

The Workingmen's Committee has summoned a Congress of workmen to meet in Berlin on the 19th inst. to organize a general strike for the reduction of daily labors to 9 hours, and a general increase of wages.

By the passage of the Prussian War Fund Bill in the Riechsrath, on Saturday, the Emperor was enabled to take measures offensive or defensive, if circumstances demanding such should arise.

FRANCE.—A proposition has been initiated in France to refer the question of the future government, whether republic, kingdom, or empire, to a Plebiscite.

Prince Napoleon arrived at Genoa, on Tuesday last whence he would proceed to Florence.

M. Thiers, accompanied by the Minister of War, and of Marine, will go to Rouen on the 27th inst., to lay the corner stone of the proposed military establishment.

The General Council of Corsica is engaged in a hot discussion over a motion to annul the election of Conti, formerly Private Secretary of the ex-Emperor.

An address to the ex-Emperor Napoleon is circulating for signatures among the officers and soldiers who served in the army under the Empire. When a sufficient number of signatures is obtained it will be forwarded to Chiselhurst. Its contents have not been made public.

Disarmament of the National Guard throughout France is nearly completed.

The statement is made that a plot against the Government of Spain of a dangerous character has been discovered in Paris.

The trial of the Communists charged with the murder of Generals Lecompte and Thomas during the first day of the revolution, begun. It excites much interest, and attracts large numbers.

One convicted of firing buildings in Paris has been sentenced to death.

Thiers has again refused the appeal of Victor Hugo to pardon Henry Rochefort.

Intelligence from Algeria announces the entire suppression of the insurrection. The natives are generally resuming their agricultural labors.

WANTED.

Wanted at St. Mary's Bay, School Section No. 11. A First-class Male Teacher. JOSEPH S. McNEILL, Clerk to Trustees.

Oct. 23, 1871. Nov. 1. 2ins.

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Jameson Brown and Fausset's Portable Commentary on the Bible 2 Vols. \$3.75. Barnes on the New Testament, Spurgeon on the Psalms 1st 2 Vols. \$1.80 each.

THE REAL PRESENCE. A very interesting and instructive treatise explanatory of the above subject by Rev. Arthur Wolfe, Rector of Farnham, All Saints, late fellow of Clon College, Cambridge. Every Communicant should have one. Price 7cts. N. B.—A large assortment of books suitable for the holidays, will be found at the Depository Nov. 1.

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BY REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER. "The crowning work of the Author"—who is acknowledged the most popular living writer. Agents wanted in every county of Nova Scotia to whom exclusive territory, and the most liberal terms will be given. Descriptive circulars and full information given on application to JOHN KILLAM, SENR., General Agent of publisher. Yarmouth, N. S.

Dear Editor,—Bro. John Killam, General Agent for the Rev. H. W. Beecher's "Life of Jesus the Christ" handed me a few days ago the first volume of the celebrated work with a request that I should examine it and express an opinion as to its merits. From a hasty examination I may safely say this work cannot be read without interest and profit. It is written in the rare and fascinating style peculiar to its world-renowned author, and while it cannot be regarded as a critical work it indicates much research in the part of its author.

I quote a sentence from Mr. Beecher's account of the baptism of Jesus which indicates the convictions of its Author upon the act, as well as the beauty and simplicity of the style in which the book is written:—"They went down together, the son of Elizabeth and the son of Mary, John and Jesus, into the old river Jordan that neither hastened nor slackened its current at their coming; for the Messianic sign was not to be from the waters beneath but from the heavens above."

I trust bro. Killam may be successful in circulating this useful work through the country. Yours truly, ISA. WALLACE.

Milton, Yarmouth, Oct. 27, 1871. Nov. 1. 2ins.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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Oct. 18.

CIRCULAR FROM HOWARD, WHITEHEAD & CRICHTON,

To the Citizens of Halifax and People of Nova Scotia.

Having leased the Central and Commodious Premises

No. 185 HOLLIS STREET, (Adjoining the Union Bank.)

We beg to inform you that we expect to open the same immediately after the arrival of next Mail Steamer from England, with a

Large, Rich and Carefully Selected Stock.

OF Superior West of England Cloths & Trouserings,

SCOTCH TWEEDS, READY-MADE-CLOTHING,

Gentlemen's Outfitting Goods, of the Best Quality & Newest Designs.

THE CUSTOM DEPARTMENT will be under the personal management of Mr. GEORGE WHITEHEAD, Master Tailor of London, G.B., who, aided by a lengthened Metropolitan experience, will be in a position to introduce the Latest and most approved Styles. The want of an establishment where Ready Made Clothing of Fashionable Cut, Good Material, and Superior make could be obtained has long been felt in Halifax. This want we shall be prepared to supply, and we feel confident of our ability to show the newest and most Fashionable Goods at prices that will commend themselves to your judgment.

THE BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT will be kept fully stocked with a large and complete assortment of

Diagonal, Melton And Velveteen Suits, richly braided and trimmed, at most economical rates.

THE STOCK OF OUTFITTING GOODS,

In GLOVES, SHIRTS, TIES, COLLARS, AND UNDERCLOTHING, will be found replete with a full and choice stock of the best articles.

From the great advantages we possess for the purchase and replenishment of our stock and from an adherence to a

STRICTLY CASH SYSTEM, we shall be prepared to offer inducements to customers heretofore unprecedented in Halifax, and we beg most respectfully to solicit your patronage and support.

HOWARD, WHITEHEAD & CRICHTON. May 17.



WINDSOR AND ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE No. 9. COMMENCING 2nd OCT., 1871.

Table with columns: Stations, Express 1st class only, Passengers and Freight, Passengers. Rows include Halifax, Windsor, Falmouth, Mount Denison, Hantsport, Avonport, Horton Landing, Grand Pre, Wolfville, Port William, Kentville, Coldbrook, Waterville, Berwick, Aylesford, Morden Road, Kingston, Wilmot, Middleton, Lawrencestown, Paradise, Bridgetown, Roundhill, Annapolis, St. John by Steamer.

Table with columns: Stations, Passengers, Passengers and Freight, Express, 1st class only. Rows include St. John, N. B. (by Steamer), Annapolis, Roundhill, Bridgetown, Paradise, Lawrencestown, Middleton, Wilmot, Kingston, Morden Road, Aylesford, Berwick, Waterville, Coldbrook, Kentville, Post William, Wolfville, Grand Pre, Horton Landing, Avonport, Hantsport, Mount Denison, Falmouth, Windsor, Halifax.

"Empress," Steamer leaves St. John, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, returning from Annapolis the same day. International Steamers leave St. John for Boston on Monday and Thursday of each week.

VERNON SMITH, Manager. Kentville, 28th Sept., 1871.

NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY. NOTICE.

Alteration of Afternoon Train, Windsor to Halifax.

ON and after MONDAY, 2nd October, the steamer "Empress" will leave St. John for Annapolis at 8 o'clock, A.M., instead of 7 o'clock, consequently the Express Train will leave Annapolis one hour later, and will leave Windsor at 6:40 P.M., instead of 5:40, one hour later. See time table.

Halifax, 30th Sept., 1871. Oct. 11.

WINDSOR & ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY.

KENTVILLE, June 30, 1871.

SMALL PARCELS up to 7 lbs. weight, will be conveyed by the EXPRESS TRAINS from any Station on this Line to any other, at 10 cts. each, over 7 lbs. and under 50 lbs., at 15 cts. As soon as circumstances permit, they are prepared to carry between Halifax and any Station, on their line Express Parcels by every train, at from 20 to 30 cts each, according to weight, including cartage at Halifax.

Aug 9. VERNON SMITH.

237 HOLLIS STREET 237

H. G. LAURILLIARD, MERCHANT TAILOR.

HAVING completed his FALL IMPORTATIONS ex Steamships "Peruvian," "Nova Scotian," "Caspian," and "Austrian," is now prepared to show to his customers, and others favouring him with a call—a most choice and varied selection of Goods from the best manufacturers in England. Comprising in part—Black, Blue, Brown and Olive BEAVERS, WITNEYS, IRISH FROZE, MELTONS, West of England BROAD CLOTHS, and Fancy Mixed Scotch & English TWEED COATINGS, DOESKIN & TWEED TROUSERINGS, to suit the tastes of all. FANCY VESTINGS of beautiful design and rich material, which he will be happy to make up to order.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage accorded him in the past, he trusts by attention to the wants of customers to merit a continued increase of business.

N. B. Agent for NEW YORK FASHION PLATES. Oct 18. 1 m



CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

OTTAWA, October 10th, 1871. Authorized discount on AMERICAN INVOICES until further notice: 13 per cent R. S. M. BOUCHETTE, Commissioner of Customs.

Oct 25. GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,

Thursday, 12th day of October, 1871. PRESENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

On the recommendation of the Hon the Minister of Customs, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the 8th Section of the Act 31st Victoria, Chapter 6, intituled, "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the place known as "McAdam's Junction," in the Province of New Brunswick, situate at the intersection of the European and North American Railway, and the Railway between St. John in the said Province of New Brunswick and Bangor, in the State of Maine, in the United States of America, be and the same is hereby constituted and erected into a Port of Entry to be designated and known as the "Port of McAdams Junction."

W. H. LEE, Clerk, Privy Council. Oct. 25.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA. Thursday, 12th day of October, 1871.

PRESENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

On the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the provisions of the 1st section of the Act 31st Vic., cap 15, intituled: "An Act for better securing the payment of the duty imposed on tobacco manufactured in Canada," His Excellency has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Port of Cuelph, in the Province of Ontario, be and the same is hereby added to the list of Ports mentioned in the said Act, at which raw or leaf tobacco may be imported into Canada.

W. H. LEE, Clerk Privy Council. Oct. 25.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Alterations in Mail Service to Newfoundland.

THE Mail for Newfoundland will, until further notice, be made up at the Halifax Post Office on every alternate Monday, at 10 a. m., instead of on Friday, as heretofore, commencing on Monday, the 2nd inst Gen. Post Office, Halifax, 18th Oct. 1871. Oct. 25.

99 GRANVILLE STREET 99 TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.

WE beg to inform our customers and other buyers generally, that our Autumn and Winter Stock is now complete.

This Stock has been selected with the greatest care, and under the most favorable circumstances, and embraces many lots much under value, to which we respectfully invite attention.

THE RETAIL DEPARTMENT is this season complete in every respect, embracing All the Newest Fabrics and Leading Styles.

A call from all intending purchasers is respectfully solicited. SMITH BROS. Oct. 18.

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THE Subscriber begs respectfully to intimate to his Friends, and Public generally, that having fitted up his Establishment with the Latest and most Improved Machinery.

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BOOTS AND SHOES, Which for VARIETY, QUALITY, STYLE, FINISH AND CHEAPNESS cannot be excelled by any goods offered in this market, whether Dominion, English or American.

BOOTS AND SHOES, at all Prices BOOTS AND SHOES, in all sizes. BOOTS AND SHOE made after the latest French, English and American designs. Examine for yourselves, compare with other Goods, and if found worthy, encourage Home Manufactures.

WHOLESALE BUYERS Will find our Terms Liberal, and we assure them that their interests will receive our best attention.

GEORGE S. YATES. Halifax, N. S., April 24, 1871. May 3.

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The following Extract, in proof of the Authenticity of the above Portrait, is translated from the Latin contemporary Historians of the period.

"News to the Senate of Rome concerning Jesus Christ in the days of Tiberius Caesar the Emperor, as the governors of sundry provinces under the Senate and people of Rome used to advertise the Senate of such news as chanced in diverse countries.

"Publius Lentulus, being at that time president in Judaea, wrote an epistle to the Senate and people of Rome, the words whereof were these:—

"There appeared in these our days a man of great virtue, named Jesus Christ, who is yet alive amongst us, and of the Gentiles is accepted for a Prophet of Truth; but his own disciples called him the Son of God. He raiseth the dead and cureth all manner of diseases, A man of stature somewhat tall and comely, with a very reverend countenance, such as the beholders may both love and fear; his hair of the colour of phibert full ripe, and plain almost down to his ears: but from the ears downward somewhat curled, and more orient of colour, waving on his shoulders. In the midst of his head goeth a seam, or partition of his hair, after the manner of the Nazarites; his forehead, very plain and smooth; his face, without spot or wrinkle, beautified with a comely red: his nose and mouth so formed as nothing can be reprehended; his beard somewhat thick, agreeable in colour to the hair of his head, not of any great length, in the midst of an inn-cent and mature look; his eyes grey, clear and quick. In reproving, he is terrible; in admonishing, courteous and fair-spoken; pleasant in speech, mixed with gravity. It cannot be remembered that any have seen him laugh, but many have seen him weep. In proportion of body, well-shaped and straight; his hands and arms right, and delectable to behold; in speaking, very temperate, modest and wise. A man for singular beauty surpassing the children of men."

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Oct 18

NOICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Mails for Bermuda and the West Indies.

ON MONDAY, the 9th October inst., and on every fourth Monday thereafter, the Mail for Bermuda and the West Indies will be made up at this office, closing at 10 o'clock, A. M. Postage on letters 12c. per 4 oz. which must be prepaid by stamps. A. WOODGATE. Post Office, Halifax, Oct. 4th, 1871. Oct. 11.

Hats and Caps.

WE have now on hand a full Stock of all kinds, including the NEWEST STYLES, to which we invite the attention of our friends, both at

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Oct. 11.

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Anderson, Billing & Co. Have just received, per Alhambra:

9 Cases CHIGNONS, "Lady Grant," "Aimee," "Imperial," "Kerlog Braids," "Eugenie," and "Our New Chignon."

Warehouse—95 & 97 Granville Street. Sept. 27.