

# MISCELLANEOUS.

## NOW THE MERCHANT, ONCE THE SHOE-LESS BOY.

In one of my rambles in New York, I found a little boy in the street, poorly clad, with his bare feet in the cold snow—no hat, and in the most wretched condition. I called him to me, and proposed the following questions:—

"What is your name, my little fellow?"

"My name is George S."

"Where do you live?"

"In the woods by the old mill."

"What is your father's name?"

"I have no father (and he burst into tears): my father was brought home dead about a year ago. He was found frozen to death on the road to our house."

"And your mother—is she living?"

"Yes, sir; but she is poor, and goes out to work."

"Have you any brothers and sisters?"

"Yes; one brother and one sister."

"Are they at home?"

"Yes, sir; they are little ones, and cannot go out now."

"Well, my little fellow, you want a pair of shoes and some clothes."

"Yes, sir; but I want to get something for mother to eat first."

This told the story. I asked no more questions, but immediately set about work to be done. George was soon in my wagon with me, and food enough for his mother's present necessities. On reaching the house, I found a lonely woman with two dear little ones, and nothing to eat. George jumped out of the wagon, and ran into the house, saying, "Oh, mother, mother! you will not cry any more—the gentleman has got us enough to eat for a whole month." I found by inquiry that the father had been a drunkard, and died in a drunken fit, and left the widow to struggle alone. George was then about ten years of age, was the only child large enough to be of any help to his mother, and a good boy he was to that poor mother.

I left the house, and the next day sent some good women to clothe them, and get George to attend school next Sabbath. George was at the school, with new shoes, and hat, and clothes—a happy, cheerful boy.

For one year he was my scholar; until I left the place. Business of importance called me to one time to the great city, the London of America. I had spent the morning in viewing the great buildings—the City Hall, the great Custom House, Trinity Church, with its tall spire, then nearly completed, and many other public places so interesting to the stranger; and, much wearied with my morning's excursion I sought my friend's house as a place of rest. While sitting at the dinner-table, a servant handed me a note, that moment left at the door by some unknown person, which read as follows:—

DEAR SIR,—Having seen your name announced as one of the speakers at the Sunday-school meeting, it will give me great pleasure to see you at No. 1—Pearl Street, this afternoon, at three o'clock. Do not disappoint me. Your friend, GEORGE S.

I hastened to comply with the invitation at the appointed hour. Threading my way along through the multitude of people thronging the busy streets, I arrived at the number mentioned in the note. I inquired of the clerk for the name, and to my surprise he introduced me to the proprietor of a large wholesale dry goods store, one of the first establishments in the city.

"Sir," said the merchant, "I believe I am not mistaken; this is Mr. W., the poor student of Mr. W., once my teacher in the Sabbath-school of W."

"The same," answered the merchant, grasping my hand, with the greatest joy, while a tear trickled down his cheek. "The same, only grown to manhood."

Soon after I left the place, he was fortunate enough to meet a man from New York who loved Sabbath-schools. While he was on a visit to some friends in the country, he saw George, and being pleased with him, offered to take him home.

By good conduct he gained the affections of all who knew him. At the age of eighteen years he was advanced to the station of clerk, and from a clerk to a partner with his employer.

He is superintendent of a large school of poor boys, picked up from the streets and lanes of the city, a member of the Church, and much beloved by all his brethren—a man known, too, by the poor and afflicted. As I sat there, so happily rejoicing in the goodness of God, as manifested in this instance, I could not but ask George, "Where is your mother?"

"Oh, sir, she went home to heaven from my arms in this very room, a few months since; and just before she died she gave me strict charge to find you out; and, if I found you out, to tell you that her dying breath went up to God for a blessing on your head."

Your sister, what has become of her; and baby brother?"

"Oh, sir, my brother has grown up to be a young man, and is now a clerk and first book-keeper in my store, and he, too, has a large class in Sabbath-school; and my dear sister is far away, the companion of a devoted missionary in the west. She was married but a few months previous to my mother's death."

Here I must leave the history of this interesting family, and in a few words hint at the lesson it teaches.

1. See how God confers His blessings on those little children who love their parents. Little George cared not for the shoes for his cold feet, and a warm cap for his head, until his poor mother could have food. And, through that little boy, God came in mercy to the family. George early became a Christian, and was the humble instrument of the conversion of his mother and sister. The mother is permitted the privilege of dying in the glorious prospect of heaven, and sinking down to the grave sustained by the arms of her noble boy. The sister goes out to be the companion of the missionary, to aid in spreading the news of salvation to the poor and perishing.

2. What encouragement there is in this history of facts! It teaches us to labour for the poor and destitute sons of affliction and poverty, that they

may shine as stars of the first magnitude in the Saviour's crown.

Dear friends, remember the poor. Do not pass them by; care for them, and God will reward you a hundred-fold.

3. The benefits of Sabbath-school instruction are not confined merely to the things of time: they reach into eternity, and roll a wave of glory up to the very throne of the great God.—*English paper.*

## LIGHT IN DARKNESS.

How often we, like Hagar, mourn  
When some unlooked-for blight  
Calls us away, no more to turn  
To joys we fancy bright.  
Forced from our idols to retreat,  
And seek the Almighty's care,  
Perchance we are sent forth to meet  
A desert-solitary.

Thou who didst sit at Jacob's well,  
The weary hour of noon,  
The languid pulses thou canst tell,  
The nerveless spirit tune.  
Thou from whose cross in anguish burst  
The cry that owned Thy dying thirst,  
To Thee we turn, our Last and First,  
Our Sun and soothing Moon.

From darkness here and dreariness  
We ask not full repose,  
Only be thou at hand to bless  
Our trial-hour of woes.  
Is not the pilgrim's toil o'erpaid  
By the clear light and palmy shade?  
And see we not, up earth's dark glade,  
The gate of heaven unclosed? —*Anon.*

A COMFORTING CHARGE.—"Children, when I am dead, sing a song of praise to God." Such were the dying words of the mother of John and Charles Wesley.

We love to meditate on the words of the departing Christian. We love to recall the joyful testimony of Janeway, and the almost celestial utterances of Payson. The thrice repeated exclamation of Gordon Hall, in the last spasms of Asiatic cholera, "Glory to thee, O God!" The sublime language of Luther, "Father, into thy hands do I commend my spirit; thou hast redeemed me, thou faithful God!" are all comforting and encouraging to the Christian. But we know of no parting words more sweet and soothing than those of the venerable mother we have quoted:

"Children, when I am dead, sing a song of praise to God."

Her troubles would then be ended. Her body would be free from weariness and pain; peace and rest would be its enduring heritage. "Alas!" said the dying Richard Baxter, when asked concerning his bodily state. Death remedies all physical ills. Who would shed tears over deliverance from suffering?

The consummation of her desires: would be attained—to be with God. The long-warded rest that remains for his people, and the oft-contemplated glory of his abode would be realized.

"Out of her last home, dark and cold,  
She would pass to a city whose streets are gold,  
From the silence that falls upon sin and pain,  
To the deathless joy of the angel's strain;  
Well would be ended what ill begun,  
Out of the shadow into the sun."

Well might her family praise God at such an hour. Who would be sad at a mother's joy? Who would weep when angels rejoice? "Who," says one, "would save his tears for a coronation day?"—*Independent.*

"ENTERING INTO LIFE MAIMED."—Last August my heart was cheered by a conversion attended with painful circumstances. A few miles from me lives a Swede, a noble old man, who had been for some time a secretary in the king's cabinet, and for six years a speaker in one branch of the Swedish parliament. He sought a voluntary exile here, on account of hatred raised against him for energetic measures against the established and in favour of free religion, as the state church was too exacting. The old man was reduced to poverty, so that he was obliged to take a gold medal, which he received in Sweden as a reward of his patriotism, to purchase a plough with.

Last summer, while at work in the saw-mill here, he was caught on the saw and his left arm almost torn from his body. As soon as I heard of the accident, I hastened to his house and aided in dressing his wounds and attending him, while he sent six miles for a surgeon. His fond wife was frantic with grief; yet in calm heroism lay the old hero with his mangled member resting on his side. We feared he would die before the surgeon came, and I was anxious to do something for his soul.

I could not talk fluently with him myself, so I rode in haste eight miles for a good Scandinavian brother, who laboured with him faithfully all night, and in the morning the stern fortitude of this strong man softened into the calm serenity of the Christian's hope. It was a sublime spectacle—a great man lying on his lowly couch. He had no tears for his own bitter anguish; he wept not at the agony of his loved companion; but when the love of God flooded his soul, with streaming eyes and touching eloquence he spoke in broken language of his new-found joys. It was the most eloquent sermon I ever heard.

His neighbours were assembled, and there was hardly one who did not weep with him. At length, after over thirty hours' waiting, the surgeon came; his arm was amputated, and he lives, praising God's mercy in afflicting him, and quoting that passage which speaks of "entering into life maimed." It was indeed a wonderful providence, sent on purpose for his soul's salvation. The saw on which he fell was checked, or he would have been sawn asunder.—*Home Missionary.*

TALKS ON SMOKING AND DRINKING.—Of the forty-four millions and a half yielded to the revenue by the Customs and Excise, twenty-six millions and a half are produced, incredible as it may seem, by duties on drinking and smoking. The total is so astounding that we give the details. The items will be found in the Finance Account, page 28, last column. Customs—Tobacco and snuff, £5,596,000; foreign and colonial spirits, £2,521,000; wine, £1,635,000. Excise—Malt, £6,648,000; hops, £452,000; spirits, £9,778,000. Total produce of taxes on smoking and drinking, £26,029,000. It is right that the luxuries of a people should be taxed, rather than the necessities of life. But, when these luxuries are carried to the extent that smoking and drinking are indulged in by the

British people, they become vices which ought to be checked. For however much the revenue may be increased, the gain is positive loss to physical health, national wealth, and social advancement.

DUNDAS MILLS CANADA FLOUR.—Landing ex brig from Boston, 500 bbls of the above approved brands. For sale by HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

FLOUR.—Landing ex-Emily from New York, 300 bbls. "Bellevue" Flour. For sale by JACOB D. UNDERHILL, 4 South Wharf.

MOORE NEW GOODS!—By steamer Forest City from Boston, and Zealand from New York, the subscriber has just received the following, viz., 300 dozen Hoop Skirts, newest makes; 25 gross round and flat Cane Hoops; 80 bales black Wadding; 6 cases Gents' Hats and Caps, newest styles; 3 do Shirts and Collars; 10 do assorted Satinets, Cotton Flannels, Denims, Jeans; Scarlet, blue, and grey Flannels; Waterproof Clothing; Rubber Coats; Dress Buttons, Trimmings, &c. Also, 2 cases Italian and Oil Clothing. The above Goods were purchased for cash, at lowest possible prices, and will be sold very cheap, to wholesale and retail buyers.

IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, 2 King street, SIMON NEALIS.

DAVIES & MARSHALL, 27 King street, have just received per steamship Africa, New Goods—HATS, Hats, Hats, in Straw and Crinoline; BONNETS, Bonnets, Bonnets, a case of plain and cheap; Barages, very cheap; with a few quite new fabrics and styles; white Ribbons, Black Lace Silks.

FLOUR.—100 bbls Napier Flour, landing ex H. Harelock from New York. For sale by JACOB D. UNDERHILL.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Parties wishing a Superior Fitting COAT, EXACTLY TO ORDER, at the subscriber's Clothing Establishment, No. 83, PRINCE Wm. STREET, J. E. WHITEKIR.

A RARE CHANCE!—Ex Europa, 40 pieces wide with 1000 yards of beautiful styles, just opened, a quarter dollar per yard. ENNIS & GARDNER.

SODA WATER.—Superior Soda Water, with a variety of Syrups, manufactured by C. P. CLARKE, Druggist, 85 King street.

HATS AND BONNETS.—We have just received our second spring importation of these Goods. ENNIS & GARDNER.

NEW DRESS GOODS.—Ex Europa, 2 cases New Dress Materials, suitable for June and July, just opened. ENNIS & GARDNER.

CHAMP MANTLES.—Our entire stock of Cloth and Silk Mantles has this day been reduced 25 per cent. ENNIS & GARDNER.

NAPIER FLOUR.—Landing ex ship, Boston—500 bbls. For sale by HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

NOTICE.—I would respectfully inform the inhabitants of the city and suburbs that I will procure every Fresh and Vegetables that are in season. Ladies and Gentlemen requiring an extra quantity can insure its coming every Tuesday and Friday, by leaving their orders every Wednesday and Saturday previous, any time before ten o'clock at night, at the General Store, St. John, GREEN, AGENT.

CONVEY CLINCH RINGS.—The subscriber has received a good assortment of CONVEY CLINCH RINGS. For sale by W. H. ADAMS.

TRUNKS AND VALISES.—The subscriber has received a large assortment of Trunks and Valises, which he will sell at his store, 86 Prince Wm. street. (May 21.—w.) J. E. WHITEKIR.

MILK PANS.—Per arrival from Liverpool, 500 dozen Milk Pans, white enamel, sold by lot. For sale by M. T. BREWER, 25 Dock street.

JUST received at the NORTH AMERICAN CLOTHING STORE, King Street—1 case Light and Wool Trunks—Gentle men requiring good goods by the yard, or made up to order, per each Tuesday and Friday, by leaving their orders and examine quality and price. A perfect fit warranted at this establishment. (July 4.) ROBERT HUNTER.

FURTHER SUPPLY OF INDIA RUBBER GOODS, just received at No. 90 Prince Wm. street—Rubber Cloaks and Pouches; Rubber Luggage Cases; Rubber Boots for Haversacks and Gun Cases; Rubber Aprons; Rubber Door Mats and Tobacco Pouches; Rubber Urinals, male and female; Rubber Balls in variety; Rubber Wheel Parlour Skates; Rubber Syringes of all kinds; Rubber Navy Bags and knapsacks; Rubber Dressing and Fine Tooth Combs. For sale by G. C. GABEL.

27<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 1862.—Just received—1½ inch Spruce Plank, 1 inch Spruce Plank 1½ inch Pine Plank, seasoned; ¾ inch Boards, seasoned. For sale by M. T. BREWER, British street.

14<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1862.—In stock a lot of clear Boards, 1½, 1½, and 2 inch Plank, very large size, best quality, and well seasoned. For sale by M. T. BREWER, British street.

Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing, July 16.—wpi

JUST received at 90 Prince William street, WHITNEY'S Patent Improved Galvanized CLOTHES WRINGERS. No family should be without one. For sale by G. C. GABEL.

TO THE PUBLIC!—Constantly on hand, a well assorted stock of thoroughly seasoned LUMBER. Saw or vessel loads weekly added to stock. By having light expenses, and making large sales, I am enabled to sell at very low prices. Inquiries by mail or otherwise, will be answered. Mutual benefit by examining my stock. All lumber warranted to be as good and dry as represented, or money refunded. M. T. BREWER, British street, Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.

19<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1862.—The subscriber offers to the public the following articles, at very low market rates:—Clear Pine Boards, from 12 to 30 inches wide, very dry. 1½, 1½, and 2 inch Plank, clear and very large size, dry. Dry Pine Boards and Plank, of all qualities; Spruce Boards; planed Flooring; small sized Scautling; Clapboards, of all qualities; of equaling, and superior quality. Saved Pine Surboards of all kinds; Cedar Shingles, a very large quantity. Cornice Pieces, and all other articles in the lumber line necessary for building purposes. M. T. BREWER, British street, Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.

1000 FEET 1½ PITCH PINE, very dry. For sale by M. T. BREWER.

14<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1862.—200,000 Cedar Shingles, warranted a first rate lot; 20,000 feet small Scautling. Just received and for sale at small advance on cost, by M. T. BREWER, British street, Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.

LOOKING GLASSES, all sizes. For sale at F. A. COSGROVES.

JUNE 16, 1862.—Received this day from our buyer in Great Britain, part of a lot of 50 packages of Summer Goods, viz., MANTLES, Mantle Cloths, in light, black and waterproof; Dress Goods of low prices; black Silks, best makes; Fancy Silks, new patterns. A large lot of Ribbons, Mantles, and Dress Trimmings, Haberdashery, &c.; Hats, mixed, &c.; 2 cases Cotton Hose, Women's and Girls'. Wholesale and retail. FERGUSON BROS.

2ND JUNE, 1862.—Holt & Nugent's manufacture, Nos. 1, 2, and 3 CLAPBOARDS, Clew, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 saved Pine Shingles. I have a stock of the above hand, manufactured by Messrs. Holt & Nugent. For sale at manufacturers' prices. M. T. BREWER, British street, Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat wharves.

SPEEDY RELIEF.—All of FELLOWS' Medicines, consisting of—Speedy Relief; Dyspepsia Bitters; Worm Lozenges; Leucorrhoea Essence; Balsam of Liverwort; Balsam of Marshmallows; Balsam of Sassafras; Balsam of Tamarind; Noble's Invigorating Balm, &c. Are kept for sale at wholesale and retail by P. R. INCHES.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.—Ladies, preserve your Dresses, by purchasing a pair of India Rubber Dress Shields, only 10 cents. For sale by F. A. COSGROVES.

NOTICE.—The subscriber has transferred his agency of N. D. & H. W. Smith's Organs and Melodions to Messrs. Kimmor Bros., Custom House building, where sample instruments are constantly kept on exhibition.

NOTICE.—Persons wishing to have their Orders in England or Scotland executed by us, can hand them in during the summer, Mr. B. H. Ferguson having left for the above places, where he will remain until next Fall. (May 14.—wpi) FERGUSON BROS.

1862. NEW GOODS!—NEW STYLES!—The subscriber, in returning thanks to his numerous friends and customers in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia for the liberal patronage hitherto received, wishes to inform them and the public generally, that he has now ready for inspection a large and varied stock of Staple and Fancy DRESS GOODS, received by late arrivals from Great Britain and the United States, consisting of—Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Dressings, Tweeds, Vestings; Mantle Cloths, in drab, brown, black and fancy; Grey, white, and striped Corsets, Warps, *Red Ties*; Osnaburghs, Canvas, Duck, Towelling, Cotton Flannels, &c.; Flannels, *Blonde*, Quills, Rugs; Colours, Lustres, Lingerie and fancy Dress Stuffs; Ladies' Mantles, in cloth, glacé silk, &c.; Hosiery, Hats, Ribbons, Flowers and Feathers; Muslins, Laces, Netts, Hosiery, &c.; *Printed Calicoes*, Muslins, Shawls and Hdkfs.; Trimmings; and Small Wares, in great variety; 2,000 SKELETON SKIRTS, newest styles, at the lowest prices.

An immense stock of *Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods*, in Merino and Lamb's-wool Shirts and Drawers; Fine White, Fancy and Crimea Flannel Shirts; Collars, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Undercloths, Trunks, Valises, &c.

The above Goods were all purchased for cash, at the lowest possible prices, and will be sold very cheap, wholesale and retail.

CLOTHING.—Over 5,000 Garments, in Dress and business Coats, Jacketing, Pants, and Vests, all made up in most fashionable style, by first rate workmen, will be sold at extraordinary low prices. Boys' Clothing, in all sizes; Rubber and Oil Clothing, Overall, Flannel Shirts and Drawers, Sheath Belts, &c.

120 Yards Country Homespun, 100 dozen Wool Socks, 150 lbs White and Colored Yarn, &c. Over 2,000 yards superior WOOL CARPETING, selling off at cost.

Purchasers of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, or Furnishing Goods, any description, will find it to their advantage to call at the

Imperial Buildings, 2 King st., St. John, N. B., Manchester House, Queen st., Fredericton, N. B., London House, Canning, Nova Scotia.

JUNE 11.—wpi SIMON NEALIS.

GENERAL LEATHER AND FINDING STORE.—Constantly on hand, a large and well selected stock of English, French, American, and Domestic Leather and Shoe Findings, at the lowest possible prices for Cash.

J. J. CHRISTIE, 55 South King-street.

P.S.—All orders attended to with punctuality and dispatch. Dec. 4, 1861.—wpi J. J. C.

STAR LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

PROFITS ALREADY DIVIDED:—

Age at entrance.	Sum Assured.	Amount paid to Office.	Bonus added to the sum assured in the ten years.	Total amount now payable at the death of the assured.
15	1000	165 16 8	122 6 0	1,132 6 0
20	1000	136 18 4	127 12 0	1,137 12 0
25	1000	119 18 4	144 12 0	1,144 12 0
30	1000	104 15 0	147 10 0	1,147 10 0
35	1000	97 11 8	156 8 4	1,156 8 4
40	1000	92 11 8	168 10 0	1,168 10 0
45	1000	87 1 8	177 10 0	1,177 10 0

The following are specimens of reductions in lieu of the Bonus, for five years ending 1859:—

Age.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	Reduction.	Annual Premium now payable for the next 5 yrs.
25	1000	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
20	1000	24 7 6	6 13 0	17 14 6
25	1000	27 19 2	7 14 0	20 5 2
30	1000	32 9 2	8 19 0	23 10 2
35	1000	37 14 2	10 8 0	27 6 2
40	1000	45 15 0	12 12 8	32 13 0
45	1000	55 10 10	16 6 0	40 10 0
50	1000	72 7 6	21 2 0	51 5 6

An inspection of these Tables shows results which will be found but few equals in the history of Life Assurance; and a comparison with those obtained, during the same term, by any similar Institution, is invited.

JAN. 31. O. D. WETMORE, Agent.

THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, 92, Lombard-street, London, and Royal Insurance-buildings, Liverpool.

Chairman of the London Board.—SAMUEL BAKER, Esq. Chairman in Liverpool.—CHARLES TURNER, Esq.

The Royal Insurance Company is one of the largest Offices in the Kingdom.

At the Annual Meeting held in August 1859, the following highly satisfactory results were shown:—

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The most gratifying proof of the expansion of the business is exhibited in the one following fact—that the increase alone of the last three years exceeds the entire business of some of the existing and of many of the recently defunct fire insurance companies of this Kingdom.

The Premiums for the year 1859 were.....£130,060  
The Premiums for the year 1858 were.....126,148  
Showing an actual increase of.....3,912  
or upwards of 3 per cent. in three years.

The recent returns of duty made by Government for this last year (1859) again show the "Royal" as more than maintaining the ratio of its increase as stated in former years. Only one among the London insurance offices exhibits an increase of the Premiums for the year 1859 over the year 1858.

The number of policies issued in the year 1859 was 822, the sum assured £287,792 6s. 8d., and the premium £12,854 8s. 4d. These figures show a very rapid extension of business during the last ten years. Thus:—

No. of Policies. Sum Assured. New Premiums.

1848	98	£43,764 17 0	£1,389 1 1
1850	190	95,650 9 11	2,627 4 7
1852	422	181,590 10 6	6,528 5 6
1854	408	161,343 13 4	4,694 16 0
1856	702	297,560 6 8	8,550 3 11
1858	822	287,792 6s. 8d.	12,854 8s. 4d.

The remarkable increase in the business of the last four years is mainly consequent upon the large bonus declared in 1856, which amounted to no less than 22 per cent. per annum on the sum assured, and averaged 80 per cent. upon the premiums paid.

PERCY M. DOVE, Manager and Actuary.

JOHN M. JOHNSTON, Secretary to the London Board.

At inspection of properties taken at fair rates, and Fire losses paid promptly on reasonable proof of loss—without reference to the head establishment.

JAMES J. KAYE, Agent for New Brunswick, opposite Judge Ritchie's Building.

FEB. 15. GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE, 85 King street, St. John, N. B. The proprietor of the General Agency Office would respectfully inform the public throughout the Provinces and United States, that particular and prompt attention will be given to the sale of Foreign and Country Produce, and to the purchase of Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries, and every description of merchandise for the store or family use.

All articles ordered for immediate sale will be placed in the best markets for that purpose.

Arrangements have been made with Baldwin's Northern and Eastern Express, and D. W. Turner's Express, for the transmission of small parcels of Goods and Money.

JAMES GREEN, Agent.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.—I would respectfully inform the public that I shall receive per steamer twice a week from Boston, Fresh Vegetables and Fruit in their season. I should have much pleasure in supplying what ever quantity you may require.

On hand, per last night's boat, Green Peas, Asparagus, Rhubarb, Radishes, Lettuce, Onions and Scallions.

Also, Fresh Oranges, for sale by the barrel or peck. GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE, 85 King street, Corner street, St. John, N. B.

N. B.—OAKS manufactured by Mr. Crothers for sale here. All orders punctually attended to. JUNE 4.

BLASTING FUSE.—The subscriber has just received a further supply of best Blasting Fuse, and has now on hand—Continental; Dry Blasting; Single Taped; for Damp Blasting; Double Taped; for Wet Blasting. For sale low. (April 10.—w.) W. H. ADAMS.

PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c.—The subscriber has just received from London, a supply of the following—Kimmor Bros' Perfumery, consisting of Jockey Club, New Moon Hair, Wood, Violet, Kandelaria, Verbena, Patchouli, Fragrant, and various others; Rimmel's Toilet Vinegar and Fountain Perfumery; Dry Blasting; Single Taped; for Damp Blasting; Double Taped; for Wet Blasting. For sale low. (April 10.—w.) W. H. ADAMS.

MADEIRA.—A fresh supply of Rich Fancy Coatings, in all shades and styles. Also: Latest fabrics for Summer Vestings, in Silk and Wool