

MESSENGER ALMANACK.

From February 11th, to February 24th, 1866.

Last Quarter... February 7th... 3 25 Afternoon.
New Moon... " 15th... 5 13 Morning.
First Quarter... " 22nd... 0 33 Morning.
Full Moon... March 1st... 7 33 Morning.

Table with columns: Day, SUN, MOON, HIGH WATER AT. Rows include dates from 11th to 24th with times for sunrise, sunset, moonrise, moonset, and high water at Halifax and Windsor.

For the time of HIGH WATER at Pictou, Pugwash, Wallace and Yarmouth add 2 hours to the time at Halifax.

For HIGH WATER at Annapolis, Digby, &c., and at St. John, N. B., add 3 hours to the time at Halifax.

The time of HIGH WATER at Windsor is also the time at Parrsboro', Horton, Cornwallis, Truro, &c.

For the LENGTH OF DAY double the time of the sun's setting.

NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY.

FALL ARRANGEMENT.

Table with columns: MAIN LINE, WINDSOR BRANCH. Rows show departure and arrival times for Halifax and Windsor.

The Omnibuses start from the city half an hour earlier than the above "Halifax depart;" and should arrive in the city about half an hour after the time named "Halifax arrive."

LICENSED CAB DRIVERS may charge for half a mile, 6d.; one mile, 1s.; a mile and a half, 1s. 3d.; 2 miles, 1s. 6d.; 3 miles, 2s.

TRUCKMEN may charge for a load, of say 10 cwt., 1/4 mile, 7d.; 1/2 mile, 9d.; one mile, 1s. 3d., &c.

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Price 20 cents.

A CATECHISM OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM.

By REV. J. M. CRAMP, D. D.

Part I.—What Baptism is. Part II.—What Baptism is not. Part III.—The duty of Christians with regard to Baptism.

WRITING AND BOOK-KEEPING.

MR. STAPLES will re-commence instruction in PENMANSHIP the coming week at his Writing Rooms, No. 57 Granville Street, to be continued every day and evening until further notice.

Also, a class in BOOK-KEEPING (double entry) will be formed and conducted under the instruction of a thorough Accountant.

From past success, as a Teacher of Writing in this city, Mr. Staples believes he can impart to the ATTENTIVE, however imperfect their present handwriting, a beautiful, plain and expeditious style of penmanship, in the shortest possible time.

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The Subscriber begs to inform the Public that the above view, 4 feet long, 2 1/2 feet wide, is to be Lithographed in England, and published under the patronage of His Excellency Sir W. Fenwick Williams, Bart., &c., &c., by J. R. Woodburn, of Glasgow, Scotland, and will be issued on or about the month of May next.

Any person from any part of the City or Province wishing to subscribe can do so by sending in their names, Post-paid, to R. T. Muir, London Bookstore, Halifax, at any time before the 15th May next; after that time the subscription list closes, and the price advances.

Those that want a nice Picture of the City had better send in their names immediately.



Government Building. MARKET SQUARE.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Chairmen of Commissioners will be received at the office of the Secretary until Monday the 13th day of February next, at 12 o'clock, noon, from all persons desirous of contracting for finishing the Government Building, Market Square, according to the plans and specifications, which may be seen on application at the office of David Sterling, Architect, Doull's Building, Hollis Street.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

JOHN BUFFUS, Chairman. G. JONES, Secretary.

CHEAP FURS.

R. McMURRAY & Co. will sell the balance of their stock of FUR BOAS AND CAPES at REDUCED PRICES, viz.—Fitch, Imitation-Fitch, Mountain Marten, Musquash, French Dyed Sable.

COMMERCE HOUSE, 144 Granville Street. Jan. 10.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

WE are now offering at REDUCED PRICES, Black and Colored Velvet and very BONNETS, Velvet and Plush HATS, from 3s. 9d. upwards, Trimmed d. 5s. and upwards.

COMMERCE HOUSE, -144 Granville Street. Jan. 10.

LOOK HERE!

J. B. FITCH'S GOLDEN OINTMENT

Cures all diseases of the SKIN, and is not only a cure, but a preventative from taking any humor that is contagious by rubbing a little of the Ointment on the hauds when exposed.

Boils, Felons, Corns, Chillsains, Piles, Bruises, Burns, Blisters, &c.

Cogswell & Forsyth, 193 Hollis Street, Agents for Nova Scotia, May 24.

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No instrument is more easily played or less likely to get out of order. The bellows are operated more conveniently than that of the melodeon; and the swell is more readily and naturally under the control of the performer.

A Four Stop Cabinet Organ suitable for a Church:

With Two Sets of Reeds, and One Octave of Sub-Bass Reeds, Four stops, Octave Coupler, Automatic Swell, Combination Valves, Double Bellows, Swell Pedal.

This is a new style, just introduced. Novel features are the Octavo Coupler (doubling the power of the instrument), and the introduction of an octave of Sub Bass reeds, which are operated by the manual.



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Rendering it soft, silky and glossy, and disposing it to remain in any desired position; quickly cleansing the scalp, arresting the fall and impeding a healthy and natural color to the Hair.

To Restore Grey Hair TO Its Original Youthful Color It is not a Dye.

For Ladies and Children

Whose Hair requires frequent dressing the Zylobalsamum has no equal. No lady's toilet is complete without it.

Mrs. S. Allen's ZYLOBALSAMUM.

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BOARDING HOUSE.

MRS. T. W. DeWOLF having removed to Halifax, invites the patronage of her friends and acquaintance from the country to a comfortable and quiet BOARDING HOUSE, near to the centre of business.

No. 30 JACOB STREET, Upper corner of Starr Street, and nearly opposite Temperance Hall. Dec. 6.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

THE largest and most select STOCK of CLOTHING in the city.

ALL kinds of modern Garments MADE TO ORDER, besides a good stock of GENTS OUTFITS, at LONDON HOUSE, THOMSON & CO. Nov. 22.

JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMSHIP CHINA.

Thirty-six Cases and Trunks of Mens' Womens and Childrens' Boots and Shoes SEWED AND RIVETTED.

IN-TORE—700 Pairs FISHERMENS' Boots, Prime Goods, and every pair warranted. Cases of Mens' Goggles, Woman's Leather Boots, Misses and Children's d. For sale at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE. GEORGE S. YATES, 22 GEORGE STREET, HALIFAX, N. S. June 7.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

THE REV. EDWARD A. WILSON'S Prepared Prescription for the cure of CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all THROAT and LUNG AFFECTIONS, has now been in use over ten years with the most marked success.

The Remedy, prepared under Mr. Wilson's personal supervision, also a pamphlet containing the original Prescription, with full and explicit directions for preparation and use, together with a short history of his case, may be obtained of HENRY A. TAYLOR, Druggist, No. 26 Sackville Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Price of Remedy, \$3.00 per package. Pamphlet furnished free of charge. Seventy-five cents extra will prepay the medicine to any part of the Province, by Parcel Post. Nov. 22.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

Let the Afflicted read, and Know of the Astounding Efficacy of the Great Humor Remedy!

HOWARD'S VEGETABLE CANKER AND CANKER SYRUP,

Surpasses in efficacy, and is destined to to Supercede, all other known remedies in the treatment of those Diseases for which it is recommended.

It has cured CANCERS after the patients have been given up as incurable by many physicians.

It has cured CANKER in its worst forms, in hundreds of cases.

It has always cured SALT RHEUM when a trial has been given it, a disease that every one knows is exceedingly troublesome, and difficult to cure.

ERYSIPELAS always yields to its power, as many who have experienced its benefits do testify.

It has cured SCROFULA in hundreds of cases many of them of the most aggravated character.

It cures KING'S EVIL.

It has cured many cases of SCALD HEAD.

TUMORS have been removed by it in repeated instances in which their removal has been pronounced impossible except by a surgical operation.

ULCERS of the most malignant type have been healed by its use.

It has cured many cases of NURSING SORE MOUTH when all other remedies have failed to benefit.

FEVER SORES of the worst kind have been cured by it.

SCURVY has been cured by it in every case in which it has been used, and they are many.

It removes WHITE SWELLING with a certainty no other medicine has.

It speedily removes from the face all BLOTCHES, PIMPLES, &c., which though not very painful, perhaps, are extremely unpleasant to have.

It has been used in EVERY KIND OF HUMOR, and never fails to benefit the patient.

NEURALGIA, in its most distressing forms, has been cured by it when no other remedy could be found to meet the case.

It has cured JAUNDICE in many severe cases. It has proved very efficacious in the treatment of PILES, an extremely painful disease.

DYSPEPSIA, which is often caused by humor has been cured by it in numerous instances.

It cures GENERAL DEBILITY, from what ever cause, the Syrup can be relied upon as a most efficient aid.

The Young Reaper

For 1866 will be published Semi-monthly.

It is published at Philadelphia, at 75 cents a year, for single copies. The Editor states that "The Engravings will not only be profuse but of the finest character. And six of the best writers for children are engaged as regular contributors for its columns."

As this is the periodical for Youth, published by the Baptist Publication Society, we are willing to supply it to our friends at the following rates:—

Single copies every other week . . . \$0.50 a year. Three copies, do. . . 1.00 " Seven copies, do. . . 2.00 " Fifteen copies, do. . . 4.00 "

Any number of copies at the same rates. This charge barely pays for the freight of parcels and the expenses of mailing and postage, but rather than have our young friends deprived of their paper, we are willing to supply it to them when paid for strictly in advance.

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Cure your Cough

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, Jayne's Expectorant, Naylor's Pectoral Drops, DuBarry's Pulmonary Bonbons, Peruvian Syrup, Sharp's Balsam of Horehound, Fitch's Pulmonary Balsam, Turbington's Balsam of Life, Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, Warren's Cough Balsam, Poland's White Pine Compound, Hunnewell's Cough Remedy, Cough Mixture for Children, Balsamic Syrup, Balsamic Lozenges, Brown's Bronchial Troches, Ipecacuanha Lozenges, Opium and Liquorice Lozenges, Jujubes, Keating's Cough Lozenges, Nels-n's Gelatine Lozenges, Benzoin Candy, Brown Rock Candy, Bath Pipe, Mrs Gardner Balsam, Horehound Candy, or Cod Liver Oil.

The Balsamic Syrup and Balsamic Lozenges have proved themselves first class remedies for Coughs and Hoarseness.

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CHILDREN TEETHING

MRS. WINSLOW, An experienced Nurse and Female Physician, presents to the attention of mothers, her SOOTHING SYRUP, For Children Teething,

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay ALL PAIN and spasmodic action, and is SURE TO REGULATE THE BOWELS.

Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and RELIEF & HEALTH TO YOUR INFANTS—

We have put up and sold this article for over thirty years, and CAN SAY, IN CONFIDENCE and TRUTH of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—NEVER HAS IT FAILED, IN A SINGLE INSTANCE, TO EFFECT A CURE, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "WHAT WE DO KNOW," after thirty years' experience, and PLEDGE OUR REPUTATION for the FULFILLMENT of WHAT WE HERE DECLARE. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most EXPERIENCED and SKILLFUL NURSES in New England, and has been used with NEVER FAILING SUCCESS in

Thousands of Cases. It not only relieves the child from pain, but invigorates the stomach and bowels, corrects acidity, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. It will almost instantly relieve

GRIPING IN THE BOWELS, AND WIND COLIC, and overcome convulsions, which, if not speedily remedied, end in death. We believe it the BEST AND SWIFTEST REMEDY IN THE WORLD, in all cases of DYSENTERY AND DIARRHOEA IN CHILDREN, whether it arises from teething, or from any other cause. We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints—DO NOT LET YOUR PREJUDICES, NOR THE PREJUDICES OF OTHERS, stand between your suffering child and the relief that will be SURE—yes, ABSOLUTELY SURE—to follow the use of this medicine, if timely used. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New York, is on the outside wrapper.

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