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NOTICE. THE Subscribers having entered into Partnership, their Business will in future be conducted under the Firm of ADAM & DAVIDSON.

NOTICE. THE term of the Subscribers' Co-Partnership having expired, the same is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

NOTICE. N. B. The Subscriber will transact Business on his own account at the Brick Store in Nelson Street, formerly occupied by A. & D. December 31.

NOTICE. THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the Firm of L. L. JARVIS & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

ESTATE OF DR. HENRY COOK. All Persons having legal demands against the Estate of HENRY COOK, late of the City of Saint John, Surgeon, &c., deceased, are required to send in their claims, duly attested, within Three Months from the date hereof.

GORDON'S Hardware Store. MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B. CHEAP—For Cash only.

- 50 B. CASES SPIGERS, No. 4 to 10 inch, 25 do. Best Nails, 1 1/4 to 3 1/4 inch, 100 do. Wrought Nails, Clasp and Cross-head, 4 1/2 to 6 inch.

All sizes of CUT NAILS, Flaming BRADS, PUNCHING DOES and SHEETING NAILS, of the Subscribers' own manufacture, and which will be found much superior to any article of the kind imported.

New Arrivals. Received per ships Hela, Pandora, Abigail, and Kathleen.

80 TONS Bar and Bolt IRON, assorted; 50 Boxes TIN PLATES; 30 Packages IRON WIRE; 30 Cwt. Nails, LAST STEEL, 1 1/4 and 5-8; 100 Bags Coal and Wrought NAILS; 50 Bags HORSE and CATTLE SAILS; 50 Bags DECK SPIGERS, from 3 to 10 inches; 1 Case THOMPSON'S SURFAY AGGERS; 1 Case SADDLES and BRIDLES; 1 Do. MILL SAWS; 1 Case CUTLERY; 1 Cask FILES; 2 Bales SHEATHING FELT.

NEW BOOKS. JUST received at the VICTORIA BOOKSTORE, King-street, per Mary Corfield, from England.—A choice assortment of Standard Works in the various departments of Literature and Science.

NOTICE. THE Subscriber has been authorized to Contract for Passages at a reduction of TEN SHILLINGS, sterling, each, on the rates formerly charged, until further orders.

FLOUR and MEAL. Landing ex "Merburn," from Philadelphia: 237 B. Superior FLOUR, 130 B. Superior MEAL, for sale by JARDINE & CO.

THE CHIMES OF ENGLAND. The Sabbath bells of England! how sweet on Sabbath morn!

THE BRIDEWOMAN. The bride is over, the guests are all gone, And the bells ring—she sees her bed room, The wealth of white more is torn from her gown.

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And here we may with a curious critic, at least to us it is, on the opinion of the famous Abernethy, that dyspepsia was a primary disease.

This was his idea, and his practice conformed to it. The complicated symptoms attending the malady, were by him attributed to a sympathetic action of the parts of the body affected, with the stomach.

Dyspepsia, we are told, has for its proximate cause diminished respiration, circulation, secretion, and, as a natural consequence, the invalid complaints of cold feet and hands, numb or less fever, pains in the head, back and limbs, giddiness, stupor and general debility.

Dr. Metcalf argues that these symptoms require the warm bath, moderate exercise, warm clothing, nourishing food, agreeable society, and interesting conversation.

It is assumed it is also a fair deduction, from the late experiments which have been made in the relation to the subject by eminent physiologists, such as Sir Benjamin Brodie and others, that the influence of the brain in exerting its various functions, through the medium of the lungs, Let respiration be suspended, and the power of the lungs to circulate the blood is destroyed, and its color in the arteries becomes almost black.

Intense and long continued study is also productive of such a state of the system as is here alluded to. Dr. Metcalf says that no enlightened medical man can read the life and correspondence of Sir Isaac Newton, without being convinced that for two years he laboured under a similar complaint.

A most interesting subject here naturally opens itself to the reflecting mind, and a long array of great names, martyrs to science, and to the human genius, presents itself for investigation.

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riages, stations, engines, and locomotive establishments, &c.—making 700 tons of iron for each mile, or 1,200,000 tons for 1800 miles of railways about to be constructed in this country, or, as nearly as possible, the whole make of iron in Great Britain for one year.—London paper.

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Death of Benjamin G. Minturn.—In our obituary notice is recorded the death of this gentleman, who, in active life, exerted great influence in this community, and transacted the largest business of any individual in the city.

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and in 1845, to 1,210,000. The number of temples had likewise increased but there are still 111 in France a Protestant population of about 4,400,000.

CHRISTIANITY.—The following is a beautiful extract from a report, in one of the New York papers, of Mr. Webster's late splendid arguments in the case of Girard's will.

When an intellectual being finds himself on this earth, as soon as the faculties of reason appear, one of the first inquiries of his mind is, "Shall I live here forever?" And those writers who have celebrated for their essays on the dignity of human reason, say that of all sentient beings, man only is competent of knowing that he is to die.

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