

SHOCKING AFFAIR.—We mentioned the other day that a man at Clarenceville had been made drunk, and his clothes saturated with turpentine and set fire to. We now learn, with much sorrow, that he has since died, leaving a widow and large family totally destitute. A subscription has been set on foot for their relief. On Wednesday last the High Constable, Mr. Delisle, brought into town Samuel Lewis, Samuel Adams, and Robert Miller, charged with the offence, and lodged them in jail for trial. It is deeply to be deplored that men of respectability as those are, should have brought themselves into such an awful position, for the sake of carrying out what they say at the time a harmless lark.—*Montreal Gazette.*

A CURIOUS SCENE.—A Correspondent of the Boston Times writing Aug. 19th., from St. John, relates the following incident.

The solemn appearance of the city would seem to forbid any notice of ludicrous scenes which occur—many of them would cause your readers to laugh even over the grave. For instance a hearse was seen a day or two since passing through the streets to the cemetery; on the top of the hearse sat two women in a joyful mood; following the hearse as mourners, were two men about three sheets in the wind, singing loudly:

"Oh, Susannah, don't you cry for me."

ANOTHER SPECK OF WAR.—The wanton destruction of Greytown by the United States sloop of war *Cyane*, is likely to lead to unpleasant state of things. The *Star of the West* brings intelligence that Greytown Punta Arenas have been seized by order of the British authorities, and Martial Law has been proclaimed. It is denied that a blockade has been effected, yet there is no denial of the fact of Martial Law having been proclaimed, and that much excitement prevails in consequence of the cowardly and mischievous act of Capt. Hollins. The Jamaica journals speak out strongly upon the subject, and not only demand full satisfaction, but call upon England to declare war against the United States at once. That England is in duty bound to demand full reparation cannot be denied, for she claims to hold a protectorate over the Mosquito Kingdom, and must see the matter righted. That the act was of a most wanton and outrageous character is readily admitted by the leading Journals of the United States, and the Government is severely censured for having countenanced it.—*Exchange.*

WASHINGTON, Aug 10.—The story that Russia was about to sell Sitka to the United States, or that the Czar made an offer to cede it on any condition, is pure invention. No such proposal has been made to the State Department, and what is more, no instructions to make it had been received by the Russian legation here, either by a recent message or any other conveyance.

A terrific tornado passed over Louisville on the 27th inst., about 12 o'clock. The fourth Presbyterian church was blown down; 25 of the congregation were killed instantly, and a large number wounded. Numerous other buildings were unroofed and blown down.

Fully one hundred buildings were unroofed and otherwise injured.

The total loss is estimated at \$100,000.

The storm was also severe in Jeffersonville, where four houses were destroyed.—*Frontier Jour.*

The Quebec Mercury says it is currently reported that Lord Elgin has convened Parliament without the knowledge of any of his ministry, who were desirous of delaying the session as much as possible.

A fashionable dentist of Philadelphia has been charged with taking improper liberties with some of his lady patients while they were under the effects of chloroform. He was held to bail in the sum of \$2000.

A young man named Smith, residing in Cardigan, lately shot himself accidentally. While striking an apple from a tree with the butt of his fowling piece, the trigger went off and the contents were lodged in his bowels. He is not we believe yet dead, but his pain is extreme.—*Fredericton Reporter.*

There have been very few deaths in Fredericton for the past week. The instances are as few at the present as at any period during the last five years.—*Fred. Reporter.*

The Bermuda Royal Gazette of the 15th August says: "The Cholera, we are much pleased to learn, has almost entirely disappeared from Barbadoes. There were at the latest accounts thence, but a case or two, and these were reported to be in the country."

It was perfectly healthy at Demerara.

The Physicians of Madame Sontag and Pozzolini publish a letter in which they say there was no poisoning in the case.

INVASION OF BRITISH AMERICA BY THE SITKA INDIANS.—From Oregon we have intelligence to the following effect:—The settlers on Puget Sound are greatly disturbed by reports of the attacks made by the warlike savages to the north of them, and by apprehensions of a serious Indian war. The Sitka Indians, it appears, have made a descent from Russian into British America, and have excited the fears of the British for the safety of their settlement of Vancouver's Island the vicinity. It is supposed the incursion of the Sitka tribes has been instigated by the Russians, who have full control over them. At Vancouver's Island, there was the greatest excitement prevailing from a rumor which reached the island, that several Russian vessels of war were daily expected to arrive, and that the island would be taken in the absence of an English man-of-war, as it is entirely unprotected, having neither fortifications nor soldiers on it, and lies at the mercy of the Russians.

The St. John diving company, who have been employed in searching for sunken treasure along the coast of Nova Scotia, have been quite successful, and are now engaged in raising pig iron from the wreck of the English ship Tribune, lost off Herring Cove in 1798.

DECEIVING EMIGRANTS. A story has been circulated in Liverpool, and has been repeated in Cork and Limerick, with many additions, that the "United States will give one hundred and sixty acres of land to the chief of every family arriving at the ports of New York and Boston." The effect of this story, when spread through Ireland and Germany, will be to vastly increase the immigration to this country.

The city authorities of Boston have decreed that all the names of non-residents, who come to Boston and get drunk and are arrested, shall be published.

SEVEN NEGROES KILLED IN TEXAS.—The *Tyler Telegraph* of the 24th June says:—"We learn from our friend A. M. Davis, who has just returned from Athens, Henderson county, that Mr. Coleman near that place, lost five negroes on the 7th inst., who were killed instantaneously by a stroke of lightning. On the evening of the same day he attempted to chastise one of his slaves, and two of them attempted to beat him, when he shot them both with a double-barrelled gun. A day of terrible disaster to Mr. Coleman."

A venerable matron of North Adams, Mass., aged 93 years, recently gave a tea-party to her old friends. Amongst the guests were four ladies of the respective ages of 86, 82, 80, and 73, and three gentlemen aged 85, 80, and 83. Six of the above party reside in one neighborhood of less than a mile square, and have been residents of North Adams over fifty years.

The *Mail* tells a tale of a French butler, in a Beacon street family, who was poisoned by drinking some wine in which the master and mistress of the house had placed tartar of antimony, with the intent of punishing those who stole the wine. The butler did not steal any, but was asked to drink some by the cook. He is now seriously ill, and has commenced a suit for \$50,000 damage.

At Buffalo, last week, a German is said to have lost his wife by Cholera, married another the next day, and lost her also by death on the following.

RAVENOUS MONSTER.—We learn from the *Augusta Banner*, that an unknown "ravenous monster," is committing terrible depredations among the sheep in the town of Sumner. It is estimated that he has already destroyed upwards of one thousand dollars worth.

CATTLE FROM EUROPE.—The ship *Antarctic* at New York from Liverpool, brought 180 head of cattle, consisting of bulls, cows, sheep, pigs, and horses, for the Kentucky Stock Company.

The steamer *Penobscot* from Bangor, ran down a sail boat while going up Boston harbor on the 22nd inst., drowning two men, whose names were not ascertained.

The receipts in gold from California during the last twelve months amounted in round numbers to fifty-three millions of dollars.

Holloway's Pills for Debilitated Constitutions Disordered Liver and Indigestion.—The wonderful efficacy of this medicine, and the good effects it has produced on patients suffering from diseases of the stomach, liver complaints, bile and Indigestion, would appear incredible, if it were not daily confirmed by proofs of the cures effected by them.—The exhilarating properties of these invaluable Pills entirely banish all nervousness from the system, strengthen the tone of the stomach, thereby promoting digestion; persons suffering from dropsy should use Holloway's Pills, as they are the most safe and certain remedy ever known for that dreadful malady.

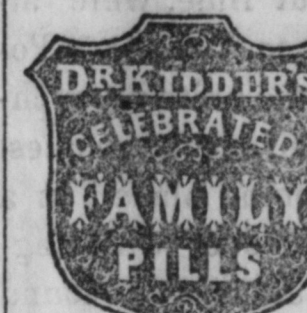
W. T. BAIRD, Agent,
Woodstock, N. B.

Wesleyan Missionary Anniversaries.

SERMONS on behalf of the Wesleyan Missionary Society will be preached on Sunday the 10th day of September, instant, at the places and times following, viz:

Woodstock at 11, a. m., and 6, p. m.
Victoria and Northampton, at 3, p. m.
Jacksonville and South Richmond, at 10 1/2 a. m.
The Public Meetings will take place as follows, that is to say—

Northampton on Wednesday 6th inst, at 3 p. m.
Williamston on Friday 8th inst, at 3 p. m.
Victoria on Monday 11th inst, at 3 p. m.
Woodstock on Tuesday 12th inst, at 7 1/2-2 p. m.
Jacksonville on Wednesday 13th inst, at 3 p. m.
South Richmond on Thursday 14th inst, 3 p. m.
Collections in aid of the funds of said Society will be taken up at each of the above services.
* * * The Missionary Deputation are the Rev. Messrs. Knight and Johnson.
Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 2, 1854.



FOR THE CURE OF

Liver Complaints Jaundice
Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Indigestion, Gout, Dysentery, Diarrhea, Disorders of the Kidneys and Bladder, Erysipelas, and all Diseases of the Skin, Eruptive, Typhoid, and Inflammatory Fevers, Sick-Headache, Costiveness, Pains in the Head, Breast, Side, Back, and Limbs, Palpitation of the Heart, Female Complaints, and all the Diseases arising from an Impure state of the Blood.
These invaluable Pills have been used with unparalleled success in private practice, for more than thirty years, and are now offered to the public, with the fullest conviction that they will prove themselves a public benefit.

They possess the power of stimulating the depurative organs throughout the body to a healthy action, thus assisting nature to subvert disease after her own manner. Price 25 cents per box. Prepared only by

D. TAYLOR, JR. & CO.,
No. 25 Hanover street, Boston.

Agent for Woodstock and vicinity W. L. FERGUSON, who will supply the trade on the most reasonable terms

Mexican Mustang Liniment.

This article has been thoroughly introduced, and is now universally used throughout the entire Union; British Provinces, Canada, Bermuda, and West India Islands; and its power and influence is fast becoming felt wherever civilization has obtained a foothold. Its mild and soothing influence upon diseased parts—effectually curing in all cases—virtues so diametrically opposed to all other medicines of the kind used—has obtained for it its world wide reputation. A brief summary of its power is given in the following beautiful.

ACROSTIC.

Mustang liniment! The mass hails with joy
Earth's healing treasure, whose virtues destroy
Xerasia, that foe to luxuriant hair;
Itch, that the finger nails hopelessly tear;
Cancers, whose gnawings so fearfully tell;
Acute Rheumatism and Chronic as well;
Neuralgia, Toothache, that agony swell!
Mustang—thy progress is upward and on!
Ulcers yield to thee like a dew to the sun.
Scorfulous sores that the doctors perplex;
Tumors of all kinds that bother and vex;
Aches, Cuts, and Bruises, and vile running sores,—
Nuisances—keeping us locked within doors;
Gout, palsied limbs and a host of such ills,
Lame stricken cripples are raised on their legs,
In joy, quaffing pleasure's bright cup to the dregs,
Nature's great remedy—on with thy work!
Inflammations expelling wherever they lurk,
Men, women, and cattle, like evil must bear,
Each one in like manner this blessing can share
Next thing we say—though the truth may sound strange
That if we don't cure—we give back the change.

TO FARMERS & LIVESTOCK KEEPERS AND all who have the care of Horses or other animals, this LINIMENT is of immense benefit. All the Express Companies of New York City are using it, and have unanimously certified in its favor. Proof documents at our office.

To Country Merchants.

Every store should be supplied with this valuable LINIMENT, as it pays a good profit, and sells rapidly.
Sold in Woodstock by W. L. FERGUSON.

Marriages.

At Christ's Church, on the 1st inst., by the Rev. S. D'Lee Street, Rector, John Lavery, of the Parish of Richmond to Annie Dougherty of the same place.

Deaths.

In this village, on Sunday morning last, after a short illness of Brain Fever, Mr. John Davis, aged 22 years.

On Tuesday morning last, of Cholera, Ann L. wife of John S. McBeath, Esq., aged 59 years.
[Nova Scotia and Canada papers please copy.]

On Tuesday morning last, of Cholera, Mr. James Phillips in the 42nd year of his age; and on Wednesday afternoon last, Margaret, relict of Mr. James Phillips, both of Ireland.

On Wednesday last, after a short illness, Mr. George McFadden, aged 22 years.

On Friday the 8th inst., Mary Allis, youngest daughter of J. W. Raymond, aged 3 months and 15 days.

New Advertisements.

BRIDGE NOTICE.

SEALED Tenders will be received by the Subscriber until 4 P. M., of Wednesday the 20th instant, for building a Bridge, and approaches thereto, over the Monquart River, to be finished by the first day of September, 1855, according to Plans and Specifications to be seen at my residence.

Two sufficient securities for the due performance of the work to be named in the tender, and the head workman to be subject to the approval and to be under the control of the Supervisor.

JAMES KETCHUM.

Woodstock, September 6th, 1854.

J. W. TOLFORD & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

White Lead, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Brushes, ARTISTS' MATERIALS, &c.

Paper Hangings, Fire-Board Prints, Window Curtains, Coach and Furniture Varnishes, Spirits Turpentine, Acids, Dye Woods, DRUGS, &c.

Woodstock, July 29th, 1854.

Farm and Dairy Implements, &c.

THE Subscriber has now on hand and to arrive the largest stock ever imported by him of FARM and DAIRY IMPLEMENTS, &c., comprising—Those Improved Patent Labor-Saving Churns,—assorted sizes:

Improved Patent Cheese Presses;
Wool Cards and Wheel Heads;
Cast Steel Hoes, Shovels and Spades;
English and American Scythes; Bush Scythes;
Seythe Sneaths, Forks, Rakes, Rifles, Stones, &c.;
These articles having been selected with great care, and imported direct from the Manufacturers, will afford as good a selection, and at as low prices as can be found in this Province.
JOHN T. SMITH.
Fredericton, June 23, 1854. July 8

FOR THE TOILET.

Hurd's Golden Gloss,
Balm of Columbia,
do Thousand Flowers,
Lyon's Kathairon,
Bogle's Hyperion,
Turkish Balm,
Barry's Tropicopherous,
Maccassar Oil,
London Perfumery, in great variety,
Cytherean Cream of Soap,
Cold do
Heberoria, for the Complexion,
Charcoal Paste,
Compound Chlorine Tooth Wash,
Oto of Rose,
French Depilatory,
Hair Dye,
Silver top Smelling Bottles,
Hair, Nail, Comb and Tooth Brushes,
Dressing Combs,
June 17. For sale by W. L. FERGUSON,

NOTICE.

THE following Non-Resident Proprietors of Land in the Parish of Simonds, County of Carleton, are taxed in the amounts set opposite their respective names for the year 1854, which they are required to settle forthwith according to law, and also the expense of this advertisement.

	s.	d.
William W. Wiggins,	1	5
Andrew Ray,	10	
John Wilson,	10	
Isaac Fletcher,	5	
Chas. McPherson,	1 11	1 2
Moses Palmer,	10	
Moses McNeely,	3	4
Elijah S. Long,	10	1 2
George Long, Sen.,	3	4
Chas. Smith,	1	8
Joseph Holyoke,	1	8
Jas. McCann,	5	
Wm. Hopkins, Sen.	5	
Wm. Hopkins, Jr.,	1	8
Malachi Doyle,	1	8
James Muldoon,	1	8
Pat McQuade,	1	9
John R. Jacob,	4	7
Estate of the late James McLaughlin,	1	1 1 2
George Good, Sen.,	1	8
Francis Laden,	1	8
John Hart,	1	4
Robert Varson,	1	8
W. H. Dible,	5	0
Michael Kennedy,	1	3 0
Edwin J. Jacob,	5	0
Isaac Miller,	1	8
John L. Marsh,	2	6
Hon. C. Fisher,	3	4
James Phillips,	1	3
David Tracey,	4	1 2

JOHN SMITH,
Collector of Rates.

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NOW OPEN 2,000 LADIES and MISSES' Bonnets, among which will be found every desirable style.

6 Cases Gents Satin, Leghorn, and Kossuth Hats.

M. McGUIRK.
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BOTTLES!

CASH PAID for "CURE ALL LINIMENT BOTTLES" by the Dozen or Gross.
WILLIAM T. BAIRD.

Woodstock, Feb. 2, 1854.

Fat Herrings.

20 BARRELS For Sale by A. PAYSON.
Woodstock, March 11, 1854.

Codfish.

PRIME COD on Sale, at A. PAYSON'S.
Woodstock, March 11, 1854.

Barey Oats for Seed.

120 BUSHELS for Sale by A. PAYSON.
Woodstock, March 11, 1854.

NOTICE.

AS the Subscriber will necessarily be absent from this County for two or three months on Public service, he begs leave to inform those persons for whom orders of survey for allotments of land in Carleton have issued to him, that the said orders have been placed in the hands of John Bedell, Esq., who is authorized to make such Surveys during the subscribers absence.

H. G. M. GARDEN, Deputy Surveyor.
Woodstock, July 29th, 1854.