THE POST-OFFICE REMOVAL is still delayed, the work of alteration not being complete.

MASTERS' AND MATES' EXAMINATION.—We learn from the St. John "Globe" of Thursday, that another examination for the granting of Certificates of competency to Masters and Mates was concluded on Wednesday when the following gentlemen were declared to have passed successfully:—

Masters.—Ephraim White, Pictou, N. S., Joseph E. Wood, Canning, N. S., Abraham Knowlton, Advocate Harbor, N. S., William Smith, Annapolis, N. S., James Johnson Jones, St. John, N. B.,——Pittman, Yarmouth, N. S.

First Mates.—Joseph F. Carter, Westmorland N. B., Howard L Crosscup, Granville, N. S., Jarvis H. Wilson, St John, N. B.

FIRE AT ELLERSHOUSE.—Messrs. Stephen & Son's manufactory was totally destroyed by fire early on Saturday morning. About two o'clock the residents in the vicinity were aroused by the crackling of the fire and found that the whole establishment was in flames. The three buildings, with all the machinery, stock, &c., were entirely consumed. The estimated value of the property destroyed is $25,000, and the only insurance was $10,000—half in the Imperial and half in the Ætna.

"An infuriated Cow attacked two ladies in the streets of Wolfville last Tuesday. One of the ladies escaped by adroitly scaling a four foot fence; the other made a capital retrograde movement, avoided the charges of the cow, and secured a safe retreat."

A correspondent "Visitor" has sent us the above paragraph from the Halifax *Reporter* and remarks: "We would add for the information of strangers, that we have always found the cattle that promenade the streets and repose on the side-walks and open places of that quiet village, quite harmless."

CURRENT NEWS.—Among the many advantages of the present day, is cheap reading and none is so cheap as the newspaper. As an instance of this we may mention that the proprietors of the CITIZEN furnish their weekly edition for $1 in advance and it contains full particulars of news occurring from day to day having more reading matter than any other city weekly. Its telegrams are always late and reliable, its correspondence racy and readable, its editorials well written and sensible, its stories for the ladies well selected and interesting, its shipping and commercial intelligence correct and complete, its Ottawa Correspondence, and reports of the Local Legislature succinct and comprehensive. In fact, nothing is neglected and yet the charge is only $1 per annum. Letters to be addressed to the Manager, Citizen Publishing Company, Halifax, N. S. 3 ins.

PETERS' MUSICAL MONTHLY for December is to hand, containing nineteen choice pieces of Vocal Instrumental Music, all of which can be had for 30 cents. It seems hard to believe that so much can be furnished for such a small sum, but *we know* that it is. It comes regularly every month and contains *much real good* Music.

Bound volumes for 1871 are offered, post-paid, for $5. They come elegantly bound in crimson cloth, gilt sides and edges, and are guaranteed to contain $50 worth of choice Piano Music, (some 200 pieces) If ordered by express, $4.50 will secure it. We would advise all those seeking Holiday Presents to bear this work in mind. Music is always a proper present to a lady, and in no other shape can the same amount of good music be bought. It is published by J. L. PETERS, 599 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK.

An Irishman called at a drug store to get a bottle of "Johnson's Anodyne Liniment" for the Rheumatism, the druggist asked him in what part of the body it troubled him most, "Be me soul,' said he "I have it in ivery houl and conner of me."

For loss of Cud, Horn Ail, Red water in Cows; loss of appetite, rot or murrain, in sheep; thick wind, broken wind, and roaring, and for all abstractions of the Kidneys in horses, use "Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders."

Conners Street, Ottaway, Ont., Dec. 7, 1869.—I have kept Graham's Pain Eradicator constantly in my house since it was first introduced into this city. We find it to be an effectual cure for Neuralgia, and other forms of pain. It is the only Patent Medicine that I have ever found to be as good as represented to be.

WILLIAM MINORE,
Dealer in Groceries, Fruits, &c.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

Every Birth should be registered within 60 days after it has taken place. PENALTY for neglect, Two Dollars.

Every Death should be registered before interment, or within 10 days after death. Penalty for neglect, Five Dollars.

HALIFAX OFFICE—No. 59 GRANVILLE ST.

Marriages.

At Beaver Brook, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, Mr. Gideon McNutt, Truro, to Miss Isabella E. Archibald, of former place.

At Sackville, on Tuesday, 21st, by the Rev. J. S. Smith, Etheled Oland, of Dartmouth, to Esther Isabella, daughter of Charles Hamilton, Esq., of Sackville.

On the 22nd, in Trinity Church, by the Rev. J. C. Cochran, Mr. Josiah Jordan, to Martha, daughter of Edward Cooke, of Guysborough.

On the 22nd, by the Rev. J. B. Uniacke, Mr. Edward Harvey, to Mary Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas McCarthy, of Halifax.

At Wolfville, on 14th Nov, by the Rev. R. Sommerville, George P. Nelson, of Welsford, Hants, to Mary Jane Redden, of New Minas.

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co., Nov. 24th, by the Rev George Armstrong, A. M., James Forman Pineo, Esq., M. D., of Sandy Cove, Digby, to Miss Jessie Austin Gidney, youngest daughter of A. M. Gidney, editor of the "Free Press," Bridgetown, N. S.

On Thursday, 23rd inst., at the residence of R. H. Wetmore, Esq., by the Rev. John Forrest, Robert M. Wilkie, of Glasgow, G. B., to Jessie B. Gidney, youngest daughter of the late Joseph Gidney, Esq., of Granville, N. S.

On the 22nd inst., at Windsor, Ontario, by the Rev. Mr Elliot, Albert Clemen, Esq., of the firm of Clemen Bros., to Augusta H., only daughter of the late William Roliff, Esq., of Windsor, Ont.

On the 17th inst., at Lower Horton, N. S., by the Rev. T. F. Huestis, Charles I. Taylor, to Isabella Wood.

Deaths.

At Canard, Cornwallis, on Thursday, the 16th, John Harris, aged 92 years. He was for many years before his death a member of the Baptist Church, and has been long waiting the call of the Master. He thought it better to depart and be with Christ.

On the 21st inst., in the 46th year of his age, J. M. Thompson.

On the 21st inst., at No. 9 Inglis St., Bridget, relict of the late Lawrence Doyle, aged 88 years.

On Nov. 6th, at Cementsport, Annapolis Co., Minnie Deliverance, only child of Arthur and Emma Wright, aged 15 months.

On the 21st inst., in her 90th year, Mrs. Doyle, relict of the late Lawrence Doyle, Esq., Merchant of this city, and mother of the late Hon. Lawrence O'Connor Doyle, formerly M. P. P., for this city.

At Truro, on the 21st inst., of apoplexy, Francis Layton, Esq., aged 63 years.

On Sunday, the 26th inst., John C Shortel, in the 48th year of his age.

In Upper Wilmot, Nov. 24th, after a short illness, Mr. Robert A. Hudson, aged 26 years.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, November 21st.—R M.S. Caspian, Ritchie, Montreal; Stmr. M. A. Starr, Doane, Yarmouth; Brigts. Somerset, McBride, New York; Model, Greening, Malaga, 63 days; A. P. L, Landry, Cow Bay; Schrs. Lothair, Acker, Philadelphia; George Brown, Chalmers, Turk's Island; Louise, Balcam, N. F, Juliet, Sampson, St. John, N. B; J. D. Payson, Shea, Grand Manan; Young Nova Scotian, Vogler, North Sydney; Perseverance, Fougere, do; Henrietta, Publicover, Cape Canso; Mary Covill, Covill, Lockeport; Pheasant, Gresor; H. M. Moyle, Ritcey; Alma, Ritcey; Vivace, Rourke; John King, Smith; Spring Bud, Smith; Lily Dale, Shenkle, LaHave; Merit, Spindler; Pheobe, Zinc; Velocipede, Westhaver; Dayspring, Conrod; Lion, Westhaver; Candid, Coip, Lunenburg; Mic Mac, Crooks, Peggy's Cove; Friend, Lantz, Mahone Bay; Rover's Bride, Fraelock, do; J. F. Purney Purney, Shelburne.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Brigt. Daisy, Essex, Iangua

THURSDAY, 23rd.—Brigts. Constance, McFarlane Demerara; Rescue, Hatfield, New York; Schrs. Portland, Wilson, do; Lord of the Isles, Curtis, Baltimore.

FRIDAY, 24th.—Brigts Maggie, Vigus, New York, bound to Naples; Gem LaVash, Barbadoes; Delta, Hemmett, Inagua; George Wheelwright, Baltimore; Athalaska, Ryan, Turk's Island; Schr. North America, Romkey, Boston

SATURDAY, 25th.—Schrs. Carrie Fraser, Messervey, Fleurs Cove, N F; W. D. Smith, Grant, P. E I; Dolphin, Cheverie, Margaree; William & Mary, Pinkpot, Port Hawkesbury; Victory, Vigneau Cape Canso; Regent, Croft, New Dublin; Minnow, Drew, Petite Riviere; Marie Almeida, Bernier.

SUNDAY, 26th.—Brigt. L. W. Eaton, Woods, Demerara via Inagua.

MONDAY, 27th.—Steamers Carlotta, (Am) Colby, Portland; Alhambra, (Am) Wright, Boston; Commerce, Doane, Charlottetown, P E I, via Port Hawkesbury; schrs. Quartette, Bellong, Charlottetown, P. E. I; Lily of the Clyde, Perry, Lockeport; Louise, Chadsey, do; Wave, Wilson, Barrington; Martha, from Pictou; Adonis, Penz, LaHave; Active, Palmer, Ship Harbor; Emily Jane, Murphy, Ship Harbor.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, November 21st.—R M.S Caspian, Ritchie, Liverpool, C. B; R. M. S North American, Miller, Baltimore via Norfolk; Stmrs. Carlotta Colby, Portland; Commerce, Doane, Charlottetown, P. E I; Brigts. Brooklyn, Innis, Bridgewater; Catherine, Bouche, Arichat; Schrs. Petrel, Carter, Port au Basque, N. F; New Dominion, Russell, Georgetown, P. E. I; Challenge, LeBlanc, Sydney; Angel, Curdy, River Bourgeois; Ann, Grimes, Sydney; Jane Louisa, Patie, River Bourgeois; Scotian, Fader, Georgetown, P. E. I; Comet, Reeves, Port Hawkesbury (2nd clearance); Triumph, Dickson, Sydney; Dolphin, Snow, Port LaTour; Mic Mac, Crooks, Peggy's Cove; Almy, Ritcey, Sydney.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Flowers O'Moray, Masson; Schrs. Mary B, Landry, St. Pierre's and River Bourgoise, C B; Edwin & Eva, Good, Sydney.

THURSDAY, 23rd—Brigt Memphis, Macumber, Hantsport; Schr. Marie Joseph, O'Brien, Port Hood.

FRIDAY, 24th.—Steamer M A Starr, Doane, Yarmouth; Ship St Louis, Pearce, Antwerp; Bark Augustia, Cote, New York; Brigts. Sappho, Davidson, Little Grace Bay; Faughan-Ballagh, Howard, Jamaica; Champion, Fanning, do; Schrs. W. H. Hatfield, Hatfield, Boston; Southern Cross Brown, do; Three Sisters, Miller, Murray Harbor, P. E. I; Jane Amelia, Turbee, Magdalen Islands; Hannah, Vigneau, do; Alexander, Kempt, Georgetown, P. E. I; Lily Dale, Shenkel, LaHave; A. Pitchard, Bargoise, Magdalen Islands; Express, Perrior, Discourse; Voilet, Forrest, Charlottetown; Mary Ann, Arsineau, Magdalen Islands; Mary Louise, Minerve, Canso; Linnet, Grawson, Sydney; Caroline, Ernst, Mahone Bay; Amelia, Gerrior, Arichat; Laura, Jackman, Port Hawkesbury; Centurian, Goolen, Prospect; Mary Alice, Conrod, Lunenburg; Reaper, Hartling, Sheet Harbor; Frank Newton, Wilkie, Bridgewater.

SATURDAY, 25th.—Brigt. Maggie, Vigus, Naples; Schrs. Josephine, Levie, Souris, P. E I; Ne Plus Ultra, Terrio, Arichat; Silver Arrow, McDonald, Bedeck; British Pearl, Hadley, Guysboro'; Busy, Young, Lunenburg; Friend, Lantz Mahone Bay; Clear, Hatt, do; President, Turbide, and Jenny Lind, Turbide; Archangel, Sourphe, and Greenock, Terrio; Temperance, Chassong; Marie, Arseneau; Dolphin, Richards, and Arctic, Arseneau, all for Magdalen Islands.

MONDAY, 27th.—Steamer Alhambra, (Am) Wright, Charlottetown, P. E. I; Brigt Maggie, Strum, LaHave; Schrs Maggie, Lane, Jamaica via Sheet Harbor; Mariam Smith, King, Port au Basque, N. F; Flirt, Boudreau, Magdalen Islands; Unity, McDonald, Margaree; Dolphin, Delaney, do; Mary Ellen, Fougere, Harbor au Bouche, N. F; Paragon, Gosbee, Cape Canso; Sea Foam Gerrior, Pictou; A. R. McKenzie, McKenzie, Barrington; Phœbe, Zinc, Lunenburg.

99 GRANVILLE STREET. 99

JOSEPHINE KID GLOVES,
ROUILLON'S BEST.

Just received fresh from the hands of the Manufacturer, our Autumn stock of Rouillon's (first choice) French Kid Gloves, making with our other well known makers, the best assorted stock in the city.

ALSO—*Per Austrian.*

One Case Newest Tartan Striped Shawls

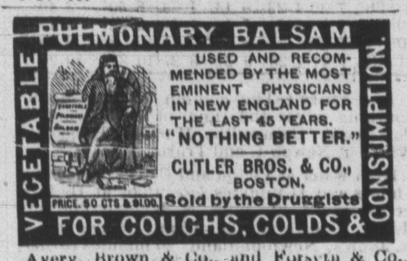
Per Carlotta.

FROM PORTLAND.

Three Cases American Straw Turbans and Sailor Hats, to all of which we respectfully invite attention.

SMITH BROS.

Nov. 15.



Avery, Brown & Co., and Forsyth & Co., Agents.

Nov. 8. 6m.

GATES'
LIFE OF MAN BITTERS,
FROM THE
Roots and Plants of Nova Scotia,
FORMERLY MANUFACTURED BY
MRS. GATES, OF WILMOT,

WHO was pronounced incurable of Liver Complaint and Dropsy by many skilful physicians; when procuring several receipts from an eminent French physician, she was entirely cured; and afterwards cured hundreds of cases for which at first there seemed to be no hope. We offer these remedies to the public through the persuasion of those who at present consider that they are indebted to them for the preservation of their lives. Many certificates can be given for the cure of the following diseases:—*Dropsy, in its worst form, Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Swelling of the Limbs and Face, Asthma of whatever kind; Dyspepsia, Billiousness, Spitting of Blood Bronchitis, Sick Headache, Diseases of the Blood Female Diseases, Running Sores, Rheumatism, Erysipelas.*

These Bitters are taken in connection with a Syrup to regulate the bowels and purify the blood. We also prepare a LINIMENT and an OINTMENT for external application when required.

The following certificates describe a few of the astonishing cures which have been made by the use of these remedies:

This is to certify that for three or four years I have been troubled with headaches and that six months ago I procured a bottle of Gates Medicine, Syrup No 1, and have not been troubled in that way since; and would recommend it to any who are subject to pains of that kind It is a sure cure.

J. H. FRASER.

Mill Village, Feb 24, 1871.

Melbourne Square, Nov. 24th, 1868.

Dr. C. Gates, Victoriaville,

Dear Sir, I have great pleasure in informing that the Ointment made by you and used by myself according to your directions has, in my case, proved completely effectual, and I firmly believe has worked a perfect cure. For twelve months previous to using your valued preparation I was almost constantly troubled with a very annoying affection in my throat, causing an unpleasant hacking, which was generally believed would terminate in consumption; but since using your ointment I am wholly clear of said cough, and now feel it my duty to inform you, and I would add you are at liberty to use this certificate in any way that will induce others to give your preparation a trial.

Yours very truly,
WM. STEPHENSON.

This is to certify that I was suffering from weakness and general debility. Having tried many remedies without being benefitted, I was induced to try Dr Gates' Medicines two years ago, and have enjoyed much better health, since using them, than for many years before, and can safely recommend them to the public.

MRS. I. F. PALMER

Aylesford, Oct 2nd, 1869.

The medicines are manufactured by

Caleb Gates,

PRICE.

Bitters $1 per quart; Syrup 50 cents per pint bottle; Liniment 30 cents per bottle and the ointment 30 cents per box.

Address CALEB GATES & CO.,
Farmington, Wilmot, Annapolis Co.

☞ A large number of certificates, similar to the above, have been received and will be published at times for the information of the afflicted and the people generally.

AGENTS.—George V. Rand, Wolfville. John Webb, Windsor. J. E Newcomb, Hantsport. J. L. Cogswell, Kentville. Sheffield & Wickwire, Canning.

GENERAL AGENT, JOHN K. BENT
124 Granville Street, Halifax.

NOTICE.

WE would respectfully inform our Agents and friends that J. C. Rockwell is no longer our Agent, and to receive no more medicine from him or any other person or persons, which they may say is our genuine medicine as our "Invigorating Syrup" has been counterfeited. Until further notice.

Yours,
CALEB GATES & CO.

Nov. 4.

1871 FALL. 1871

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

S. Howard & Son,

HOLLIS STREET.

Are now showing the contents of

291 Cases and Bales

OF

NEW SEASONABLE

DRY GOODS,

WHICH HAVE BEEN PURCHASED

ON

Extremely Advantageous Terms.

IN THE

BEST EUROPEAN MARKETS,

AND WHICH WILL BE OFFERED TO

Wholesale & Retail Customers,

AT

PROPORTIONATELY LOW RATES.

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 arival 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, guided 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 BOY'S 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.

HOUARD, WHITEHEAD & CRICHTON.

May 17.

WINDSOR AND ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE No. 9.

COMMENCING 2nd. OCT., 1871.

Miles.	STATIONS.	Express. 1st class only. 1	Passengers and Freight. 3	Passengers. 5
	Halifax (by N. S. Railway)	a. m. 8 00	a. m 7 00	p. m. 3 00
			p. m.	
45	Windsor	10 30	1 00	6 50
47	Falmouth	.....	1 05	6 55
50	Mount Denison	.....	1 15	7 10
52	Hantsport	10 50	1 25	7 15
57	Avonport	11 00	1 45	7 30
59	Horton Landing	.....	2 00	7 35
60	Grand Pre	11 08	2 05	7 40
63	Wolfville	11 15	2 15	7 50
65	Port William	11 20	2 25	7 55
70	Kentville, arrive	11 40	2 50	8 10
	Do leave	11 50	3 15	
75	Coldbrook	.....	3 25	
		p m		
79	Waterville	12 10	3 45	
82	Berwick	12 20	4 00	
87	Aylesford	12 40	4 20	
89	Morden Road	.....	4 30	
94	Kingston	12 55	4 40	
98	Wilmot	.....	5 00	
101	Middleton	1 15	5 10	
107	Lawrencetown	1 30	5 35	
110	Paradise	.....	5 45	
115	Bridgetown	1 45	6 10	
121	Roundhill	.....	6 30	
129	Annapolis	2 30	7 00	
190	St. John by Steamer	9 00	.....	

Miles.	STATIONS.	2 Passengers	4 Passengers and Freight.	6 Express, 1st class only.
	ST. JOHN, N. B. (by Steamer.)			a. m. 8 00
			a. m.	p.m.
	Annapolis	.....	6 30	2 30
8	Roundhill	.....	6 50	2 50
14	Bridgetown	.....	7 20	3 15
19	Paradise	.....	7 40	3 25
22	Lawrencetown	.....	8 00	3 30
28	Middleton	.....	8 20	3 45
31	Wilmot	.....	8 30	3 50
35	Kingston	.....	8 45	4 00
40	Morden Road	.....	9 00	.....
42	Aylesford	.....	9 20	4 20
47	Berwick	.....	9 40	4 35
50	Waterville	.....	9 50	4 40
54	Coldbrook	.....	10 00	4 50
59	Kentville,—			
	arrive	a. m	10 20	5 00
	do leave	6 30	10 35	5 10
64	Port William	6 45	10 55	5 25
66	Wolfville	6 50	11 15	5 30
69	Grand Pre	7 00	11 25	5 35
70	Horton Landing	7 05	11 30	5 40
72	Avonport	7 15	11 40	5 45
			p. m.	
77	Hantsport	7 30	12 00	6 00
79	Mount Denison	7 35	.....	6 05
82	Falmouth	7 45	12 20	6 20
84	Windsor	7 50	12 30	6 30
129	Halifax, by N. S. Railway.	11 05	5 20	9 00

"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.
Oct. 11.

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 2rd inst.

Gen. Post Office, Halifax,
18th Oct. 1871. Oct. 25.

IRON BEDSTEADS FOR SALE.

FALL STOCK.

200 Bedsteads, Cots, Stretchers, &c, to choose from. Newest styles and colors. Cheaper than ever.

ANOTHER LOT OF THE

PATENT CHAIR BEDSTEADS,

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The most comfortable and convenient folding BEDSTEAD in the market.

Bedding,
Furniture.
and Floorcloth,
in great variety.

McEWAN & CO.,
Upholsters, No. 20 Barrington Street.
Oct 18 to Dec 31

NO ICE 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 ½ oz. which must be prepaid by stamps.

A. WOODGATE.
Post Office, Halifax, Oct. 4th, 1871.
Oct. 11.