



Correspondence.

To the Editor of the Standard.

SIR, One of my fellow correspondents to your journal signs himself "John Idiosyncrasy."

Now Dr. Johnson defines idiosyncrasy as "peculiar disposition not common to another."

And as John, of course, knows the meaning of his own idiosyncrasy, he must prefer one to the other.

But in sober earnest, how is it, Sir, that this so-called "John Idiosyncrasy" should be so much more than a name?

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which no one doubts his capability, will be the means of saving a great deal of valuable time now spent in out of door talk, which would then be available for employment of a more profitable kind.

I am, Sir, Your Obedt. Servt., X. Y. Z.

Nov. 9, 1854. To the Editor of the Standard.

SIR, I shall only trouble you this week with a few lines, and shall take it as a favor if you will state anything that I have written or printed in your paper.

When the late Mr. Andrews, as a deputation from the Government, to meet the late Board of Directors, came to the State of their accounts, what a scene was shown!

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The London Post announces the acquisition by the United States of Samaria, which amounts, virtually, to the annexation of St. Domingo.

THE STANDARD.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15, 1854.

The English News by the steamship America, brings us dates to the 28th ult. Up to that time no intelligence had been received of the fall of Sebastopol.

The next steamer is anxiously looked for, with news of its capture.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. We have felt some hesitation in publishing the letter which appears in another column over the signature of X. Y. Z., as the explanation sought by the writer, refers to a matter which cannot possibly have had, or have, any effect upon the prospects or condition of the Railroad Company.

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We received the following letter from the Board of Directors of the Saint Andrews and Quebec Railroad, while our paper was in the press.

St. Andrews, Nov. 14, 1854. A. W. SMITH, Editor of Standard Newspaper.

Arrival of the America at Halifax. SEVEN DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

The steamship America arrived at Halifax on the 9th inst., bringing dates to the 28th October.

THE WAR NEWS. Sebastopol had not been taken. Twenty days elapsed between the capture of the besieging armies from Bakhava and their opening fire upon Sebastopol.

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We are gratified to announce to our readers a CATHARTIC PILL, (of which see advertisement in our columns), from that justly celebrated Physician and Chemist, Dr. J. C. ANGE.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills, certain Remedies for Bad Legs, Sores and Ulcers.

Thomas Truman, of King Street, Sidney, N. W., (35) suffered for nearly eight years with a very bad leg, it was covered with sores of a most malignant character and terribly swollen.

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! The Subscriber has received from Baltimore, a choice collection of STANDARD WORKS, comprising in part the following:

Colbert's Reformation. Justin Liebrandt, of Prince of Jassan. All for Jesus, or Easy ways of Divine Love. Life of Christ, by Dr. B. November. Catholic Bride, or Penance on Education. Reeves Bible History. Bibles and Testaments. Christianity and the Church, by Dr. Pico. Pictorial Testaments. Pauline Seward-Lorenzo. Spiritual Combat. Oriental Pearl. Garden of Roses. On Fashion. General Confessions. Daily Exercises. Geis's Devotion. Christian Guide. St. Vincent's Manual. Short Answer. Lives of Saints, &c. &c. A rich variety of Book Engraving in Coloured Gilt, and Music Bindings. NEIL LOCHARY, Nov. 15th, 1854.

BRITISH HOUSE, ST. ANDREWS.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

Just received per Packet Ships via St. John, John Bannerman, John Barbour, Middleton, British Steamer Alps, Liberia, and Surley 68 Bales and Cases, containing the largest, Cheapest, and BEST ASSORTMENT ever brought to this market.

As it is a well known fact, that a great advantage can be taken by purchasing goods at the depressed periods of the season, we have made it our study this some time back, and our present stock fresh from the different Manufacturers, viz. Leeds, a large lot of Woollens of every shade and style to suit the season. Also, our Stuffs Goods of the latest styles from Bradford, and Fancy Goods from London in great variety. Domestic from Manchester. And our Shawls in every style, from 10s. to 2s. 6d. from Glasgow; also, Carpets with splendid Stock of every article in our line, a list of which will be given to the Public in Hand Bills. One word to our friends and customers, we will sell Goods in general this season at the latest St. John, wholesale Prices, and we have resolved to do, and will carry it out, during this winter; of course in doing so our Terms will be Cash.

St. Andrews, Nov 14, 1854. D. BRADLEY.

ST. JOHN AND LIVERPOOL LINE OF PACKET SHIPS.

Table with columns: Ship, Captain, Tonnage, To sail, Destination.

Appointed to sail from Liverpool as under: Joseph Tarrant, Smith, 912 5th Jan. L. Berna, Cruikshank, 875 5th Feb. Middleton, Delaney, 996 20th do. Eukens, Spurr, 1015 5th March. John Owens, Deane, 1236 20th June. David G. Fleming, Rigolds, 1235 5th April. John Bannerman, Robertson, 1206 20th June. Imperial, Moran, 929 5th May.

These Ships are built of the best materials, and remarkably fast, are classed A 1 at Lloyd's, and equipped, and will be dispatched punctually on the days appointed. They are commanded by men of the greatest experience and nautical skill, and no expense or exertion will be spared to make this line efficient in every respect for the safe and speedy conveyance of Goods.

Orders for shipment of Goods by this line are respectfully solicited. For Freight or Passage, apply in Liverpool to Messrs. FERNIE BROTHERS & Co, Orange Court, Castle Street, or at St. John, to J. & R. REED. November 11, 1854. Brandy. Ex the "Robert" from Charente: RUFFY BILLS & Co. Casks "Heures" & Co. & Martell's BRANDY, vintage 1851. J. W. STREET.

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