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May 28, 1852.

SOAP & CANDLE MANUFACTORY.

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West side Water Street, between the Ferry Landing and Fish Market,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

August 29.

Auction and Commission Card.

THE Subscriber having extensive acquaintance throughout the Province, has concluded to devote his attention particularly to the business of COMMISSION MERCHANT & AUCTIONEER.

Being thoroughly acquainted with the several departments of trade in this City and Province, as regards imports and exports, and having by the experience of a number of years acquired a distinct knowledge of the value of all commodities, both real and personal, he trusts he can with confidence recommend his abilities to the community, as competent to do justice to the sale of any property which his friends may place in his hands.

JAMES ADAM,
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JOHN BARRY,

Silver Smith, Jeweller & Engraver,

North side of King Street, St. John, N. B., a few doors below the *Waverley House.*

MANUFACTURER of all kinds Silver Plate, viz: Tea, Table, and Dessert Spoons; Forks, Ladles, Fish and Butter Knives, &c. &c.; also, Silver Cups of different patterns, which he will furnish *Cheaper* than any other House in the City. The above work is warranted to be made of Sterling Silver, and for neatness of style and superiority of finish challenges competition.

JEWELLERY made to order and repaired.

—All Kinds of Engraving neatly executed.

Traders, Pedlers and others furnished with plain Gold Finger RINGS *cheaper* than can be imported. In all cases punctuality may be relied on. Cash and the highest price given for Old Silver.

GRANITE HALL,

No. 1, DOCK-STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

CLEARING OUT FOR THE FALL TRADE.

"Clothing at a Discount!!"

THE whole Summer Stock selling at 20 per cent. less than even the usual low prices of this far famed Cheap Clothing Establishment, to make room for an immense stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

Now on the way, and shortly expected to arrive.

Purchasers will do well to examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Sept. 24. THOS. R. JONES.

COMMERCIAL SCHOOL.

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT ABOLISHED!—MORALS GUARDED! *Good Pupils only Retained!! The Incorrigible Expelled!!!*—This School contains three departments—the INFANT, the COMMERCIAL and the MATHEMATICAL. The Infant department, conducted by a female, accommodates pupils of both sexes, from 3 to 6 years of age, in Spelling, Reading, Mental Arithmetic, and Sacred History, at 7s. 6d. per quarter. The Commercial Department, conducted by two teachers, receives pupils having the Infant Department, and continues to them a thorough instruction from Spelling up to Compound and Mental ARITHMETIC—the Elements of Mathematics, Geography with the use of the Globes, English Grammar, &c., together with Reading and Writing, at fees from 10s to 20s per quarter.—The Mathematical Department, conducted by two teachers, comprises Composition, Ancient and Modern History, Book Keeping, use of the Globes, Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Astronomy, &c., the Reading Writing, and Speaking of the FRENCH LANGUAGE, and Classics, at fees from 25s to 50s per quarter.

S. D. MILLER, A. M.,
May 10 tf *Manager.*

WM. WESTLOTORN,

HAS Removed his place of business to Dock street opposite the Store of Mr. Emerson, where he will be ready at all times to execute orders in his line.

☞ Journeymen and an Apprentice wanted.

New-Brunswick STEAM, SASH, DOOR, AND BLIND FACTORY.—*Hazelding Street, St. John.*

HAVING put up the best Machinery that can be procured for the manufacture of Doors, Sashes, inside and outside Blinds, Window Frames, Mouldings, and other Kinds of Wood Work. I am prepared to furnish to any extent the best and cheapest article ever offered to the people of this Province.

May 9. JOHN E. TURNBULL.

THE BRITISH AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

AT the Third Quinquennial Meeting of this Company, held in London, 24th June, 1852, a Surplus of £82,400 Sterling, (being four-fifths of £53,000 Sterling) was declared distributable amongst the Policy holders entitled to participate. This sum allows of a reduction of Premium for the next five years, of £9,633 16s. 3d. Sterling, per annum, or an equivalent reversionary Bonus payable at Death, of £68,939 10s. 7d.

The reduction of Premium averages 38.22 per cent. on the Premiums payable during the next five years.

The reversionary Bonus averages 60 per cent. on the Premiums received during the last five years, or 9 per cent. on the sums Assured.

Upon the Policies which had been full five years in existence, the reversionary Bonus averages 2 1-2 per cent. Premium on the sum assured, a result which has been seldom equalled, and will bear comparison with that of any Office.

The following Table illustrates the Bonuses declared:

		Average Reduction of Premium.	Average Reversionary Bonus
1st Division—	1842	16.833 per cent.	21 per cent
2d. "	1847	31.333 "	53½ "
3d. "	1852	35.22 "	60 "

On the 31st December last, the

Existing Assurances were	£1,699,813	10	2
The Capital Funds of the Company were	230,262	15	6
The Annual Income was	47,721	2	6
The Divisible Surplus was	53,000	0	0

The Directors consider, and trust the Policy holders will agree with them, that the position of the Company is highly satisfactory, and hope that, taking into account the continually increasing competition they have to encounter, the progress of the Company has equalled their expectations, as the benefits actually realized equal, and in most cases surpass, those afforded by the largest established Offices.

Prospectuses, Forms of Proposal, and every information may be obtained from

RANNEY, STURDEE & CO.,
July 29 *Agents for New-Brunswick.*

FARM FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale, his Farm, situated in the Parish of Springfield, (King's County.) The said Farm contains Two Hundred Acres, Eighty of which is cleared and under good cultivation, with a comfortable Dwelling House, and good Barn: cuts Twenty Five Tons English Hay annually. The Farm is situated near a Grist and Saw Mill, and likewise a Carding Machine, and within 4 miles of Belleisle Church, and 1 1-2 of the Baptist Meeting House. It is known as the Case Settlement, and branches off from the Finger Board to Sussex and Mill Stream, and is within thirty-three miles of the City of Saint John.

Terms of Sale will be half down, and the remaining half in yearly instalments.

For further particulars apply to the Subscriber on the premises. JOHN O'NEIL.

Springfield, (K. C.) June 18, 1852.

HAMMOND RIVER HOUSE.

THE Subscriber grateful for past patronage from the Travelling community, begs to inform his friends and the public at large, that he has lately removed his establishment to the above House, 16 miles from this City, 1 mile North of Hammond River Bridge, where he is prepared to entertain Travellers at all times and seasons.

DINNERS, &c. &c., go up at shortest notice.

Constantly on hand, a choice supply of WINES, &c. &c.

Comfortable and commodious Stabling attached to the Premises, careful hostlers always in attendance. WASHINGTON ALDEN.

February 2, 1849.

Vulcan Foundry Manufactories.

Stoves Franklins, Registers, &c.

A LARGE and extensive assortment of Cooking STOVES; Close STOVES; FRANKLINS; Register GRATES; PLOUGHS; and all description of CASTINGS; for sale at the *Vulcan Foundry Ware Rooms*, in Prince William-street, and at the Warehouse of the Subscriber.

The style, pattern and quality of the Vulcan Foundry Cooking STOVES and FRANKLINS, it is believed, are equal if not superior to any in the market, while the prices are exceedingly low. Purchasers are requested to call and examine for themselves.

Orders for Castings or other work left at the above places will have immediately attendance.

JOHN V. THURGAR,
St. John Oct. 1, 1852. *North Market Wharf*

A CARD.

THE Subscriber, in returning his most sincere thanks to his Town and Country Customers, for the very liberal patronage they have extended to him since his commencement in business, begs leave to inform them that he has received lately from the UNITED STATES, a large addition to his Stock which, added to his former Stock of well assorted GOODS, will be found to contain almost every article usually kept by persons in his line of business, all of which he deems unnecessary to particularize; but would simply intimate, that on inspection it will be found to contain every article usually kept by a General FAMILY GROCER, among which are—

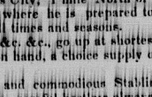
PROVISIONS, FRUITS, BUTTER, CHEESE, FLOUR, MEAL, WINES, LIQUORS, &c. &c.

The Subscriber hopes with his present well assorted Stock, together with his usual unreserved attention to business, and a determination to sell a good Articles, and as cheap as any in the Trade, hopes to merit a continuance of the patronage that they have extended to him since his commencement in business.

L. MITCHALL.
Next door to Mr. Reed's Flour Store, North Side of King Square. Oct 15, 1852.

GIBSONS

Livery Stable.



Brussels street, opposite the Baptist Chapel.

THE subscriber returns thanks to his friends and the public for the patronage received by him in the above line, and begs leave to inform them, that he still continues to keep good

HORSES AND CARRIAGES,

which he will hire on the most reasonable terms.

ANDREW GIBSON.

St. John, November 5, 1852. 6m.

Rice, White Sugar, &c.

Just received, and for sale,

5 TIERCES best RICE;
10 barrels Crushed SUGAR;
5 barrels Rosin OIL; 100 kegs Cut NAILS;
10 tins Castor Oil; 12 boxes Ground Cassia;
5 boxes Ground Pepper; 10 do. Ground Allspice;
5 bales Cotton Wicking; 17 kegs Hogs' Lard;
2 casks Washing Soda. JOHN KINNEAR.
December 10, Prince William-street.

PURE BLUE PAINT.—Per Letsom from London.—I cask Pure White Lead PAINT. This article is highly recommended for indoor use, and will be sold at the same price as the best description of White Lead.

Oct. 15. S. L. TILLEY.

National Loan Fund LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY of LONDON.

EMPOWERED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT.

Capital, £500,000 Sterling,

Exclusive of a Reserved Fund (Surplus Premiums) of £51,000 sterling.

BOARD OF LOCAL DIRECTORS AT ST. JOHN, N. B.
(Office Nelson street.)

ROBERT F. HAZEN, *Chairman.*
Edward Allison, Esq. William Wright, Esq.
John H. Gray, Esq.
Medical Examiner.—Wm. Bayard, Esq., M. D.

Advantages offered by this Society.

PERFECT SECURITY, arising from a large Capital totally independent of the Premium Fund.

LOSSES.—Two-thirds of the Annual Premiums paid, or half the Premiums for the first five years, which half may remain on interest, to be deducted from the amount of the Policy at the death of the insured.

LOW RATES OF PREMIUM.—The rates of Premium are as low as any society of equal standing.

DIVISIONS OF PROFITS.—The Bonus in the Society are declared annually, and each year the Assured has the option of receiving the profits in Cash in reduction of Premium, or in addition to the sum insured.—The Bonus are permanent.

Premiums may be paid Annually, Half-Yearly, or Quarterly.

Insurance may be effected for one year, for five years, or for life, with or without participation in the profits of the society.

A liberal allowance for the surrender of policies.

Every information to the Society's Rates of Premium, mode of Insurance, and blank forms of application, may be had at the Office of the subscribers, or of the sub-Agents, who have Pamphlets for gratuitous distribution, and all documents required for effecting Insurance.

CALIFORNIA.—Parties proceeding to California can effect insurance on liberal terms.

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WILLIAM J. STARR,
February, 1850. *Manager, St. John, N. B*

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON Fire and Life Insurance Company.

[*Established in 1836.*]

Capital £2,000,000—in shares of Twenty Pounds.

THE Stockholders of this Company are responsible to the full extent of their property for the liabilities of the Company.

The undersigned hereby notifies the Public of New-Brunswick that the above-named Company have empowered him, by a full and ample Power of Attorney, to open an Office in the City of Saint John, for the Insurance of PROPERTY against loss or damage by FIRE, in any part of the Province, and to sign and issue Policies in the name of the Company; and that in virtue of the power vested in him by the said Power of Attorney, he has appointed Mr. ADAM JACK to act as Agent for the said Company, in the receiving of proposals for Insurance, and the inspection of premises proposed for Insurance, and all other the usual duties of an Agent; and to collect and receive the amount of premium on any policy issued by the undersigned in the name of the said Company, or for the renewal of the same.

The Deed of settlement, and the supplemental Deed of settlement, lies with Mr. Jack, at the Office of the *New Brunswick Marine Assurance Company*, also the pamphlets issued by the office at Liverpool, affording ample details of the mode of transacting business by the Company.

The rates of premium will be as low as any other respectable Company, and the undersigned trusts a fair portion of public patronage will be accorded to the Company.

Losses not exceeding £500 will be settled without referring to the head Office at Liverpool.

EDWARD ALLISON.

Dated at St. John, N. B., 4th August, 1851.

RAILROAD HOUSE,

SOUTH SIDE KING STREET—ST. JOHN

THE Subscriber, in accordance with the fashion of the day, deems it necessary to acquaint his friends and the Travelling Public, that he has Fitted Furnished, and Repaired his House, in a manner that defies rivalry, for the accommodation of PERMANENT AND TRANSIENT BOARDERS.

His Fare consists of the choices delicacies of the season. Clean Beds, good attendance, and (letter yet) moderate charges, are the prominent features of his establishment.

Truly grateful to his former patrons, he solicits a continuance of public favour.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE ESTABLISHMENT IS A

LIVERY STABLE.

With Fashionable "Turn-Outs," And excellent accommodations for the Horses of Travellers and Country customers.

May 21. JAMES E. McDONALD.

WINE, BRANDY, &c.—Now landing ex *Sir Harry Smith* from London, *Henry Porcher* from Grangemouth, and *Oromoto* from Clyde—Our Spring supply of Choice Old WINES &c. consisting of Port, Pale Golden and BROWN SHERRY, Madeira, Pale and Brown Cognac BRANDY, Hollands GENEVA, London Brown Stout and PORTER, Scotch and East India PALE ALE, which with, a well assorted Stock of choice Old WINE, &c., are offered for Sale by.

RANNEY, SturDEE & CO.,
May, 7. Wine Merchants.

CLEARING OUT SALE!

Glasgow House, King Street.

THE Subscriber, as usual, during the present month, will sell off, at a great reduction from former prices the balance of the Summer Stock, and would call particular attention to the following articles, viz:—

PRINTED CASHMERES and DELAINES;
PRINTED COTTONS;
FANCY DRESS STUFFS;
PRINTED MUSLINS;
LIGHT SHAWLS;
STRAW BONNETS;
RIBBONS, FLOWERS, &c.

The whole of which will be sold cheap in order to make room for the Fall Stock, shortly expected

Sept. 3. BALLENTINE & BOWMAN.

Taylor's Sarsaparilla.

6 CASES, just received per *Belmada* from New York. The Sarsaparilla which is superior to all others, is put up in *One Dollar* per Bottle, sold at the reduced price of *Nine Shillings*.

GEORGE F. EMERSON & CO., *Agents.*
No. 4 King-street, (adjoining Barlow's Corner.)

POETRY.

THE GRAVE OF THE YEAR.

Be ye hush'd ev'ry toil! and each turbulent motion,
That encircles the heart in life's treacherous snares;
And the hour that invites to the calm of devotion
Undisturb'd by regret—unincumbered with cares.

How cheerless the late dooming face of creation!
Weary Time seems torest in his rapid career:
And pausing awhile midst his own desolation,
Looks exultingly back—on the grave of the year.

Hark! the blast whistles loud—and the shadows are closing,
That inverap his broad pathin the mant'e of night
While pleasure's gay sons are securely reposing
Unheard'd at the wrecks that have numbered his flight.

From yon temple where Fashion's bright torches are lighted
Her votaries in throngs, crowned with garlands, appear;
And (as yet their warm hopes by no spectres affrighted)
Assemble to dance round the grave of the year.

Oh! I hate the static banquet the triflers have tasted,
When I think on the ills of life's comfortless day:
How the flowers of my childhood their verdure have wasted,
And the friends of my youth lave been stolen away.

They know not how vain is the warmest endeavour,
To woo the kind moments, so slight'd when near:
When the hours that Ontavios has ancell'd forever,
His hand has entomb'd—in the grave of the year.

Since the last solemn reign of this day of reflection,
What crowds have resign'd life's ethemeral breath!
How many have shed their last tear of dejection,
And closed his dim eye in the darkness of death!

How many have sudden their pilgrimage ended:
Beneath the sad pall that now covers thee bier,
Or, to death's lonesome valley have gently descended,
And found their last beds—with the grave of the year.

Tis' the year that so late, its new promise lis-closing,
Rose bright on the happy—the careless and gay
Who now on their pillows of dust are reposing,
Where the sod presses cold on their bosom of clay.

Then talk not of Bliss—while her smile is expiring
Disappointment still downs it in misery's tear
Reflect—and be wise, for the day is retiring.
This morning has dawned—on the grave of the year.

Ah! trust not the gleam of life's perishing taper,
So faintly that shines o'er the wanderer's head;
'T will expire, when no sun may dispel the thick vapour,
No dawn of the morning revisit thy bed.

As breaks the white foam on the boisterous billow,
So the visions of pleasure and hope disappear;
Like night-winds that moan thro' the boughs of the willow,
Or these shades that now meet—round the grave of the year.

Yet awhile—and around us no season will flourish,
But SILENCE for each her dark mansion prepare;
Where beauty no longer her roses shall nourish,
Nor the lily o'erspread the wan cheek of despair;

But the eye shall with lustre unfading be brightenin'd,
When it wakes to true bliss in yon orient sphere;
By sunbeams of splendor immortal enlighten'd,
Never more to go down—on the grave of the year!

WHAT IS A YEAR?

WHAT is a year? Tis but a wave
On life's dark rolling stream,
Which is so quicly gone that we
Acount it but a dream;
'Tis but a single earnest throb
Of Time's old iron heart,
Which tireless now, and strong as when
It first with life did start

What is a Year? Tis but a turn
Of Time's old brazen wheel;
Or but a page upon the book
Which death must shortly seal.
'Tis but a step upon the road
Which we must travel o'er,
A few more steps, and we shall walk
Life's weary road no more.

What is a year? Tis but a breath
From Time's old nostrils blown,
As rushing onward o'er the earth,
We hear his weary moan.
'Tis like a bubble on the wave,
Or dew upon the lawn,
As transient as the mists of morn
Beneath the Summer sun.

What is a year? Tis but a type
Of life's off-changing scene,
Youth's happy morn comes gaily on
With hills and valleys green.
Next, Summer's prime succeeds the Spring,
Then Autumn with a tear.
Then comes old Winter—death and all
Must find their level here.

THE BUSINESS OF THE ROOM.—Surely that gentleman is very blind and very barren who cannot discern many employments belonging to him, of great concern and consequence. It is easy to prompt and show him many businesses indispensably belonging to him as such. It is his business to administer relief to his poor neighbours, in their want and distress, by his wealth. It is his business to direct and advise the ignorant, to comfort the afflicted, to reclaim the wicked, and encourage the good by his wisdom. It is his business to protect the weak, to rescue the oppressed, to ease those who groan under heavy burdens, by his power—to be such a gentleman, and so employed, as Job was, who "did not eat his morsel alone, so that the fatherless did not eat thereof"—who "did not withhold the poor from their desire, or cause the eye of the widow to fail,"—who "did not see any perish for want of clothing, or any poor without covering,"—who, "delivered the poor that cried, and the fatherless, and him that had none to help him."

"AT WHAT HOUR?" [illegible] "—er?" asked [illegible] of the conductors. "Our buses," replied that functionary, "runs a quarter after, an after, quarter to, and at." In English this means, "every quarter of an hour."

SINGULAR INSTINCT OF A HORSE.—We do not remember ever to have seen or heard of a more remarkable exhibition of animal intelligence than was communicated to us a few days since by Mr. Allen, of this place. The circumstances, than was as they were narrated to us, were as follows: Mr. A. has had, for a considerable time, a span of sprightly little horses that he has never seperated. In the stable, in the field, in the harness, they have always been together. This has caused a strong attachment to spring up between them. A few days ago, he went with them out to Lake Minnedouka, on a fishing excursion. Taking them out of the carriage, he led them down to the lake and tied them with strong ropes, several rods apart, on a strip of grass that grew upon the shore and left them to feed. Returning to the shantee, he threw himself upon the floor to await the return of the party who had repaired to the lake to fish. Not much time had elapsed before the sound of approaching horses feet attracted his attention, and the moment after one of his span approached the door. The animal put his head in, and give one neigh, returned at a slow gallop, yet under evident excitment, to the spot where but a few moments before, he and his companion had been seemingly safely fastened. Surprised to find his horse loose and struck with his singular conduct, Mr. A. immediately followed, and found the other lying in the water, entangled in the rope, and struggling to keep his head from being submerged. While Mr. A. proceeded to disengage the unfortunate horse, his noble benefactor stood by manifesting the utmost solicitude and sympathy, and when his mate was extricated from his situation and again upon his feet on terra firma, the generous creature exhibited the most unquestionable signs of satisfaction and joy. That his intelligent animal should have noticed the misfortune of his mate—that he should know where to apply for rescue, and in his efforts should render a three-fourth of an inch rope, and finally that he should exhibit so high an appreciation of the event—are circumstances to astonish us, and commend themselves to the thoughtful consideration of those who would limit the power of reasoning to the "*genus homo.*"—St. Anthony's Express.

DEATH OF ONE OF BURNS' HEROINES.—Some sixty-six years ago, Robert Burns, the Scottish poet, lived in the vicinity of the town of Mauchline.—He was then in the twenty-fifth year of his age, a jolly young bachelor, and of course, (as what bachelor in a country town is not?) on speaking terms with all the fair maids in the locality. Beauty, then as now, was abundant in and around Mauchline, but there were six of the fair sisterhood who seemed to have found especial favour in the eyes of the bard, although, as might have been expected, there was one who excelled all her compeers in his estimation. The names and attractive qualifications of the six bonnie lasses are thus entwined in a stanza which the poet wrote at the period alluded to:

'In Mauchline there d wells six proper young belles,
The pride of the place and the neighborhood a';
Their carriage and dress a stranger would guess
In Lon'on or Paris they'd gotten them a'.'

Miss Miller's is fine, Miss Markland's divine,
Miss Smith she has wit, and Miss Betty is braw,
There's beauty and fortune to get wi' Miss Morton,
But Armour's the jewel for me o' them a'."

In process of time, Burns, as all the world knows, got his jewel, his bonnie Jean; Miss Miller married a Dr. McKenzie; Markland the divine became the wife of an officer in the Excise of Greenock, named Finlay; Miss Smith became the spouse of Mr. Candlish; Miss Betty (Miller) became Mrs. Templeton; and Miss Morton gave her beauty and her fortune to Mr. Paterson, merchant in Mauchline. Time rolled on, and the rival beauties became mothers, and some of them ultimately grandmothers; "thus runs the world away." In 1850, according to Robert Chambers, only two of the famous belles' (for the simple and somewhat rude lines of Burns have been fame and will be poetic immortality to them remained in the land of the living. These were, Mrs. Candlish, mother of Dr. Candlish of the Free Church, and Mrs. Paterson, then a respectable widow lady. We have now to announce the demise of the latter. This event, which, considering the advanced age of the lady, need scarcely be called melancholy, occurred at Mauchline on Friday morning, the 15th of October. Christina Morton, or Patterson, the deceased, was in her 87th year at the period of her dissolution. Almost to the last she retained her faculties (unimpaired; and on one of her grandsons asking her a few hours previous to her decease, if she still remembered Burns, she at once replied, "Ay, brawly that."—Mrs. Candlish is, therefore, the last of Burns' 'proper young belles' of Mauchline.—*Glasgow Mail.*

SINGULAR METHOD OF FINDING DROWNED PERSONS.—The late London papers relate that on Saturday, the 20th ult., an agricultural laborer, named Solomon Dunford, left the Crown public house, opposite the Fountain Hotel, West Cowes, Isle of Wight for a few moments, leaving his basket and a pint of beer, partly drunk, but did not return. On Monday of next week, at noon, the body was discovered in the water, near the Fountain Quay. The features did not present the same appearance as is usual in drowned persons, the face being entirely black. A "novel process" was used for the recovery of the body by one of the coast-guard. On Friday morning the circumstance being made known to him he assured the bystanders that if the party was drowned in the neighborhood he would discover the body by the means of a "new loat of bread, in which should be deposited three ounces of quicksilver, when the loat would float till it rested over where the body might lay." However, extraordinary it may appear, the experiment was tried, and on the loat becoming stationary a boat-hook was put overboard beneath it, and brought up the body. The man states that this is the fourth instance in which the experiment has been tried by him with success.

ANSWER FOR SKEPTICS.—The late Bishop Horne, in some remarks upon the alleged contradiction of Scripture, says:

Pertness and ignorance may ask the question in three lines, which it will cost learning and ingenuity thirty pages to answer. When this is done, the same question shall be triumphantly asked again the next year, as if nothing had been written on the subject. And as people generally, for one reason or other, like short objections better than long answers, in the mode of disputation, the odds must ever be against — and we must be content with those of our friends who have money and reputation, candor and patience, to study both sides of the question.

THE GREAT MEMORABILIA.—In London, every man is so submerged in the multitude, that he who can hold his head high enough out of the living mass to be known, must have something of remarkable buoyancy or peculiar villany about him. Even Parliament, except to a few of the leaders, is no distinction. The Member for the shire is clapped of his plumage at the moment of his entering that colossal poultry-yard, and must take his obscure pickings with other unnoticeable fowl.

EASY TO TAKE.—Dr. Goldsmith having been requested by a wife to visit her husband, who was melancholy, called upon the patient, and seeing that the case was poverty, told him he would send him some pills that he had no doubt would prove efficacious. He immediately went home, put ten guineas in a pill-box, and sent them to the sick man. The remedy had its desired effect.

WHEN the Earl of B—— was brought before Loughborough, to be examined upon the application for a statue of lunacy against him, the Chancellor asked him, "How many legs has a sheep?" "Does your lordship mean," answered B——, "a live sheep or a dead one?" "A live sheep," said Loughborough, "there is much difference; a live sheep has four, a dead sheep has two—there are but two legs of mutton, the others are shoulders."

KIRWAN'S LETTERS TO CHIEF JUSTICE TANEY.

LETTER XVII.

Romanism tested by its Fruits in Rome.—No personal liberty there—two cases in Proof.—No security of Property—two flagrant illustrations.—No Religion there—no Sabbath—no Bible—no Preaching—no worshipping Congregations—no serious Devotion there.—Is Popery the best form of Religion for our Country?

MY DEAR SIR,—If the work of framing a government for a people were committed to your hands, and if you were in doubt as to which form would best promote their highest and truest interests, what plan would you adopt to resolve your doubt? You would adopt the common sense one, of testing the various forms that presented themselves by the effects which they produce where fully established. This would be walking in the light of experience. The best fruits of Despotism you would seek in Russia and Austria—of a Limited Monarchy, in England—and of a Constitutional Republicanism, in the United States. And as an honest man, you would decide in favor of that form which promoted, in the highest degree, the highest interests of the masses of the people. So in religious things. If desirous to know the influence of Episcopacy upon a people, you would go to England—or of Presbytery, you would go to Scotland—or of Independency, you would go to New England—or of Popery, you would go to Rome. As trees are known by their fruits, so are political and religious systems by their effects. By this test, to which none can object, will you permit me to try Romanism, that you and all men may see the multiplied blessings which we may anticipate from its full establishment in this land? But where shall we apply the test? Where, but in Rome, the seat of the Pope—the centre of unity—the paradise of the priest—where the heresy of the Reformation has never obtained a permanent or impressive influence, and where, for fifty ages together, Romanism has had the moulding of the people, without let or hinderance, in her hands. If papal priests could have their wish and their way, they would, of course, model America after the pattern of Rome, which Cardinal Wiseman denominates the "Holy City." Now, Sir, I have been to the "Holy City"—I have seen its Pope, cardinals, and priests—I sought there information as to its civil, social, and religious state—and from personal examination, and from testimony received from the most credible witnesses, both natives, and foreign residents, I am prepared to say that, from the extent of its population, there is not a worse governed, less religious, or more immoral people in Christendom. And, tried by its priests, where there are no obstacles to present its natural results, Romanism should be the abhorrence of all flesh.

There is, Sir, no personal liberty in Rome. Since the return of the Pope from Naples to the Vatican, the reins of despotism have been tightened by a powerful hand. The patriots that could escape have fled; and you find them in Genoa, Turin, Geneva, France, and Britain—homeless, yet hopeful exiles—strong in faith that the sun of liberty will yet rise, even over Rome. The suspected are in prison; and the prisons are crowded. Spies, by day and by night, surround those who show any lack of confidence in the priests. While I was there, the plan was completed of dividing the city into small sections of about twenty families each, and of placing a priest over each of these sections; nominally to look after their religious wants, but really to act as the spies of the government! And through the vigilance of these spies, and the information which they wring from wives and daughters, and servant women at the confessional, the sigh breathed after liberty by the most obscure and humble dwelling is reported in a few hours to the head of the police! And if a Roman desires to visit other countries, before he can get permission, he must first get a certificate from the magistrate of his district that he is a good citizen—then from the priest of his section, that he is a good Papist; with these he goes to the head of the police, and if there is no information lodged there against him, he receives a passport. Take one occurrence as an illustration. A young Roman, a few years since, went to Sardinia, where he married. Business failed him, and he returned to Rome to seek employment, leaving his wife and children behind him. He entered the employment of a person who, in the Revolution, took part against the government. Within the present year, that man wished to return to his family, and with the certificate of the magistrate of his district, and of the priest of his section, he presented himself to the head of the police, who, I learned, is a priest.—And simply because he was recorded as having been in the employment of an enemy of the old government, instead of getting his passport, he was ordered to prison; and where imprisoned none know but God and the priests.

Take another instance and illustration of the glorious liberty with which Romanism would bless us! The government holds a monopoly in tobacco, and this monopoly it farms out to the highest bidder. The more tobacco used, the greater the duties accruing, and the higher the Church can sell the monopoly. Of course, the more the Romans chew, smoke, and snuff of the vile weed, the greater will be the profits of the Church. [illegible]wing this, and to curtail the revenues of th[illegible]ests, those who bear no fervent love to them [illegible] to refrain from its use, and to induce their [illegible]le to do the same. One evening Peter Ercole [illegible] his friend Luigi Genandini in a coffee-room, s[illegible]g a cigar, and persuaded him to smoke no mo[illegible] There were several bystanders; soon Ercole was arrested—was tried before the Second Tribunal, and found guilty of the crime of persuading his friend to consume no more cigars; and for this crime a respectable man, between thirty and forty years of age, was torn from his family, and senteneed to [illegible] years to the galleys! And I read the sen[illegible] placarded on the chief corners of the city [illegible] and as signed by Cardinal Antonelli! [illegible] is the civil liberty enjoyed by the dwelle[illegible] the "Holy City," amid the relics of the [illegible] and under the direct government of the vicar o[illegible] Christ, and the infallible head of the only true Church! And this is the liberty with which Romish priests, were it in their power, would bless our country! It is from those Roman tyrants that our priests get their authority—it is to them they yield their conscience, and swear perpetual allegiance. Are they the men for our people? Ask the patriots in exile—ask the patriots rotting in the prisons of the "Holy City"—ask Ercole, tugging at the galleys, for persuading his friend to cast away the end of a wasted cigar, are the spies and tools of Italian priests the men for our country?

Nor, Sir, is there any security for property in Rome. It is constantly confiscated, on the merest pretexts, to the Church; and when not confiscated it is alienated to the "Holy See" in a great variety of ways. Two instances, in proof of this, were narrated to me there, and by a man of high position. A Roman of wealth married a lady of foreign birth, and by whom he had a large family of children. After a life of love and harmony, he died, leaving his property to his widow and children, by a will duly authenticated. Although regardless of the priests in health, he sent for one when dying—who confessed him, and anointed him, and "fixed him off" for Purgatory or Paradise. A few days after his death, that priest, before the tribunal having jurisdiction in such cases, that the dying man confessed to him a great sin, and to atone for which he wished his entire property, contrary to his will, to go to the Church. And on the oath of that priest, the will of the deceased was set aside—his property was turned into the treasury of the Church, and his widow and children were turned out penniless on the world!—Thus nothing is secure! To deprive any family in Rome that has lost its head, of its property, but the oath of a priest! And if you had seen them in crowds, as I have, you would conclude, as I have, that it would be an easy matter to get a priest in Rome that would swear anything. Absolution from perjury that enriches the Church is easily secured.

The other instance is as follows. It would seem as if there is a law in Rome which gives all property to the Church which has no *lawful* heir. An old man, of large possessions, married a young and handsome lady, and died, leaving a son behind him, the heir of his possessions. Just on the eve of his majority, not many months ago, a suit was instituted to prevent his entering on his paternal possessions, on the ground of his illegitimacy.—And the Church gained the suit—the mother of the lad, that the father of his child notwithstanding, [illegible] crimson-capped cardinal! "And this," said my informant, as we turned out of the Corso, "is the palace in which the old man died, and of which his widow and child have just been deprived." And when men lose not their property by confiscation, or by the robbery of ecclesiastical courts, they are ground down into poverty by an enormous taxation for the support of a Church which only compensates them with swarms of monks and nuns, splendid churches, lying legends, gorgeous processions, French soldiers, and spies to dog them by day and by night. And are these priests the men for our country? Ask that widow and her orphans deprived of her property by the oath of a confessor—ask those groaning under the yoke of a government the most detestable that the earth knows, whether these are the men for our country! They will soon tell you.

Nor, Sir, is there any religion in Rome. I do not mean to say that, among its thousands of ecclesiastics, there are none that love God, nor do I mean to say that the Lord has no chosen ones hidden amid the chaff and the trash that are every where visible there; but I do mean to say, and to affirm as strongly as language can do it, that among the masses of the priests and people there is no fear of God, and no knowledge of the doctrines of our religion. And how could there be, in the absence of the means instituted by heaven to sustain and to extend religion among a people?

There is no Sabbath in Rome. The only apparent difference there between the Sabbath and other days of the week is, that the shops are more gaily dressed—the markets are more full—and more people are engaged in buying and selling.—On my way to Saint Peter's from the Hotel d'Angleterre, I saw monks and priests in all the shops and markets, buying, as on other days, and chattering like magpies. In Naples the shops are closed, and all business suspended on feast-days, but on the Sabbath all business is brisker than usual. Romanism knows no Sabbath.

There is no Bible in Rome. I made many inquiries there for a Bible, but without success. The people have no Bible. They know nothing about it. An intelligent man of fifty told me that he never saw one. Multitudes of the priests know nothing about it. And when asked why they have none for sale, the booksellers will tell you that it is prohibited. Captain Packenham, once a banker in the city, and a most respectable gentleman and devout Christian, is now in banishment for circulating the Scriptures there during the short existence of the Republic. Much of true religion consists in knowing God and Jesus Christ; and how can they be known by a people from whom the Bible is excluded!

There is no preaching in Rome. Now and then a foreign priest or ecclesiastic visiting there, in search of a pallium, or of a cardinal's hat, may get up a brief course of lectures for the edification of the strangers visiting there; but these are usually vain and ambitious men, who seek in this way to gain favour at court, and to promote their self-interests. There is no preaching to the Italians; and and when there is an occasional exception to the rule, it is not the Gospel that is preached: it is either an eulogy upon some Popish saint, or a vehement harangue against the reformation and Protestants. Popery treats as a nullity the ascending command of the Savior, "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature." This one crime, Sir, is enough to subject it to the curse of "Anathema Maranatha."

There are no worshipping congregations at Rome ordinarily. Crowds attend the high ceremonies of "Holy Week," on great occasions, when there are gorgeous processions, at which the Pope and the military attend, multitudes are drawn together by curiosity; but on ordinary occasions, there are no congregations to witness the ceremonies in the churches. In this I was greatly disappointed.—The only exceptions I witnessed were at St. Carlo, in the Corso, and around the image of Mary, in St. Augustin, as already narrated. On Sabbath day, and on every day of the week, I was at the great basilicas and churches, and very often myself and company were the whole congregation. I witnessed the mass in St. Peter's, St. John Lateran, St. Mary Maggiore, performed by a bishop and many priests, when not a soul was present to form a congregation but my own little company. My last Sabbath morning there was spent between the Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's; and while mass was going on at several altars in the church, it would be a liberal calculation to say that there was an average of five persons at each altar. This was in the morning; the masses and vespers of the afternoon are literally deserted, unless where singing is expected. Indeed, where there is any religion at all among the people, it is usually of a vicarious character. The faithful leave the care of their souls to the priests; as a man sometimes commits his business to an agent, with powers of attorney to act for him. And they think, and truly, that the masses offered at the altars will be as efficacious in their absence as if they were present.—Hence there is often a crowd of priests engaged in a ceremony without a soul to witness it. And what struck me as more singular still, was to see priests in St. Peter's on Sabbath day entering the beautiful chapels during the ceremony of the mass at their altars with guide books in their hands, and criticising the works of art by which they are adorned! Could they do so if they believed that a brother priest was creating God before them?

And I was amazed at the manner in which those who attended performed their devotions. Two girls will enter, and kneel together, and cross themselves; and it is truly ridiculous to see them alternately praying, and talking, and laughing. Persons upon their knees, and their lips moving very rapidly, repeating their prayers, have often eyed me from head to foot, and gazed on me as I went through the church. Every thing I saw among the people was chillingly heartless, save in a Spanish officer, who daily visited St. Peter's, in half uniform, with his sword dangling by his side. I saw him a few times on his knees, and seemed really to pray, and to beat his breast with his hand, as if he felt the weight of some awful sins pressing upon his soul. I felt an anxiety to say to him that the blood of Christ cleanses from all sin.

Now, Sir, in the absence of the Sabbath—in the absence of the Bible—in the absence of the preaching of the Gospel—in the absence of congregations—in the ceremonies with which the priests fill up the void left by the prohibition of God, how could there be any religion? God has devised means to ends; and when the means are not used, the ends are not attained. Sir, *there is no religion in Rome*. There is blind superstition—there is Jesuit cunning—there is solemn pomp and ceremonial observances—there is no religion. Not is there, as a rule, [illegible] where Popery obtains among the [illegible] country.

Is Popery, then, the form of religion best adapted to our country? The intelligence, the religion, of our institutions, are the intelligence, the religion, the morals, of our people; can these remain to sustain and to defend our institutions if Popery becomes the religion of our people? Let the past answer. With great respect, yours,

KIRWAN.

FROM LATE ENGLISH PAPERS.

The change proposed by the Budget of the Chancellor of the Exchequer in English taxation and revenue are, unusually important. The Tea duties, now and for many years denoted oppressive to the consumer, and doubly so of late years, because of the rapid increase of ten millions pounds weight in consumption, are to be modified, and annually scaled until the duty is reduced to 1s. the pound. It now stands 2s. 2½d. The first year's reduction is to be 4½d, and then 2d a year for five years. The income tax is also to be modified, so as to reduce the rate on moderate salaries from 7d in the pound to 5d; and in determining the profits on rents, upon which the whole old rate of 7d is retained, one-third instead of one-half the gross rents are to be taken as profit. The mercantile shipping interest, in regard to navy salvage, pilotage, manning the service, and stamp duty on shipping documents, and the Colonial interest, come in for relief and the malt duties are to be reduced one-half.

The speech of Mr. Disraeli created extraordinary sensation in the House, and with the Press. He closed amidst the warm plaudits of both sides of the Commons, and the comments of the morning press, both ministerial and opposition are of the most complimentary character. The Times not only commends the ability of the minister, by comparing the boldness of its propositions, and the whole financial statement, with the energy of Sir Robert Peel in his most exuberant mood, but qualitiedly endorses his position as being taken with the dexterity of a master, and in view of the new commercial attitude, new resources, and new capabilities of the English nation. The change in the Sun Times is positively commended by the Radical, is bound to enforce the provisions to the very letter.

MERCATOR.

New Carlisle, 2nd December, 1852.

[The Addres to Captain Campbell, alluded to in the above Letter, was published in the last week's Gleaner.—Ed. Gleaner.]

The Chronicle.

SAINT JOHN, DECEMBER 27, 1852.

THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR.

In a few short hours EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-TWO will be reckoned with the past. Twelve months ago it was ushered into the world big with hope and promise: it is now passing away, like an old man whose work is done, to make way for a successor. Time rolls on like some rapid current, and carries us along with it. Sleeping or waking, in business or at leisure, we are ever hastening to that bourne, from whence no traveller returns.—And yet who really believes this? Who credits the fact that he is now one year older than he was twelve months ago? You, good reader, may say that you do; but we doubt it. You may consider your life so much shorter than it was last year; but as you think you have many years yet before you, one more or less can make but little difference.

The closing year has hardly averaged the usual quantum of stirring incidents, as times now are. An Imperial Throne has been set up upon the ruins of a so-called Republic; but peace has been preserved. Democracy, which recent experience shows to be *democracy*, is rather at a discount. This is as it should be. The great warrior of the age, the hero of a hundred battles, has gone to his rest, full of age and honors. We shall never look on his like. May we never again stand in need of such a captain. Nations, we would fain hope, are growing too wise now to go to war, unless *the force of circumstances* should drive the unfledged Emperor to gratify the vanity of those whose puppet he is.

But look at 1852 in another aspect. It has been a season of unprecedented prosperity. Commerce has flourished to an almost unheard of extent.—The yield of gold too, actually surpasses belief. Bullion is now estimated by *tons*. What would our forefathers have thought of such times? The crops also have been good. A gracious Providence has rewarded the labours of the husbandman by a plentiful harvest. Abundance of gold, and barns full of all manner of store,—good reader, we hope you are both satisfied and thankful.

But we must not forget that New Brunswick has had its full share in the prosperity of the closing season. Our lumber has brought a good price; our ships, from their superior build, have commanded the best freights; our fisheries have been remunerative; but above all, we have now, not *a distant or an uncertain* prospect of getting a railway built in our Province, but the contract is *actually taken*, and the opening spring will witness the beginning of a work that is destined to lay the foundation of permanent prosperity.

With regard to ourselves. As we have endeavoured, during the past, to inform and instruct our readers, we shall not relax our efforts to maintain the principles we have always advocated. Our motto shall be, as it always has been,—Church and State, protection to native industry, and to all opponents, a fair field and no favour.

And now, kind readers, hoping that the coming year will be still more prosperous than that which is now waning to its close, and that you and we may share in its prosperity, we wish you all a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

CHURCH MEETING IN THE PARISH OF SIMONDS.

At a meeting held at All Saints Church, in the Parish of Simonds, on Wednesday the 29th Dec., 1852, the Rev. J. W. Disbrow, Rector, was called to the chair, and Mr. John Jordan, Jun., chosen to act as Secretary.

After the Lord Bishop's Circular, dated Nov. 16th, 1852, was read, the following statement was submitted by the Chairman:

"Although not being one of the number of the clergy who had made a request to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese to convene a Diocesan Meeting, with a view of considering the Bill lately introduced into the House of Commons by the Right Hon. W. Gladstone, "To explain and amend the laws relating to the Church in the Colonies;" yet in compliance with his Lordship's Circular, he had given notice for the present meeting to express their opinion on the subject."

In the absence of an official copy of Mr Gladstones Bill, a printed one purporting to be a true copy and published in a new paper, was then read; when the following resolutions were passed unanimously:

Moved by John Jordan, Esq., seconded by Mr. Ephraim Sentill—

Resolved, As the opinion of this meeting that the Bill recently introduced into the House of Commons by the Right Hon. W. Gladstone, to make regulations for the internal ecclesiastical affairs of the Church in the Colonies, is unnecessary and uncalled for; and further,

Resolved, That Diocesan or other Synods are not considered either requisite or desirable.

Moved by Mr. George H. Cody, seconded by Mr. J. Jordan, Jun.—

Resolved, That the foregoing proceedings be signed by the Chairman, and transmitted to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, to be laid before the General Meeting to be holden at Saint John.

J. W. DISBROW, *Chairman.*

CHURCH MEETING AT LANCASTER.

At a meeting of the "habitual attendants" of St. Anne's Church, Musquash, County of Saint John, on Friday, the 24th December—

On motion, the Rev. Thomas W. Robertson, Rector, was called to the chair, and Mr. G. C. Carman, jun., requested to act as Secretary.

The Chairman then stated the object of the meeting, and read the Bishops Circular Letter. Whereupon the following resolutions were passed unanimously:—

Moved by G. C. Carman, Esq., J. P., seconded by Mr. W. H. Rourk—

Whereas the Lord Bishop, in his circular to the Clergy, calling upon them to convene the habitual attendants of the several Churches for an expression of their opinion upon the leading features of Mr. Gladstone's Bill, namely, Whether it be expedient that the Bishops, Clergy, and Laity in communion with the Church of England, should be empowered to meet in Diocesan or other Synods, and make regulations for the management of their internal ecclesiastical affairs; and whereas, in consequence of the present divided state of the Church in England and many of the colonies, it is probable that a revival of the active functions of Convocation in the Mother Country, and the establishment of Diocesan or other Synods in the Colonies, would but tend to increase the divisions at present unhappily existing, therefore,

Resolved, That this meeting, after due consideration had, and earnestly desiring the peace and prosperity of our beloved Church, do give a decided negative to the proposition contained in his Lordship's Circular letter.

Moved by Mr. C. H. DeForest, seconded by Mr. G. Smith—

Resolved, That G. C. Carman, Esq., J. P., and Henry Garbutt, Esq., Church-wardens, be the Lay representatives to submit the foregoing resolution to the General Meeting to be held in Saint John in January next.

Moved by G. C. Carman, Esq., J.P., seconded by Mr. H. Rourk—

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting be given to the Rev. T. W. Robertson, [illegible] and impartial conduct in the chair.

THOS. W. ROBERTSON, *Chairman.*
G. C. CARMAN, Jun., *Secretary.*

"As few men in New-Brunswick, especially those resident in Country parishes, have had an opportunity of considering the Bill to be brought before the Imperial Parliament by Mr. Gladstone, and perceiving the advantages or otherwise which may arise from the passing said Bill; therefore

Resolved, that it is the opinion of this meeting that the Government of our Internal Ecclesiastical affairs should remain for the present unchanged.

Moved by Mr. Upham, seconded by Mr. Woodman—

Resolved, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the *Witness* and *Chronicle*.

On motion of Mr. Upham, the Revd. the Missionary was requested to leave the Chair, Mr. Foster being called thereto—

Resolved, that the thanks of the meeting are due to the Revd. Mr. Bliss for his efficient and impartial conduct in the chair.

CHARLES P. BLISS, *Chairman.*

Harvey, Dec. 24, 1852.

CHURCH MEETING AT UPHAM.

At a meeting of the members of the Church in the Parish of Upham, held in St. Peter's Church, December 24th, in compliance with a request from the Lord Bishop of the diocese—the Rev. Mr. Devebber was called to the chair, and Samuel Foster, Esq., requested to act as Secretary.

The Rev. Chairman opened the meeting by reading the Circular Letter of His Lordship, and briefly stating the arguments brought forward by persons favourable to the Gladstone Bill, and the objections made by others against it, he then requested the meeting to express their opinion, whether the alteration in the management of the affairs of the Colonial Churches which would be effected if the afore-said Bill should become law of the land, was desired by them or otherwise.

The following resolutions were then moved, seconded, and passed unanimously:—

Moved by Joshua Upham, Esq., seconded by Mr. James M. Fowler—

Resolved, As the opinion of this meeting that the alterations in the constitution of the Colonial Church, contemplated by the Gladstone Bill, would be unlikely to promote its welfare, and it is therefore undesirable that they should receive the sanction of the Imperial Parliament.

Moved by Mr. Wm. M. Fowler, seconded by Mr. John F. Sherwood—

Resolved, That Mr. James M. Fowler and Mr. Isaac A. Dodge, be the Lay Delegates to present the resolution of this meeting for the consideration of the general meeting to be held in St. John, to express the opinion of the Church in this Province respecting the aforesaid Bill of the Right Hon. Mr. Gladstone.

The Chairman being requested to leave the chair, Joshua Upham, Esq., was called thereto.

Moved by Mr. Wm. M. Fowler, seconded by Mr. John F. Sherwood—

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting are justly due to the Rev. Mr. Devebber, for his able and impartial conduct in the chair.

SAMUEL FOSTER, *Sec'y to Meeting.*

Ship Building.

So many vessels of a superior class have been produced from the building establishments at this port during the past few years, that to justify the claim, in relation to any new addition to the fleet of equality with predecessors, requires a very high degree of excellence. A vessel possessing qualities which entitle her to this character, and even, in some respects, to the claim of superiority, has just been put afloat in our waters. She is from the establishment of J. J. & W. Ostva. Carleton, and was built by them for Messrs. S. WIGMANS & SON.

When it is remembered that those vessels which have hitherto been considered the finest specimens of the ability of our builders, have been of a very large class, measuring from 1200 to 1500 tons burthen, it must be apparent that in the construction of ships of such extreme dimensions, the exertions of the builder must be taxed to the utmost to obtain materials of a size and strength proportionate to so great a tonnage, and that in vessels of a smaller description it is possible to procure timber of more ample dimensions in proportion to the tonnage than can be obtained for ships of a large capacity. This advantage has been secured in the vessel we refer to; the materials used in her construction being very little, if at all, under the size of those used in the largest class of ships. This remark, while it holds good in reference to the timbers of the frame generally, is particularly applicable to the longitudinal timbers and planking, the securing of good lengths for which, has an important bearing upon the strength of the vessel.

In selecting the wood used in the construction of this ship, the best descriptions of New-Brunswick and foreign timber have been provided. White oak, pitch pine, and hackmatac have been liberally used, and the object of attaining the utmost degree of strength has been kept in view throughout without reference to expence. When we add that no part of the materials entering into the composition of this vessel has been made use of without having undergone a rigid scrutiny, and that from the first, a competent supervision, as well as the desire of the builders to maintain the reputation already founded by their previous productions, the *Rydal* and *Sentiref*, have conspired to secure entire faith fulness in the workmanship, it may at once be conceived that the claim for the possession of many superior and desirable qualities in this specimen of naval architecture, is not without foundation.—[Com

NEW METHODIST CHURCH.—On Sunday, the new Methodist Church at Fredericton, recently erected in place of that destroyed by fire, was for the first time opened to the public, and duly dedicated to Divine worship. The service was performed by the Rev. Mr. KNIGHT, Chairman of the New Brunswick District. The Church was built by Mr. John Purdy, of this city, from plans furnished by Mr. M. Stead, also of this place; the mason work and painting by Mr. McGrath and Mr. Wetmore of Fredericton. The dimensions of the building are 86 by 53 feet, the ceiling rising to 50 feet above the floor, and the spire is 200 feet high. The structure is said to be a great ornament to the city, and reflects the highest credit as well to all parties concerned in its construction, as to the zeal and liberality of the Wesleyan portion of the community.

At the Annual Meeting of the Parish of Simonds Agricultural Society, held at Patrick Brown's, Loch Lomond.—John Jordan, Esq., was called to the chair, and Robert R. Allan requested to act as Secretary, when the following gentlemen were elected office-bearers for the ensuing year:—

WILLIAM HAWKS, Esq., *President.*
R. SANDS ARMSTRONG and ALONZO A. DARROW, *Vice-Presidents.*
JAMES DAVIDSON, *Corresponding Secretary.*
PETER DEWAR, *Recording Secretary.*

George F. Cody,	David Collins,
Robert R. Allan,	George Garbutt,
Patrick Murphy,	James McFarlane,
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Patrick Brown,	John Connolly,
John Jordan, Jun.,	

} *Directors.*

John Jordan, Esq., having declined being put in nomination for President, it was unanimously resolved that he be appointed Honorary President of this Society.

And at a subsequent meeting held, R. Sands Armstrong, Esq., was unanimously elected Representative of this Society at the County Agricultural Society, in the City of Saint John.

Dec. 4, 1852. P. DEWAR, *Secretary.*

☞ The intelligence has been received at the New Room of the safe arrival at Barbadoes on the [illegible] of the brigt. Transit, 30 days from Newfoundland, having on board 19 passengers, Madame and Gustave Krollmann.—[*Halifax Colonist.*

PARISH MEETING AT HARVEY—ALBERT COUNTY.

Last evening, December 23, the Church people of this Parish assembled at the Grammar School House, in accordance with the Circular from the Lord Bishop. A printed copy of Mr. Gladstone's Bill as published, was laid before the meeting.—The Revd. Chas. P. Bliss, Chairman, appointed Mr. Foster, Mr. Woodman and Mr. Upham, a Committee to draw up resolutions to be submitted to the meeting.

Christmas Collections.—On Christmas Day the sum of £21 8s. 6d. was collected for the poor in Trinity Church; £13 6s. 9d. in Saint John Church; £9 in St. James's Church; and in St. Luke's and St. Paul's Churches, Portland, £18 7s 6d., making a total of £62 0s. 9d. in the Episcopal Churches, not including Carleton.

In the Wesleyan Church in this City, the sum of £33 12s. 8d. was collected, namely, in Germain-street Chapel, £22 1s. 10d. and in St. George's-street Chapel, £16 12s. 8d.

The Franklin has had a new intermediate shaft fitted at the factory of Messrs. Sommers, Day, Bullock, of Southampton, and other repairs, needful to her machinery, consequent upon the breaking of her centre shaft upon the last voyage from New York to Europe.

She brought only a few passengers, 24—but has a very large cargo of Continental merchandise, from Havre.

Owing to the Sunday intervening between the departure of the last steamer from Liverpool and Portland the sum of £40 was collected.

☞ We feel pleasure in being enabled to state, upon information received from St. George, that by another effort made on the part of the members of the Church in that community, a handsome and well-toned organ has just been placed in the parish church of St. Mark. The organ was built in England, and the selection left to the judgment of the Lord Bishop during his last visit to the Mother Country. The congregation of this Church are much indebted to His Lordship for this act of kindness; and they indulge the hope, that the object thus attained, will be productive of much good in this most delightful exercise of Divine worship.—*Church Witness.*

SHARP'S BALSAM OF HOREHOUND.—Large quantities of this excellent specific for various affections (see advertisement,) are being daily sold by the advertiser; and we are aware that wherever the medicine is used it is invariably successful in effecting a cure, or in alleviating the ailment for which it is intended,—we can unhesitatingly recommend this specific to the Public, as we know several families who have tried, and found it to be an excellent remedy for coughs, colds, asthmas, &c. &c.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—We have received from Messrs. McMillan & Co., the January number of this famed publication. The present exceeds any of its predecessors, both in the number and execution of the plates, and in the literary talent displayed. It contains also a piece of music entitled "The Josephine Polka." The latest Ladies Fashions always claim an important place in the work, illustrated by drawings. No expense or pains appears to be spared in getting up each successive number, in their mechanical, artistical, and literary departments; and we trust Mr. Godey will be correspondingly patronized for his untiring industry.

☞ A telegraphic despatch to the New Room states that the American Steamer *Franklin*, from Southampton for New York, put into Halifax at two o'clock on Wednesday, short of coals.

RECIPROCITY.—The *Montreal Herald* deprecates any delay in the adoption of a retaliatory policy towards the United States, and considers the prospect of any just action in the matter by Congress as not at all probable. The *Herald* says:

"Under these circumstances, will it be wise in our rulers to do nothing? Are our merchants, and mechanics, and manufacturers, still to be kept in a state of uncertainty, and of dependence on other people's will? Is a policy to be persisted in, which is robbing our canals of the traffic which, under a fair system of competition, they would enjoy, and our people of the revenues from them, to relieve by so much the pressure of taxation, arising out of their construction? We sincerely trust not; and if we can believe the report of Mr. Hincks's speech upon the last day of the session, he seems prepared to carry out the measure to which he has so solemnly pledged himself. We have delayed, and begged long enough, and postponed that independent action which befits our position far too long."

☞ The English Mail did not arrive in this City until yesterday about two o'clock, nearly a week after its arrival at Halifax. We are consequently unable to give any extended account of the news by this arrival. Would it not be better, during the winter months, that the mails should be sent by land, as the steamer is always liable to detention by stormy weather in the cold season? We subjoin the following extracts:

The Steamship *Canada* arrived at Halifax on Friday last, with Liverpool dates to the 11th inst., and 70 passengers, among whom were His Excellency Sir K. B. Hamilton, and lady, two Misses Hamilton, and four servants; the Hon. Joseph Howe, and Messrs. Vaughan, Eaton, Betts, and James Lawton.

The *Canada* experienced a succession of violent gales during the passage. She signalled the Asia for Liverpool, six hours' sail from that port.

On Wednesday the 8th, the new Cunard steamer Andes, and the screw steamer City of Manchester, sailed from Liverpool for New York.

The American mail steamer Pacific arrived at Liverpool on Friday night, with the rescued crew of the brig Jessie Stevens, from Quebec for Belfast abandoned, being waterlogged.

The London correspondent of the European Times, writing from London on Friday, says:

"The excitement about the House of Parliament this P. M. is very great. The real question as to the stability of the Ministry will be tried to-night, and as the Chancellor of the Exchequer has pledged himself to stand or fall by the scheme, in it certainly we see all the preparations for a severe conflict. That the Ministry will be successful, there seems to be but little doubt; still the meetings which have been held in opposition to the Budget in metropolitan boroughs have been numerously and enthusiastically attended, and the metropolitan members will go in to-night fully primed for the discharge of their various fuscees and rockets against the Derby, d'Israeli cabinet."

The board of trade returns for month ending 25th, are published. Exports have amounted to £4,855,666, varying little from the average of two preceding years.

A long discussion took place in the House of Commons on the motion o Mr. Brown, to produce papers relative to the application for a charter by the London, Liverpool, and North American Screw Steamship Company. The motion was opposed by Mr. Henley on the part of the Government, and was eventually withdrawn.

INDIA AND CHINA.—The overland mail from Calcutta had arrived at Trieste. By the telegraphic despatch in anticipation of the mails we learn that the second portion of troops from Rangoon had started for Prome, under command of Gen Goodwin in person. It was intended to advance upon Ayadyland.

By the same despatch we are informed that the insurrection in China was spreading, and that the troops of the Celestial Empire had in several instances been defeated.

ARAURIA.—However pacific the intentions of Louis Napoleon may be, the papers at Vienna are sounding the old alarm that a deeply laid plot has been formed for a revolution in Savoy, of course with the object of annexing that coveted territory to France. The Austrian Ministerial organs go further, and declare that even in Piedmont a very strong French party exists, which would be glad to form a more close union with France. The articles are exceedingly warlike. They declare that Tradeski has demanded reinforcements in Italy, and that his demands will be acceded to.

FRANCE.—The English and Belgium Ministers have formally presented their letters accrediting them to the Imperial Court.

Rumors of ministerial changes are again rife.

The Emperor has set at liberty a great number of political prisoners, and an article has been published in the Moniteur offering the Imperial pardon to all exiles, except those guilty of the highest crimes, who are suffering from their former disobedience to the government, upon promising that they will abstain from similar conduct in future.

The ministry of the Empire have resolved not to sanction any more new railways in any part of France until those in course of construction are completed, or at all events further advanced.

Prince Albert, of Saxony, is a rival to Louis Napoleon for the hand of the Princess Neerola Vasa, of Liveden. The intended alliance of the Emperor with a Neapolitan Princess is still currently spoken of in Paris.

THE STEAMER "FRANKLIN" AT HALIFAX.

(*By Telegraph to News Room.*)

HALIFAX, 27th Dec.

By the arrival of the U. S. Mail Steamer Franklin, (short of coals), we have accounts from London, Southampton, and Havre, to 14th inst., inclusive; and from Paris by telegraph to 12th inst.

The Franklin's news by this packet.

The British and North American R M. steamship Asia reached the Mersey at ten P. M., on Sunday, 12th inst.

The opposition throughout England to the Budget of the Tory Ministry was on the increase, and there was no doubt that if the Government would not withdraw it for amendment and consideration, that they would be beaten in the House of Commons, and a resignation would necessarily follow.

Great activity characterises the manufacturing district.

Further arrivals of Gold are reported.

The Continental News not important.

The Mail Steamer Teviot arrived at Southampton to-night from the Brazils, just as the Franklin's Mails were leaving.

The Captain and other officers of the Franklin, with passengers, attended the funeral of Mr. Livingstone, late American Consul, who died sudd nly on Sunday, and was buried to day (Monday,) at 1-2 past 3 o'clock. Minute guns during the procession were fired from the Citadel.

A shocking accident, attended with a deplorable loss of life, occurred yesterday in Thirty-second-street, between Third and Lexington avenues. A large brick building had been run up to the height of five stories, without properly supporting the floors, when, as a climax of folly, a quantity of heavy timber was hoisted to the uppermost flat, and piled in a heap so as to throw a great weight upon one of the temporary uprights which supported the girders. This temporary upright gave way, and thus commenced the work of destruction, which ended in the whole fabric tumbling down in a heap, burying in the ruins six of the workmen employed on the building. Three of the unfortunate men were taken out of the heap dead, and three more horribly bruised. The names of the killed are Joseph Weaver, the contractor for the frame work, John Dorsey, and George Doherty, brick-masons.—*N. Y. Times.*

[FOR THE CHRONICLE.]

Mr. Editor,—The present times are the most important that even the annals of the world had to record. We are evidently on the eve of a great crisis. All thinking christian men in the mother country, and on the continent of England seem to be alive to. And no doubt this general feeling or persuasion arises from the influence of the Holy Ghost, who was sent by the Father and the Son to lead his people unto truth. It has given me pleasure to find, from various advertisements that have appeared in the Christian periodicals of the Mother Country, that the whole of next week with Christmas has been set apart for *united prayer* among christians of various denominations for a copious outpouring of the Holy Spirit. This is the main and essential petition. With that are to be remembered the Protestant Government of our country, that God may direct its Councils, and preserve it from the intrigues of the enemy—the other Protestant nations of Europe, that God may preserve them in allegiance to himself and his truth—the nations that have given them power unto the heart, that God may enlighten them and restrain their persecuting spirit—the poor persecuted ones in Italy and other popish countries, that God may preserve them and enable them by their constancy to give evidence of the holiness and the heavenly origin of their faith—the man of sin and all his abomination, that the Lord, according to his promise, may speedily consume him by the uprightness of his coming—and many other things which will occur to the thinking christian mind. I would entreat all christian communities to follow the example of their brethren at home—and at least every individual christian in his privacy when breathing with God the father of mercies to remember the praying brethren of England and to implore that their prayers may be heard and answered that his glory may be promoted, the cause of Christ advanced, and every effort of the disciples of the Man of Sin rendered unavailing.

YOURS, &c.
A DISCERNER OF THE TIMES.

☞ NOTICE.—The usual collection for the Poor will be taken in Saint Andrew's Church in this City on Sabbath first, the 2d January.

Married.

On Tuesday the 28th inst., at Carleton, by the Rev. P. Coster, Rector, Mr. Thomas Alexander McMackin, of Portland, to Margaret Ann, daughter of the late Mr. Ira Mosher.

On Wednesday evening, by the Rev. R. Knight, Wesleyan Minister, Mr. Isaac G. Stevens, of Indiantown, to Catherine, M., second daughter of the late Benjamin Cole, of Westfield, King's County.

At Sheffield, on the 25th, Nov., by the Rev. William Smithson, Mr. Asa Upton, to Miss Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. John Simmons.

At Little River, Sheffield, on the 2d inst., by the same, Mr. Densamore, to Miss Caroline Tapley.

At Fredericton, on Thursday the 23d inst., by the Rev. John M. Brooke, Private James Jack, 72nd Highlanders, to Miss Mary Kelly, of this City.

At St. Luke's Church, Halifax, on Wednesday, the 15th inst., by the Venerable the Archidecon, James Somerville Little, Esq., Surgeon, Royal Artillery, to Ellen, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Porter, of Alpington, Exeter, Devon, late president of King's College, Nova Scotia.

At New Boston, New Hampshire, 3d ult. Mr. W. George Herrington, Printer, formerly of this city, to R. A. Lamson, daughter of James Lewis, Esquire.

Died.

On Thursday last, in the forty-fourth year of her age, Mary Ann, wife of Mr. James Parkes, Engineer.

On Sunday evening, Elizabeth, relict of the late Nathaniel B. Wiswell, aged 74 years, a native of Onslow, N. S.

In Portland, on Thursday morning Mr. James Horsfield, aged 79 years.

In Portland, last evening, aged 58 years, Eilen, widow of the late James Loyd. Funeral from her late residence, Straight Shore, at half past 3 o'clock.

Marine List.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN—ARRIVED.

Friday—Barque Cecelia, Cann, Yarmouth, 2—C. McLauchlan, ballast.

Schr. David Campbell, Appleby, New York, 10—C. M. Gove, corn.

Brigt. Neal Dow, Mason, New York, 6—Geo. A. Lockhart, general cargo.

Native, Gesner, Halifax, 20—John McGrath, gen. cargo.

Sunday—Barque Evadne, Smith, New York, 7—R. Rankin & Co., ballast.

Tuesday—Schr. Harriet Newell, Coombs, Halifax, 6—G. & J. Salter, gen. cargo.

Wednesday—Schr. Relief, Hull, Alexandria, 20—J. & R. Reed, wheat.

CLEARED.

23d—Brig Clifton, Armstrong, Glasgow, deals.

24th—Barque Cathcart, Bell, Liverpool, timber, deals, &c.; brig Daring, Bingay, Barbadoes boards, shingles, &c.; schr. Coral Purdy, Boston, iron, lumber, &c.; schr. Cuba, Brannen, Portland, boards and laths.

27th—Brigt. Victor, Kinney, Matanzas, sugar-box-shooks; Richard Cobden, Perry, Porto Rico, boards and shingles.

28th—Ship Saracen, Potts, Liverpool, timber and deals; Barque Majestic, Trask Belfast, do; Brig Turks Head, Crowell, Irvine, deals.

The British Steamer Montaineer, 70 days from Liverpool, for St. John, N. B., in ballast, put into Nassau on 5th inst., in distress, in consequence of a derangement of her machinery.

Brigt. Dandy Jim, Vickers, 10 days from Montreal, for this port, put into Halifax on the 20th inst., leaky.

The barque Perseverance, Stephenson, from Liverpool, for this port, put into Queenstown on the 20th ult., with loss of rudder.

DISASTERS.—The Brigt. Frances Corning, master, from St. John for Cuba, with an assorted cargo, parted chains and drove ashore on Crawley's Island, Jebogue, near [illegible] Keel gone and bilged. [illegible] of cargo saved—vessel [illegible] *rald*, Dec. 16th.

The brigt. Orion, [illegible] Turks Island, for Bost[illegible] Kew on the 23d ult.—[illegible] ed in Boston.

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A QUARTERLY ME[illegible] *Society* will be held [illegible] on Monday evening [illegible] o'clock. By order of [illegible] Dec. 31. J. [illegible]

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The brigt. Orion, Furnas, of St. John, from Turks Island, for Boston, was totally lost at Salt Key on the 23d ult.—Her cargo of salt was insured in Boston.

Arrived at Surinam, Nov. 18th, brig Vixen, Moore, hence.—At Matanzas, 29th brig Iola, Spates, do.—At Alexandria, Dec. 11th, schr. Joseph-

bright, Hiram, Fitzgerald, St. John.—At New York, 19th, brig Hudson, Aylward, Sydney, C.B.; 22d, brigt, Village Belle, Campbell, hence.—At Charleston, 22d, ship Cambria, from Liverpool.

Cleared at Mobile, Dec, 15th, ship Kitty Cordes, Hannah, Liverpool.—At Baltimore, 12th, brigt. Syria, for this port.

Arrivals in Britain from St. John,—Nov. 27th, brig Henry Holland, Grant, at Greenock; Harlequin, Brown, at Hull; 28th, ship Alfred, Delaney, at Liverpool; 29th, Calypso, Abelsted, at London; 30th, Ann Kinney, at Waterford; Dec. 3d, Martha, at Liverpool, Nov. 29th, brig Village Belle, Corbitt, Londonderry, N. S.; Dec. 2d, ship Sea, from St. Stephen.—At Gloucester, Dec. 2d, barque Prince of Wales, Brown Quebec.

Sailed from Leith, Nov. 26th, the Alpha, Hoar, American, for New Orleans.—From Liverpool, 3d Dec., ship Admiral, Crisp, do.

Liverpool Dec. 2.—The Standard, Crosby, from St. Stephens, on the 24th Nov., fell in with the brig Three Sisters, of Dumfries, from Buctouche, for Belfast, dismasted and water-logged—took off the crew.

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a Mosher.

ening, by the Rev. R. Knight,
Mr. Isaac G. Stevens, of
herine, M., second daughter
Cole, of Westfield, King's

the 25th, Nov., by the Rev.
Mr. Asa Upton, to Miss Mary,
r. John Simmons,
Sheffield, on the 2d inst., by
amore, to Miss Caroline Tap-

Thursday the 23d inst., by
Brooke, Private James Jack,
to Miss Mary Kelly, of this

rch, Halifax, on Wednesday,
e Venerable the Archidecon,
ittie, Esq., Surgeon, Royal
daughter of the Rev. Dr. Por-
ector, Devon, late president of
Scotia.
New Hampshire, 3d ult, Mr.
ton, Printer, formerly of this
on, daughter of James Lewis,

Died.

, in the forty-fourth year of
, wife of Mr. James Parkes,

g, Elizabeth, relict of the late
ell, aged 74 years, a native of

Thursday morning Mr. James
years,
evening, aged 53 years, Ellen,
ames Loyd. Funeral from her
ht Shore, at half past 3 o'clock.

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AINT JOHN—ARRIVED.
ochin, Cann, Yarmouth, 2—C.
ast.
ell, Appleby, New York, 10—

Mason, New York, 6—Geo. A.
cargo.
lifax, 20—John McGrath, gen.

adno, Smith, New York, 7—R.
llast.
riet Nevell, Coombs, Halifax,
, gen. cargo.
relief, Hull, Alexandria, 20—J.
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CLEARED.
, Armstrong, Glasgow, deals.
theart, Bell, Liverpool, timber,
ing, Bingay, Barbadoes boards,
. Corni Purdy, Boston, iron,
r. Cuba, Brannen, Portland,

tor, Kinney, Matanzas, sugar-
rd Cobden, Perry, Porto Rico,

een, Potts, Liverpool, timber
e Majestic, Trask Belfast, do;
Crowell, Irvine, deals.

mer Mountaineer, 70 days from
John, N. B., in ballast, put into
st., in distress, in consequence of
her machinery.
, Wilson, 8 days from Boston,
er, put into Halifax on the 20th

reverance, Stephenson, from
port, put into Queenstown on
loss of rudder.
, Brigt. Francis, Corning, mas-
for Cuba, with an assorted car-
and drove ashore on Crawley's

Saint George's Society.

A QUARTERLY MEETING of *Saint George's Society* will be held at the Saint John Hotel, on Monday evening next, the 3rd proximo, at 8 o'clock. By order of the President.
Dec. 31. T. E. G. TISDALE, *Secretary.*

DOG LOST,

ABOUT six weeks ago, at Sand Point, a small white and black DOG—long hair—answers to the name of "*Spring.*" Whoever will return him to Mr. GLASGOW, Sand Point, shall be rewarded for their trouble. Dec. 31.

PORTER! PORTER!

The Subscriber has received—
25 BLS. Dublin PORTER, 3 doz. each, "Guinness's best"—for Sale by
ROBERT ARMSTRONG,
Dec. 31, 1852. No. 7, Dock Street.

OATMEAL! OATMEAL!

The Subscriber has received:
25 BLS. OATMEAL, "fresh ground."
10 hds. CIDER, superior quality.
For sale by,
ROBERT ARMSTRONG.
Dec. 31, 1852. No. 7, Dock Street.

Gas Light Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Stockholders of the St. John Gas Light Company, will be held within the Office Carmarthen-street, on WEDNESDAY the 5th day of January, 1853, at Twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of considering the propriety or applying to the Legislature for an amendment of the Charter of the Company, by authorizing an addition to the Stock of £5000, with a view to the extensive of the works.
By order of the Board of Directors.
ROBERT BRITAIN, *Secretary.*
St. John, December 24, 1852.

GO TO GARRETT'S,
KING AND CROSS STREETS,
IF YOU WANT A GOOD
TOP COAT!
The Assortment is there this Winter.

WINDOW GLASS, AND ALLSOP'S BITTER *ALE,*
10,000 FEET of Crown Window GLASS—7x9, 8x10, 10x11, 12x14, 12x18, 22x30, 20x28, 14x24.
30 Casks Allsop's (Burten-upon-Trent) Bitter ALE, to be sold low for cash. S. COOPER,
Dec. 18. Dock-street.

SOUTH BAY BOOM COMPANY.—PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Stockholders of the SOUTH BAY BOOM COMPANY will be held at the Office of the President on TUESDAY, the 18th day of January next, at eleven o'clock, A. M.
A. McL. SEELY,
St. John, Dec. 25, 1852. PRESIDENT.

NEW BOOKS.

Received per *Admiral*—
GODEY'S LADIES' BOOK for JANUARY;
GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE for do;
BLACKWOOD'S do. for DECEMBER;
A Life of Vicissitudes, by G. P. R. James;
Mansfield's Life of Gen. Scott, beautifully illustrated;
Hawthorne's Life of Gen. Pierce, with Portrait;
Napoleon and his Marshals, octavo edition, with splendid illustrations;
Select British Eloquence, by Chauncy A. Goodrich, D. D.;
Gems from Table-Land, by Wm. Oland Bourne;
History of Romlus, by Jacob Abbot;
Mercantile Morals, by W. H. Van Doren;
The Orations of Thomas Francis Meagher;
First Impressions of England and its People, by Hugh Miller;
Scenes and Legends of Scotland, and Old Red Sand Stone, by Hugh Miller;
Footprints of the Creator, or Asterolepis of Stromness, by Hugh Miller;
Peterson's Magazine for December;
Monthly Waverly Magazine for October;
London Quarterly Review do;
No. 120. Dickens' Household Words;
The Petrel, by Sir Admiral Fisher, (new edition);
To-Diamonion by Traverse Oldfield;
A further supply of the Bivouc, by W. H. Maxwell. ☞ Late American Papers. ☜
December 24. B. O'BRIEN.

GREAT SELLING OFF.

THE EXECUTORS INTEND TO
CLOSE THE BUSINESS
Of the late SAMUEL COOPER, and WILL dispose of the WHOLE STOCK of the above Goods at
COST PRICE.
☞ Wholesale Purchasers will be supplied with GOODS at VERY LOW RATES.
Dock Street, St. John, Dec. 11, 1852.

FISHERY DRAFT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscribers, Directors of the Fishery on the Eastern side of the Harbour, will commence taking in the Names of Freemen and others entitled to a Draft, on MONDAY the third day of January next, at the City Court Room in the Court House. The Books will be kept open daily between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., until Saturday the 8th day of January, on which day they will be kept open until six o'clock, P. M., after which

of January. ROBERT McKELVEY,
B. COXETTER,
JAMES STOCKFORD,
St. John, Dec. 24, 1852. *Directors.*

FISHERY DRAFT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscribers, Directors of the Fishery on the Western side of the Harbour, will commence taking in the names of Freemen and others entitled to a Draft, on MONDAY the 3d day of January next, at the Store of John C. Littlehale, Esq., in Carleton. The Books will be kept open daily between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and four P. M., until SATURDAY the 8th day of January, on which day they will be kept open until six o'clock, P. M., after which time no names will be received.
The Draft will take place on MONDAY the 17th of January. JOSEPH STACKHOUSE,
EDWARD TOOLE,
Carleton 24th Dec., 1852. *Directors.*

TO ENGINEERS.

WANTED for the Steam Ferry Boats a competent Engineer, to take charge on the first January next. Applications to be made in writing and left at the Mayor's Office. Salary £150 per annum.

W. O. SMITH,
J. W. CUDLIP,
J. JOHNSTON,
G. VANHORNE,
J. C. LITTLEHALE,
J. BEATTEY,
J. S. BALLENTINE,
G. V. NOWLIN,
T. McAVITY,
} Com. of Ferries.
Dec. 24. 21.

Corporation Contract.

TENDERS will be received until TUESDAY the 28th instant, for the erection of a TOLL HOUSE at the Ferry Landing, on the Eastern side of the Harbour, agreeably to a plan and specification to be seen at the Mayor's Office.

W. O. SMITH,
J. W. CUDLIP,
J. JOHNSON
G. VANHORNE,
J. C. LITTLEHALE,
J. BEATTEY,
J. S. BALLENTINE,
G. V. NOWLIN,
T. McAVITY,
} Committee.
Dec. 24.

CAMEL'S HAIR TOP COATS.—The above Coats are generally BLACK, with linings of Black Lustre Cloth, better than Silk, quilted, wadded, &c. They are considered by far the best looking, for a low-priced garment, of any material hitherto introduced for Winter wear. They are not expensive—they only cost from 50s. to 60s. J. GARRETT & CO.,
Dec. 24. King and Cross-streets.

WOLF SKIN TOP COATS.—Those Gray and Black Warm Winter OVERCOATS were first introduced by us last winter. We recommended them to our customers as a superior coat for riding or driving, and we find they are highly approved of by all who gave them a trial.
We have a few of them just finished in a very superior manner, namely, braided with wide braid, blue and scarlet linings, large buttons, &c. They only cost from 40s. to 50s. each.
N. B.—Inquire for the Dog Coat finished to represent fur. J. GARRETT & CO.,
Dec. 24. King and Cross-streets.

DRAB TOP COATS.—The above Coats are extra made, over-laid, double stitched seams, Alpaca linings, and interlined and quilted in diamonds, with cloth under the wadding, the outside heavy Devonshire kersey.
J. GARRETT & CO.
Dec. 24. King and Cross-streets.

NEW MATERIAL FOR WINTER VESTS.—We have just introduced a new material for Vests, never made up for that purpose. They look well—colours are generally blue, drab, or black. They keep the chest as warm as if they were fur-lined. ☞ Call and see them.
J. GARRETT & CO.,
Dec. 24. King and Cross-streets.

DOUBLE MILLED PANTALOON STUFFS.—Gents in want of a very superior pair of Pantaloons, which the cold cannot penetrate, can have them made to measure or otherwise.
J. GARRETT & CO.
Dec. 24. King and Cross-streets.

OYSTERS.—A Choice lot of excellent OYSTERS—best lot in the market. Just received. Also—DINNERS, SUPPERS, Lunches, Hot Coffee, &c. served up as usual at the OYSTER SALOON, Water street.
December 17. JAMES KINNY.

MOCK TURTLE SOUP.

MAY be had at the *HIBERNIAN HOTEL*, on Monday 20th, and every day through the week; which together with Choice LIQUORS, a good selection of PASTRY, and plenty of POULTRY on hand at a call, is well worthy of the attention of the Public. JAMES NETHERY.
Dec. 17. Times Nbk. Obs.

Notice to Persons Requiring Domestic Servants.

GOVERNMENT EMIGRATION OFFICE,
St. John, N. B., 19th Nov., 1852.
A COMMUNICATION having been received from Lord Controlmay, stating that there are in the Central London and North Surrey District Schools, a number of Children of both sexes, qualified, and many of them candidates, for emigration—It is requested, that persons in all parts of this Province, who may desire to receive Children from 12 to 16 years of age, about May next, will give notice to the undersigned before the 20th December, by letter prepaid, stating the numbers, age, and sex of such children as they may desire, and the nature of the employment for which they are required, in order that suitable arrangements may be made for the emigration to this Province of a sufficient number of those Children next season.
M. H. PERLEY,
H. M. Emigration Officer.

HOURLY EXPECTED.—100 MATTS OF CASSIA—for sale cheap in lots on arrival ALSO:
On hand for Sale,
60 cases Men's Womens, and Childrens best quality INDIA RUBBER SHOES.
Dec. 17. JOHN KINNEAR,
Prince William Street.

EVENING SCHOOL.—The Subscriber hereby informs his Friends and the public generally, that he will open an Evening Class in his School Room, nearly opposite the Baptist Chapel, Brussel Street, on the first of November next, for the Instruction of Adults in the different branches of an English Education. Hours from 7 to 10 P. M. Terms very moderate. Persons wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity, will please to enter their names before the above date.
Also, a few pupils of either sex can be admitted to his Day School on moderate terms. Early application is necessary, as the number will be limited.
Oct. 8. GEORGE M'CONNELL.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having legal demands against the estate of the late DUNCAN FARRIS, of Waterborough, Queens County, deceased, are requested to hand in their Claims, within three months from this date, duly attested; and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment to JOHN FARRIS.
Queen's County, Oct. 22, 1852. *Administrator.*

CONFECTIONARY.

THE Subscriber has recently received:—100 lb. Boxes Peppermint, Lemon, Wintergreen, Cayenne, Cinnimon, Rose, and Liquorice LOZENGES, and will sell them by the Package, below the usual market price.
Dec. 10, 1852. S. L. TILLEY.

OVER COATS,
Immense Stock of Over Coats, &c.
AT GRANITE HALL,
No. 1, DOCK STREET.

20s. to 30s. for a HEAVY CANADA **COAT**;
16s. to 30s. for a HEAVY **PILOT COAT**;
40s. to 50s. for a FANCY DIT. BEAVER
30s. to 45s. for a superior **BEAVER COAT**;
25s. to 30s. for a WOLF OR BEAR SKIN COAT;
12s. 6d to 25s. for a **BOY'S OVER COAT**,
20s to 40s for a SUPERIOR BLACK SACK COAT;
33s to 50s for a DRESS OR FROCK COAT;
12s. 6d. to 30s. for a Superior REEFING JACKET;
12s. 6d. to 25s. for a Pair of Heavy Black **CASSIMERE PANTS**;
10s. to 20s. for a Pair of **FANCY CASSIMERE PANTS.**
october 29. **THOMAS H. JONES.**

Ladies' Attention!

The Proprietor of the FANCY ARCADE, corner of King and Cross-streets, St. John, N. B., has opened *the best selection of*
GOLD JEWELLERY, in Finger Rings, Lockets, Cuff Pins, Brooches, Earings, Ladies' Fob Chains, Hair Pins, Slides, Head Ornaments, Gold Pencil Cases and Thimbles, &c.
Also, the richest assortment of FANS, in Turkish, Chinese, French and English; Bugle, Pearl and other Fancy Wreaths, for ornamenting the hair, together with the largest variety of Goods suitable for Christmas and New Year ever seen in one establishment in New-Brunswick before—suffice for all.
N. B.—Parties anxious to have a choice, had better make an early call.
☞ 500 assorted Ladies' Bracelets just received
Dec. 4. usual p., 1mo. J. CROUCH.

HAT & CAP STORE.
King-street, a few Doors below St. John Hotel.
EVERY VARIETY QUALITY AND PRICE.

A. MAGEE would respectfully inform the Public that he has received from Great Britain and the United States a superior assortment of Fur, Plush, Silettee and Cloth CAPS of the latest Fall and Winter Fashions, which he will be able to sell at much less than the usual prices.
Also on hand and constantly Making up, HATS & CAPS of his own manufacture, which he feels confident are equal to anything produced in this province, and superior to imported articles, which are disposed at much higher prices.
☞ Gentlemen leaving their orders will be attended to with punctuality, neatness and despatch.
☞ Cash, and the Highest, Prices paid for FURS. Nov. 19.

Buffalo Robes, Fur Caps, &c.

C. D. EVERITT & SON have just received per *Admiral*, a lot of BUFFALO SKINS, Dressed OTTER SKINS, FUR CAPS, Oiled Silk, and Trimmings.
Also—from Great Britain—Fur, Plush, Sealette, Glengary and Cloth CAPS.
On hand—Our own manufacture, and constantly making up;—Satin, Fur, Rossuth, Rustic, and Glazed *HATS*; Broad Cloth, Whitney Cloth, Hungarian, Plush, Silk, and Glazed Cotton Caps, &c.
All the above will be sold at a small advance.—
Cash on Delivery.
C. D. EVERITT & SON,
12, North side King St., and
East Side Market Square.

STOVES! STOVES!

THE Subscriber is in receipt of upwards of one different New Patterns of STOVES, comprising the most approved sorts, which with his former HEAVY Stock is now being sold at LOWER RATES than ever. Persons wishing to purchase will please call and examine them.
STOVE PIPE, TINWARE, PLOUGH IRONS, FURNACE and OVEN DOORS, *Sand Boilers*, and his usual extensive variety always ready.
☞ Repairs executed at short notice.
THOMAS C. EVERITT.
St. John November. 12. 1852. 2m.

NEW GOODS

Received ex Steamers America and Niagara,
AN excellent variety of Embroidered Dresses, in Coburgs, Australian Cloth and French Merino; Paisley Long and Square, SHAWLS;
Woollen ditto ditto;
Embroidered Muslin Dresses;
Habit Shirts, Chemizettes;
Collars, Maindaim Sleeves;
Insertions, Trimmings and Flowerings.
Also, per *Themis*, from Liverpool—Plain and Printed Cobourgs, Cashmeres, Flannels; Grey White and Printed Cottons, &c. &c.
Nov. 19. SMELLIE & ABERCROMBIE.

More BOOTS AND SHOES.

D. PATERSON has received per the ship *Commodore*, the remainder of his Fall and Winter Supply of BOOTS and SHOES, consting of Ladie's Gent's Misses and Children's Black Cloth BOOTS, Patent and Leather Golashed; Ladies and Gent's Fur bound Carpet and Felt SLIPPERS; Ladies, Misses and Children's Felt BOOTS; Ladies and Misses Patent and Leather SLIPPERS. The whole of the above having been manufactured expressly to his order by one of the best Boot and Shoe Manufactures in Staffordshire, (England.) he offers them with confidence to his customers.
Also, per steamer "Admiral" from Boston—Ladies Lasting BOOTS, patent Golashed; Golashed Gent's Cloth Congress Boots ditto; Boys and Youth's BOOTS and BOOTEES; Ladies and Misses Walking SHOES, Village Ties, &c.—Together with a large assortment of Ladies, Gent's Misses and Children's INDIA RUBBER SHOES.
SIGN OF GOLDEN BOOT,
December 3d. *Foster's Corner, King Street.*

Balls, Quadrille Assemblies, &c.

LADIES may be supplied with requisites for the occasion better than at any other Establishment. Fancy Arcade, corner of King and Cross street. J. CROUCH.
Dec. 3d, 1852.

AUCTION & COMMISSION BUSINESS.

THE Subscriber has rented the Fire Proof Store in Prince William Street, lately in the occupation of Mr. John Leitch, where he will attend to all *Auction, Commission and Brokerage Business* committed to his care.—Trusting from his long acquaintance and strict attention to business to receive a share of the public patronage.
THOMAS RAYMOND.
☞ STORAGE in a frost-proof Cellar for about 1000 Barrels—apply as above.
St. John, Nov. 27, 1852.

INDUCEMENT TO SHINGLES.

30,000 SPRUCE SHINGLES just received by the Subscriber from corresponde's in Nova Scotia are now offered to the public by private sale, at prices which are presumed to suit the contracting praties.
☞ Call and see your humble servant at usual
H. CHISHOLM,
Dec. 3d. 3i 4 St. Stephen's Buildings

Hams! Hams!

JUST Received and for Sale—200 HAMS and SHOULDERS.
EDWARD ALLISON.
Nov. 26. Nelson Street.

HOUSEKEEPERS.

CAN get a good assortment of Looking GLASSES at low prices. Fancy Arcade, Corner King and Cross-streets. J. CROUCH.

APPRENTICE WANTED—An Apprentice will be taken to learn the Printing Business. Apply at the office of this paper. Nov. 5.

ENGENES & LIQUORS.
The Subscriber has received, by recent arrivals the following Goods:—

40 HHDS. 15 qr. casks, fine old Brandy, Hennesey's;
30 hhds. Pale Geneva;
3 puncheons Campbeltion Whisky;
50 bls. London Stout Porter, } Pints and qrts.;
25 „ E. I. Pale Ale, }
23 „ Dublin Porter, Guinness's best;
5 hogsheads } Fine Old Port Wine;
25 qr. casks }
2 hogsheads } Dark and Pale Sherry, very superior;
10 qr. casks }
20 puncheons Alchol; 10 do, Jamaica Rum;
20 baskets Champagne, } superior brands;
10 „ do. pints. }
2 hhds. Refined Loaf Sugar;
4 „ Refined Crushed ditto;
100 chests fine Congo Tea;
150 half chests ditto ditto;
3 cases No. 1 London Starch;
3 casks Pickles and Sauces;
20 kegs superfine Mustard; 20 kegs fine ditto;
4 cases Bottled Mustard, ½ ¼, and 1 lb, bottles;
25 kegs Ground Ginger 5 kegs Ground Cassia;
3 cases Liquorice Juice; 5 bales Wrapping Paper;
25 bbls fine Pot Barley; 5 tierces Rice;
150 boxes Tobacco Pipes; 1 chest Madras Indigo
50 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar; 50 hhds. Molasses;
75 boxes Tobacco, favourite brands;
25 boxes Saleratus; 15 bbls. Beans;
30 bags Java Coffee; 40 bags Laguira Coffee;
15 bags Pimento; 10 bags Black Pepper;
100 boxes } Raisins, new fruit;
50 half boxes }
50 qr. boxes }
10 casks Cooking Raisins, new fruit;
10 casks of Currants new fruit;
10 barrels Oatmeal, fresh ground;
30 barrels Apples, Winter fruit;
100 firkins prime Cumberland Butter,
For Sale by ROBERT ARMSTRONG,
Dec. 17. No. 7, Dock Street.

NOTICE.—All persons having any legal demands against the Estate of Mr. GEORGE HOLMES, late of the Parish of Springfield, and formerly of Studholm, deceased, are hereby required to send in their claims within three months from this date, and all who are indebted to make immediate payment to
CHRISTOPHER WILSON.
GEO. G. HOLMES,
Executors.
Springfield, Beleisle, Oct. 1. 3m. p'd.

FURS.

Received per Steamer—
STONE MARTIN Boas, Queens, and Muffs;
Fitch do. do. do.
Siberian Grey Squirrel do. do do.
Sable do. do do.
Cuffs to match—For sale Cheap.
LOCKHART & CO.,
Nov. 12, 1852. 4i 17, *King Street.*

Soap and Candles.

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE
Union-street, St. John.

JOHN BROWN begs to inform his numerous and daily increasing customers, and the Trade generally, that he is now prepared to supply them with the above articles.
Inferior to none Manufactured.
☞ All orders left at the Stores of Mr. JAMES McFARLANE, Messrs. FLEWWELING and READISO, Prince William Street, or the Factory in Union Street, will be punctually attended to.
JOHN BROWN.
St. John, June 18.

CHEAP ROOM PAPER.

THE Subscriber informs his country friends and others who wish to make their rooms comfortable for the winter, at a very cheap rate, that he has just received another lot of handsome Room Papers, which he is now selling at Five Pence, Six Pence and Seven Pence a Piece. Call and see. S. K. FOSTER.
Dec. 4. 2i

Black's Hardware Store,
No. 5, NORTH MARKET WHARF.

Landing ex Commodore—
1 BALE IRON WIRE, ass'd Nos.;
1 cask Centre BITTS; Horne's Patent T H H strap, Table, and Chest HINGES, all sizes; Bed Keys, &c., &c.;
1 cask BRASS GOODS, cont'g Stair Rods and Stair Eyes, Roller Furniture, Plate and Locket Castors, Rack Pulleys, Cabin Door Hook, Pillar and Chamber Candlesticks, Butter-Tryers, Counter Balances, Saw Sets, &c., &c.;
1 basket Blacksmith's VICES;
6 *ANVILS*, warranted;
10 doz. long handled FRYINGPANS;
1 cask Curled Hair, casks Close Link'd. Chain, from 3 16 to 9-16 inch;
50 bags Rose and Clasp NAILS, 6'dy. to 4'dy;
15 casks best Horse and Ox NAILS, 5'dy, to 10'dy;
10 bags best Countersunk Clout Nails from 1 in. to 3 1-2 in; 1 basket Shoe Sandscones;
1 cask containing Boxwood Rules, Coal Scoops and Hods, Ship Scrapers, Trout Hooks, Carriers' Knives, Japanned Cash Boxes, Sewing and Pegging Awls, Chalk Lines, Snaffle Bits, Ink Powders, Black Bands, &c. &c.;
1 cask containing self-boring Screws, from ½ to 3 inch; Japanned Pew Hinges, Coat Butts, Iron Squares, SKATES; Rim, Closet, Cupboard, Chest Trunk, Till, and Pad LOCKS;
20 dozen SHOVELS—Iron and Steel;
2 cases containing Tea Kettles, Sauce Pans, Wash Basins, Glue Pots, &c.
1 cask Iron Weights, from 7 lb. to 56 lbs., and sets Weight, from 2 lbs down to ½ oz.;
A further supply expected daily, per *Olive.*
—IN STOCK—
50 chests Fine Congou TEA; bales COTTON WARPS; casks Copperas Alum, Epsom Salts, Glue, Lamp Black, Sulphur, Brimstone, Cream Tartar, Saltpetre;
Kegs Button Blue, Ginger, Red and Yellow Ochres, &c. &c.;
LOCKS, HINGES, Screws, and all Small Wares, in general variety;
Hoop Iron, and C O N D Blister STEEL, Spring Steel; German, Shear, and best Axe tempered CAST STEEL;
CUTLERY.—A large variety in Pocket and Table Wares, and Scissors;
SAWS—Mill, from 5½ to 7 feet; Pit, Cross Cut, and Hand, Tenor, Panel, Web and Compass Saws;
HOLLOW WARE, PAINTS & OILS, VARNISH, &c.,—For sale Cheap, for Cash or approved payments, by JAMES N. C. BLACK.
November 19, 1851.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

THE Subscriber is now opening out a large assortment of English and German TOYS, and Fancy Articles, suitable for *Christmas Presents*, and *New Years Gifts.*
Dec. 10. WILLIAM MAJOR.
TOYS, AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
(*Curier.*)

A. PASS,

BARBER, FASHIONABLE HAIR CUTTER, PERFUMER *AND DEALER IN TOYS, &c. &c.,*
Prince William Street,
HAS Received by late arrivals, a very extensive and varied assortment of
ENGLISH, GERMAN, & AMERICAN TOYS, PERFUMERY, &c. &c.,
Selected expressly for the *Christmas Season*, all of which are now ready for inspection, and on sale at lowest possible prices, for cash only.
St. John, Dec. 10, 1852.

Just arrived.

350 POUNDS boneless BACON, 350 lbs. HAMS, cured with sugar, Nova Scotian; 30 bushels BEANS; 50 bls Growing APPLES, a good article for shipping, 600 pounds CHEESE; 15 tubs BUTTER
Dec. 3d 1852. G. M. BURNS.

SHOULDER BRACES.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by
August 27. FELLOWS & CO.

GREAT.
CLEARANCE SALE!!

VICTORIA HOUSE,
PRINCE WILLIAM STREET,
AND
BRITISH HOUSE,
KING STREET.

THE Subscriber intending to make EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS, in the VICTORIA HOUSE, and to make room for Very Large SPRING IMPORTATIONS!!—Will commence on
Monday, 13th December,
to CLEAR OFF at and under FIRST COST!
the entire STOCK of
The "Victoria House" and "British House,"
comprising the LARGEST, CHEAPEST, and most Varied STOCK ever offered for sale in Saint John!!—And as the Goods are QUITE FRESH having been received by Last FALL Ships, as well as by EVERY British Steamer once a fortnight, from their Buyer resident in England—the Public can with confidence rely on getting good NEW GOODS AT AN EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES!! at the
VICTORIA HOUSE,
Prince William Street.
and BRITISH HOUSE,
King Street.
J. DOHERTY & CO.,
St. John, 17th Dec., 1852.

Presents! Presents!!
FOR
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR!
OF THE
Richest and most superb description in the shape of
Daugorreotype Likenesses,
in the most Elegant and Costly
Cases, Gold Lockets, Rings, &c.

THOMAS H. ELLISON, DAGUERREOTYPIST, having lately received from the United States a splendid assortment of CASES, GOLD LOCKETS, RINGS, *Likenesses*, begs leave to call the attention of the Public to his Rooms, where the stock can be inspected.—Having come to the determination to sell at a small advance over cost prices, he solicits all persons who feel disposed to furnish their friends with valuable and handsome Keepsakes, to step in an examine his extensive Stock.
Likenesses will be taken and put in Cases, Lockets, Rings, &c., at the lowest charge, and perfect satisfaction warranted.
☞ Remember Ellison's Daugerreotype Rooms South side King-street. 1i Dec. 17.

Cheap HAT, CAP and FUR STORE.
Number Seventeen, King-street.
NEW GOODS opened by the Full Ships, from Great Britain, France and the U. S.

FUR GOODS.—Ladies' Muffs, Boas, Victorines, Queen's Gauntlets, Cuffs and Muffs, in French Sable, Stone Martin, Fitch, Siberian Squirrel, Polish and British Sable, Miniver, Ermine and Silver Minx.
Gents' FUR CAPS, in Beaver, Otter, Mink, South Sea Seal, Mitria, Astracan and Hair Seal—newest patterns.
Gents' FUR GLOVES and GAUNTLETS, very cheap.
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P. NEILL,

HAS received from Great Britain and United States extensive Stock of his FALL AND WINTER IMPORTATIONS of the West of England Fine and Superfine BROAD CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, DOESKINS and Tweeds, Beaver and

style;
Large Stock of English and French SATIN VESTINGS, Plain and Figured, beautiful article and choicest patterns which will be made to measure on the most reasonable terms.
600 Beaver, Pilot, Bear Skin, Petersham, Whitney Cloth, and Satinett OVER COATS, from 20s. to 50s., made in the Establishment;
600 SHOOTING COATS, Plaid and Plain, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Doeskins, and Sattinetts, from 15s. to 30s., cut and made by the best workmen;
2000 Pairs PANTS, in Cassimere, Tweeds, Beaver, Satinetts, &c., from 8s. to 25s.;
VESTS in endless variety, from 3s. 9d. to 17s. 6d.
400 BEAVER and Pilot Cloth REEFING JACKETS, heavy lined, from 12s 6d. to 25s.;
400 Boys' TOP and OVER COATS, from 10s. and upwards—make in the neatest styles;
10 Cases of Silk and Satin HATS, Russia Hats in Black and Drab, from 5s.
10 Cases of Men's and Boys' Fur, Cloth and Tweed CAPS;
SEAMEN'S CLOTHES and OUTFITS, selling of very cheap;
Gent's White SHIRTS, with Linen Bressts;
Fancy Regatta and heavy Striped Shirts;
Red, Blue and White FLANNEL SHIRTS and DRAWERS;
Large Stock of HOSIERY;
Fur, Cassimere and Lambs Wool GLOVES;
Goodyear's best India Rubber COATS, Jackets, Leggins, Knapsacks, Souwesters, Gloves, &c.
Umbrellas, Travelling Bags, Trunks & Valises; Silk and Satin Neck Ties, Scarfs, Stocks; Silk, Cotton, Worsted and Cotton Hdkfs;
Tailors' Trimmings, and every other article connected with the trade.

☞ First rate Cutter in this Establishment.—Gentlemen selecting their Cloths can have them made with quick despatch, and executed by the best workmen.

This far famed and unparalleled Clothing Mart well known as the cheapest and largest in the Province, is selling off the whole Stock of Ready Made Clothing at and under first cost.

☞ WATER STREET, SIGN OF THE ROYAL ARMS, FRONTING ON THE MARKET SQUARE.

Nov. 12. P. NEILL.

ROYAL MAIL STAGE,
BETWEEN
St. John and St. Andrews.
DAILY.

THE subscriber having become contractor for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails between St. JOHN and ST. ANDREWS, begs leave to inform the travelling public, that he has provided himself with first rate teams and carriages, for the comfort of passengers, and that careful and attentive drivers will always be found on the route.

Orders left at the subscriber's residence, Great George street, or at the St. John Hotel, will receive due attention.

November 5, 1852. W. H. WILLIAMS.

THE CHURCHMAN'S PENNY MAGAZINE and Guide to Christian Truth.—Back numbers for September, October, November, and December 1851; also, for January, March, April, May, June, August, September, and October, 1852, can be had at three half-pence each, on application to
JOHN KINNEAR,
Prince William Street

Nov. 19.

Cheap Clothing, Cloths, &c., &c.
AT THE
North American Clothing STORE,
4th side of King Street.

S. HUNTER,

HAS received per late arrivals from GREAT BRITAIN and the UNITED STATES, his FALL IMPORTATIONS, which, with the Stock previously on hand, comprises a most extensive, varied and general assortment of CLOTHING CLOTHS, &c., and as his present object is *not to make money* but to dispose of his entire Stock of Goods during the Fall and Winter, he therefore offers them by WHOLESALE and RETAIL at a sacrifice, and most positively at a great reduction from what articles of the same description and quality can be had at any other Establishment in the Province.

The Stock consists of
Superfine BROAD CLOTHS, Pilot and Beaver CLOTHS, Petersharns, Witney CLOTHS, with all the new materials now in use for Winter Coats; Cassimeres, Doeskins, Kerseys, Tweeds, Sattinetts, Moleskins, Canada Cloths, &c., &c.; VESTINGS, in a great variety.

CLOTHING.
A large assortment of COATS, of various styles, such as Dress, Frock, Glentyon, Paletot, Sack and Shooting Coats, &c., &c., in Superfine Broad Cloth, of various shades, Doeskins, Cassimeres, Satinett, Tweed, &c. Vests, in such a variety of materials renders it too tedious to enumerate. PANTS, Black Cassimeres, Doeskin, Tweeds, Satinett, Mole skin, &c. REEFING JACKETS, in Pilot and Beaver Cloths, Goodyear's Patent India Rubber COATS, CAPES, and Leggins.

Furnishing Department:
Gent's White SHIRTS, Fancy Regatta do., Linen, Wool and Flannel Shirts and DRAWERS, Merino and Cotton do., White and Fancy Shirt Fronts and Collars, Muffs, Handkerchiefs, Silk and Satin Neck and Pocket Handkerchiefs, Satin Scarfs and Stocks, Knitted and Shaded Wool Comforters, Snow Stockings, Braces, Gloves, Umbrellas, Carpet Bags, Felt Hats, &c., &c.

E. B. having engaged the service of Mr. J. McNicoll, as Cutter in his Establishment, whose long experience in business in this City, and generally acknowledged abilities, renders it quite unnecessary to say anything further than that those who wish prefer leaving their orders can depend upon having their garments made up in the most fashionable style, and by the best Workmen.

☞ No second Price. All Goods marked in plain figures.

October 29, 1852. S. K. HUNTER.

HOSIERY, &c.

MR. FOSTER has just received per Steamer from Liverpool—
Children's Cotton and Worsted Highland Socks,
Do Turkish Socks and Stockings;
Do White and Grey Merino SOCKS;
Do White and Grey Lambs' Wool SOCKS;
Do Fancy, Plain and self Colored GLOVES;
Infants Fancy SOCKS, in great variety;
Misses White and Grey Merino Stockings;
Do Plain and Colored Cotton, do.
Women's Black, White & Grey Merino Stockings,
Do Black Cashmere do.;
Do Black Worsted do.;
Do White and Colored Cotton do.;
Women's, Girls, and Children's Patent Elastic GARTERS, in great variety;
For sale Wholesale and Retail.

October 29. S. K. FOSTER.

GEO. HUTCHINSON, Jun.,

HAS just received per ship "*Olice*" from Liverpool—An assortment of English WATCHES, JEWELLERY, &c., superior articles, which will be sold low for prompt payment.

SHIP'S CHRONOMETERS for Sale, Cleaned, Repaired, and carefully Rated.

All kinds of Time Pieces and NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS for Sale and Repaired, at the Old Stand of Wm. Hutchinson, *Coffee House Corner*, St. John, N. B. July 23 1852.

WINDOW GLASS.—In Store—30 000 Feet WINDOW GLASS, following sizes—7x9, 9x11, 9x12 10x14, 11x15, 11x17, 12x16, 13x18, and 21x25.

Oct. 1. S. L. TILLEY.

S. K. FOSTER'S
LADIES' FASHIONABLE SHOE STORE,
Foster's Corner, Granville Street.

India Rubber Shoes.
Received—A very large and general variety of RUBBER SHOES, for Ladies, Gentlemen, Misses and Children. For sale Cheap, Wholesale and Retail.

Oct. 29—2w S. K. FOSTER.

"LOOK HERE!"
Sheffield and Birmingham Warehouse,
STANTON'S BUILDINGS, DOCK STREET,
FIRST STORE,
is where we now receive our Fall and Winter Stock of

E.—Self-tip, Black Tip, and white bone *Knives and Forks*; scale, tang, black tip, white bone stag, and cocoa Knives and Forks; Carving Knives and Forks; table and butchers Steels; Spring Knives, in 1, 2, 3, and 4 blades, in pearl, shell, ivory, stag, buffalo handles; beam, sportsman, and lock Knives; RAZORS—in ivory, black buffalo and clear horn handles, *of Elliot* and other makers; English and American Razor Strops; Scissors, of every description, of various makers: Bread, Butcher, Shoe, and Farriers' Knives; Albata and German Silver Ware, in tea, table, dessert, egg, salt, sugar and mustard Spoons; Toddy and Soup Ladles; Plated Ware, in candlesticks, snuffers and trays; Cruett Stands; Cake Baskets; Nut Crackers, Spoons and Forks; Silver Tea Spoons; Gold Rings, in jewellers', fine, standard, and sterling Gold; Britannia Tea and Coffee Pots; Cream Jugs; Sugar Bowls; Candlesticks; Shaving Boxes; tea, table, and mustard Spoons; Cruett Stands and Ink Stands; Tea Trays; Bread Baskets; Waiters, in gothic and plain pattern; Papier Machie Tea Trays; Portfolio and Work Tables; Block-tin Tea and Coffee Pots; Candlesticks, tall, upright, and chamber; brass Candlestick Snuffers and Trays, polished steel Fire Irons and bronzed Fenders, *Guns, Pistols, Caps*, Nipples, Scythes, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches; Spectacles, Cork Screws, Iron Spoons; cloth, hair, shoe, tooth, and nail Brushes; fine tooth rack, lash, back and side *Combs*; Shaving Boxes and Brushes; Cash Boxes; Hardwood Slates; Railway Companions; Work Boxes.

A large assortment of cheap *Brooches*, Rings Watch Chains, and keys; Pencil Cases, black steel; Broaches; Shawl Pins; Pictures; Beads; Looking Glasses; Fancy Soaps; wooden combs; Eau de Cologne Water; Hair Oil; Thimbles; Purses, slides and tassels; steel Beads; seed Beads; brass, pearl, bone and agate Buttons; Hooks and Eyes; Pins, Needles, Writing Paper, Snuff Boxes; Fiddle Strings; Fancy Pen Holders, with various other articles.

☞ A Stock of Nottingham *LACE* to be sold wholesale only. The above Goods were purchased in England for Cash, by the proprietor.

W. B. NICHOLSON.

A further supply daily expected from England July 29.

THE GREAT REMEDY.
Sharp's Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed,

An never failing cure for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Shortness of Breath, &c.

The extraordinary celebrity which this simple, pleasing, and effectual medicine has attained, may be seen by the following proofs, or certificates, all from persons well known:—

MR. J. G. SHARP.—

Since you appointed me agent for the sale of your valuable Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed, I have been repeatedly informed by those who have used it, that it is without doubt one of the best medicines they have ever had, for the complaints in which it is recommended.

R. D. M'ARTHUR.

To Mr. J. G. Sharp—

SIR,—One of my children has been suffering *for years* under a severe Cough. The usual remedies were applied without effect. Having heard of Mr. J. G. Sharp's "*Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed*." I obtained some, and after the use of about 8 oz., or one vial of this extraordinary mixture, the cure was complete.

J. G. CAMPBELL.

April 23, 1852, City of Saint John.

Mr. J. G. Sharp,

Dear, a few weeks ago, a very bad cold. Being recommended to try *Sharp's Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed*, I got a quarter dollar bottle, and found it not only a pleasant but a most useful and effective medicine. It is pleasing to take, and a first rate cure.

PATRICK DOWER.

April, 23, 1852, City of Saint John.

For the last sixteen years I have suffered from Asthma so bad that I was often obliged to sit up in bed to prevent suffocation. I tried every means, during that time, that the usual or ordinary medicines could produce, but without effect, until I obtained some of *Sharp's Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed*, (which was recommended to me,) and after using two bottles, I found the relief so long sought for.

M. SMITH.

Studholm, Kings County, March, 1852.

Sold in bottles at 1s. 6d and 2s. 6d, each, at the stores of JOHN G. SHARP, King street; R. D. M'ARTHUR, Medical Hall, Kings square, and JOHN CHALONER, King street.

Prospectus of Volume XIII. of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.

THE Eighth Volume of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN commences on the 18th September, and as a great proportion of our readers usually commence their subscriptions at this point, we take occasion to extend them our gratitude for the encouraging and liberal support heretofore bestowed on our humble efforts, and to reassure them of our determination to advance it still higher in the scale of utility, and, if possible, still in their own estimation. We aim at an honorable independence in discussion upon all subjects, and, in some instances no doubt, our readers may have been surprised at our determined opposition to highly lauded discoveries in the Arts and Sciences.

Time tries all things, and it is with some degree of pride that we revert to the efforts made through the columns of the Scientific American, to establish sound views respecting several conspicuous unfavored discoveries. Since the commencement of this Volume, that peerless Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations closed its gorgeous display, affording a delightful episode in the stern page of the world's history. Above and beyond all criticism it has passed away, leaving a world-wide influence, beneficial to every branch of industry, and although not profusely represented by gew-gaws and tinselry—the character of our country shone forth with magnificence in all the elements of substantial utility. Acting under the stimulus suggested by the success of the Great Exhibition, the enterprizing citizens of New York have determined to construct a Crystal Palace of the same dimensions, and as this is likely to become an important feature in our history, we shall endeavor to present our readers with descriptions and illustrations of such novelties as may be deserving attention.

The present form of the Scientific American will be preserved as most suitable for binding and preservation. The paper will be of the best texture, and we shall add to above its pages with practical knowledge in every branch of the Arts and Sciences. Invention claims important attention, as one of the fundamental agencies in the world's advancement; hitherto we hope to have satisfied our readers by our weekly summary of it "Few Inventions" The Weekly List of Patent Claims, officially reported to our establishment, is a distinguishing feature, which must commend itself to every one interested in Patents.

We lend the co-operation of our readers to enable us to publish a journal worthy of their support and patronage for numerous. We have never appealed to them in vain, and the Premiums offered for the largest list of subscribers will, we presume encourage new efforts. All subscriptions are payable in advance. We repeat our usual offer that Travelling Agents, in none are accredited from this office.

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OIL OIL.—500 GALLONS OLIVE OIL, 6 Boxes Fine SALAD OIL, ex "Cuba," from Boston. W. O. SMITH.

SPERMACETI OIL, and SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE.—Now landing, 25 barrels. For sale by
Oct. 22. JOHN KINNEAR.

New-Brunswick Branch OF THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL, £2,000,000 STERLING.

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The Subscriber having been appointed Agent to the above Company for New-Brunswick, begs to announce that he is prepared to receive Proposals for FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE. The large Capital of the Company, and the number and influence of its Proprietors, enable it to rank with the most eligible Offices, either in America or Europe, with respect to the advantages offered to the Public.

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In addition to the more customary methods of Insurance, the Company likewise Assures Live on any of the following contingencies:—

For the term of One Year, Seven Years, or any other definite period.

For the whole continuance of Life.—The Premiums to cease, after a limited number of Annual Payments.

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The Survivorships.—To secure the payment of the sum assured, if a life A die before another life B.

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Premiums on Credit.—A portion of the Premiums may remain on Credit. Assurances may be effected in various ways, not enumerated, to meet the convenience of parties.

The important advantages afforded by the Company in the Life Branch will include the following viz:—

The Guarantee of an ample Capital, and Exemption of the Assured from liability of Partnership.

Moderate Premiums.

Large Participation of Profits by the Assured amounting to Two-thirds of its net amount, which may be applied at the option of the party effecting the Assurance:—1st. By the immediate payment of the sum so apportioned.—2nd. By an equivalent reduction of the future Premiums.—Or, 3rd. By an equivalent increase of the sum assured.

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Prompt Settlement of Claims.

Policies lapsed by non-payment of the Premium may be renewed within three months, by paying the Premium, with a fine of 10s. per cent., on the production of evidence to the satisfaction of the Directors of the good state of health of the life assured.

The Company will always be prepared to Purchase the Policies of this Office at their equitable value or will grant a New Policy in lieu thereof, without any further payment of Premium, for a sum to be agreed on.

Extra Premiums, suitable to special circumstances, will be accepted, where the risk is otherwise eligible.

Policies on the life of another to guard against the possibility of its being vitiated by the life departing beyond limits, or by any other cause.

Thirty Days are allowed for the Payment of Premiums after the day on which they respectively *Additional Advantages offered to Lives Assured with this Company at St. John, N. B.*

I.—RESIDENCE.—Persons assured for the whole term of life will have permission, without the payment of extra Premium, to reside in any part of Europe, or in any place in North America to the north of 38 degrees of North Latitude, but not to the westward of the Mississippi River.

II.—VOYAGES.—They will also, if not sea-faring by profession, be allowed, without any extra charge—

To cross and re-cross the Atlantic Ocean, in steamers or first-class sailing-vessels;

To pass from any part of Europe to any other, or from any part of North America to another, within the limits above specified; also,

To pass to and from, but not to reside in any place which shall not be further south than 33 degrees of North Latitude, but not to the westward of the Mississippi River.

☞ *Office, corner of Prince William street and the Market-square in St. John.*

JAMES J. RAYE, *Agent.*

January 2nd, 1852.—6m.

GLASGOW DYE HOUSE.
King Street, St. John, N. B.

THE Subscribers return their sincere thanks to the Ladies and Gentlemen of this City, and vicinity, for the support they have received, and beg to acquaint them, that they have taken the above Premises for another year, and hope for a continuance of their patronage.

All kinds of SILKS, Woollen, and Cotton Goods Dyed,—Also, Cashmere, and Plaid SHAWLS Cleaned and Pressed, (*coloring reserved*). Ladies' Dresses, Coburgh, and Orleans Dyed without taking them apart; likewise Gentlemen's GARMENTS.

W. & P. would particularly call attention to MOIREE AND DAMASK CURTAINS, which they are prepared to Dye and Finish equal to new.

WESTERMAN & PERRY.

St. John, February 27, 1852.—3f.

DR. PAIGE'S PERPETUAL ELECTROMETERS AND GALVANIC SUPPORTERS.—The Subscriber having been appointed AGENT for the sale of *Paige's Electrometers and Galvanic Supporters*, he is now prepared, having received a general assortment, to supply customers at Boston prices.

Pamphlets, explaining the medical advantages of these Instruments, with directions for their use, furnished gratuitously.

Sept. 10 S. L. TILLEY, Agent.

THOMAS GOW,
TIN PLATE AND SHEET IRON WORKER,
NEAR ANDREWS, BLACKSMITH, BUILDING,
WATER STREET.

HOUSE and SHIP WATER-CLOSETS; Hot Cold, and Shower BATHS; Forcing, Lifting, Common, and Engine PUMPS; SHIPS SCUPPERS, &c. &c.—on the most approved principles LEAD PIPE of all sizes, and SHEET LEAD constantly on hand.

☞ LEAD SPOUTS made to order.

July 2, 1852. THOMAS GOW.

M. B. POWERS, UNDERTAKER, &c.
Fourth Door North Trinity Church, Germain St., ST. JOHN, N. B.

KEEPS constantly on hand, COFFINS of all description which he will furnish at Prices that defy competition.

A Hearse always on hand—Palls, &c. furnished.

P. S.—CABINET FURNITURE, Mattresses, Curtains, Carpets, &c., made to order, on as good terms as any other Establishment in this city.

October 3, 1851

MARSH'S SUPERIOR HORSE OINTMENT.

—The subscribers have recently received from the Proprietor, 4 1-2 Gross of this Celebrated LINIMENT. It is put up in quart bottles of various sizes and prices to suit Customers.

A liberal discount made to the Trade and to Country dealers.

Oct. 15. S. L. TILLEY.

SHARP'S Family Medicines

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
OF INTEREST TO ALL.
Sharp's Celebrated Family Medicines and Preparations.

SHARP'S COMPOUND ALTERATIVE INFUSION OF SARSAPARILLA.—Sarsaparilla has of late years been much used, and with great success, in cases of Chronic Rheumatism, as an alternative in Scrofulous affections, Scurvy, Obstinate, Cutaneous Eruptions, Indolent Ulcers, Diseases of the Periosteum and Bone, attended with obscure pains, wasting the flesh, tenderness of the part, tumors and nodes unconnected with Syphilis, and in that state of the blood known among medical men under the term of *Cachexia*, but which is not easy to define. In such cases Sarsaparilla proves a most valuable remedy, and often effects a cure when all other remedies have long been administered in vain, and when the diseased state of the system has been of many years duration.

This article, prepared by John G. Sharp, has performed numerous and most astonishing cures of persons who have for years been festered with sores from head to feet, and others who have been sent up with Mercurial Rheumatism, which they had been laid up with for 2 or 3 years. Prepared and sold by John G. Sharp, Member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain. N. B.—Dose, a Wine Glass full, three times daily.

SHARP'S BALSAM OF HOARHOUND AND ANISEED, for Coughs, Colds, Shortness of Breath, Asthma, &c.

This excellent medicine has the extraordinary property of immediately relieving Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Difficulty of Breathing, and Huskiness of the Throat. It operates by dissolving the congealed phlegm, and causing free expectoration.

Persons who are troubled with that unpleasant tickling in the Throat which deprives them of rest night after night, by the incessant cough which it provokes, will by taking one dose find immediate relief, and one bottle in most cases will effect a cure. Sold in bottles at 1s. 6d. to 2s. 6d. each.—Prepared by John G. Sharp, member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain, Dock street, St. John, N. B.

Sharp's Tincture of Myrrh and Borax; prepared with Eau de Cologne.

This article is excellent for washing and refreshing the mouth, and alleviating Rheumatic Pains which are often mistaken for the Tooth-ache. It is composed of choice Turkey Myrrh, Camphor, and Eau de Cologne. Prepared by John G. Sharpe Chemist, St. John, N. B. Sold in bottles at 2s. 6d each.

COCOA NUT OIL FOR THE HAIR.

This is one of the best articles ever offered to the public, *for cleaning, strengthening, and promoting* the growth of the Hair. Sold in pots at 1s, 3d, to 2s. 6d. each. Prepared only by J. G. SHARP, Chemist, &c., St. John, New Brunswick.

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This article is of unfailing efficacy for preserving Baldness, for aiding the Growth of the Hair to an extent surpassing belief. Prepared by JOHN G. SHARP, Chemist and Druggist. (Sold in bottles at 2s. 6d. each.)

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To the Ladies.
Sharp's Celebrated Kalydor, for the Complexion

By applying the KALYDOR, copiously, several times a day, and by letting it remain on, it will radically cure all Eruptions, Tetters, Ring Worms, Inflamed Eyes, Burns, Scalds, &c., &c.

Ladies suckling will find it an excellent remedy for allaying inflammation—cooling and refreshing the infant's mouth. It being perfectly innocent, the most delicate lady or child may use it with safety.

GENTLEMEN after shaving by applying the Kalydor and letting it remain on the face, will find it allay the irritation and smarting pain, and render the skin soft and pleasant. Prepared and sold by JOHN G. SHARP, Chemist, Saint John, N. B.

Sold in Bottles at 2s. 6d. each.

Rug Poison.

"The Dead Shot" Rug Poison—To those who are afflicted with these crawling, biting, and bothering tormentors of our nightly rest, the subscriber would humbly recommend this article one thorough application of which will exterminate them forever from your premises. Prepared by John G. Sharp, Chemist. Sold in Bottles at 1s. 3d. to 2s. 6d. each.

Sharp's celebrated vermin and insect EXTERMINATOR! for the destruction of Rats and Mice, Cockroaches, Beetles, Crickets, Bugs, &c., &c.

The "EXTERMINATOR" is designed to supersede the use of Common Poisons, by furnishing a preparation convenient and safe to sell, at the same time attractive to the Vermin.

Directions for using the "Exterminator."—Roll it up in pieces the size of a small marble, and throw it into their holes: or spread it on fresh baked bread, with a thin piece of wood, and cut it into small pieces and distribute it about the places they frequent.

Put up and Sold by the Proprietor, in boxes at 1s. 3d. to 2 6d. each.

☞ None genuine unless signed

JOHN G. SHARP,
Pharmaceutical Chemist.

October 2. St. John, N. B.

SAINT JOHN HOUSE,

No. 22 KING STREET, 30th OCTOBER, 1852.

THE Subscriber informs his numerous friends and customers, that he has received per ship *Doron*, and late steamers, part of his Fall Supply of

WINTER AND FANCY GOODS,

comprising the usual Extent Stock, and making the assortment of this Establishment nearly equal to any in the trade—The following are some of the leading articles, viz:—

Heavy Canada, Beaver, and Broad CLOTHS;
Heavy SATINETTS—newest styles;
Doeskins and Cassimeres, BLANKETS;
FLANNELS, SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS;
Fancy COTTON, BED TICKS, DRILLS;
TOWELLINGS, SHAWLS, Hosiery, Gloves;
Cotton BATTINGS, &c. &c. &c.

ALSO—on *Consignment for Wholesale*—
2 cases GERMAN GOODS, containing of FLUTINGS, ACCORDEONS, Work Boxes, Playing Cards, Razor Strops, Portemonies, Wallets, &c. very cheap.

Nov. 5. JOSEPH LORDLY.

RAISINS SALERATUS, FLORENCE OIL, &c.—By the *Charles*—Just received and for sale—50 boxes Christiana RAISINS.
50 half-boxes Muscatel do.
8 cwt Chamberlains Saleratus.
1 bbl. Florence OIL;
200 doz. Mason's Blacking;
1 bbl. Brunswick Green Paint;
10 small casks Linseed OIL.

JOHN KINNEAR.

Nov. 15. Prince Wm. street.

TEA.

Ex "Isabella" and "Lord Byron:"

22 PUNCHEONS of West India RUM.
For sale by
Nov. 1852. EDWARD ALLISON.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.
CURE OF A DISORDERED LIVER AND BAD DIGESTION.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. R. W. Kirkus, Chemist, 7, Prescot Street, Liverpool, dated 6th June, 1851.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—Your Pills and Ointment have stood the highest on our sale list of Proprietary Medicines for some years. A customer, to whom I can refer for any enquiries, desires me to let you know the particulars of her case. She had been troubled for years with a disordered liver and bad digestion. On the last occasion, however, the virulence of the attack was so alarming, and the inflammation set in so severely, that doubts were entertained of her not being able to bear up under it; fortunately she was induced to try your Pills, and she informs me that after the first, and each succeeding dose, she had great relief. She continued to take them, and although she used only three Boxes, she is now in the enjoyment of perfect health. I could have sent you many more cases, but the above from the *severity of the attack, and the speedy cure*, I think, speaks much in favour of your astonishing Pills. Signed)

R. W. KIRKUS.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF RHEUMATIC FEVER, IN VAN DIEMEN'S LAND.

Copy of a Letter inserted in the Hobart Town Courier, of the 1st March, 1851, by Major J. Walch.

Margaret M'Connigan, nineteen years of age, residing at New Town, had been suffering from a violent rheumatic fever for upwards of two months, which had entirely deprived her of the use of her limbs; during this period she was under the care of the most eminent medical men in Hobart Town, and by them her case was considered hopeless. A friend prevailed upon her to try Holloway's celebrated Pills, which she consented to do and in an incredible short space of time they effected perfect cure.

CURE OF A PAIN AND TIGHTNESS IN THE CHEST AND STOMACH OF A PERSON 84 YEARS OF AGE.

From Messrs. Thew & Son, Proprietors of the Lynn Advertiser, who can vouch for the following statement.—August 2nd, 1851.

To Professor HOLLOWAY.

SIR,—I desire to bear testimony to the good effects of Holloway's Pills. For some years I suffered severely from a pain and tightness in the stomach which was also accompanied by a shortness of breath, that prevented me from walking about. I am 84 years of age, and notwithstanding my advanced state of life, these Pills have so relieved me, that I am desirous that others should be made acquainted with their effects. I am now rendered, by their means, comparatively active, and can take exercise without inconvenience or pain, which I could not do before. (Signed) HENRY COE,

North Street, Lynn, Norfolk.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF THE GRAVEL, AND A MOST DANGEROUS LIVER COMPLAINT.

Copy of a Letter addressed to J. R. Heydon, Esq., Sydney, New South Wales, dated February 25, 1851.

SIR,—A Mr. Thomas Clark, a Settler at Lake George, for a considerable time seriously afflicted with a Complaint of the Liver, together with the Gravel. His medical attendants, after trying all their professional skill, candidly told him that his case was hopeless, and any further efforts useless. In this situation, and when expecting every day would terminate his existence, a friend recommended him to try Holloway's Pills, and as a forlorn hope he did so, the first dose gave him considerable relief, he therefore persevered in taking them according to the directions, and is now restored to perfect health. He will feel great pleasure in confirming this statement, or even make an affidavit to the same effect, should he be required. (Signed) WILLIAM HAYDON,

Proprietor of the Goulburn Herald, New South Wales.

WONDERFUL EFFICACY OF HOLLOWAY'S PILLS IN CASES OF DROPSY.

Persons suffering from Dropsy, either about the turn of life, or at other times, should immediately have recourse to these Pills, as hundreds of persons are annually cured, by their use, of this direful complaint in its different stages, when all other means had failed.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague	Dropsy	Inflammation
Asthma	Dysentry	Jaundice
Billious Complaints	Erysipelas	Liver Complaints
Blotch on the Skin	Female Irregularities	Fevers of all kinds
Bowel Complaints	Piles	Constipation of the Bowels
Lumbago	Rheumatism	Consumption
Colics	Retention of Urine	Debility
Fits	Scrofula, or King's Evil	Sore Throats
Gout	Secondary Symptoms	Tic Douloureux
Head-ache	Venereal Affections	Worms of all kinds
Indigestion		
Stone and Gravel		
Tumours		
Ulcers		
Weakness from whatever cause &c.,&c.		

Sold at the establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar London), and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the Civilized World; at the following prices—1s. 1½d., 2s. 9 d., 6., 11s., 22s., and 33s., each Box.

S. L. TILLEY, Provincial Agent, King street St. John, N. B. Sold by A. Coy & son, Frederic ton; W. T. Baird, Woodstock; Alex. Lockhart Quaco; James Beck, Bend of Petitcodiac; O. K. Sayre, Dorchester; John Bell, Shediac; John Lewis, Hillsborough; John Curry, Canning; and James B. White, Belleisle.

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directors for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box.

For Sale or Exchange
For Property in Town.

THE Subscriber's FARM at Musquash, Parish of Lancaster, 11 miles from the City. It contains 600 acres, 200 of which is cleared, and about 80 acres diked Marsh. There is a good half acre garden adjoining the House. There are on it a good two story House, containing 7 rooms and a kitchen: Cellaring for 2,000 bushels of Roots, and all necessary outhouses. There are two Barns adjoining the House, and one on the Marsh. There is a good School, an Episcopal Church, and two large Saw Mills in its immediate vicinity. The Railroad if it pass that way will run through the Farm.—Payments will be made accommodating.

The Farm will be divided into two parts, if it should suit purchasers.

JOHN GILLIES.

St. John, December 19, 1851. *Peter's Street*

Teas, Molasses, Saleratus, & Cigars.
Now receiving and for Sale—
50 PUNS. good refining MOLASSES;
25 chests prime English Congou TEA;
50 Kegs SALERATUS; 20 M. CIGARS.
Also—12,000 assorted 28 to 34 inch LOCUST TRENAILS.

October 15. EDWARD ALLISON.

THE APOCALYPSE—Popularly explained; 100 members of the above.

ALSO—50 sachets of Ipswich Temperance Tracts; just received from London.

Oct. 22. JOHN KINNEAR.

SPARKLING CHAMPAGNE.—Now landing from France ex *Isabella* via New York, 50 Baskets Prime Sparkling CHAMPAGNE

For sale by
Nov. 5, RANNEY, STURDEE & CO

M. CUTBILL,—From London.
(FURRIER.)
CORNER STREET, NEAR CHARLOTTE,
All kinds of Furs, made cleaned, and altered to the latest Fashions.
Fur Caps made to order.
St. John, October 1.

SIMPLE EFFECT OF ROCK ROSE.

FOR all cases of Scrofulous Diseases, Dyspepsia, Bad Rheums, Sick Headache, Canker & Nursing Sore, Mouth, General Debility, &c., &c. No Medicine has ever received such high testimonials from persons who have been afflicted with the above

wonderfully efficacious remedy. The extraordinary Medicinal properties of the Rock Rose Plant, have become known to some of the most eminent Medical practitioners of the country; others are fast becoming acquainted with its healing virtues, and desire to have it more extensively known and used.

The following is an extract from a note on the title page of a work published by D. A. Tyler, M. D., New Haven, Conn. on the efficacy of Rock Rose. These pages were penned without any expectation of their ever being presented to the public—since which time the plant (Rock Rose) under consideration has been more fully tested its virtues developed, and their character more fully established. They are published by with the consent of several medical friends. The object of this dissertation is to lay before the members of the profession and the public, the virtues of a plant too much neglected which undoubtedly (as an order member of the profession once remarked to me) possessed far more attractive hours than the popular sarsaparilla. I ask for the plant an impartial trial."

ITS MEDICAL HISTORY AND PROPERTIES

Are far the most important, since upon these depends its value to the community. Dr. London says, that in 1799, it was so valuable in England, that it was cultivated from seeds. Ever since 1806

PROF. IVES, OF YALE COLLEGE,

Has invariably used it with great success in *Scrofula*, and *Chronic Disease*, and through him its virtues were made known until, as Dr. Tyler says, "it is now in this section [New Haven] a common article in domestic practice, for the cure of *Scrofula* and cutaneous diseases." Dr. Whitlaw, a Scotch botanist of notoriety, while traveling in America, in 1814, learned its use in Canada. Returning to England, he employed it in medicating his baths, when became greatly celebrated for the cure of similar diseases.

DR. PARISH, OF PHILADELPHIA.

Remarks that it has been successfully used in bad cases of *Scrofulous Diseases*.

DR. J. H. THOMPSON, OF THE SAME PLACE,

Prescribed it in bad cases of Scrofulous patients at Wells' Hospital. His success attracted the attention of senior physicians. He reports the following remarkable cases of White Swelling of the right hip, in February, 1844. The lad was seven years old, and had the disease for three years. The bone was dislocated upward and outward. There was a large opening on the hip leading to the bone, into which I could thrust my finger. I counted twelve ulcers. He had been under several physicians, who had given him up. I ordered a decoction of the *Rock Rose*. In two days his night