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FRIDAY, 12th JULY, 1839.

[PRICE ONE PENNY.]

subscribers have received, per *Eleutheria & Royal Tar*, their usual supply of
LONDON STATIONARY,
Comprising a very general assortment;
ALSO,

A FEW BOOKS,

Among which are the following:
The Cabinet of Paintings, very elegant,
Fisher's Drawing-Room Scrap Book,
Books and Albums, various bindings,
Lectures, Prayer Books, Testaments, and Church
Services, in great variety.

W. COWAN & SON,
St. Peter Street, Lower Town,
St. John Street, Upper Town.

MISS HILL,

Organist of the Saint Patrick's Church in this city,
wishes to intimate to her friends and the
public, that she is prepared to receive
pupils on the
VIOLIN, HARP, GUITAR,
THOROUGH BASS,
and Italian and English Singing.

It is the intention of Miss Hill to become
permanent resident in Quebec, whose pupils
consist to her will be afforded an opportunity
being thorough instructed in either or all
of the above branches; and from having re-
ceived instruction under the first masters in
her profession, she feels confident in being able
to give entire satisfaction.—Terms known by
application at her residence, No. 14, Saint
John's Street, Grand Battery.
Quebec, 17th June, 1839.

R. C. TODD,
HERALD PAINTER.

PAINTING

In Water Colours.
DELCOUR, No. 3, St. John Street,
Upper Town, will take a few pupils for
instruction in Painting Landscape in Water
Colours.
Quebec, 20th May, 1839.

J. JONES,
Engraver and Copper-Plate Printer,
MOVED to No. 2, PALACE STREET,
next door to the Albion Hotel.
Quebec, 20th May, 1839.

NEW FUR AND CAP STORE.

FISCHBLATT, (from Prussia), respec-
tfully announces to the inhabi-
tants of Quebec, that he has opened a Store at
No. 40, Beaubien Street, Upper Town,
where he will constantly have on hand a
large and extensive assortment of Furs and
Militia Caps, made up to the latest
London and Parisian fashions.
Fur and Cloth Caps altered to fashion-
able shapes at short notice.
Quebec, 3rd July.

NEW DRY GOODS STORE.

The undersigned respectfully announce
to their friends and the public, that they
have commenced business on the premises
occupied by Mr. Hobbs, No. 12, St.
John Street—where they have just re-
ceived for sale, an importation of
Seasonable Dry Goods,
of a choice and fashionable assortment,
selected by one of the partners from the best
markets in England and Scotland.
L. BALLINGALL & CO.
No. 12—50 SECOND FLOOR.
Quebec, 27th May, 1839.

FRESH SEEDS.
Just received per late arrivals, a supply of
RED AND WHITE CLOVER SEEDS,
—Also, Turnips, Pease, Beans, &c. &c.
of various kinds, and warranted of last year's
growth.

BEGG & URQUHART,
13 St. John Street, and
8 Notre Dame Street,
Quebec, 1st June.

TURNIPI SEEDS.

THE Subscribers have received their usual
supply of
**YELLOW ABERDEEN,
WHITE GLOBE,
RED NORFOLK,
EARLY STONE,
MALTA, DUTCH, POMERANIAN,
and other kinds of Turnip Seed.**

ALSO,
**RED AND WHITE CLOVER.
MUSSON & SAVAGE.**
Quebec, 19th June, 1839.

SUPERIOR Arrow Root received di-
rect from BERMUDA;

ALSO—
A case of genuine
COLOGNE WATER,
Direct from the house of JEAN MARIA
FARINA, Cologne; for sale by
BEGG & URQUHART,
St. John's Street.
14th June, 1839.

COLOGNE WATER.

A CASE of the above direct from the Manu-
factory of JEAN-MARIE FARINA, Cologne,
just received and for sale by
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
Chemists, &c.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have received per
Eleutheria and Emmanuel their usual
supplies of ENGLISH and other DRUGS,
CHEMICALS, &c., comprising every article
generally required, either in Medical Prac-
tice, or family use.

ALSO—AN ASSORTMENT OF
SURGEONS' INSTRUMENTS AND MATE-
RIALS, MAW'S IMPROVED DOMESTIC
INSTRUMENT, FAMILY MEDICINE
CHESTS, &c.
With numerous other Articles.
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
CHEMISTS, &c.
Quebec, 14th June.

FRESH LEECHES.

A LARGE supply of the GERMAN MEDI-
CINAL LEECH, of large size and superi-
or quality, just received, and for sale low, by
MUSSON & SAVAGE,
Chemists & Druggists.
Quebec, 10th June, 1839.

PARTNERSHIP.

THE Subscribers respectfully beg leave to
acquaint their friends and the public in ge-
neral, that the business heretofore conducted by
J. J. SIMS, will, from this date, be carried on
under the style and firm of

SIMS & BOWLES.

They are now moving into those spacious new
premises, corner of Hope Street.
J. J. SIMS,
J. BOWLES, JUNIOR.
Apothecaries & Druggists, Upper Town Market
Place.—1st May.

SPLENDID

FRENCH SILKS, VEILS, &c.
FOR BONNETS AND DRESSES.
ALSO,
THE NEW SHAPES IN TUSCAN BON-
NETS, imported by the way of New-York.
And, just opened,
SEVEN CASES of LONDON MADE BEA-
VER HATS, to be sold cheap for cash.
BROWN'S CLOTHING STORE,
Corner of Rue du Fort and Buade Streets,
Upper Town.
Quebec, 17th April, 1839.

EXAMINATION OF A MIDSHIPMAN.

The following humorous account of the ex-
amination of a midshipman in the English
naval service, is extracted from an article in
a late British Magazine:—

I remember at Malta one unfortunate youth
named Richards, the day of whose trial was
fixed, and who from his known character of
his judges, he had good reason to be anxious
about the result. On the morning previous
to his examination, I found him in a dread-
fully agitated state; and in order to encourage
and re-assure him as much as I could, I took
him out with me, and endeavored during a
long walk to explain to him any difficulties
that occurred. After a good deal of question-
ing and cross-questioning, finding himself an
fait, he began to take courage, and to look
forward with confidence to the result of the
morrow.

We had been perambulating about in this
manner for a couple of hours, and I was just
about to accompany him on board, when whom
should we meet, plump in the face, but one of
the passing captains.

"Well, youngster!" said the skipper, ad-
dressing my companion; "so you are going to
pass to-morrow, eh!—to try at least, eh!
Very well, see you are prepared, for it shall
be no child's play. I'll work you, I promise
you I will."

"It will never do, Ned!" said the poor
fellow to me, as soon as the captain was gone.
"It will never do—I'm sure to be rejected!"
"Nonsense," I replied, "Keep your spirits
up, and never say die, every body knows
that felloe does not always bite when he
snarls."

"Well," said the desponding youth, "it
may be, but you'll see I'll be rejected."
The eventful hour at length arrived, and
poor Richards approached his fate with a
trembling heart. As there were six others for
trial at the same time, they were apportioned
among the different captains; each taking
upon himself the examination of one.

"If you will allow me," said our friend of
the previous day to the senior officer; "if you
will allow me, I should like to examine Mr.
Richards."

"Certainly," replied the senior captain,
and the poorfellow, as white as a sheet, was
immediately called forward.

"Now, sir," said the captain, addressing
him, and assuming a very grave and severe
expression of countenance; now, sir, let us
see what sort of an officer of the watch, sir,
the *Dido* frigate—don't forget her name, sir,
—there's a heavy gale of wind from the south-
west—do you hear, sir? Pay attention to
what I'm saying to you, sir—I'll lay my life
you have forgotten what point the wind was
in,—mark me, sir, for its importance,—the gale
is from the southwest, sir, remember the
southwest. Plenty of sea-room, sir: vessel
made all snug for night, lying under try-
sails, do you mark that, sir, under try-sails?

Well, sir, the captain comes on deck, and
says—to you—observe what the captain says,
sir: he says to you, "Mr. Richards, how's
her head?" You of course make the proper
response; after which, the captain, putting
his hand in his pocket, takes out a small lea-
ther case—mark, sir, a leather case!—and
presenting it to you in an easy sort of way, he
offers you a segar. Now, sir, answer me im-
mediately, sir,—which end of the segar would
you put in your mouth?"

The poor middy, who, as the captain was
proceeding with this address, was looking
forward to some awfully formidable question,
was so thunderstruck by this unexpected ter-
mination of the harangue, that not knowing
whether it was meant in joke or in earnest,
he stood for a moment without opening his
lips.

"Come sir," cried the captain—"quick—
which end?"

"The twisted one, replied the youngster,
who was fortunately well practised in the
use of segars.

"The twisted one, sir, if an Havana, and
either end the same if a Cheroot!"

"Excellent!" replied the captain, throwing
himself back in his seat in a roar of laughter.

"Capital, sir!—very well answered indeed
sir. Gentlemen, I have no hesitation in say-
ing that Mr. Richards is extremely well quali-
fied to make an excellent officer."

The youth was accordingly duly passed, and
all his evil forebodings ended. This was one
of the lucky turns, and we all congratulated
him heartily on having drawn a prize.

Miscellaneous.

Chances of Marriage.—The following cu-
rious statement, by Dr. Granville, is taken from
an English paper. It is drawn from the regis-
tered cases of 876 women, and is derived
from their answers to the age at which they
respectively married. It is the first ever
constructed to exhibit to females their chances
of marriage at various ages. Of the 876 fe-
males, there were married,

Years of age.	Years of age.	Years of age.			
3 at 13	59 at 93	5 at 32			
11	14	53	24	7	33
16	1	36	25	5	34
43	16	24	26	2	35
64	17	28	27	0	36
65	18	22	28	2	37
115	19	17	29	0	38
118	20	9	30	1	39
86	21	7	31	1	40
85	22				

From this statistical table, our fair Readers
may form a pretty accurate judgment of the
chances which they have of entering into
the state of matrimony, and of enjoying the
blessings (we say nothing of the bitterness) of wed-
ded love.

LAUGHABLE INCIDENTS.—The candidates
for Congress in the Tennessee second district
are Mr. McKenny and Mr. McClellan, the
late member. They recently met and address-
ed a meeting at Jacksborough. Mr. McKenny
first addressed the meeting, and in the course
of his remarks read from a list of appropriations
made by the last Congress, a pretty large sum
for sending a minister to Muscat, to form com-
mercial relations with that government, and
then inquired of Mr. McClellan where Muscat
was, and what was the extent of its commerce,
and said he would sit down to give his oppo-
nent an opportunity of imparting the desired
information. McClellan finding his geogra-
phy at fault, scratched his head, and looked
wise—but it would not do—he could not tell
where Muscat was, though, as Mr. McKenny
said, he had voted for the bill making an ap-
propriation for sending a minister to that place.
Since this event Mr. McClellan has taken to
the study of geography.

"'Tis a devil of a scrape I'm in now," as
the fish said to the woman who was rubbing
down his back with a knife.

A distinguished gentleman of Pennsylvania,
whose nose and chin were both very long, and
who had lost his teeth, whereby the nose and
chin were brought near together, was told, "I
am afraid your nose and chin will fight before
long; they approach each other very menac-
ingly." "I am afraid of it myself," said the
gentleman, "for a great many words have
passed between them."

It is bad enough when men agree to cheat
each other; but to call in the lawyers to
cheat both parties, is a great deal *badder*.

When Mr. Alexander Gaa was dismissed
from the customs of Edinburgh, the entry
made against him in the books, was, "A Gaa
discharged for making a false report."

Murders, thefts, duels, street-fights, nose-
pulling, tarring and feathering, cow-hiding
judges, and spitting upon the governor, seem
to be the order of the day in Mississippi.

Honor among lawyers, friendship without
interest, love without deceit, charity with-
out ostentation, fairplay among gamblers and
female beauty without pride, are very scarce
articles.

When you hear a young lady express aver-
sion for little children—infer that her heart
was ossified by tight lacing.

What is harder than earning money? Col-
lecting it.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF QUEBEC.

ARRIVED.

Schr. Charlotte, Fourth, 28th June, Chipagan, ballast.
Bark Eleanor, McPherson, 3rd June, Liverpool, Hodgner Dean & Co. sail.
Brig Helen Maria, Gibbon, 24th May, Sunderland, M. Dawson, coals, corlage, &c.

DEPARTURE.

Brig Try Again, Heacock, 1st June, Cork, Price & Co. ballast, 113 passengers.
Brig Argus, Little, 29th May, Sligo, Maitland & Co. ballast, 126 passengers.
Brig London, Atkinson, 25th May, Portsmouth, Atkinson & Co. ballast.

REFUSED BY TELEGRAPH.

This Morning, 12th July, Brig Cuadrana, 23rd May, Sunderland, Maitland & Co. coals.
Brig Victory, 23rd May, London, Atkinson, ballast.
Brig Traveller, 24th June, Leith, Gilmour, ballast.

ENTERED FOR LOADING.

Warner, 15th, Killala, Ryan, Brothers. Quebec, 26th, Newcastle, Pemberton's, Sillery. Grace, 30th, Liverpool, Curry & Co. Jones' w. Gov. Douglas, 4th, Cork, Pemberton's, Sillery.

CLEARED.

July 10th. Bark John Carling, Bristol, Pemberton's. Brig Harvest, Vaugh, Sunderland, Pemberton's. Brig Hampden, Gibbon, Sunderland, LeMesurier.

PASSENGERS.

In the b. Try Again from Cork.—The lady of Major F. Squarson, sister and three children; Mr. Ellis, and two Misses Elliot.
In the brig Try Again from Cork.—Mr. John Clark

Table with columns: VESSELS, TONNAGE, PASSENGERS.
1838: 524, 171,967, 1721
1839: 555, 173,265, 4987

More this year. 21, 1,958, 3,266



ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY. THE Members of the BOARD of MANAGEMENT are reminded that the MONTHLY MEETING of the Board will take place THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at the ALBION HOTEL.—Hour of meeting, FOUR P. M. 12th July.

NOTICE. THE Steamer Lady of the Lake, picked up an Anchor of about 16 cwt. and two pieces of Chain, on the 8th instant, on the Beauport Flats;—may be seen on the Wellington Wharf.

12th July. W. STEVENSON. JUST RECEIVED BY THE SUBSCRIBER.—50 Jars Pickled Oysters. W. LECHEMINANT, No. 1, Fabrique Street.

8th July. SUPERIOR STEAM-MADE SODA WATER, for sale by MUSHON & SAVAGE. Quebec, 1839.



MRS. BAILEY'S SOIREE MUSICALE

WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE ALBION HOTEL, On Saturday Evg. July 13, UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF COL. SHAW, AND THE OFFICERS OF THE GOLDSTREAM SQUAD.

PROGRAMME.

- 1.—Introduction—Full Band—Grand Finale from the Opera Capuleti e Montechi.
2.—Song—Mrs. Bailey—Eris is my home—adapted to a favorite air of... Monchell.
3.—Song—Miss Hill—The four leaved Shamrock—from the Songs of the Separations of Ireland... Lower.

PART II.

- 1.—Grand Aria—Full Band—Finale to Lucia di Lamermoor.
2.—Scottish Ballad.—Mrs. Bailey—And Robin Gray, ... Melodies.
3.—Italian Cavatina—Miss Hill—Recit—T ce accendi—Al—Di tanti palpiti, ... Rossini.
4.—Comic Ballad—Mrs. Bailey—They don't propose—as sung by her with great success Blewitt.

CONCERT WILL COMMENCE AT HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK. Tickets ONE DOLLAR, to be had at MESSRS. Cary & Co's. Book Store, at Mr. Delcour's, Mr. Payne's Hotel, and at the Bar of the Albion Hotel. Quebec, 12th July.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE, 200 MINOTS Boiling Peas,

- 50 dozens London Porter, 10 casks Port Wine, 5 ditto superior Sherry ditto, 6 puncheons Montreal Cider, 50 boxes Liverpool Soap, 25 ditto Montreal ditto, 2 hhd's. American Hams, 1 ditto Westphalia ditto, 20 barrels and half ditto Limerick Pork.

ALSO, English and American Cheese, Sou-chong, Congou, Twankay and Hyster Tea, Fresh Pickles & Sauces, Salad & Castor Oil, Lemon Syrup, Wine's and Waddle's Mustard in 1 lb. and 1/2 lb. bottles, Spermacety Olive and Pale Seal Oil, Indian Meal and Oatmeal, &c.

THOS. BICKELL, Corner of St. John & Stanislaus Street, 10th July

FOR SALE. 450 BOXES Lisbon Oranges, superior fruit and in fine order, now landing at Gillespie's Wharf, ex schooner Alert, from Lisbon, 15 pipes of Spanish Red Wine, now landing 5 hhd's. J at the Wellington wharf, ex Celta 200 bis. Hambro' P.M. Cork, ex Emanuel.

AND IN STORE.—Teneriffe Wine, Pasley's brand, L. P. and Cargo in pipes, hhd's. and qr. casks. 200 boxes Waterford Fig Blue. 29th May. WM. PRICE & CO.

JUST RECEIVED, Pot Ship "Celia," from Belfast, AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS, TWO HUNDRED Barrels Prime Mess IRISH PORK. ALSO, A few hundred Hampers best Irish Potatoes. G. H. PARKE, India Wharf. Quebec, 29th May, 1839.

UNDEWRITERS' SALE.

BY B. COLE. Will be sold, at the Stores of Mr. Donald Fraser, Napoleon Wharf, TO-MORROW, the 13th instant, at TWO o'clock P. M. precisely—for the account of the Undewriters or others concerned, the following GOODS saved from the wrecks of the "Colborne" and "Sterling"—The conditions will be made known at the time of Sale.

- 2 BALES AND 2 CASES containing:— 29 pieces superfine Broad Cloths and Cassimeres, 4 pieces Moreen, 2 pieces Camlet, 1 CASE containing Crape, 1 ditto all coloured Thread, 1 ditto Scotch Caps, 1 piece Carpeting, 23 hales Manilla Hemp, in fine order, 1 ton best Swedish Iron, in lots to suit purchasers.

- 12 cwt. 2 1/4 English Iron,—4 cwt. 3. 0 old Iron,—one old Anchor,—one Cable,—one Hawser,—8 coils Cordage, 5 coils Spun Yarn. 18 casks, 10 barrels, 8 tinnets Tallow, 10 kegs Shot,—1 keg Emery,—1 Sail. —ALSO,— 6 bbls. Ginger,—2 barrels Herrings, 5 kegs Cod-Sounds, 1 puncheon Ox Horns,—and other articles, 12th July.

DR. DILL, from Ireland, a LICENTIATE of the Senatus Academicus of the UNIVERSITY of GLASGOW, has commenced practice in this city as Physician, Surgeon & Accoucheur. Residence, No. 12, Notre-Dame Street, Lower Town, Market Place. 5th July.

THE Subscribers have just received and offer for Sale, a consignment of LEATHER, consisting of— CALF-SKINS, KIP, LININGS, JOHN SHAW & CO. 5th July. St. John Street.

FOR SALE, BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

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

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

PASSAGE TO BELFAST. THE well known splendid coppered packet ship Margaret Johnson, Neal McAuley, Master, to sail for the above port about 10th proximo, has superior accommodations for cabin passengers; can also accommodate a few steerage passengers by early application to the captain on board, at Napoleon Wharf, or to G. H. PARKE, India Wharf.

JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS, 1,000 MINOTS OATS, 500 do. PEAS, 200 do. BARLEY, LATHAM & RUSTON, Corner of St. Paul and St. Peter Streets. Quebec, 17th June, 1839.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

TWO Hundred Barrels superfine FLOUR, —Grantham Mills—a very superior article. Wm. PRICE & CO. 21st June.

IN STORE. 150 HHDS. Bright Muscovado Sugar, 50 bbls. do. do. do.

- 20 Serons Tallow, 300 B. Ayres Hides, 25 Boxes Vermicelli, 20 Cases Salad Oil in flasks, 200 do. Fresh Digby Herrings, Black Pepper, London Starch, Fig Blue, Mustard in jars, Epson Salts, Sulphur and Bimstone, and Arrow-Root; ALSO LANDING, 500 bbls. Hambro' Prime Mess Pork. HY. J. NOAD, Buteau's Wharf, St. Paul Street. Quebec, 12th June, 1839.

FOR SALE, 100 PUNS. of Strong Demerara Rum, 20 hls. Sugar, 50 boxes of Raisins, 20 barrels Pitch, 20 ditto Rosin. —AND DAILY EXPECTED, 5 puns. superior Porto Rico Molasses. R. PENISTON. 24th June.

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

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

FOR SALE, SUPERIOR PLUG TOBACCO, small 16's Sweet Mala, a Wine, London Starch, Ground Ginger, Liquore, Bunch Raisins in half boxes and qr. do., superior Salad Oil, Champagne of various celebrated brands,—Spirits Turpentine, White Paint and Corks. —HENDERSONS & CO. Hunt's Wharf. Quebec, 1st June, 1839.

FOR SALE, AT No. 11, Notre Dame Street, 20 CASKS ALUM, 10 Casks Epson Salts, 8 Casks Brimstone, 10 Baskets Double Berkeley Cheese, 7 Bags Cotton Wick, 1 Hhd. Westphalia Hams, 3 Cases Preserved Ginger, 12 Boxes Soehong Tea, 10 Cases Gin. JOHN FISHER. Quebec, 8th June.

FOR SALE. TWENTY THOUSAND Pieces floated Pine Deals, assorted sizes, White and Red Pine, Oak, Elm, and Birch Timber, Spruce Spars and Handspikes. These articles are delivered from New Waterford Cove, where the Subscriber is ready to receive and ship all descriptions of Lumber. H. N. JONES. Quebec, 25th May, 1839.

HAVANNAH CIGARS, Of the following choice brands: REGALIA, Union, Tucon, Cassadores, José Lopez Trigo, Yrabuco, Ezeplata, Iberia, Star, FOR SALE BY P. LANGLOIS. 20th May, 1839.

SPLENDID BOOKS.

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

**PROUDLEY'S
 SAINT LAWRENCE HOTEL,**
Seaside-Fort Street, Lower Town.

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

**SODA WATER,
 GINGER BEER, LEMONADE
 AND MAGNESIA WATER,
 FROM THE FOUNTAIN.**

A. McLEAN having been appointed Agent for the Sale of NIXON & CO.'S SODA WATER, which has since its first production in this city, given universal satisfaction, respectfully intimates to the inhabitants and visitors of Quebec, that he has, at a considerable expense, had the whole of the apparatus of his Fountain refitted with all the improvements suggested by the great experience of Messrs. N. & Co., and that he is now ready to attend to the kind orders of his friends for any quantity of the above Soda Water, in the highest state of perfection;
 2149.—THAT PLEASANT BUT EFFICACIOUS ASPERMENT DRINK,
MAGNESIA WATER.
 As a delicious and wholesome summer beverage, he is prepared to supply from the same Fountain,
EFFERVESCING LEMONADE, & GINGER BEER, which will be found superior to any thing of the kind ever offered in this city.
 N. B.—A choice selection of Syrups always on hand, for the purpose of combining with any of the above beverages.

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

CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

THE favorable opinion I formerly entertained of the waters of the Caledonia Springs is more than confirmed, as well from the benefits I personally derived from their use, as from what I observed of their effects on others. The water should be drank in moderate quantities before breakfast, and persevered in for some weeks at least.
 (Signed) WILLIAM ROBINSON, M.D.
A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED
 BY
BEGG & URQUHART,
 Quebec, 15th May, 1839.
PASSAGE FROM BELFAST.
 PERSONS desirous of having their friends brought on from Belfast in Mr. Grainger's ships the ensuing spring, can have it done by paying the amount of passage to the undersigned.
G. H. PARKE,
 Quebec, 14th Feby. 1839.

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE.

THE business heretofore carried on by GEORGE HOWARD under the 1st May be continued by the Subscribers, under the firm of GEORGE HOWARD & SON, Shoemakers and Farriers, St. Paul Street, Quebec.
 1st May.

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

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

BALDNESS.

A BEAUTIFUL HEAD OF HAIR is the grandest ornament belonging to the human frame. How strangely the loss of it changes the countenance, and prematurely brings on the appearance of old age, which causes many to recoil at being uncovered, and sometimes even shun society to avoid the jests and sneers of their acquaintances; the remainder of their lives consequently spent in retirement. In short, not even the loss of property fills the generous thinking youth with that heavy sinking gloom as does the loss of his hair.—To avert all these unpleasant circumstances, OLDDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA stops the hair from falling off on the first application and a few bottles restores it again. It likewise produces eyebrows and whiskers; prevents the hair from turning gray, makes it curl beautifully, and frees it from scurf. Numerous certificates of the first respectability in support of the virtues of Olddridge's Balm are shown by the proprietors.
 Read the following:
ROBERT WHARTON, Esquire, late Mayor of Philadelphia, has certified, as may be seen below, to the high character of the following gentleman:
 The undersigned do hereby certify that we have used the Balm of Columbia discovered by J. Olddridge, and have found it highly serviceable not only as a preventative against the falling off of hair, but also a certain restorative.
WM. THATCHER, son,
 Methodist Minister in St. George's charge,
 No. 86 North Fifth st.
JOHN P. ENGLISH, 334 Arch st.
JOHN D. THOMAS, M. D. 163 Race st.
JOHN S. FURRY, 101 Spruce st.
HUGH MCCURRY, 243 South 7th st.
JOHN GARD JR., 123 Arch st.
 It will certainly raise its virtues in the estimation of the public, when it is known that three of the above signers are more than 50 years of age, and the others not less than 30.
 From the Mayor,
 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
 City of Philadelphia.
J. ROBERT WHARTON, Mayor of said city of Philadelphia, do hereby certify that I am well acquainted with Messrs. J. P. English, John S. Furry, and Hugh McCurry, whose names are signed to the above certificate, that they are gentlemen of character and respectability, and as such, full credit should be given to the said certificate.
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the city to be affixed, this sixth day of December, &c.
[L. S.] ROBERT WHARTON, Mayor.
CAUTION.—Observe that each bottle of the genuine Balm has a splendid engraved wrapper, on which is represented the Falls of Niagara, the agent's name, &c.
 Sold wholesale and retail by
**J. J. SIMS,
 MUSSON & SAVAGE,
 BEGG & URQUHART.**

DR. BRANDETH requests a perusal of the following article
LIFE AND DEATH,
 Every thing has two distinct principles to its nature; one THE PRINCIPLE OF LIFE THE OTHER THE PRINCIPLE OF DEATH.
 So long as the principle of Life predominates, Health is enjoyed. When the principle of Death, sickness takes place. How is this accounted for?
 By the principle of Death, I mean the principle of decomposition or decay, which is each hour going on in the human frame from the hour of birth to that of our final exit. While the natural outlets—the pores—the bowels—and all other directories of the body, discharge these decayed particles as fast as they are generated, we are in a state of health; we are free from the presence of the disease.
 When, from breathing an impure atmosphere, living in a vicinity of swamps, or when we are in the constant habit of coming in contact with bad smells—effluvia arising from obnoxious accumulations of animal or vegetable bodies in a state of putridity, being infected from a living body under the influence of disease in a malignant state; or sedentary occupations; or, in short, any cause which promotes decomposition faster than the stomach and bowels and the other excretory organs can remove naturally; we are then in a state of disease. And should the cause which produces this state of the body remain, and nothing be done to drive the accumulated and accumulating impurities from the organ or part where the poison is seated. And purging discharges this impurity by the bowels and continuing the practice daily will once every complication of disease; and will prevent any one from becoming seriously indisposed; even when in constant contact with the most malignant fevers which cannot by possibility seriously affect the body, if we are continually careful to preserve it in a pure state, by frequent and effectual purgation. Hippocrates says, "Purgation expels what must be expelled, and patients find relief; if on the contrary, they are tormented by purgation, it is a proof there are yet matters which must be expelled."
 The subscriber of this has resided in every variety of climate, and by always purging on the appearance of sickness, has enjoyed for the last ten years, uninterrupted health. For we may call such the state of him who is never sick more than 2 or 3 hours, about the time it takes to secure the effect of a purgative. The purgative I make use of is my grandfather's pills, and they are, to my certain knowledge, the most judiciously balanced purgative in existence. I have used them for 8 months daily, in doses of from 2 to 16 pills per day, to naturally myself as to their innocency. It therefore cannot be doubted. It is my opinion, that any person, be he ever so prostrated by disease, provided he is capable of taking exercise at all, may lengthen his life to 60 years, by continuing to assist his natural functions with the **BRANDETH YELLOW TABLE PILLS.** Death never can take place until the Principle of decomposition puts out the lamp of life. And that would seldom be before 60 or 70 years, was this principle of purgation always resorted to on the first appearance of sickness.
 In the hope that these remarks may be of some service, I am the public's obedient servant,
D. BRANDETH, M.D.
 Great caution is required to procure the genuine Brandeth Pills.
 Druggists and Chemists are never in any place appointed Agents by Dr. B. All his authorized Agents have an engraved certificate of agency, signed by himself, unless this certificate can be shown, do not purchase. This caution is absolutely necessary to guard the public against spurious Pills.
DR. BRANDETH'S PILLS
 CAN BE OBTAINED GENUINE OF
FREDERICK WYSE,
 No. 3, Palace Street, Upper Town,
 Foot of Mountain Street, Lower Town,
NOTICE.
 THE undersigned having commenced business as COMMISSION MERCHANT and BROKER, will make liberal advances on Commissions.
THOS. JACKSON.
 17th May.

HEADACHE.
D. R. E. SPOHN, a German physician of much note, having devoted his attention for some years to the cure and removal of the causes of NERVOUS AND SICK HEADACHE, has the satisfaction to make known, that he has a remedy which by removing the causes cures effectually and permanently this distressing complaint. There are many families who have considered Sick Headache a constitutional incurable family complaint. Dr. S. assures them that they are mistaken, and laboring under distress which they might not only alleviate, but actually eradicate by the use of his remedy. It is the result of scientific research, and is entirely of a different character from advertised patent medicine, and is not impotent to the taste. To be had of
**I. I. SIMS,
 MUSSON & SAVAGE,
 BEGG & URQUHART.**

THE WAREROOM
 OF THE
Statuary, Marble and Stone Establishment,
HOPE STREET,
 IS NOW OPEN FOR THE INSPECTION OF THE PUBLIC,
 WHERE WILL BE SEEN
A SPLENDID STATUE OF ST. PATRICK,
 AND
ONE OF FAITH,
ALSO, a splendid Collection of Brandy, Vein, Bone, Gaiters,
AND KILKENNY MARBLE CHIMNEY PIECES.
 Quebec, the 28th June, 1839.