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Last Quarter, 17th, 7h. 19m. evening.

## BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.

THOMAS LEAVITT, Esq. President.  
Discount Days ... Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Hours of Business, from 10 to 3 o'clock.  
Bills or Notes for Discount, must be left at the Bank before  
three o'clock on the day immediately preceding the Dis-  
count Day.

## COMMERCIAL BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.

Discount Days ... Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Hours of Business, from 10 to 3 o'clock.  
Bills or Notes for Discount, must be left at the Bank before  
one o'clock on Mondays and Thursdays.

## BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

ALFRED SMITH, Esq. Manager.  
Discount Days ... Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Hours of Business, from 10 to 3 o'clock.

## NEW-BRUNSWICK

### MARINE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Office open every day, (Sundays excepted), from 10  
to 12 o'clock.  
JAMES KIRK, Esquire, President.

### PROTECTION

### INSURANCE COMPANY,

Of Hartford, Connecticut.  
INCORPORATED 1825.  
Capital 150,000 Dollars.

With liberty to increase to Half a Million of Dollars  
The whole of the first named sum, \$150,000, is  
invested in securities, and on the shortest notice  
could be cashed and applied to the payment of  
losses.

The subscriber having been appointed Agent for  
the above Company, will issue Policies for Insurance  
on Dwelling Houses, Stores, Household Furniture,  
Merchandise, &c. &c. against  
**LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE,**

at as low rates as any similar institution; and will  
give personal attention to the survey of premises,  
&c. in the city, upon which Insurance is desired.

Application in writing (post paid) from others  
desiring to insure, will be attended to, and the in-  
sured, will receive prompt attention. The correctness  
of which description shall on all occasions be  
binding on the part of the applicant.

H. H. SCOVILL,  
St. John, N. B. 3d Sept. 1840.

## NEW-BRUNSWICK

### Marine Insurance Company,

(Incorporated by Act of the Legislature.)  
CAPITAL, £50,000.  
With power to increase to £100,000.

The above Company having been organized,  
accordingly to the Act of Incorporation, will be  
ready to commence taking Risks on Vessels, Cargoes,  
and Freight, on and after Monday next, the 26th in-  
stant, on the most favorable terms.

JAMES KIRK, PRESIDENT.  
St. John, 20th June, 1837.

## Marine Insurance.

An Association of MERCHANTS having been formed  
for the purpose of Insuring Vessels, Cargoes,  
and Freight, have appointed a Committee of the fol-  
lowing Gentlemen, to superintend the property to be  
insured, and settling losses, &c. viz.—  
JAMES KIRK, JOHN HAMMOND, and JOHN  
WALKER, Esquires.

Application to be made to  
I. J. G. WOODWARD, Broker,  
Office, Peters' Wharf,  
St. John, 21st April, 1840.

## Bank of British North America.

MONTAGO BAY,  
Falmouth,  
Jamaica, Antigua, Barbadoes, Bonaire, Curacao,  
Demerara, Grenada, St. Vincent, Trinidad,  
St. Lucia, St. Kitts, St. Thomas, Tortola,  
Porto Rico, St. John, St. Peter, St. Paul, St. George,

For sums of sterling money, payable in the currency  
of the Colony on which they are granted at the cur-  
rent Bank rate of Exchange for Bills on London at  
80 days' sight.

ROBERT H. LISTON, MANAGER.  
St. John, N. B., 11th August, 1835.

## WILLIAM REYNOLDS,

Bookseller, Stationer, and Binder,  
West side Cross Street, 4 doors from King Street,  
St. John, N. B.

IMPORTER and dealer in all kinds of Mercan-  
dize, including Blank Books; Navigation  
and School Books; by the most approved authors;  
Works in the different departments of Literature and  
Science; Maps, Charts, and Nautical Instruments;  
Musical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instru-  
ments; Fancy Hardware and Cutlery; Fishing Gear;  
Steel Pens; Ladies' and Gentlemen's fancy Dressing  
Cases; Work Boxes; Dials; &c. &c.

Books imported to order.

## NOTICE.

The Subscribers having appointed Trustees  
to the Estate of ALEXANDER EWING,  
hereby give notice, that such of his Creditors as come  
for and sign the Trust Deed, on or before the 5th  
day of November next, will be entitled to their  
dividend on his effects; after which date they will be  
wholly excluded.

J. H. NICHOLSON,  
T. H. BARRY,  
St. John, 14th August, 1840.

## New VESSEL for Sale.

NOW on the Stocks at Lon-  
don, N. B. a new BRIG of the following dimensions:  
Length of keel, 67 feet 4 inches;  
breadth of beam, 21 feet 7 inches; depth of hold,  
11 feet—she is built of good material and this  
country can afford, is now ready to be launched,  
and will be sold on reasonable terms, on applica-  
tion to  
15th September.

## The Garland.

TIMES CHANGES.  
BY THE LATE WINTERBROOK MACFARLANE.

I saw her once—so freshly fair,  
That like a blossom just unfolding,  
She opened to life's cloudless air,  
And Nature joy'd to view its moulding;

Her smile—it haunts my memory yet—  
Her cheek's fine line divinely glowing;  
Her rose-bud mouth—her eyes of jet,  
Around on all their light bestowing;

Oh! who could look on such a form,  
So nobly free, so softly tender,  
And darkly dream that earthly storm  
Should dim such sweet, delicious splendor!

For in her mein, and in her face,  
And in her young step's fairy lightness,  
Nought could the raptur'd gaze trace,  
But Beauty's glow and Pleasure's brightness.

I saw her twice—An altar'd charm—  
But still of magic richest, rarest,  
As when first I saw her in her morn,  
The glow of youth's untimely dawn,

Though yet of earthly sights the fairest:  
Upon her breast she held a child,  
The very image of its mother;  
Which ever to her smiling smiled,  
They seem'd to live in each other—

But matron cares, or lurking woe,  
Her thoughtless smile look'd banish'd,  
And for her cheek the rosyate glow,  
Of girlhood's bloom had vanished;

Within her eyes, upon her brow,  
Lay something softer, fonder, deeper,  
As if in dreams some vision'd woe,  
Had broke the Elysium of the sleeper.

I saw her thrice—Fate's dark decree  
In widow's garments had array'd her,  
Yet beautiful she seem'd to be,  
As when I thought her young and fair;

The glow of youth's untimely dawn,  
The sunshine and the sparkling glitter;  
Still, though I noted pale decay,  
The retrospect was scarcely bitter;

For in their place, a calmness dwelt,  
Serene, subduing nothing holy;  
In feeling which, the bosom felt,  
That every louder mirth is folly—

A poiveness, which is not grief,  
A stillness, as of sunset streaming—  
A fairy glow on flower and leaf,  
Till earth looks like a landscape dreaming.

A last time—and unmoved she lay,  
Beyond life's dim uncertain river,  
A glorious mould of fading clay,  
From whence the spark had fled forever!

I gazed—my breast was like to burst—  
And as I thought of years departed,  
The years wherein I saw her first,  
When she, a girl, was tender-hearted—

And when I mused on latter days,  
A happy mother in the bloom of youth,  
I felt her smile, and in her eyes,  
I felt her soul—'tis not in vain—

Think! Desolation's cloud came o'er me,  
And being doom'd a troubled tide,  
Whose wrecks in darkness swim before me,  
I feel the chill—'tis not in vain—

St. John, N. B. 3d Sept. 1840.

## BLESSINGS OF CHRISTIANITY.

BY REV. MR. PRADDO.

Go abroad in some great city, in the night.  
Behold before you, brightly shine the lights in that  
stately mansion—where pleasure has collected her  
vociferous, the dance—the song are there; and gay  
voices, and exulting hearts, fair features, that glow  
with the excitement, and all glee merrily like a  
marriage bell. And most natural is it, though dan-  
gerous, that the hearts of the young should glow  
with pleasure in the whirling and dashing scene.

But here is but a part of the scene. At this very  
moment—within sight of the brilliant windows—  
within the sound of the music, and in the fragrant  
dressing room, a widow's mother, and her form,  
consumption has brought its feebleness, and to her  
check its flush, and to her eyes its unnatural light.

Her children sleep around her—and that once  
sire with the low moanings of disease, slumbers, fit-  
tully, in the cradle at her feet. Her debilitated  
frame craves rest; yet by the light of a solitary lamp,  
she still pines for needle that her children may have  
through the lonely hours, her sinking frame labour-  
ing her that this resource will soon fail them, and  
she be called away and leave her children alone.

And while her heart swells with anguish, the sound  
of rejoicing comes on the wind to her silent chamber.  
Not one of all that gay circle whose eyes will not  
behold the sufferer's night!

One by one the wheels that bear them to their homes depart—the  
sounds of mirth and pleasure grow silent in the mid-  
night air—the lights of the brilliant mansion are  
extinguished—but still from the chamber shines her  
solitary lamp. The dying mother must toil and  
watch!

All this in substance might have been seen before  
Christiansity, in Athens or in Rome. But there is  
something more which has been seen every day in  
Christianity. And it shows how Christianity has  
modified all social relations—softening the pride,  
the high-making those tempted to daily selfishness,  
and self-gratification—and giving hope, as high as  
heaven, to those that sit in the darkest places of the  
earth.

With the morning, and brighter than its footsteps  
upon the mountains, behold one of that gay throng  
and the envy of gilded drawing-rooms, has left her  
home—she has entered the narrow lane, and opened  
the door of that obscure chamber. She has gone to  
watch for her over her fretful child, and to whis-  
per to her the sweet words of human sympathy, and  
find her highest happiness in carrying happiness to those  
who sit unattended and alone. And the heart of the  
desolate is the fresh sympathy of the young and hap-  
py! She is no longer lonely. They have a common  
hope. They can bend together before the same fa-  
ther—their heart the same gospel—they visit the  
cross together—and together watch at the tomb on  
the morning of the resurrection.

And when she is again left in her lonely chamber,  
she is not alone. As her visitor retires, grateful  
thoughts of human sympathies linger behind, like  
sunset in the east. The sense of God's kind provi-  
dence rests on her soul. To her faith the faint rays  
are brought near, and the dead lie, and await her com-  
ing to a better land. Her mind goes forward to the  
future. She rises above the clouds. Sincerely  
she trusts the sun. Gently falls the love of God on her  
heart. Sitting amid trials and darkness, and the  
sun of earthly prospects, with calm spirit she builds  
her hopes in heaven.

The property—the address fortune—the joy—  
the grief—all this is seen in every age. It is  
Christianity that has brought sympathy to suffering,  
hope to the bereaved, and resignation to the afflicted;  
which has brought light to dark hours, and faith in  
those who dwell amid the sorrows of  
melancholy, which has softened and  
melted the ice of prosperity—which has smitten that  
dwell in the valleys below.

## THE DUKE OF WELLINGTON.

Chronological list of the great battles in which  
this illustrious warrior commanded, and some other  
important events in his life—

1769, May 1.—Born at Dangan Castle, county of  
Meath.

1784, March.—Entered the army as an Ensign.

1797.—Served in Holland under the Earl of Moira  
and the Duke of York.

1797, Feb.—Arrived in Bengal.

1803, Sept. 23.—Battle of Assaye.

1808, Nov. 28.—Battle of Argam.

1805.—Arrived in England from India.

1806.—Appointed Secretary of the War Office.

1807.—Appointed Secretary of the War Office.

1807.—Commanded under Lord Cathcart in the  
Expedition to Copenhagen.

1808, July.—Sailed for Portugal.

1808, Aug. 17.—Battle of Roliça.

1808, Aug. 21.—Battle of Vimiera.

1808, Sept.—Returned to England after the conven-  
tion of Cintra.

1809, April.—Returned to Portugal.

1809, May 12.—Passage of the Douro at Oporto.

1810, Sept. 27.—Busaco.

1810, Oct.—Retreat to Torres Vedras.

1811, March.—Advance from Torres Vedras.

1811, May 4.—Battle of Oporto.

1812, Jan. 19.—Cantabrian Ridge taken by storm.

1812, April 6.—Balaicava taken by storm.

1812, July 22.—Salamanca.

1813, Oct.—Retreat from Burgos.

1813, Jan. 21.—Victory of Navarre.

1813, July 25, 27, 28, 30.—Battles of the Py-  
renees.

1815, Nov. 10.—Passage of the Nivelle.

1814, Dec. 11, 12, 13.—Battles on the Nive.

1814, Aug.—Went Ambassador to Paris.

1815, June 18.—Waterloo.

1815, July.—Returned to England.

1822.—To St. Petersburg on a special embassy.

1827, April.—Resigned office, as Mr. Canning  
being made Prime Minister.

1828, January.—Prime Minister.

1829.—Repeal of the Test and Corporation Acts.

1829.—Catholic Emancipation.

1830.—Resigned office.

1834.—Elected Chancellor of Oxford.

1834-35.—In office from November to April.  
—United Service Journal.

## MEHEMET ALL.

The following sketch of the character of Mehemet  
All, appears in a French paper, will be read  
with interest at the present time:—

Mehemet All was born in 1769, at Cavala, and in  
consequently 71 years of age. He is short in  
stature, but strong and tall, and far from infirmity.  
His hair is black and hazel eyes deep blue; and his  
features, his forehead, his nose, his mouth, and his  
eyes, all of a beautiful symmetry, though they bear  
the appearance of a noble and amiable man.

His hands and feet are remarkably well made, and  
what is remarkable in a Turk, he is incessantly  
keeping up and down his arms, and he has some  
times been seen to march with his arms, and he has  
sometimes been seen to march with his arms, and he  
has sometimes been seen to march with his arms.

The Viceroy is excessively passionate, and can but  
ill conceal the emotions by which the time he is  
agitated; but he has much frankness and good faith,  
and is of a frank and open mind. He is not in the  
habit of flattery, and is extremely sensitive on all  
points of honor. He is not in the habit of flattery,  
and is extremely sensitive on all points of honor.

He is very susceptible of committing a dishonorable  
action. His generosity is unbounded, and frequently  
leads him to prodigality. He is reported to have  
been a great benefactor to his country. He is very  
generous to his subjects, and is particularly so to  
those who are in want. He is very generous to his  
subjects, and is particularly so to those who are in  
want.

Probably there are no more than a few instances  
of his indefatigable activity. He is very active, and  
his energy is not lessened by age. He is very active,  
and his energy is not lessened by age.

Like Cassius he is no mathematician, but his calcula-  
tions are always correct. He never learnt to read  
the Arabic or Turkish character, but he has a great  
facility in the Arabic, and a great facility in the  
Turkish.

He is religious without being either a fanatic or  
bigot. He is the first Mussulman sovereign who has  
afforded to Christians a sincere protection, which he  
has extended to severely respected. Several Chris-  
tians enjoy his friendship and confidence; he has gra-  
tiously granted them, and has raised them to the  
rank of Bey. This is a step above the deep-  
rooted prejudices of his country and people, he had  
struggled against their intrigues and animosities  
when they were jealous of the favours which he be-  
stowed upon foreigners.

His amusements are very simple and primitive—  
riding, playing at chess or draughts with his officers,  
and sometimes even with private soldiers. At both of these games he is remarkably  
skilful.

With regard to his warlike qualities, it is only ne-  
cessary to say that he rose to be what he is from the  
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## CONSUMPTION.—The editor of the N. H.

Telegraph, in an article relating to the fre-  
quency of this disease among us, and its char-  
acter, says:—

"It there be a disease in this world of ills,  
which seems in a peculiar manner to fit its  
victim, for the fate which human skill cannot  
avert, that disease is consumption. The  
one who is full of life, and hope, and joy  
the first conviction that it has fastened its  
death grasp upon him, the fearful cer-  
tainty of its end will flash through him with a  
thrill of terror—more, doubtless, than that of  
any other disease. Struggling, it must be,  
indeed, to feel for the first time, that there is  
a worn garment at one's vitals, whose green-  
teeth no human skill can stay—starting to  
feel the certainty of disease within, whose end  
is surely death. But how soon does the  
spirit grow calm; and as he feels the disease  
tugging at his heartstrings, and his strength  
does the soul plunge itself for its upward  
flight—how traitorously then, does it lean upon  
the bosom of its God—and when flesh and  
heart grow faint, and fail, how sweetly flush  
to its final rest, the victim of consumption."

"So fades a summer cloud, and  
So sinks the gale when storms are o'er,  
So gently shuts the eye of death,  
So dies a wave along the shore."

## VIRTUES OF COLD WATER.—Our readers

have seen it announced that a new set of  
medical aspirants in Germany profess to cure  
all diseases by the internal and external use  
of cold water. A considerable laugh has  
been raised at their expense, but for our  
parts, we do not think they are altogether off  
the track. Using cold water, and that only  
for a constant cure, and bathing repeatedly,  
will cure more maladies than most persons  
would imagine. Let the invalid who drinks  
excessive quantities of warm liquors, or li-  
quors of any kind, and who neglects to  
purify his blood by frequent ablutions—  
let him try the above experiment, and if he  
does not find himself better in the course  
of six months, his disease is probably of a  
nature which medicine itself will not reach.  
We do not, however, go altogether with the  
M. D.'s mentioned above; we do not believe  
cold water will do every thing, though we  
seriously think it will do much. Diet, air,  
exercise, are the three great principles  
of health. We have known persons to be  
cured by these means pronounced incurable  
by the physicians. But such is our opinion  
of cold water that we think it deserves to be  
classed with the principle just spoken of—  
Philad. Ledger.

## Are Eels Fish?—At a Court of Conservancy

held on Friday on the river near Kew-  
tyn, before the Lord Mayor, an appeal  
from the decision of the Brentford magis-  
trates was heard, and the conviction con-  
firmed. One of the principal points urged  
by the counsel in support of the appeal was,  
that eels are not fish. He quoted the au-  
thority of Mr. Jesse, who in his "Gleanings  
in Natural History," in speaking of eels,  
says—"The eel is evidently a link between  
the fish and the serpent, but, unlike the for-  
mer, they live out of the water." He also  
believed the French nation to snake as well  
as eels, but they called the serpent of the  
water. Sir Humphrey Davey and other  
naturalists had ascertained that eels arrive  
in the river, at the rate of 18,000 per minute,  
and go on for three days and nights to-  
gether. It was, therefore, futile to contend  
that there could ever be a dearth of eels in  
the water. In further proof that eels were  
not fish, but serpents, he produced evidence  
that they would live on land a month, and  
that they go on shore at night to feed. Eels  
did not spawn, as fish did. Eels ought to be  
considered in the same light as gulls, worms,  
frogs, &c., all of which were found at the  
bottom of the water, but none of which were  
fish, but more than eels, and not one of which  
it had ever been contended were fish.

## The Queen as an Artist.—The Queen's

talents for drawing are so remarkable, that  
one of her mistresses, before her accession to  
the throne, when speaking of his royal pupil,  
whose progress he was justly proud, said,  
"The Princess Victoria would have made  
the best female artist of the age if she had  
not been born to wear a crown. Her Royal  
Highness told this gentleman 'that her pen-  
cils were a source of great delight to her, and  
that, when engaged by severe studies, it was  
always a refreshment to her mind to devote  
an hour to drawing—above employment in which  
she would have willingly spent more of her  
time than any other.'—Queen Victoria from  
her Birth to her Bridal.

## NEVER TOO OLD TO LEARN.—A few days

ago a person, about eighty-two years of age,  
called on a man, by trade a sieve-maker, not  
many miles from Westminster, to offer him  
some as an apprentice! proposing three so-  
vereigns as a premium.—Sherborne Jour.

## A GOOD REFERENCE.—"Do you know Mr.

—?" asked one friend of another, referring  
to an old gentleman who was famous for  
his fondness for the extract of lup.  
"Yes, sir, I know him very well."  
"What kind of a man is he?"  
"Why, in the morning, when he gets up,  
he is a beer barrel, and in the evening when  
he goes to bed he is a barrel of beer."

## HONEY BEES.—As a boy was ploughing

in a field at Robercourt, France, near a gar-  
den, containing forty bee-hives, several of  
the swarms suddenly assailed both him and  
his horses. The poor lad immediately threw  
himself on the ground, and hid his face in  
the newly-turned furrow. Some countrymen  
who saw his distress and danger, were un-  
able to relieve him until they had procured  
lighted torches to disperse his inveterate  
assailants. The poor lad was dreadfully stung,  
and remained for some time quite senseless,  
but is now out of danger. The horses died  
upon the ground.

## From the Chronicle, October 2.

The approaching departure of the Rev. JOHN  
CAREY, A. B., T. C. D., from this Parish, being  
generally known, numerous and highly respec-  
table body of his friends, members of the Estab-  
lished Episcopal Church, and comprising a majority  
of our most influential citizens, desirous of marking  
their respect and esteem of his piety, benevolent  
and unfeigned character; and of affording their testi-  
mony to his unremitting and faithful exertions in the  
discharge of his ministerial duties, and his short  
residence among us, as Assistant Missionary, having  
assembled for the purpose, proceeded to the church  
where the Reverend Gentleman returned the subject re-  
solved to return to the subject re-

St. John, N. B., Sept. 30, 1840.

## Reverend and Dear Sir,

The undersigned Members of the Episcopal Church  
in this City, have heard with deep and sincere re-  
gret, your intention of removing from St. John, and  
of your consequent retirement from the duties of As-  
sistant Missionary to this Parish.

Although your residence amongst us has been of  
short duration, it has nevertheless left a character  
of piety, and of a high and respectable order, to  
gain for you our just esteem and respect; and we  
feel we should be wanting in the discharge of a  
necessity and pleasing duty, were we to permit you  
to depart without conveying to you our expression  
of sincere regard—alike generally and deservedly ex-  
tended throughout the Parish.

The fearless and faithful manner in which you have  
the tenets and doctrines of the Episcopal Church,  
the constant and unceasing efforts you have so bene-  
volently devoted to our spiritual welfare, as well as  
the anxious and diligent manner in which you have  
attended to the wants of the more destitute of its members,  
and the anxiety at all times evinced by you to a full and  
efficient discharge of the arduous duties attached to your  
late office, will be long and gratefully remembered  
by us, and while they call forth our acknowledgments,  
they also induce us to beg of you, as a matter of  
deep concern, and great regret, that you will be  
pleased to accept of our sincere and cordial wishes  
for your welfare and happiness, and with great  
truth and regard,

NEW ZEALAND.

(From the London Colonial Gazette.) Intelligence has been received from New Zealand to the effect that the late Governor, Sir George Grey, has just returned from a tour of inspection...

Your imagination will, to a certain extent, make amends for the meagreness of this description, and that the slender materials which I have furnished will give some notion of the site of our town; and for many purposes most admirably adapted it is...

THE OBSERVER.

ST. JOHN, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1840.

NEWS AT HAND.—The Zealandia was to leave Liverpool on the 4th inst., and has now been out nine days. The mail will probably be received in this city by the last of the present week...

of the highest admiration and respect; and that they will with pride and satisfaction cheerfully contribute their aid towards the re-constructing a Monument to the memory of that devoted Hero...

evening. Amongst the guests were the new Executive Councillors, viz.—the Honorable Attorney General, the Honorable James Boyle Uniake, and the Honorable Joseph Howe...

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POETRY.

THE ARCHIMEDSES.

THESE Medicines are indebted for their name to the springs and channels of life, and enduing them with renewed tone and vigor.

Long ages fled, the sage was dead, May be the pump was rotten; The good old screw, its maker too, Were well nigh both forgotten.

One fine Spring morn, at early dawn, The youth—'we could not find him; He'd gone afloat in a little boat,

We scanned his craft all fore and aft, And saw his genius clever; Three shouts we gave along the wave,

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Quebec Pork, Beef & Flour. 100 BARRELS prime PORK, 30 barrels Beef, 97 ditto Flour.

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VICTORIA HOUSE, 30th May, 1840.

GREAT ARRIVALS OF NEW SPRING GOODS.

The subscriber begs to inform the Public, that he has received per late arrivals, a large and varied assortment of Spring and Summer Goods,

- CLOTHS—in every shade and quality; BUCKSKINS, DOESKINS, CASSIMERES, &c. &c. A large and varied assortment of Summer CLOTHS, GAMBOONS, MOLESKINS

As the above GOODS have been selected by the subscriber in the English and Scotch Markets, for Cash—they will now be offered at such prices as will merit a continuance of that liberal support hitherto received.

CASH ONLY.—NO SECOND PRICE.

WILLIAM DOHERTY, JUN.

- SCYTHES, SICKLES, &c. The subscribers have just received per ship WARD, Masters, from Liverpool;

NEW STORE.

- GILCHRIST & INCHES Beg leave to acquaint the inhabitants of St. John and its vicinity, that they have commenced business in the

Victoria Book Store.

- By late Arrivals: CHAMBERS' ENGLISH JOURNAL, for 1840; DITTO EDUCATIONAL COURSE;

NEW STORE.

- J. & H. FOTHERBY INTIMATE to their friends and the public that they have taken the Store lately occupied by Mr. Waddington, next door to the London House,

London Brown Stout,

- 40 CASKS, each 6 dozen, best LONDON BROWN STOUT.

Patent Medicines, &c.

OLDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA FOR THE HAIR.—Its positive qualities are as follows: 1st. For infants' keeping the head free from scurf

FRECKLE WASH.

Vaughan and Peterson's Red Lintment, SUPERIOR to all other applications for Rheumatism, Chilblains, prains, Numbness of the limbs

Superior Concentrated Extract of Rose,

Pot & Sweet Herbs, for family use.

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Whitin's Patent STRENGTHENING PLASTER.

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Hay's Liniment for Piles.

TO PHYSICIANS AND PATIENTS.

ARABIAN BALSAM.

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NEW ARRANGEMENT.

The Steamer Nova-Scotia,

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50 BARRELS Genesee superfine Flour,

Per schr. Eleanor Jane, from Boston:

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BALDNESS.

A BEAUTIFUL HEAD OF HAIR IS the grandest ornament belonging to the human frame. How strangely the loss of it changes the countenance, and prematurely brings on the appearance of old age, which causes many to recede in being uncovered, and sometimes even shun society to avoid the jeers and sneers of their acquaintance; the remainder of their lives is consequently spent in retirement.

THE HUMAN HAIR.

Where the hair is observed to be growing thin, nothing can be more preposterous than the use of oils, greases, or any other fatty matter. Their application can only be recommended through the grossest ignorance, as they hasten the fall of the hair, by increasing the relaxation of the skin.

CAUTION.—None can be genuine without a special steel plate engraving, on which is the name of the proprietor.

TO THE INCREDULOUS.

I have been entirely bald during 15 years, and I have now by the use of the genuine Hair Restorer, which I bought of you, got my hair again, and I have no more to say.

Spring Importations at the WOOLEN CLOTH MART,

CONSISTING OF: CASES Extra Superior CLOTHS, colors, Wool dyed, Blacks, Lavender Green, Rile Green, Blues, Browns, &c.

NOTICE.

THE Public is hereby informed that the subscriber has, for the better accommodation of the public, fitted out a good, comfortable PACKET to sail between the Ports of SHELDIA, New-Brunswick, and BEDFORD, P. E. Island, on every week during the summer, so as to intercept all the lines of Niagara, that is to say—M'Woods' from Montreal; Bennett's from New-York; and the line from New-York to SHELDIA, and will find immediate conveyance to all parts of said Island.

FOR SALE.

THE Lot of LAND belonging to the subscriber situated in German street, next adjoining the premises of John Kinnear, Esq. being 40 feet front on side street and extending back 105 feet, with a passage way of ten feet in breadth from the rear of the Lot to Queen street, the line being a Collar and Foundation well on the Premises, they will sell any person desiring to build thereon immediately. The terms will be known by application to the subscriber or any of his Brokers.

Deals, Scantling, Sheathing, &c.

FOR SALE at the Alliance, Cleland's and Park land Saw-Mills, and delivered to order: 1st, 24 & 31 quality 11x31 Spruce Deals; 1st, 24 & 31 do. 9x3 do. do. 1st, 24 & 31 do. 7x3 do. do. 1st, 24 & 31 do. 1x21 Boards do. all of the best manufacture from House Saws.

TO LET.

THE Premises near the Market Square, lately leased from the Commercial Bank, comprising a large Room suitable for a Dry Goods Store, with a Counting Room in the rear—and apartments above for the accommodation of a family or any other purpose. Also—the Garden attached. The present lease will expire on the 1st of May, 1845, and the Property may be taken for any term within that period. Apply to RATCHFORD & BROTHERS, 15th September.—Gw

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