

titude of spectators, laid, with imposing ceremonies, the corner stone of the Thames Hospital, which is to be built on the Thames, immediately opposite the Houses of Parliament. Her Majesty was attended by the Prince and Princess of Wales, and by other members of the Royal family, and by members of the Ministry and chief officers of State.

The Corporation of the city of London have presented an address to the Queen declaring profound sympathy with Her Majesty for injuries received by Prince Alfred at the hands of an assassin, and expressing their detestation of the attempted crime.

The funeral of Lord Brougham took place to-day at Cannes.

May 14.—The accounts which have been received by mail and telegraph, give promise of an unusually large and fine crop of Wheat in the country about the Black Sea.

Charles Francis Adams, U. S. Minister to the Court of St. James, took leave of the Queen at a special audience. Mr Adams left London soon afterwards for the Continent.

In the House of Commons to-night the bills moved by Mr. Gladstone to suspend making appointments in the Irish Church passed to a third reading. The bill is to remain in effect till the 1st of Aug. 1869.

May 15.—Late and important despatches received from Japan represent the civil war as being vigorously prosecuted, and that the army of the Mikado had arrived at a point near Jeddo.

A despatch from Athens contains the following:—The Spakiotan mountaineers claim that in recent conflicts with the Turks the latter were defeated and driven to the sea coast.

Midnight.—In the House of Commons to-night, John Bright presented a petition from Nova Scotia, praying that Parliament would repeal the Act by which that Province was united to the Dominion of Canada. The petitioners denounce the Canadian Union Act as injurious, and the result of fraud perpetrated upon the people.

After the reading of the document, the evening of the 26th inst., was assigned for debate on the subject.

An ecclesiastical body waited upon the Queen at Windsor Castle yesterday, and presented to Her Majesty an address from the Hierarchy of the Irish Church, giving their views in regard to the great changes contemplated in the establishment. The Queen replied in vague terms, not committing herself to the policy of either the Church or Liberal party on the question.

FRANCE, May 12.—The Emperor Napoleon and the Empress were at Orleans on Saturday, from which city they returned to Paris on Monday. Upon their arrival at Orleans they were received by the Mayor on the part of the people, in an address of welcome. The Emperor replied briefly, and after expressing his thanks said that he was happy to be in a city made secure by glorious religious and political memories, and devoted to active industry. He was sure such labors were safe in the general assurance of peace. The Bishop of Orleans spoke in reply, and concluded by invoking blessings upon the Emperor and Empress.

Paris, May 15.—In the Corps Legislatif, the debate on commerce, which commenced early in the week with a speech from M. Rhuier in favor of protection, was continued. In yesterday's session the Minister of Commerce made a reply. He denounced the opening of commercial questions and the creating of a crisis in trade. He declared that France would not adopt a retrograde policy either on the question under discussion or on any other public question.

Gen. Faillo, commanding the encampment at Chalons, in an address to his troops, says war being possible, the labors of the camp must be serious and unremitting.

AUSTRIA.—Vienna, May 13.—The bill guaranteeing the right of trial by jury, passed the lower house of the Austrian Reichrath yesterday.



GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,
MONDAY, 6th April, 1867.

PRESENT:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, by the 81st section of the Act 31 Vic., Cap. 6, entitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," it is enacted that:— "Except in cases which by any regulation to be made by the Governor in Council, may be excepted from the operation of this section, all spirit (unless in bottle and imported from the United Kingdom, or in bond from a Bonded Warehouse in some British Possession) brought into Canada, in casks and packages of less size than to contain one hundred gallons, shall be forfeited."

And whereas Brandies and other Spirits are usually exported from Europe in casks or other packages, containing less than one hundred gallons, whereby such goods, when imported into Canada, would become liable to forfeiture as aforesaid, unless excepted from the operation of the Act referred to,—Therefore His Excellency in Council, on the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the authority given by the said Act, has been pleased to make the following "Regulation."

"All importations of spirits made direct to Canada from European Ports, shall be and they are hereby excepted from the operation of the 1st section of the Act 31 Vic., Cap. 6, entitled, 'An Act respecting the Customs,'"

WM. H. LEE
Clerk Privy Council
April 29.

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OF DEATHS, that annually occur, are caused by Preventible Diseases, and the greater portion of those complaints would, if Radway's Ready Relief or Pills (as the case may require,) were administered when pain or uneasiness or slight sickness is experienced, be exterminated from the system in a few hours. PAIN, no matter from what cause, is almost instantly cured by the Ready Relief. In cases of Cholera, Asiatic or Canadian, Cramps, Spasms, Bilious Cholice, in fact all Pains, Aches and Infirmities either in the Stomach, Bowels, Bladder, Kidneys, or the Joints, Muscles, Legs, Arms, &c., will in a FEW MINUTES yield to the soothing influence of the Ready Relief.

Every Family should keep these life-saving remedies in the house, they are cheap, only 25 cents a box or bottle, can be used on all occasions, where pain or sickness suddenly seizes you, or accidents occur—are safe and rapid in their effects—can be taken or used by infants as well as adults—and all who use them, no matter how sick, or great may be their sufferings—a few hours in the worst cases, and a few minutes in ordinary complaints, will afford ease and comfort.

Sudden Colds, Coughs, Influenza, Dip'heria Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Chills, Fever and Ague Mercurial Pains, Scarlet Fever, &c., take from 4 to 6 of Radway's Pills, also take a teaspoonful of the Ready Relief in a glass of warm water sweetened with sugar or honey, bathe the throat, head and chest with Ready Relief (if Ague or intermittent fever bathe the spine also) and in a short time you will be cured.

How the Ready Relief acts.

In a few minutes the patient will feel a slight tingling irritation and the skin becomes reddened, if there is much distress in the stomach the Relief will assist nature in removing the cause. A general warmth is felt throughout the entire body, and its diffusive stimulating properties rapidly course through every vein and tissue in the entire system, arousing the slothful and partially paralyzed glands and organs to renewed and healthy action, perspiration follows and the surface of the body feels increased heat, the sickness at Stomach, Cold Chills, Head Ache, oppressive breathing, the soreness of the throat and all pains either internally or externally rapidly subside, and the patient falls into a tranquil sleep, awakes Refreshed, Renewed and Cured.

Sold everywhere at only 25 cents.
Sept. 25.

SABBATH SCHOOL LIBRARIES

CAREFULLY SELECTED FROM ENGLISH PUBLISHERS, At \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.20, \$3.75, \$4.10, \$4.25, \$4.50.

The Provincial Melodist :

containing 82 Tunes and 202 Hymns and Chants, appropriate for Sabbath Schools, Social Religious meetings, and the Family Circle.

Price 25 cents, or \$2.40 per dozen.
A few copies remaining of "THE BABES IN THE BASKET."

Price, cloth binding, 25 cents; paper cover 15 cents.
THE YOUNG MAN'S FRIEND, by Dr. Eddy, price \$1.00.

"CHRISTIAN MESSENGER" OFFICE,
59 Granville Street, Halifax.
April 1.

January, 1868.

MOURNING GOODS.

R. N. Beckwith & Co.

Respectfully call attention to their stock of BLACK FRENCH MERINOES, Black French Paramattas, Black Saxony Corde, Black Bartheas, BLACK COBURGS AND LUSTRES, Black Mantle VELVETS, Black Crape Collars and Veils, Black Illusion and Fig'd Nets, Black Bonnet Ribbons, all widths, Black Mantle Cloths, Black Astrian, WATERPROOF CLOAKINGS, The above goods will be offered,

FOR TWO WEEKS,
—AT—
REDUCED PRICES.
Preparatory to taking stock.

Jan. 22

Spring, 1868!

DRY GOODS!

WHOLESALE.

ANDERSON, BILLING & CO.

Have received per Steamers "Etna" and "Thames." Cases FANCY DRESS GOODS—Large Variety, Coburgs, Lustres and Gambroons, 7-8 and 6-4 Printed Delaines, Bales PRINTS—Several Job Lots, Patchwork, Print Fents, &c., Grey Cottons, Regattas, Bed-Ticks Cases READY-MADE CLOTHING, Crimean and Garibaldi Shirts, Fancy TWEEDS & West of England DOES.

MILLINERY!

Cases Straw and Leghorn HATS, Straw Bonnets and Shapes, Milliners' TRIMMINGS, large assortment, Flowers, Feathers, Ornaments, &c., Ribbons, Parasols, and other Fancy Goods, which are offered to the trade at low rates.

95 & 97 Granville Street.
April 22. 1m. inside.

NEW STOCK.

HATS AND CAPS.

WE have received per "City of Cork" and late arrivals from United States a portion of our Spring importations of

HATS AND CAPS,

and are daily expecting the balance by vessels now overdue.

Our stock is marked at the very lowest possible prices, and we believe buyers will find our goods extra good value.

We are still manufacturing to order by Conformateur Measure.

SILK HATS,

which we warrant perfect fitting and superior in quality and finish to any imported.

Wholesale Buyers

will find in our stock a nice assortment for the country trade and at very low prices.

EVERETT BROTHERS,
100 GRANVILLE STREET.

April 29.

Dry Goods

FOR

SPRING TRADE, 1868.

R. N. Beckwith & Co.
89 GRANVILLE STREET.

RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of their customers to their supply of Goods for the present season:

Among which are some very CHEAP LOTS Grey, White & Printed COTTONS, Grass Cloths, Holland, Towellings

Ladies' and Gent's Lawn Handkerchiefs Table Linen and Linen Damask Cloths MANTLE CLOTHS, Canadian TWEEDS Black Paramattas, Coburgs and Lustres

Fancy Dress Goods,

DRESS TRIMMINGS and BUTTONS FRENCH KID GLOVES, Parasols, Hats, Straw Ornaments, &c. &c. &c.
May 6.

1868. New Arrivals. 1868,
SPRING & SUMMER NOVELTIES.

Vaux Brothers

Have received per steamers "Thames," "Etna" and "Grecian."

New Dress Goods, in all the leading styles, Col'd French Poplins, Chenil & Bismarck Camlets, New Linen Lustres, for Ladies Suits, Mair'd Cloths and Linen Lustre Ginghams, French Cambrics, New Skirtings, Morning Skirts, French Delaines, Dress Trimmings, Parasols, Velveteens, Lace and Linen Collars and Cuffs, Hair Pads and Gossamer Falls, Maltese and Cluny Laces and Insertions, An immense variety of Fancy Buttons, and Small Wares.

A large assortment of Staple and Fancy Goods to arrive per steamer and ship "Rosenath."
April 29. 5 GRANVILLE STREET.

Scotch Tweeds.

5 CASES SUPERIOR SCOTCH TWEEDS, AND WEST OF ENGLAND DOESKINS, At Remarkably Low Prices.

VAUX BROTHERS,
5 Granville St.
May 6.

French Printed Cambrics.

100 Pieces FRENCH PRINTED CAMBRICS, CHOICE PATTERNS and VERY CHEAP.

Purchased previous to the late advance in Cotton Goods.

VAUX BROTHERS,
5 Granville St.
May 6.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

J. B. ELLIOT & CO.

are now opening per R. M. S. City of Cork, a choice lot of DRESS TRIMMINGS and BUTTONS, in all the new shades, to match materials now worn, to which they call attention, at

135 GRANVILLE STREET.
May 6.

J. B. ELLIOT & CO.

are now prepared to show a large and complete stock of CURTAIN MUSLINS, all widths and latest designs Also Half Blind Muslin, Counterpanes, Toilet Covers, Curtain Fringes, &c.

135 GRANVILLE STREET.
May 6.

1868. AGENTS WANTED to sell our Ex celsior MAP of U. S. and CANADA BIBLE READERS MAP of PALESTINE and HOLY LAND; Religious and Patriotic Pictures and Charts. Agents make \$100 to \$200 a month. Send for terms to D. L. GUERNSEY, Bookseller, Concord N. H.

April 29. 1m.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

OTTAWA, 6th March, 1868.

Authorized discount on American Invoices until further notice: 28 per cent.

R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,
Commissioner of Customs.

The above is the only notice to appear in news papers authorized to copy.
March 25.

MAY, 1868.

INLAND ROUTE.

St. John, Portland, Boston, &c.

THE Steamer EMPRESS, will leave Windsor for St. John, during the month of May, as follows:

Saturday, 2nd.....	8.00 a. m.
Wednesday, 6th, at.....	11.00 a. m.
Saturday, 9th.....	1.00 p. m.
Wednesday, 13th.....	5.00 a. m.
Saturday, 16th.....	7.00 a. m.
Wednesday, 20th.....	10.30 a. m.
Saturday, 23rd.....	12.00 noon.
Wednesday, 27th.....	4.00 p. m.
Saturday, 30th.....	6.30 a. m.

Connecting at St. John with the International Company's Steamers which leave every Monday and Thursday morning, at 8 o'clock.

At Portland, with the Grand Trunk Railway for all points of Canada and the West.

At Boston with the Bristol Line for New York.

F A R E S:

Halifax to St. John.....	\$4 00
do Portland.....	7 00
do Boston.....	8 00
do New York.....	12 00
do Montreal.....	15 50
do Toronto.....	17 50
do Ottawa.....	16 75

Through Tickets and any further information can be had on application to
A & H. CREIGHTON, Agents,
Ordnance Square.

May 6.

A FARM, WHO WANTS ONE?

SITUATED in New Germany, in the County of Lunenburg; containing 210 acres, or more.

The above farm is one of the most finely situated in the place and has the handsomest front. About 40 acres are cleared; 8 of which are now in burnt-land. The remainder is all that can be desired, having hard-wood, spruce, pine, poles, and meadow-land.

On it is a new BARN, a good well of water, and a young orchard.

The whole will be sold greatly under value, as the subscriber wishes to leave the Province.

WM. R. BARSS.
Feb. 17, 1868.
Feb. 26. 3m.

Strawberries.

Every Garden should have a bed of this delicious fruit, which will, amply repay the trouble of cultivation.

The subscriber has a fine lot of plants of the following varieties, which will produce fruit from three to five inches in circumference and have been fully tested, viz:—

WILSON'S ALBANY.
TRIOMPHE de GAND.
AGRICULTURIST.
BROOKLYN SCARLET.
SCOTT'S SEEDLING.
BOSTON PINE.
JENNY LIND.

The above will be sent to any address, by mail—postage paid—at 30 cents per dozen or 1.50 per hundred—not more than four varieties to be included in the hundred, or two varieties in the dozen.

Also, Fullers' strawberry Cultarist," price, postage paid, twenty-five cents.

GEO. V. RAND.
Wolfville, April 3rd, 1868.
April 8. 1m.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,

MONDAY, April 6th, 1868.

COMPRISING:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under and in virtue of the authority given and conferred by the Act passed during the present session of the Legislature, entitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency in Council has been pleased to make the following Regulation:—

In addition to the Warehousing Ports mentioned in the Act passed during the present session of the Parliament of Canada, and entitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," and also in addition to the ports named in a list sanctioned by an order of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, of the 24th December, 1867, and of the 5th March, 1868, respectively passed under the authority of the said Act, the following Ports be included in the list of Warehousing Ports in the Dominion, viz:—

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Port Mulgrave, Strait of Canso.

WM. H. LEE, Clerk Privy Council.
April 29. 3i

To Builders and Carpenters,

THE

ACADIA MOULDING FACTORY,

WM. L. DODGE & CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Supply the following building material at low prices and guarantee good work:

White and Pitch Pine door Sashes and Blinds, MOULDINGS of all descriptions, Stairs built to order.

CLAP BOARDS, long lengths (St. John Pine), Pitch Pine and Spruce FLOORING, Pitch Pine Boards and Timber,

PLANED LUMBER of all descriptions, Planing, Jigsawing, Turning, and other Machine work, and all kinds of Carpenter work done with dispatch.

March 18, 2ms.