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### USEFUL INFORMATION

#### SEPTEMBER.

S.	M.	T.	W.	T.	F.	S.
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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#### Moon's Phases.

Calculated for Mean Time at St. John's, Newfoundland.

Full Moon.....	6th, 5.38 p. m.
Last Quarter.....	13th, 0.10 p. m.
New Moon.....	21st, 2.20 p. m.
First Quarter.....	29th, 11.25 a. m.

#### Mall Steamers to Depart from St. John's.

For Liverpool.....	Thursday, June 19
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 25
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, July 3
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 9
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 17
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 23
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 31
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, Aug. 6
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 14
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 20
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 28
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, Sept 3
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 11
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 17
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 25
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, Oct. 1
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 9
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 15
For Liverpool.....	Thursday, " 23
For Halifax.....	Wednesday, " 29

#### Wholesale Prices Current, St. John's.

BREAD—Hambro' No 1, 32s. 6d.; No. 2, 28s. 6d.; No. 3, 24s. 6d. Local No. 1, 29s.; No. 2, 23s. 6d.; F. C., 22s. 6d.
FLOUR—Canada Fancy 42s. 6d.; Canada Superfine, 38s.; New York Extra, 38s. to 39s.; New York Superfine, 35s. New York No. 2 30s. to 32s.
CORN MEAL—White and Yellow, per brl. 18s. to 20s.
OATMEAL—Canada, per brl. 30s.; P E Island, 27s. 6d.
RICE—East India, per cwt. 20s.
PEAS—Round, per brl. 20s. to 21s.
BUTTER—Canada, good 1s. to 1s. 2d. Nova Scotia, good 11d. to 1s. 1d.; American 8d. to 10d.; Hambro' 8d.
CHEESE—9d. to 10d.
HAM—9d. to 10d.
PORK—American mess 95s. to 100s.; prime mess 90s.; extra prime 77s.
BEEF—Prime, per brl. 35s.
RAM—per Imp. gallon 7s. 10d.
MOLASSES—Muscovado 2s. a 2s. 1d.; Clay-ed 1s 9d.
SUGAR—Muscovado, 45s. to 47s. 6d.; American Crushed 72s. 6d.
COFFEE—1s. 1d. to 1s. 3d.
TEA—Congou and Souchong, ordinary broken leaf 1s. 7d. to 1s. 9d.; fair to good, 2s. to 2s. 6d.
LARD—American and Canadian 7d. to 8d.
LEATHER—American and Canadian 1s. 5d.
TOBACCO—Canadian, 1s. 7d. to 1s. 8d.; American 1s. 5d. to 1s. 6d.; Nova Scotian, 1s. 5d. to 1s. 6d.
CORNBREAD—per cwt. 65s.
SALT—per hhd. Foreign, Liverpool, 7s. 6d.
KEROSENE OIL—New York manufacture 1s. 9d.; Boston 1s. 9d.
COAL—per ton, North Sydney 30s.

172 WATER STREET, 172

**JAMES FALLON,**  
Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron Worker.

**B**EGET respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Harbor Grace and outports that he has commenced business in the Shop No. 172 Water Street, Harbor Grace, opposite the premises of Messrs. John Munn & Co., and is prepared to fill all orders in the above lines, with neatness and despatch, hoping by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

### JOBGING

Done at the Cheapest possible Terms.  
Dec. 13.

### NOTICES.

#### JAMES HOWARD COLLIS

Dealer and Importer of  
**ENGLISH & AMERICAN HARDWARE,**  
Picture Moulding, Glass Looking Glass, Pictures Glassware, &c., &c.  
**TROUTING GEAR,**  
In great variety and best quality, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.  
221 WATER STREET, St. John's, Newfoundland.  
One door East of P. HITCHINS, Esq.  
**N.B.**—FRAMES, any size material, made to order.  
St. John's, May 10.  
**FOR SALE.**

#### RESERVEES & GROCERIES!

Just Received and For Sale by the Subscriber—  
**Fresh Cove OYSTERS**  
Spiced do.

#### APPLES

#### PEACHES

Strawberries—preserved in Syrup  
Brambleberries do.

#### A Choice Selection of GROCERIES.

T. M. CAIRNS.  
Opposite the Premises of Messrs. C. W. Ross & Co.  
Sept. 17.

### HARBOR GRACE

#### BOOK & STATIONERY DEPOT.

**E. W. LYON, Proprietor.**

#### Importers of British and American

#### NEWSPAPERS

#### —AND—

#### PERIODICALS.

Constantly on hand, a varied selection of School and Account Books Prayer and Hymn Books for different denominations Music, Charts, Log Books, Playing Cards French Writing Paper, Violins Concertinas, French Musical Boxes Albums, Initial Note Paper & Envelopes Tissue and Drawing Paper A large selection of Dime & Half Dime

#### MUSIC, &c., &c.

Lately appointed Agent for the OTTAWA PRINTING & LITHOGRAPH COMPANY Also, Agent for J. HINDBERG, Manufacturing Jeweler.  
large selection of:  
CLOCKS, WATCHES  
MEERSCHAUM PIPES,  
PLATED WARE, and

JEWELRY of every description & style  
May 14.

#### GEORGE BOWDEN,

Repairer of Umbrellas and Parasols,  
No. 1, LION SQUARE,  
ST. JOHN'S, N. F.

**T**HE SUBSCRIBER, in tendering thanks to his friends for the liberal patronage hitherto extended to him, begs to state that he may still be found at his residence, No. 1, Lion Square, where he is prepared to execute all work in the above line at the shortest notice, and at moderate rates.  
All work positively finished by the time promised.  
Outport orders punctually attended to.  
St. John's, Jan. 4.

### HARBOR GRACE

#### MEDICAL HALL,

**W. H. THOMPSON,**  
Proprietor,

Has always on hand a carefully selected Stock of

#### DRUGS, MEDICINES,

#### DRY PAINTS,

#### Oils, &c., &c.,

And nearly every article in his line that is recommendable:

Gallup's Floriline for the Teeth and Breath  
Keating's Worm Tablets  
Cough Lozenges  
Rowland's Odonto  
Oxley's Essence of Ginger  
Lampbrush's Pyretic Saline  
Powell's Balsam Anised  
Medicamentum (stamped)  
British Oil, Balsam of Life, Chlorodyne  
Mexican Mustang Liniment  
Steer's Apollidoo  
Radway's Ready Relief, Arnold's Balsam  
Murray's Fluid Magnesia  
" Acidulated Syrup  
S. A. Allen's Hair Restorer  
Rossiter's " "  
Ayer's Hair Vigor  
" Sarsaparilla  
" Cherry Pectoral  
Pickles, French Capers, Sauces  
Soothing Syrup, Kaye's Coaguline  
India Rubber Sponge, Teething  
Sponge, Tooth Cloths  
Nail, Shoe and Stove Polishes  
Widow Walch's Pills Morrison's Pills  
Cockle's " Radway's " "  
Holloway's " Ayer's " "  
Norton's " Parsons' " "  
Hunt's " Jaynes' " "  
Holloway's Ointment  
Adams' Indian Salve, Russia Salve  
Morehead's Plaster, Corn Plaster  
Father's Peeding Bottles  
Bond's Marking Ink, Corn Flour  
Fresh Hops, Arrowroot, Sago, Gold Leaf  
Nelson's Gelatine and Isinglass  
Bonnet Glue, Best German Glycerine  
Lime Juice, Honey, Best Ground Coffee  
Nixy's Black Lead  
Roth & Co.'s Rat Paste  
Brown's Bronchial Troches  
Woodill's Worm Lozenges  
" Baking Powder  
McLean's Vermifuge  
Lean's India Rubber Varnish  
Copal Varnish,  
Kerosene Oil, Lamps, Chimnies, Wicks,  
Burners, &c., &c.  
Cod Liver Oil,  
Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophos-  
phites  
Extract of Logwood, in 1/2 lb. boxes  
Cudbear, Worm Tea, Toilet Soaps  
Best Perfumeries, Pomades and Hair  
Oils  
Pain Killer  
Henry's Calcined Magnesia  
Enema Instruments, Gold Beater's Skin  
Fumigating Pastilles, Scalditz Powders  
Furniture Polish, Hate Polish  
Flavouring Essences, Spices, &c., &c.  
Robinson's Patent Barley  
" Groats

All the above proprietary articles bear the Government Stamp, without which none are genuine.

Outport Orders will receive careful and prompt attention.  
May 14 tff

#### LeMessurier & Knight,

#### COMMISSION AGENTS.

Particular attention given to the Sale and Purchase of

#### DRY & PICKLED

#### FISH

#### FLOUR, PROVISIONS,

#### WEST INDIA PRODUCE

#### —AND—

#### DRY GOODS.

Consignments solicited.  
St. John's, May 1, 1873. tff

#### BLANK FORMS

Executed with NEATNESS and DESPATCH at the Office of this paper.

### POETRY.

#### Lay Me Low.

Lay me low, my work is done,  
I am weary. Lay me low,  
Where the wild flowers woo the sun,  
Where the balmy breezes blow,  
Where the butterfly takes wing,  
Where the aspens drooping grow,  
Where the young birds chirp and sing,  
I am weary, let me go.

I have striven hard and long,  
In the world's unequal fight,  
Always to resist the wrong,  
Always to maintain the right,  
Always with a stubborn heart,  
Taking, giving blow for blow.  
Brother, I have played my part,  
And am weary, let me go.

Stern the world and bitter cold,  
Unwelcome, painful to endure,  
Everywhere a love of gold,  
Nowhere pity for the poor.  
Everywhere mistrust, disguise,  
Pride, hypocrisy and show.  
Draw the curtain, close mine eyes,  
I am weary, let me go.

Others' chance when I am gone  
May restore the battle-call,  
Bravely lead the good cause on,  
Fighting in the which I fall.  
God may quicken some true soul  
Here to take my place below  
In the hero's muster roll.  
I am weary, let me go.

Shield and buckler, hang them up,  
Drape the standard on the wall,  
I have drained the mortal cup  
To the finish, dregs and all.  
When our work is done 'tis best,  
Brother, best that we should go,  
I'm weary, let me rest,  
I'm weary, let me go.

#### Be Sure You're Right.

"Be sure you're right, then go ahead!"  
That's what a brave man wisely said;  
And every man in wisdom's light  
Can surely tell the wrong from right,  
So that, the evil knowing, he  
May work for good and victory.

There may be some who'll gibe and sneer  
At honest effort; but 'tis clear  
That he who dares to do the right  
Shall some day conquer in the fight,  
If, heading not the scold's cry,  
He march right on e'er faithfully.

The grandest victories ever won  
Are blessings sent for good deeds done;  
And richer far than crowns of gold,  
Or gems of fabulous wealth untold,  
Is that bright crown of gratitude  
The world gives to its brave and good.

Oh, toiler standing at the plough!  
Oh, workman with the sweating brow!  
Yours is the mission to fulfill  
The carrying out of Heaven's will;  
And yours the triumph of success,  
If bravely on you ever press.

Take courage then, and do your best;  
When 'twill surely come a day of rest,  
There sweetest flowers shall strewn your  
way.  
And chill December turn to May;  
March with a hero's firmest tread—  
"Be sure you're right; then go ahead!"

#### EXTRACTS.

#### "Clerical Anecdote."

BY REV. JOHN HALL, D. D., NEW YORK.

Have not we of the clerical order a right to complain? Let the readers of the *Ledger* judge. Here is "The Book of Clerical Anecdote;" not a book, be it observed, but The Book, brought out in London, and in the "Golden Library" too, and it is hard to keep awake over it! We are not surely so stupid as we are here made out to be! If the clergy be as dull as here represented, the present writer never knew it. But perhaps all anecdote, divested of the personal surroundings, that made its subject striking, and wit, without its settings of accompanying looks, tones and gestures, must be slightly in-ripid. Still we do think something more racy, not to use any other word, might have been gathered under a title so promising. Yet that must be a strange book that is neither "edifying nor diverting;" as the old Scotchman said of a sermon; let us see, therefore, what may be gathered from The Book.

Sleeping in church is not an exclusively modern indulgence, since in Henry VIII's Chapel there are ingeniously contrived chairs for preventing the drowsy listen-

ers from indulging in a nap. You sit easily in them, while you sit steadily; but lose your balance and you are on the floor. Now they do that thing in India more simply. A British officer, in order to get sleep, must be fanned in his tent during the hot nights. Stop the fanning; he stops sleeping. The common resort—to throw a boot at the servant, and wake him, is clumsy. So he is put on a barrel which lies on its side, and is a good seat to a waking man, but most treacherous to one who falls asleep; and so the poor creature is kept awake. When Dr. South found Charles II. and his attendants nodding, and even snoring, which "The Book" says, even nobles do, he stopped to say, "Lord Lauderdale, I am sorry to interrupt your repose; but let me entreat you not to snore so loud lest you awaken his Majesty."

But common people do not get off so easily. On the 17th of April, 1725, John Rudge bequeathed twenty shillings a year to the Parish of Trysell, Shropshire, to fee a poor man to go about the church and keep the people awake. Less liberal, Richard Dovey of Farmcote gave eight shillings to another parish for the same purpose; while in Cheshire the churchwarden performed this duty. As late as thirty years ago, a wand, forked at one end, so as to catch the nape of the neck, was employed; but more gallant in temper, in another place, a fox's brush was at one end, for the ladies, while the hard end was applied to the men. It must have been in one of these parishes that Johnson declared he liked to go to church, as he sat still and thought about nothing! This we offer as our contribution to the book of lay anecdotes.

But such sleeping is not all bad. Dean Ramsay says that the Earl of Lauderdale suffered from insomnia, and baffled the doctors. They could not get the earl to sleep. Whether he was a descendant of Dr. South's Lauderdale or no we cannot tell, but his son who was "simple," said, "Sen' for that preaching man frae Livingston, for 'twas he who sleeps in the kirk."

It was done, says the Dean, and with the best result.

From which it appears that a minister must not set down all calls and attentions to purely spiritual needs. It must have distressed Dr. Jones, when noticing the regularity of a man who walked a long way to be told:

"Deed, sir, it's very true; but I like to hear the jingling of the bells, and see a' the bra' fellows."

Younger men, we suspect, like to see the belles.

It is consolatory to see that in many of the cases selected for commemoration, it is the lay element that furnishes the point. There ought to be co-operation. So it was when a clergyman reading the service, came to the place where he must say, "our deceased brother (or sister)." He did not know which; so turning to a mourner he asked whether it was a "brother" or a "sister." The mourner innocently said, "no relation at all, sir, only an acquaintance." We did know the man who gave the child's name to the clergyman as Frances, which the clergyman very naturally took for Francis, and described as 'he' and 'him.' Edging up to him, and giving him a gentle touch on the arm, the ungrammatical man said, "Him's a girl!"

It is pleasant to see that temperance has made war among the clergy; if there be a little literary hezey; or at least that the congregations do not labor as formerly to make them drunkards. Think of the parish of Darlington providing "six quarts of sack to the minister who preached when he had no minister to assist him." Or this item: "For a pint of brandy when Mr. George Bill preached here, one and fourpence." In the same place, "when the Dean of Denham preached, spent in a treat in the house, three and sixpence." At Preston in 1791, the vestry ordered "two bottles of wine to any strange clergyman who shall at any time preach." We hope the strange preachers "commuted."

We notice that the "anecdotes of the clergy" take little account of the Irish, among whom Dean Swift holds the place that Sydney Smith occupies in England; though, in point of fact, Swift had far more real genius than Smith, and often yielded himself up to an earnest moral purpose. Both men having acquired a reputation for wit, had to sustain it, and, we suspect, often prepared beforehand those smart things which passed as impromptu. There is an advantage on the side of the man who writes, as against the man who speaks, his good things, that accuracy is secured as an offset to the tone and emphasis of the speaker. We knew the clergyman who was frequently annoyed by an officious parishioner, who at length demanded his certificate or letter of dismission; a process equivalent to the "stop-my-paper" of a dissatisfied reader. The form of such papers is left to the discretion of the writer, in Ireland, and my friend wrote:

"It is hereby certified that A. B. is a



fit and proper person to leave the congregation of Moneymore.

Signed, Minister. One thing we notice in looking over the clerical anecdotes, that tradition has handed down the root idea of many stories, and particular individuals are credited, more or less truly, with embodying it in actual fact.

One more of the Archbishop's good things, which, unlike the above, must have been wholly his own we are able to give as authentic. It is known that the Irish system of ticket-of-leave for convicts has had many warm admirers.



HARBOR GRACE, SEPT. 10, 1873.

Now, that the time for a General Election is approaching, some flittle activity begins to manifest itself in political circles, and several aspirants after political honors are already in the arena, fully prepared to engage in the contest, some for lucre, others for fame.

Nothing of great importance has yet transpired in regard to the representation of the district of Harbor Grace in the next parliament, altho' no less than six persons are named as likely to contest for the honor of being returned for this district.

We learn that Captain Charles Dawe has been requested by a large number of the influential inhabitants of Bay Roberts and other parts of this district to offer himself for their suffrages; and it is thought that he will accede to the request.

It is said that the district of Bay-Verds will also be hotly contested. We are informed that a gentleman in this town has been honored with a requisition from certain residents in that district, inviting him to contest the election there.

By advices from Trinity we learn that Messrs. Whiteway and Fraser are vigorously stumping that Bay. And by the way, we may just remark that the latter gentleman possesses all the qualifications of a stump orator, with few of the ingredients required to make a wise legislator.

We would suggest the advisability of placing a low railing along the head of the public landing to the east of Messrs. John Munn & Co.'s premises.

THE "Chronicle" of yesterday observes:—"Young men and women who seek to go abroad by the Allan steamers, without submitting to the usual custom of paying their passage fares, may as well give up hopes of success. They are sure to be returned to the place whence they departed.

"Three stowaways on board the "Hibernian" were given in charge to the Police on Saturday night. One was a young man who went aboard at Queenstown; the others were two girls who 'accidentally' got on board at St. John's, N. F.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Declaration of the Loss of Barque "Gloriana."

St. John's, Newfoundland, Sept. 3rd, 1873.

Sunday, Aug. 24.—At about 2 p.m. I called Captain Perigrin, to shorten sail. In doing so a very heavy squall from S.E. struck the ship, split maintop-sail, and doing other damage.

Monday, Aug. 25, 4 a.m.—Weather about the same, found the ship had a very large quantity of water in hold mixed with the ballast; put the pumps to work. At 8 a.m. got steam on the donkey, and with the assistance of a tub rigging, continued to work till the next morning, lifting the mud and water on deck.

Tuesday, Aug. 26, 11 a.m.—Crew left the ship in two boats, in one of which I suppose the Captain took refuge. 6 p.m. made a fire on fore-castle as a signal of distress.

Wednesday, Aug. 27.—Ship sinking fast, I got the third boat over the side and put into it a mast, one oar, three pints of water, two pigs, compass, chart, with several other things, and left the ship. Spread bedrug for a sail, and made a Cape St. Michael's boat.

Monday, Sept. 1.—At about 10 a.m. the S.S. Tiger, Captain Hagan, arrived at St. Mary's. The Captain gladly gave me a passage to St. John's, and to whom, as well as to Mr. Mackim and others of St. John's, I would likewise beg to convey my best acknowledgements.

The Gloriana was in ballast, bound from London to St. John, N.B. Crew 19 in all. The vessel was lost about 40 miles S.E. Sable Island.

(Signed) GEORGE GABE, 2nd Mate Barque Gloriana. Address—7 Clarence St., Rotherhithe, London, S.E.

The Island Lass, Captain Rosseau, (to Messrs. Harvey & Co., on Monday last from Demerara,) reports that on the previous Saturday they fell in with the above vessel, on fire; no hands, no boats to be seen. Gloriana was at the moment quite perceptible on her stern. It is to be hoped that the Captain and the hands who took to the boats may soon turn up.—Ibid.

An outrage of a very serious nature took place on Monday afternoon last, the particulars of which are as follows:—It appears that on Sunday, Sergt. Sullivan of the Police Force, arrested several "Stragglers" belong to H. M. S. Woodlark, and took them on board.

On Monday Sergt. Sullivan was going on board the Woodlark on business connected with the foregoing, when one of the Woodlark's seamen, [whose name is supposed to be Campen] who was on board the Osprey, (lying near the Queen's wharf,) threw a lump of coal weighing about four or five lbs. at the Sergeant, striking him just back of the right ear and knocking him senseless.

Twelve hundred pounds sterling have been expended during the past year by the Aeronautical Society of Great Britain in the construction of a balloon which is to be propelled by steam power. It will be very light, and is to be worked at an exceedingly high pressure.

ORNITHOLOGISTS announce the discovery of a new species of bird of paradise in New Guinea. It is remarkable mainly for its long incurved bill.



Latest Despatches.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Six hundred pilgrims left London yesterday for Paray le Morial. They were addressed by Archbishop Manning.

Victor Emmanuel visits Vienna and Berlin this month. "Times" endorses the position taken by the Canadian Reform party.

OTTAWA, 2.—The Commissioners arrived to-day and will open Court tomorrow. Investigation will be public; Huntington determined not to attend; McMullen says he can produce further evidence.

New York, 3.—Gold 115. LONDON, 4.—Warwick cup won by Field Marshall.

German Emperor decreed that forts taken from France shall bear the names of celebrated German Generals.

Harmony has been restored in the Spanish Cabinet by the resignation of Hidalgo, and the appointment of Reguero as Capt-General of Cuba.

PARIS, 4.—The last instalment of the war indemnity will be paid Germany to-morrow.

OTTAWA, 4.—Royal Commission met to-day; very few present. Sir John and other Cabinet members were there; the Chairman ordered Lucius Seth Huntington to be called. The call was not responded to, as Lucius was not in the neighborhood. Mr. Starnes, member of Cartier's election Committee, and President of the bank where Allan's election fund was deposited, was examined; his evidence does not criminate. Ministers Hinck and Hugh Allan, and other witnesses followed, testimony generally unimportant and irrelevant, beyond the positive statement of Hincks that the present Pacific Company was not formed on any consideration given during the elections.

New York, 4.—Gold 115. PORT HASTINGS, 4.—U. S. Revenue Steam Cutter "Woodbury," Commander Barr, here Sunday evening, bound to Magdalen Islands to the relief of the shipwrecked fishermen on that coast.

LONDON, 5.—A despatch from Madrid this morning announces the resignation of the Spanish Ministry.

The Pope is reported to be again dangerously ill.

The British Government culminated in the resignation of the Ministry. A meeting of the Cortes will be held on Saturday for the formation of another Cabinet. Castellar will organize it under certain conditions. Salmeron will probably be President of Cortes.

New York, 5th.—A tornado passed through several townships of Western Massachusetts last evening, demolishing houses and barns. No lives lost. New York, 6th.—Gold 113.

NEWS ITEMS.

The wheat harvest in France is poor. In the north the yield is both small and bad in quality; in the south the quality is excellent, but the quantity is small. Prices are constantly advancing.

A family festival of rare occurrence has taken place in Fischenthal, Canton Zurich, when M. Kuecht, district judge and his wife, celebrated their diamond wedding. A singular circumstance connected with the affair was that the pastor who joined the young couple sixty years before was present on the occasion. All three are still robust and enjoy the best of health.

The size attained by animals is frequently an object of much interest to zoologists. An enormous lobster was recently caught in Plymouth Sound, England, the dimensions of which rendered it worthy of notice. It was two feet and three inches long from the tip of the claw to the end of the tail, and weighed more than fifteen pounds. This lobster has been preserved by a gentleman of Plymouth, who estimates its age at one hundred years.

His Excellency the Governor-General of Newfoundland has been pleased, on the recommendation of Colonel Sir John Stewart Wood, Inspector-General Royal Irish Constabulary, to appoint Head Constable Paul Carty, of Tubbercurry, to the chief command of the Terra Nova Constabulary. In giving him the preference to such an important and lucrative position, it is evident Colonel Wood appreciates the merits of Mr. Carty, who has rendered valuable service to the public during the time he has been stationed in Tubbercurry. He is now on the eve of leaving for his appointment, but not without his merits being recognized by a complimentary address and valuable presentation.—Irish Times.

GRATIFYING TESTIMONIAL.—On Sunday last the four gallant fellows who so distinguished themselves in saving life at the wreck of the ill-fated Atlantic received a graceful recognition of their bravery from the citizens of Chicago. The gifts consisted, in all cases of gold watches of the most costly and elaborate description, varying in value according to the rank of the recipients, whose names are Mr. Cornelius Brady, third officer; Mr. John Brown, fourth officer; and Quartermasters Edward Owens and John Speakman. Mr. Brady's watch is a double-cased gold lever with chronometer balance, silver-steel works, and richly jewelled. The face and back are flat, and the edges bevilled in crusted gold. On one side is a beautiful-executed engraving of the Atlantic, and on the other initials of the receiver. On the inside case is the inscription, "Presented to Cornelius Brady by the citizens of Chicago, in appreciation of his heroic conduct in saving passengers from the wreck of the steamship Atlantic, 1st April, 1873. Signed H. F. Jenkinson, Fred. C. Fake, Augustus Johnson, Franz Heukel, committee."

The value of the watch is 500 dollars. Mr. Brady and his colleagues are to be congratulated upon this handsome acknowledgment of their services; the more especially as it comes from a city whose people had no interest, save that of common humanity, in the sad event.

TERRIBLE STATISTICS.—A Cape Cod paper gives some statistics of the loss of life and of vessels by fishermen from Gloucester, Mass., during the past forty-two and a half years. It says: "There have been lost from Gloucester since 1830, 1,251 lives and 281 vessels—valued at nearly \$1,500,000—in the fishing and coasting business, averaging upwards of twenty-nine lives and six vessels yearly. The value of the vessels lost is \$1,493,222; their insurances \$822,195, mostly in the local offices. Ninety-two of these vessels were lost in the George's fishery, a little over one-third of the whole number; fifty-six in the Bay of St. Lawrence mackerel fishery, twenty-nine in the shore cod fishery, twenty-three in the Grand and Western Bank fishery, eighteen in the Newfoundland herring fishery, two in the Grand Mannan herring fishery, one in the Greenland halibut fishery, thirty-three in the coasting trade, six burnt by the rebel pirate "Tacony," and one pilot-boat lost in Gloucester harbor. As there is no record of the number of the number of widows and orphans, previous to 1851, it is impossible to get at the correct number, but it is probable they would average about the same proportions as those of the last fourteen years—the number of married men being about one third of the whole number lost, and averaging two children to a man. This would give in round numbers, 400 widows and 800 fatherless children left destitute by the "disasters of the past forty-two years, an average of ten widows and twenty children yearly, which is not a large estimate."

NARROW ESCAPE OF PRINCE ARTHUR.—The "Daily Telegraph's" correspondent says:—"On Wednesday, his Royal Highness Prince Arthur, who is staying at Trouville, went out unattended at an early hour in the morning to bathe and after swimming out some distance disappeared under a heavy breaker. A waterman, who was looking on, raised a cry for help and rushed into the water, followed by one of the Prince's aides-de-camp, who chanced to be at hand. They reached the Prince just as he was becoming insensible, and brought him ashore. Attendants from the neighbouring Hotel des Roches Noires hurried to the spot with warm water and spirits, and after severe rubbing the breath and circulation of the blood was restored. His Royal Highness was soon able to return to the hotel, and breakfasted heartily, notwithstanding what occurred. Two hours afterwards the waterman and others who had assisted were handsomely rewarded and thanked by the Prince.

The "Times" telegram says that Prince Arthur, while bathing too far out at sea, with his aide-de-camp, was carried away by a strong current. His Royal Highness was saved by the swimming-master, Coste, by means of swimming belt. The greatest excitement prevailed on the beach at the time.

TRAUVILLE, Friday.—His Royal Highness Prince Arthur has felt no ill-effects from his late accident while bathing.

The Duke of Edinburgh is to join the Russian Imperial family in the course of this month, and will remain with them until October. He will then pay a short visit to England, and go back to Russia in December, will be married to the Grand Duchess in January.

A HEIFER raised in Kentucky was recently sold in England for ten thousand dollars.

MARRIED.

On Monday evening, 8th inst., at the Cathedral, by the Rev. J. P. Delaney, Mr. M. Furlong, to Margaret Fleming, both of St. John's.

DIED.

On the 5th inst., Alice, daughter of Mr. Stephen French, aged 4 years and 4 months.

At St. John's, on Wednesday morning last, after a long illness, Mary, relict of the late Mr. James Barnes, aged 82 years.

At same place, 7th inst., after a short illness, borne with Christian resignation, Mary Jane Carter, only daughter of Mr. C. B. Brocklehurst, ag d 28 years.

At Mount Pleasant, Topsail, on Saturday evening, 6th inst., Christopher Vey, aged 78 years.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN'S.

ENTERED.

Sept 2—Cammellia, Harvey, Cardiff—P & I Tessler. 4—Test, Cant, Falmouth—E Duder. Austrian, Ritchie, Liverpool—A Shea Republic, Lockhart, New York—J. Murray & Co. Teresa, McDonald, Boston—Clift, Wood & Co. Azalea, Prior, Port Medway—P & L Tessler. Choice Fruit, Stevens, Figueira—W H Mare.

Annie Jane, McDonald, Cape Breton—J & W Fitt. Dante, Martin, Greenock—Bowring Bros. 5—Manolo, Monserate, Porto Rico—Job Brothers & Co. Ruth, Sutlis, Sydney—P Rogerson & Son. Kate & Annie, Davies, Bristol—C F Bennett & Co. Alfred, Carmichael, Cape Breton—J & W Pitts. Viking, Harker, Montreal—Harvey & Co. Star of the Sea, Smollett, New Carlisle—J & W Boyd.

CLEARED.

Sept 3—Lavinia, McKenzie, Pernambuco J & W Stewart. Brothers, Callahan, Cape Breton—Clift, Wood & Co. Portia, Harvey, Barbadoes—Bowring Bros. Austrian, Ritchie, Halifax—A Shea. 4—C Tupper, Wilkie, Boston—T N Molloy & Co. Helen Isabel, Ralston, Barcelona—Baine, Johnston & Co. Dauntless, Lacy, Cape Breton—G. F. Bown LOADING.

Aug 23—Miriam, Europe—A Goodridge & Sons. 26—Alma, Britain—Job Brothers & Co. Sept 2—Ocean Bride, Brazil—C F Bennett & Co.

PASSENGERS.—Per Austrian from Liverpool—Mrs Neyle, Mrs A Currie, Mrs Gray, Mrs Quinn, Mrs London and infant, Mrs Hall and child, Miss Maloney, Miss Heffer, Miss J Furry, Miss Storr, Rev Mr. Crane, Messrs. S Rendell, Finlay Neyle, Gray, Cohn, Marshall, Shiran, Fitzgibbon, Quinn, Donald, Morrison, McAuley, Quinn, Shannon, McKenzie, Wylie, Hon Attorney General, Master London.

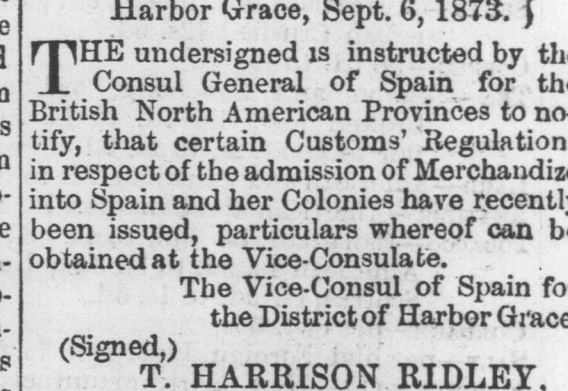
Per Austrian for Halifax—Mr and Mrs Boag and son, Mr and Mrs Bell and two children, Mrs Neville, Mrs Gately, Mrs. Hollahan, Miss Baine, Miss Routledge, Miss Hutton, Miss Hearn, Miss Browning, Miss Frecker, Miss Ryan, Miss Bussey, Messrs. C Harvey, A Harvey, J Cowan, T Browning, G Millor, E Enfield, H Longworth, F Smith, J Breille, C Wilson, W Allison, Hickey, Forbes; 32 in steerage.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPANISH VICE-CONSULATE, Harbor Grace, Sept. 6, 1873. THE undersigned is instructed by the Consul General of Spain for the British North American Provinces to notify, that certain Customs' Regulations in respect of the admission of Merchandise into Spain and her Colonies have recently been issued, particulars whereof can be obtained at the Vice-Consulate. The Vice-Consul of Spain for the District of Harbor Grace, (Signed,) T. HARRISON RIDLEY.

WATER ST., HARBOR GRACE, NEWFOUNDLAND.

E. W. LYON, Photographer.



Caution! HEREBY caution all persons against employing or harboring MICHAEL SWEENEY, an indentured apprentice, who has deserted from my service. PATRICK FOX. Carbonara, Aug. 26, 1873.



IMPORTANT TO THE Citizens of Newfoundland.



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A. T. DRYSDALE, Agent for Northern District, Newfoundland.

Aug. 23, 1873. 1y.

BUSINESS NOTICE. AUCTION MART!

75 WATER STREET, 75 HARBOR GRACE! We offer For Sale,

PROVISIONS, Groceries, &c., At fair remunerating prices for CASH, FISH or OIL!

Auction Sales and Commissions promptly attended to. GEORGE HARRIS & Co. Aug. 16. ttf.

FOR SALE. 10 Rolls Grained and Spilt LEATHER.

A. T. DRYSDALE, Aug. 2. 1m. COMMERCIAL BANK OF NEW FOUNDLAND.

DIVIDEND on the Capital Stock of this Company, at the rate of Ten per Cent, per Annum, for the half year ending 30th June, 1873, will be payable at the Banking House, in Duckworth Street, on and after TUESDAY the 15th instant...

LUMBER! THE SUBSCRIBERS

ARE now Landing and offer For Sale the Cargo of Schooner Kate, from Biltgawater, N. S., consisting of— 40 M. Hemlock BOARD 20 " Spruce do. 20 " Pine do. GEO. C. RUTHERFORD & Co. July 15.

Very Important Notice! The Wonder of the World!

GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!! Prof. HERMAN'S

WORLD RENOWNED VERMIN DESTROYER! WHICH IS KNOWN TO BE Far Superior to Anything Ever Yet Discovered

FOR KILLING Rats, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ants, Bugs, Cockroaches, Black Beetles, Fleas on Dogs, Blight and Insects on Plants, Moths in Furs, Tick or Scab on Sheep or Goats also on Cattle, &c., &c.

Sold in Packets at 25 cents per Packet; or Six Packets for \$1.25.

The Powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any Climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to Cats or Dogs, as they will not eat it.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON EACH PACKET. MANUFACTORY:

Gravel Lane, Houndsditch, CITY OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a Silver Prize Medal at the Inter-Colonial Exhibition of Victoria, Australia, of 1866, besides numerous testimonials.

OUTPORT AGENTS: Messrs. Squires & Noble, Harbor Grace. " Jillard Brothers, " Mr. W. H. Thompson, " " Michael Jones, " Messrs. Duff & Balmer, Carbonear. " G. & J. Smith, Brigus. Mr. P. Nowlan, " " G. C. Jerritt, " " Robert Simpson, Bay Roberts. " Moses Gosse, Spaniards Bay. Wholesale Agents for the Island of Newfoundland Messrs. W. & G. RENDELL, St. John's

Who will supply all Outport Agents who may be appointed by the English Representative, as only Agents so appointed can be supplied. May 23. 1y.

LUMBER! H. W. TRAPNELL.

Now landing, ex "Atalanta," from Port Medway, N. S.: 20 M. Seasoned Prime Pine BOARD

20 do. Hemlock do. 20 do. No. 2 Pine do. July 30.

NOTICES. METROPOLITAN LIFE Insurance Company, OF NEW YORK.

JOSEPH F. KNAPP, President. J. R. HEGEMAN, Vice-President. R. A. GRANNISS, Secretary. Wm. P. STEWART, Actuary. B. R. CORWIN, Manager. THOS. A. TEMPLE, Attorney.

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Is one more step in the march of progress. Presented only after mature thought, it invites the test of the severest scrutiny. Its chief merit is its PERFECT ADAPTABILITY to the wants of insurable lives. The RESERVE DIVIDEND and RESERVE ENDOWMENT POLICIES originated and published by the Company's Actuary, under copyright in 1869. The principle involved renders every form of insurance a provision in life. It converts an ordinary life Policy, otherwise payable only in the event of death, into a CASH ENDOWMENT, MATURING EVERY TEN YEARS.

W. H. THOMPSON, Harbor Grace, General Agent for NEWFOUNDLAND. April 1. ttf.

SAILMAKING! The Subscriber

BEGS respectfully to acquaint the Shipowners and public of Harbor Grace and the outports that he has taken the Workshop lately occupied by Mr. Robert Morris, No. 10 Victoria Street, where he is prepared to perform all work in the above line in a satisfactory manner, and hopes by strict attention to merit a fair share of public patronage.

GEORGE CARSON. May 23. ttf.

C. BREAKER, Sailmaker,

WOULD respectfully intimate to the Shipowners and public of Harbor Grace and vicinity that he has taken the Loft lately occupied by Morris & Parsons, (opposite the premises of Messrs. John Munn & Co.) where he is prepared to make and repair SAILS of all shapes and sizes in a manner calculated to afford general satisfaction, and with the utmost dispatch. April 25. ttf.

Bazaar!

THE co-operation of CHRISTIAN FRIENDS is respectfully solicited in aid of a

BAZAAR St. PAUL'S CHURCH IN THIS TOWN.

The sum of £2,300 has been expended in completing the enlargement of the original Building. The balance remaining unpaid at this date is about £300. Our friends in St. John's kindly contributed £100, and the rest, amounting to £1,900, has been raised by the unaided efforts of the Congregation.

Contributions in Money, in Useful and Fancy Articles, or in Materials for making up, will be thankfully received by

- Mrs. S. ANDREWS, " W. O. WOOD, " EVILL, " TAPP, " C. ROSS, " A. RUTHERFORD, " BADCOCK, " FORD, " A. CLIFT, " HIGGINS, " BERTRAM JONES.

March 28, 1873.

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FOR SALE. Just Received A SUPPLY OF THE 'Favorite' SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINES.

Manufactured by the Kendall Manufacturing Co., Montreal.



CHEAPEST AND BEST. THE 'FAVORITE' SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINES

Are a wonderful achievement of inventive Genius and Mechanical Skill. For Simplicity, Durability and Beauty they stand Unrivalled.

Stitch Alike on Both Sides.

They will do all kinds of FAMILY SEWING With perfect ease, and are equally good for light Manufacturing purposes.

They have a large Shuttle and Bobbin and make the regular LOCK STITCH, the same as made by the Singer, Wheeler & Wilson, Weed, and all other First Class Machines.

They use a short, straight Needle, and the Four Moiton Drop Feed, Which is considered the best in the World. The Feed being made of one piece, it is impossible for it to get out of order.

THE SHUTTLE CARRIER is also made of one piece, and is so constructed that the Shuttle face is always kept close to the race, which prevents the Machine from missing stitches.

Each Machine is furnished with a Hemmer, Gatherer, Braider, Self-Sewer, Quilter, 6 Needles, 4 Bobbins, Oiler, Screw Driver, Gauge and Screw, Directions and Spools ready for use.

Makers' Price List. Retail Price. By Hand, on Marble Slab.....\$22.00 With Plain Walnut Table..... 27.00 With Quarter Case Walnut Table. . 30.00 Orders executed by return post, and Machines sent free of expense, ready to commence sewing immediately—with explicit instructions.

THE ADVANTAGES OF THE 'FAVORITE' Shuttle Sewing Machines OVER ALL OTHERS.

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FOR SALE. THE SUBSCRIBER, 231 Water Street 231 BREAD Flour, Pork, Beef Butter, Molasses, Sugar Tea, Coffee, Cheese, Ham, Bacon, Pease, Rice TOBACCO KEROSENE OIL, &c., &c.

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J. Mellis, TAILOR & CLOTHIER, 208, Water Street, St. John's.

BEGS respectfully to inform the public of Conception Bay generally that he has always on hand a complete assortment of

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For all seasons of the year, which can be obtained at the LOWEST remunerative PRICES. All Clothing to order, cut in the most fashionable styles, and forwarded with despatch. Terms moderate. Orders from the outports promptly attended to.

J. M. visits Conception Bay twice a year, of which notice is duly given. Dec. 10. 1y†

W. H. THOMPSON, AGENT FOR Johnson's Anodyne Liniment

JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY OF ADAMS' INDIAN SALVE.

W. H. THOMPSON. PIANO TUNING!

Mr. J. CURRIE, TUNER AND REPAIRER OF

IN returning thanks for past favours I beg respectfully to solicit a continuance of the same. All work executed punctually, and satisfaction guaranteed. CONCERTINAS also repaired. Satisfactory references as to ability will be given on enquiry. Orders left at No. 170 Water Street will receive immediate attention. Dec. 17. ttf

Blacksmith & Farrier,

BEGS respectfully to acquaint his numerous patrons and the public generally, that he is EVER READY to give entire satisfaction in his line of business. All work executed in substantial manner and with despatch. OFF LeMarchant St., North of Gas House. Sept. 17.

CAUTION! HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that, after this date, I will not be responsible for any Debts contracted in my name, without a Written Order from myself. LUCINDA BARTLETT. Bay Roberts, Nov. 13, 1872. }

E. W. LYON Has just received a large assortment of Coloured French Kid GLOVES, Which he offers to the public at VERY LOW PRICES. July 9 ttf.

W. H. THOMPSON, AGENT FOR Fellows' Compound Syrup OF HYPOPHOSPHITES

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