, on the other mast, but of this I can't
be altogether certain, for the sea washes over
him, and it's only now and then I catch a
glimpse of him. By George, there's one of
the men off!"

The sailors uttered an involuntary excla-
mation, the poor woman shrieked in agony,
and fell on her knees; and at the same time a
distant cry from the spectators who had moved
towards the pier announced that they too had
seen the occurrence.

"Oh, look! for the love of heaven, sir,
look, and tell me what you see!"

"Ha!" he continued, still looking through
his glass, "I caught him that moment on the
top of a wave. He is close to the other mast.
No doubt he will make for it, if he has strength,
now that he has been swept off the mainmast;
—but he will hardly have so good a berth of

it there, I expect, as the tops are below water.
He's at it, by Jove—no, gone again; and the
boy's off, too. My God, they'll not hold out
much longer, any of them!"

"Oh, don't say so!" cried the woman.
"What are the men on the mast like? Look,
sir, look, and tell me, I beseech you. What
colour is their dress?"

"They're not down yet, though," continu-
ed the officer, without heeding her, and still
looking. "There they were both together on
a wave that time—a strong fellow that to stand
against such a sea—by Jove, he has hold of
the boy; and, as I'm a living man, it was to
save him he quitted the mainmast; and there
he is now swimming back to it! Well done,
by heavens, well done!" And a loud shout
burst from his own men, and the distant multi-
tude as the individual was seen once more
standing on the mainmast with the boy he had
rescued.

"D—d that fellow, he deserves to be pro-
moted," continued the officer, his glass still
tight to his eye—"and I vow I think he is
something like what you say, ma'am. Now
that there's more light, I can see that he's a
stout young fellow, and the biggest of them
all."

"That's he, that's he, I knew it!" she
exclaimed, bursting into tears—"my generous,
noble Henry, who is there to save him? who
will go out to him? I'll go out myself with
any one!" and the distracted woman caught
the arm of the officer.

"Why, ma'am, they're gone off already to
launch one for trying the thing, but I've my
doubts if they'll get through the surf—however,
they'll try."

Just at this moment the pale-faced physician
came up. He had missed his half-delirious
patient, and having a less powerful instinct
than she, it was to be supposed had found him-
self at last on another part of the shore, and
separated from the lime-kill by a deep ravine
through which a stream issued, so that he was
obliged to retrace his steps a considerable dis-
tance in order to rejoin her.

"My dear madam," he claimed, "it is
madness of you thus to expose yourself,
you—"

"Speak not to me," she cried, in a voice
that effectually silenced him. "Only look there!
He—he is there! as this gentleman—he has
shown him to me—he is alive, and no one will
go to him. But they are taking out a boat.
Lead me, sir, lead me there!" she continued
grasping his arm as the thought struck her,
"that I may bury them, and help them if I
can. A moment, you know, is precious now.
I'll ask to be allowed to go with them, and offer
them any sum, all I, all we possess, if they
will only bring him back safe!"

The young physician, much affected at her
distress, placed a warm coat about her should-
ers, and took her under his arm, leading her,
or rather being led by her, such was her eager-
ness, in the direction of the little pier of—

But the sagacious officer of the coast-guard
had seen, perhaps, better than the fishermen
themselves, the difficulty, amounting almost
to impossibility, of doing anything effectual un-
der the circumstances.

The boat was launched and manned by the
four intrepid men. She was of that substan-
tial and business like build best calculated to
ride out weather of this kind, being exceed-
ingly thick in the timbers and broad in the bows,
and shaped alike at both ends, as these yawls
are commonly constructed. They are used for
putting down and taking up—use oyster bar-
kets employed to take lobsters, and for carry-
ing over the sea-rack, or weed, from the ad-
jacent islands to the mainland, where it is
applied in quantities to the purpose of manur-
ing the sandy soil of the vicinity. For such
services, of course, one but a stout boat would
be suited, the weather being subjected to cer-
tain changes, the coast rugged and exposed,
and the load of sea-rack at times sufficiently
great. Helm she had none. The crew directed
her course by their oars, and her similarity of
build at both ends enabled them to back her
into small creeks and manage her with com-
parative ease. Her thwarts were little more than
square beams, on which the oarsmen found an

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uneasy seat, and the cans themselves were rough, heavy, and unwhim.

With such a construction and equipment did the bark make its first stroke from the shingle of the harbour of—, and high were the hearts of the generous fellows who manned her. She rose lightly over the back swell, and plunged forward again, as the steady stroke threw her along in her course, and she had just fetched the pier-head, and got the first burst of the weather upon her gunwale, and the sea upon her bows, as the anxious woman and her pallid attendant drew near.

"There they go," she exclaimed, with wild delight; "there they are, the deliverers of my brave Henry! Surely we shall have lost nothing when we gain each other once more. What shall I ever do to reward these generous people?"

To be concluded in our next.

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QUEBEC, WEDNESDAY, 13TH NOV. 1839

D. B. VIGER.—This extraordinary old gentleman, as all our readers are probably aware, has been a voluntary prisoner in the Montreal jail for six or seven months, obstinately refusing liberty on the very reasonable terms with which it was proffered him, namely, to give security for future good behaviour. Mr. Viger, however, mounted his high horse, protested his innocence, and bravely demanded the right of a British subject, to be tried by a jury of his countrymen, (as the murderers of Chartrand had been) failing which he would prefer remaining in jail to giving security that he would behave himself properly in future. In prison he has remained, and, according to the following amusing paragraph from the *Canadian*, is likely to remain, unless he change his determination, notwithstanding all the hopes he may have entertained of the favourable view by Sir John Colborne's successor:—

"We learn with regret that His Excellency the Governor General having inquired into the case of Mr. D. Viger, has stated that he cannot come to a determination different from that of Sir John Colborne, namely, that this gentleman, in order to be released from prison, must give security for good behaviour. As we have already remarked, it ought not to be expected that there would not be a little *Colbornism* left in the government, and it would perhaps be an act of patriotism on the part of Mr. Viger to yield a little to the exigencies of the new administration, with the view of letting it have one cause of embarrassment less."

There is something very ingenious in the above suggestion to Mr. Viger, who, now he finds that the new Governor is not disposed to humour him in his whims, will doubtless be very glad of the loophole which his friend of the *Canadian* has discovered, to creep out of his ridiculous position. Mr. Viger has for a long period of years been enacting "patriotism," so called, and he has now an opportunity, by following the advice of the *Canadian*, of adding to his list another "act of patriotism," which, if it benefit not his country will prove of essential service to himself—and this is no slight consideration with a modern "patriot." We are inclined to think, therefore, that unless Mr. Viger has become quite domesticated in the jail of Montreal, he will be patriotic enough to walk out of it, and cease endeavouring to excite sympathy for the "sufferings of a poor old man," when he can, at any moment, be restored to liberty by giving the government an assurance that he will act as becomes what he, in demanding his trial asserted himself to be, a British Subject.

UPPER CANADA.

The question respecting the dissolution of the Upper Canada House of Assembly is now, we are happy to find, set at rest. The Assem-

bly will not be dissolved, nor is there any appearance of the Government of the Sister Province being taken out of the hands of Sir George Arthur, for an extra of the Upper Canada Official Gazette, of the 5th inst. received yesterday, contains a proclamation by the Lieutenant Governor, summoning the Provincial Parliament to meet on the third proximo "for the dispatch of business." The Session will be an important one, and we look forward with anxiety for intelligence of its proceedings.

The Brockville Recorder of the 7th instant contains nothing of interest beyond the following:—

SPECIE.—We are happy to announce to the country people and others interested, that the Banks have commenced specie payments, a large quantity of small silver has been forwarded to the agency of the Commercial Bank in this town, for the purpose of furnishing those who may require it with the necessary change for the transaction of business. Such being the case no necessity will exist for long continuing the circulation of the small bills, which have come into such general use.

Our latest New-York papers are of Thursday evening. The stock market continued in an extremely confused state, and United States Bank shares had gone down to 65. Exchange on England for the packet which sailed on the 7th was very low, the best bills having been sold at six per cent premium, while others have been sold at 4 to 5. Flour was very dull at \$5 62½.

Another slave question has arisen in New York, and another American vessel has been seized under suspicion of being engaged in the odious traffic in human flesh. One of the servants on board the *Great Western* steamship, originally hired at New York, discharged in England, and re-engaged there for the vessel, is now claimed as a fugitive slave. Captain Hosken, however, refused to give the man up, without official objections from the British Consul; and there the matter rested on Thursday last. The vessel seized was the brig *Two Friends*, Captain Darker, (formerly the *Gilbert*, of Baltimore.) She was seized at Santa Cruz, Tenerife, on the application of the United States Consul.

Accounts from Texas state that, about the first of October, a party of thirteen men, one woman, and two children were attacked by a body of Indians, near Austin, and the thirteen men killed on the spot; the woman and two children were not to be found.

The "three glorious days" of the New York Election terminated on Wednesday, at sun set, in the complete triumph of the "Loco Focos," or in other words, the supporters of General Jackson's policy with regard to the Banks, as understood and carried out by Martin Van Buren, who, by this election, has in all probability secured his own re-election. The city of New York was, of course, in a tremendous excitement, and the exultation over the defeat of the "Whigs" knows no bounds. There is a talk of naming General Scott for the Presidency.

FIRE.—On Monday, shortly before midnight, the alarm of fire was raised in this city, and, from the brilliant illumination in the north there was reason to apprehend an extensive conflagration. The fire, however, proceeded from the forge of Messrs. Howard & Son, blacksmiths and farriers, in St. Paul Street, at the foot of *La Canonerie*, which, with the small wooden house in the rear and the stone house adjoining, forming the corner of Hope and St. Charles Streets, and known as the St. Charles Street Infant School, were totally consumed. The damage was confined to these buildings which, fortunately, were isolated, and the engines prevented the houses opposite from igniting. The property destroyed belonged to Mr. Lavigour

Joiner, and was uninsured, as were the moveable effects of Messrs. Howard & Son. Major General Sir J. Macdonnell was present at the fire, but the danger to the adjoining houses was not sufficiently imminent to call for the presence of the troops. The Inspector of Police with a strong force was also present, keeping good order, and compelling idlers to bestir themselves. It is suspected that the fire was the act of an incendiary.

The following respecting *Messire* Chatterier who made himself conspicuous during the first rebellion, is from the *Canadian* of Monday:—

"The friends of *Messire* Chatterier, one of the Canadian refugees in the United States, will learn with pleasure that he will shortly receive a parsonage from the Bishop of Vincennes (Indiana). In the mean time he accompanies in the capacities of interpreter and chaplain, the Bishop of Nancy, (France,) who was deprived of his diocese, in consequence of the revolution of 1830."

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.—The *Gazette* of Quebec of yesterday contains an announcement headed "In the name of humanity," from which it appears that little doubt is left of the Pilot schooner *St. Laurent*, No. 28, having on board thirteen pilots, six apprentices, and two seamen, being totally lost, with all on board, during the heavy winds that prevailed in the lower part of the River St. Lawrence, on the 26th and 27th September last. The description of each individual is minutely set forth, and the inhabitants of the parishes below are requested to make inquiries.

Two companies of the 11th Regt. now in this garrison, are under orders to proceed to Lake Temiscouata by the river; a steamer will be engaged for their transport.

The two companies of the 11th Regiment, which had been stationed at Sorel during the summer will, we learn, shortly arrive at Head Quarters in Quebec.

It is our painful duty to record the death of the venerable and universally esteemed Honourable Jonathan Sewell, who for so many years graced the Court of King's Bench of this District, in his capacity of Chief Justice of the Province. This melancholy event took place at a very early hour yesterday morning, and it has pained the numerous connexions and friends of the deceased in deep grief for their irreparable loss.

We copy from the *Mercury* the following obituary notice of the lamented Judge:—

DIED.—This morning, in his 74th year, the Honble. Jonathan Sewell, L. L. D., of Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., Member of the Executive Council, and for many years its President—Speaker of the Legislative Council, and late Chief Justice of the Province.

Mr. Sewell was a native of Boston, Massachusetts, son of the last distinguished Attorney General of the Province of Massachusetts, and as compelled to fly from thence at the time of the American Revolution. He was eminently distinguished, as well by the force of his natural abilities, as by the extent of his acquired talents.—He was one of those rare characters of which there are but few examples.

Gifted with a happy memory, a vivid conception, and sound judgment—possessing a perfect knowledge as well of classical literature as of history and law—indefatigable in his application and unremitting attention to public business, in his executive, legislative, and judicial capacities, he was at once a polished orator and incontestably one of the greatest legal characters that America has ever produced.

He was a good christian and an affectionate parent, and has died deeply regretted by his family and numerous friends.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We have received a communication signed "A Pedestrian," complaining of the present state of Champlain Street, and particularly of the parts opposite the Custom House and along the line of the adjacent new wall.—As the writer makes some rather serious charges against public officers, of the propriety of which we are not competent to judge, and as he has not handed us his name, we have not thought ourselves warranted in giving publicity to his remarks.

It was insinuated in a number of the *Montreal Courier* that the Commissioners for ascertaining damages sustained by the Loyalists during the rebellion of 1837, were neglecting their duty, and had not yet made a report; we thought at the time that the *Courier* was mistaken, and such, on enquiry, we find to be the case. The Commissioners previous to the departure of Sir John Colborne, had submitted three distinct reports, all of which have been approved by His Excellency the late Governor General.—*Mercury.*

Two men, John H. Love and H. B. Wilcox, have been found guilty of setting fire to Mobile, and destroying five hundred houses.—*New York Herald.*

Of the seventeen fires that took place in October, it is alleged that twelve were the acts of incendiaries.—*Ibid.*

BY THIS MORNING'S MAIL.

We have received by this morning's mail Toronto papers of the 5th and 6th and the *Coburg Star* of the 6th instant. They contain nothing important beyond what we received yesterday. The *New York Sunday papers* have not come on.

The following is from the *Toronto Patriot*; we mentioned the conviction of Flood, on Monday last:—

On Saturday the prisoner was brought up with the other captives for sentence—when the learned Judge stated "he should not then pass sentence on him as he wished to consider the objections more thoroughly, as well as to consult his brother Judges upon the subject—the objections of the Prisoner's Counsel shall therefore be argued in Term."

The prisoner Flood is a rather fine looking man, apparently about 45 or 50 years old—he was dressed in Lancet uniform, although he has long since been discharged, and his deportment we are sorry to notice, gave no sign of contrition for the share he had in the notorious designs so providentially interrupted in their course of commission.



SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF QUEBEC. CLEARED.

Nov. 9th.
Slip Wm. Dawson, Beveridge, Grangemouth, Gilmour & Co.
Ship Elson, Tonks, Belfast, T. H. Oliver.
Ship Walsford, Mitche, London, Levy & Co.
Bark East London, Lewis, London, Pemberton.
Bark Geo. Walsford, Fowler, Weymouth, de.
Bark Woodstock, Simpson, Liverpool, Tibbels.
Bark Geo. Douglas, Hyde, Cork, Price & Co.
Brig Ann & Mary, Cunningham, Llanely Pemberton Brothers.
Brig Richard Watson, Seeds, Dublin, Price & Co.
Brig 574, Smith, Sunderland, G. B. Syme.
Brig John Hall, Coates, Newcastle, G. B. Syme.
Schr. Mary, Boudrault, Restigouche, Gilmour.
Schr. Messenger, Bayot, Bathurst, Gilmour.
Schr. Julia, Rees, Milford, H. W. Welch.
Schr. Core, Taylor, Hall, Burnstall.
Bark Brilliant, Leferre, Liverpool, Welch.
Brig Prudent, Hunter, Liverpool, Sharples.
Ship Mary Caroline, Lawson, Liverpool, Frost & Watters.
Bark Scotia, Jeans, Greenock, Dean & Co.
Bark Lanark, Simpson, Liverpool, Syme.
Ship Augusta, Rae, Liverpool, Sharples & Co.
Bark Admiral Benbow, Bruce, Liverpool, Frost & Watters.
Bark Lord Sidmouth, Langston, Glasgow, Gilmour & Co.
Schr. Prudent, Billingsby, Dalhousie, Gilmour.

DIED.
On Friday, the 1st inst. at St. Nicholas, Mr. Terrence Maguire, Merchant, aged 65.



J. J. SAURIN, Carriage Manufacturer, ST. ANN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE ENGLISH CATHEDRAL.
HAS now on hand a number of FASHIONABLE SLEIGHS AND CARRIOLES, which he will dispose of at very low prices.
Having lately imported a large quantity of the best LONDON GOODS in his line, his work will be found superior to any previously executed.
Sleighs and Carriages Painted, Varished, & fitted up.
Quebec, 8th Nov. 1839

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Mercantile Agency Office.
 MERCHANT'S HALL, ST. PETER STREET,
 CONDUCTED BY R. M. MOORE,
 ACCOUNTANT, Arbitrator, Agent in Bank-
 ruptcies, Assignments and Curatorships, Debts
 collected and legally recovered, Memorials and
 Petitions drawn according to regular forms, Lan-
 guages translated, Causes in the Courts of Justice
 specially reported.
 The Newspapers of England, Ireland, Scotland,
 Wales, France, Germany, those of North and
 South America and the West India proceeded to
 order, as well as other periodical publications of
 the various countries of the world.
 Advertisements received and transmitted for in-
 sertion in any of the public Journals.
 Maps, Plans and Diagrams of all the Townships
 in Lower Canada accurately drawn, Land Survey-
 ing performed in a correct manner.

HORATIO CARWELL.

No. 4, Fabrique Street,
 IN addition to his present extensive stock of
 Carpets, Counterpanes, Quills, Flannels,
 Blankets, Russia Sheetings, Irish Linens, De-
 mask Table Linen, Longcloth, Sheetings,
 Plain Muslins, Prints, Cambrics, Boots, Shoes,
 Gloves, Silk and cotton Hosiery, Millinery,
 Ribbons, &c. &c.

HAS JUST RECEIVED,
 Per "Mary Laing," from London,
 A choice assortment of Printed Saxon Flan-
 nels, German Cloth Merinos, Autumn Bonne
 Silk with Ribbons to match of the newest
 kinds, Black mode Mantillas trimmed with
 lace, Cashmere and Lama Wool Shawls,
 Black Hobbin and Brussels Lace Veils, and
 a general selection of the newest styles Mous-
 selines of Laines.
 The whole of which is now being offered at re-
 duced prices.
 Quebec, 9th Sept.

THREE RIVERS BRICKS

FOR SALE
 BY JAMES SEATON,
 No. 1, St. Peter Street.
 9th September.

WATER-PROOF COATS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF MACIN-
 TOSH COATS, Cloaks and Capes, just
 received by
 ROBERT CAIRNS,
 No. 20, Mountain St.
 20th Sept.

SHAWLS.

RALLINGALL & CO. respectfully in-
 form the public, that they have opened
 a case containing a great variety of BLACK
 AND COLOURED FILLED AND PLAIN
 MIDDLE SHAWLS, suitable for the sea-
 son.
 Quebec, 16th September, 1839.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And for Sale by the Subscribers:
 A TABLE showing the LATITUDES AND
 LONGITUDES of HEADLANDS, &c.,
 on the Coasts of North America, Newfound-
 land, and Bermuda, from 2 SERIES OF OBSER-
 VATIONS MADE ON THE SPOT, in the years 1828,
 '29 and '30, by MR. JOHN JONES, Master,
 and MR. HORATIO, Mate of H. M. Ship Hus-
 sar, and other Officers of the North American
 Squadron; Halifax being considered as the
 Meridian.
 W. COWAN & SON,
 St. John Street, Upper Town,
 St. Peter Street, Lower Town.
 4th Sept.

QUEBEC BRANCH,

CASH BANK
 The Bank is now open for Deposits and
 Disbursements.
 EXCHANGE ON LONDON
 AND DRAITS ON NEW YORK BOSTON AND GOLD.
 C. GETTINGS, Cashier.
 2th Sept.

JUST RECEIVED,

EX "MARY LAING," FROM LONDON,
 And for sale by the Subscribers:
 TWO Cases Bickerton & Gillet's Beau-
 TIFUL HATS of very superior quality, and
 worthy the attention of the trade.
 WILLIAM PRICE & CO.
 11th September.

A. PARROTT,

Copper & Tinmith, Bessemer & Plumbers,
 HAS REMOVED to No. 13, Mountain
 Street, opposite Mr. Neilson's Book-
 store, where he will be happy to receive
 orders for all kinds of work in his line.
 Quebec, 8th May

CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

THE favorable opinion I formerly ob-
 tained of the waters of the Caledonia
 Springs is more fully confirmed, as well
 from the benefits personally derived from their
 use, as from what I observed of their effects on
 others. The water should be drunk in mod-
 erate quantities before breakfast, and preserved
 in for some weeks at least.
 (Signed) WILLIAM ROBINSON, M.D.

A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED

BY
 BEGG & URQUHART,
 Quebec, 15th May, 1839.