CRUELTIES OF SLAVERY.

Rev. Dr. Strickland, a chaplain connected with the army in South Carolina, communicates to the Christian Advocate a very affecting account of two slaves who recently entered the camp from a plantation belonging to a widow Stevens, about one hundred miles above Savannah. He says:

They lost their way several times, as they could only travel by night. When asked how they knew where the Yankees were, they said, "We heard your guns, massa, and dey scemed to call us dis way." Once they were surprised by pickets, and in their flight one of them was shot through the arm and ear; but, preferring death to slavery, they heeded not their pursuers, and escaped. "We knowed massa," said they, "dat we could run faster dan dey cou'd, and dey had no bloodhounds." Living on raw potatoes, which they foraged on the route, and wading swamps and swimming creeks, at length they reached Cooper river and crossed over to our pickets stationed above us on the island. From thence they came

The one who was wounded in the arm and ear had been a house servant, and he was, of course, better acquainted with the movements of our army, as he heard the conversations of the family from time to time on the subject. What is strange in the history of these contrabands, is the remarkable fact that they were all of one mind in regard to the character of the war. Their masters told them that the Yankees were coming to take them off to Cuba, or to kill every one of them; but of the thousands here not one of them believed it. Nothing but a Divine inspiration could have produced, in the absence of all instruction, such a general impression. The trumpet proclaiming the year of jubilee to the slaves in the Jewish nation did not utter a more certain sound to those poor, oppressed and down trodden slaves than was the boom of our cannon a sound of redemption to the slaves of these islands. No music is so sweet to their ears as the scream of our shells, or the whiz and hum of our rifled shots.

The other contraband, whose name is Pompey, was a field hand. He is twenty-two years of age. I asked him if he was married.

"Yes, twice, massa. My first wife is done gone three years ago. Sent to Orleans. I didn't been married by no book, so I 'spect dey had a right to took her. I had another wife one year. De overseer took her for himself, and she has child white as de children of overseer."

"How did you act, Pompey, when he took your "I felt mighty bad, and if I had the overseer

"What made you run away and leave your

here I would cut him in pieces."

"I tell you. The old driver had been lashed so hard that he could not leave his bed for a year, and I was appointed driver. I said I did not want to drive; I couldn't lash people. Overseer said, 'If you don't lash them I'll lash you.' Overseer told me to tie up and whip my own mother. I told him, 'How could I whip my mother?' 'If you don't,' said he, 'I'll kill you.' Den I ran away, and dev sent after me three white men with their troop of dogs. Dey were bloodhounds, sixteen of them. They chased me seven miles, and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I kep dem off until de white men came and I do Silks; I do Kid Gloves; I do Containing Crapes, Velvets, &c.; I do Flowers; I do containing Mantles, Lace Collars, and Parasols; I do Rolled Linings; I do Ro I kep dem off until de white men came and knocked me down; den dey seized me and tore his profession. ob all my clothes, and bit me all over till I was | nearly dead. It was cold, frosty weather, and de blood dripped from my naked body all de way back. When I got back four hundred lashes were put on my back with a rawhide and a shingle. Dey den chained me by neck and heel, and kep me chained all day Sunday, and at night took me | heart of its sinfulness. He believed in baptismal to blacksmith shop and put a knee iron on me, which was a ring round de ancle and one above | the work of the Holy Spirit on the heart. de knee, den a wide bar on each side de leg. At night dev put me in de stocks. Next day de old driver was telled to lash me, but he said he could find no place to lash, as de legs, and arms, and back were all gore."

Some of your readers may ask, Can this be true? Yes, terribly true. Pompey showed me his scars. His back is cut in furrows, in one of which I could lav my finger; his legs and arms are literally covered with the teethmarks of the bloodhounds.

GRACE IN PARDON.

In one of the gala-days at the court of Queen Elizabeth of England, soon after the execution of Mary Stuart, the general gaiety was arrested by guard. His singular appearance had created sus- to make my heart clean inside." picion, and being watched, he was found to be armed, and bent on mischief. The Queen having ordered the guard to bring the prisoner before her, asked him,

"Who are you?"

"Marguerite Lebrun," was the reply. "Marguerite! Marguerite!" cried her Majesty,

"Loose your hands!" said Elizabeth to the

"Nay, madam, I mind not a rough hand. What heart?"

"Who hath broken your heart?"

"Elizabeth of England." "We do greatly marvel at words so bold and strange. Heard you ever, my lords, the like of the Queen of England?"

"Then you should grant me a pardon."

conditions, is no grace. "By my faith, my lords," said the Queen,

thirty years have I now reigned, and never before have I found a person to read me so noble a lesson. My good lords, shall I not bid her go?" Some of her most trusted courtiers remonstrated

against the act, but the Queen listened impatiently. Turning to the prisoner, she said, "Are you not a Frenchwoman?"

"I am."

and gratitude, and admiration. For the first time in the interview she made an obeisance, and carried to her grave a reverence for the queen who could freely forgive a great crime. In like manner Christian hearts love God be-

cause he first loved them, and his free forgiveness of all their sins excites to wonder, and gratitude, and devotion .- The Puritans, by Hopkins.

OH, BE NOT THE FIRST!

Oh! be not the first to discover A blot on the fame of a friend. A flaw in the faith of a lover, Whose heart may prove true to the end.

We none of us know one another, And oft into error we fall; Then let us speak well of our brother, Or speak not about him at all

Suspicion most false and undue; And thus our belief may be shaken In hearts that are honest and true. How often the light smile of gladness Is worn by the friends that we meet

A smile or a sigh may awaken

To cover a soul full of sadness,

Too proud to acknowledge defeat. How often the sigh of dejection Is heaved from the hypocrite's breast, To parody truth and affection, Or lull a suspicion to rest.

How often the friends we hold dearest Their noblest emotions conceal; And bosoms the purest, sincerest, Have secrets they cannot reveal.

Leave base minds to harbor suspicion, And small ones to trace our defects-Let ours be a noble ambition, For base is the mind that suspects.

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coloured man, whose life was not in harmony with

Been baptized, massa," replied Cato, placing a marked emphasis on the word baptized. The minister vainly tried to convince Cato that mere baptism could not make him a Christian. Cato was stubborn on that point, for he had been taught that the water of baptism cleansed the

regeneration. The poor fellow knew nothing of Just then a happy thought struck the minister's mind. He led Cato into his study, took an empty ink-bottle from a shelf, and holding it up, said-"Cato, do you suppose I can clean this bottle

by washing the outside in water?" "No, massa; you must wash de inside too, if

his heart which is within him?" "I see it now, massa, I see it," said Cato, placing his hand upon his brow. "My heart be like de inside of dat bottle. Baptism no cleanse de the sudden seizure of a courtly stranger by the inside. I'se will seek de power of de Holy Spirit

Thus, by means of an old ink-bottle, did this worthy minister overthrow Cato's faith in the nied with full directions for use. One 6lb. can will make

dogma of baptismal regeneration, and led him to a barrel of the best Soft Soap seek that inward washing of which baptism is only and labor are saved by using this Soap. Try it once, and you will not be without it afterwards. It is put up in 1 lb. Reader, are you like an ink-bottle washed on the

outside only? Have you, like Cato, substituted in wonder.

"Madam! I wear a board!" tearing it from her face, "and also a man's apparel, but I am a woman."

the form for the spirit of religion? If so, I commend you to the prayerful study of the true way of our spring stock, viz., 2 bales fancy Cloths; I case do. do., newest styles; I do Mantle Cloths; I do Dress Stuffs; 2 bales Fancy Prints; to be sold wholesale and apostolic words:—

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**March 24TH.—We have this day received the first part mend you to the prayerful study of the true way of our spring stock, viz., 2 bales fancy Cloths; I do Mantle Cloths; I do Mantle

"Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration and renewing of the is the pinching of an arm to me, who carry a broken | Holy Ghost, which he shed on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Saviour, that being justified by his grace, we should be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life."

"Madam, you have reft all that my heart did love. How could it help breaking?

"My mistress, my queen, my chief-beloved Mary of Scotland. My husband, too. My all.

"My husband, too. My all.

"Madam, you have reft all that my heart did offspring of an irregular home; of a home where the voice of praise and prayer ascend not to God, and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and where the ties of affection are not purified and whore in the consumption. It will effectually cure Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Croup, and Whooping Cough. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by March 5.—wpl.

Tall's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.—This Estab-Yes, lady; beggared and broken-hearted. You bid me speak. You bade me tell my errand. I obey. For years my husband and myself had been after days, that heart cannot turn without bitter-For years my husband and myself had been after days, that heart cannot turn without bitterhonored in her service. We were with her when ness of feeling, without anguish and vexation of chinery of the best description. I am prepared to fill orderto any extent with Boots and Shoes of any style or descrip--when-madam, the horror of that scene was a spirit. If there be a curse to any country where dagger to my husband. I tried, I prayed that the the truths of religion are known—the deepest and wound might stanch; but—but—lady, I am s bitterest curse which can be inflicted upon it, is a widow. I lost a loving husband at Fotheringay. multitude of homes like the one which I have I felt my heart-strings yield; but I vowed over supposed. Such homes send forth sons unchecked both their coffins that I would live to revenge both. in evil thoughts, unhallowed in their habits, and I came here to fulfil my vow. A few steps more, untaught in the love of God; the name of Jesus and I had succeeded. I have struggled hard against Christ stamped on their forehead, but not written I came here to fulfil my vow. A few steps more, and I had succeeded. I have struggled hard against my purpose; but in vain."

Christ stamped on their forehead, but not written in their hearts, and they send them forth to prey upon the land, and to become its curse and destruction. But on the other hand, there is a blessing to the religious home, which no tongue can by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents per gallon by retail (smaller quantities in proportion). Also, 20 barrels last six months, with perfect satisfaction to my customers. I am now prepared to sell at prices that cannot be beat, Lamps, Chimneys, and Wicking, cheap for cash. For sale by I are the perfect satisfaction to my customers at 50 cents per gallon by the barrel, and 60 cents p

"Do you put the question to me as a queen or as heart is trained to a love of God, and to take pleasure in His worship and services, interwoven with the existence of many holy affections that die not with the circumstances that gave them "But what assurance can you give me that you birth-which last long, though they may for a will not abuse my mercy and attempt my life again? season be neglected or forgotten, and which shall Should I pardon, it should be at least upon condi- exercise at least some check upon the evil of the tion to be safe from your murderous revenge in human heart, and often, nay, commonly, recall it to hear again the word of God, and turn to the for eash. "Grace fettered by precautions, grace that hath paths of holiness and peace. How great and unspeakable is the happiness of a land where homes like these are common,-Rev. J. H. Rose.

GARDEN SEEDS. FROM London via Liverpool and Portland, per steamer.
Just received—5 casks GARDEN AND FIELD SEEDS, consisting of, Early York Cabbage, Large York do., Early Battersea, Scotch Kail, Large Drumhead Cabbage, Sugar Loaf do., Green Globe Savoy, Drumhead do., Royal Cape Lettuce, Drumhead do., White Selesian do., Paris White Cos do., Long Salmon Radish, Turnip Red do., Turnip White do., Early Scarlet do., Long Prickly Cucumber, Early Freme do., Carly Scarlet do., Spinagh, Paralley's Crass. Silver "I am."

"Whither would you go, should I set you free?"

"To my country and my kindred."

"By God's wounds! I will pardon thee; and I do it without conditions. You shall have safe and honorable conveyance to your own country. My loyal guards, see that she is cared for."

The pardoned woman looked up with wonder, and gratitude, and admiration. For the first time are represented by the state of the first time who was any in the Market. This is my first importation of Seeds, convequently I white do., Early Scarlet do., Long Prickly Cucumber, Early Frame do., Gerkin do., Spinach, Parsley's Cress, Silver Skin Onion, Strasbury do., Blood Red do., Parsnip, Sweet Marjoram, &c. White Norfolk TURNIP, White Globe do., Purple Top Swedish do., Green Top do. do., London do. do., Early Six Weeks do., Yellow Stone do. Early Horn CAR-ROT, Long Orange do., White Belgian do., Large Altringham do., New Intermediate do. PEAS and BEANS in great variety. Canary Seed, Hemp, Flax, &c., &c.

The above are from the well known Seedman, J. G. Waite, Holborn, London, Eng., and are warranted fresh and true. Wholesale and Retail, at prices as low as any in the Market. This is my first importation of Seeds, convequently I

ket. This is my first importation of Seeds, consequently I have no old stock. 26 Charlotte street. Ferguson Bros, have received by steamer Nova Scotian to Portland, 2 cases Dress Goods; 4 do Mantle Cloths; 2 do Men's Fancy Cloths; 4 do do Broadcloths; 1 bale do do; 1 do Bonnet Borders; 1 do Laces and Lace Falls, at wholesale and retail.

april 2. -wpi GRANITE HALL, No. 10, MARKET SQUARE, Next Door to W. H. Adams' Hardware Store. Superb stock of ready-made CLOTHING, made up ex-Pressly for retail trade, now on sale

55 KING STREET.

McIntosh and other makes of Rubber Clothing, comprising an endless variety of Waterproof fabrics. Furnis hing Goods ingreat variety; a superior stock of West of England and Yorkshire Broad and Narrow Cloths, Scotch and English Tweeds and Cassimeres. Vestings in endless variety. Garments made to measure in a superior manner, and at low prices.

THOS. R. JONES. april 24.--pi TO THE CLOTHING AND TAILORING TRADE JUST received by mail steamers via Portland, West of England and Yorkshire Broad and Narrow Cloths; Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Scotch and Chariot Tweeds, and an endless variety of Vestings, and the most complete assortment of first class Trimmings ever imported. The whole will be sold to the trade on reasonable terms.

Further supplies daily expected by mail steamers and sailing vessels. THOMAS R. JONES, 10, Market square. Seeds.--Seeds.-This spring's stock of Seeds now complete.-Landing ex ship Lampedo, 6 sacks containing 22 bushels Turnip Seeds, viz., White and Yellow Stone, Purple and Greentop, Swed., Marshall's and Laing's Improved Swedish, Shamrock and London Swedish; White's Purpletop Hybrid, Yellow Aberdeen, White Globe and

200 lbs cleaned Carrot Seeds, viz., Early Scarlet Horn, New Intermediate, Long Orange, White Belgian, and large Altringham. 10 bushels Spring Vetches. 200 lbs White Clover Seeds; Windsor and Scarlet Run-ner Beans, Beet, Mangold Wurtzel, Parsnip, &c. Also, Rape, Hemp, and Canary Seeds.

Ex Forest City from Boston, Beans, viz., Early Six Weeks, China Dwarf, Cranberry, Mohawk, Valentine, Speckled, London Horticultural and Caseknife, Cucumber, Squash and Melon Seeds, Potato Onions, and 50 bushels

Canada Timothy Seed. Ex steamer from Fredericton, 100 bushels Harvey settlement Timothy Seed. More to arrive. On hand, 4,500 prime Red Clover Seed, wholesale and t. B. BARKER,

35 King street. TE have received by the Jura, via Portland, 2 cases Hats; 1 case Stays; 1 do Clothing, for wholesale;

NDIA RUBBER GOODS .- Received at the North American Clothing Store, per steamer Forest City from Boston, A large lot of India Rubber Coate, Leggins, and Caps, which will be sold at the lowest possible prices for cash or approved payments. april 17.

RECEIVED AT THE

NORTH AMERICAN CLOTHING STORE, PER steamship Niagara, via Boston, A splendid assortment of Gents' White Dress and Fancy Shirts, Shirt Collars, Neckties and Hdkfs. Also, Fancy Saxony Flannel Shirts, in great variety of colors; Merino and L. W. Shirts and Drawers, which will be sold at very low prices. april 17.—wpi R. HUNTER. april 17.-wpi 2 TONS prime Red Clover Seed .- Landing ex schr Clifoton, 40 bags Northern Red Clover Seed, of prime quality. Wholesale and retail by T. B. BARKER,

85 King street. "No, massa; you must wash de inside too, if you would have him clean," said Cato with a grin of self-approval.

"Very good, Cato," rejoined the minister; "now do you suppose that water applied to the outside of the body of a man can cleanse sin from his heart which is within him?"

"No, massa; you must wash de inside too, if You would have him seeds.—The subscriber has received from Loudon, via Liverpool and Portland, 2 casks containing Garden and Flower Seeds, comprising the most approved and popular varieties of Cabbage, Cauliflower, Long and Turnip Beet, Carrot, Celery, Kale, Leek, Lettuce, Onion, Parsley, Peppergrass, Spinach, Radish, Garden Swedish and Aberdeen Turnips, Balm Lavender, Sage, Summer Savory, Sweet Marjoram, Thyme, Marigold, Beans and Peas and a large assortment of choice Flower Seeds.—Ca-

Peas, and a large assortment of choice Flower Seeds. Catalogues to be had on application P. R. INCHES, april 2.—wpi 80 Prince William stseet. BABBITT'S CONCENTRATED POTASH AND LEY, AND CHE-NICAL SOAP.—Received ex Ocean Wave from New York, 5 cases, containing as follows-48 cans, 1 lb. each concentrated Ley, for Soap making; 72 cans, 1 lb. each, concentrated Potash, for do; 36 cans, 2 lbs. each, do do do; 24 cans, 6 lb. each, do do do. Each can is accompa-

Also, 15 boxes Chemical Erasive Soap. Time, money bars, with full directions for use accompanying each.
T. B. BARKER, 35 King street.

march 26.-wpi

Drushes ... Just received and for sale by the subscriber D a complete assortment of White-wash, Paint, Varnish Wall, Seam, Shoe, Stove, Marking and other Brushes .-Painters and Whitewashers please call and examine.
march 26.—wpi T. B. BARKER, 25 King street.

MRS. JAMIESON'S VEGETABLE PULMONIC SYRUP, for Coughs and Colds.—Just received, one gross Mrs. Domestic Pietr.—If there be a curse more bitter than any other to man, it is to be the

Hall's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.--This Establishment has now been in operation ten months, having in that time manufactured over twenty thousand pairs of Boots and Shoes, and is now turning out 500 pair tion, on short notice, and on better terms than the same quality will cost when imported. A large assortment of domestic made Goods at the Warerooms, No. 1 Market st., to which he would invite the attention of the trade and wholesale purchasers.

A LBERTINE OIL AND LAMPS.—Just received, 5 brls Albertine Oil, of the best quality, at greatly reduced

L'LOUR .- Landing ex schrs Ransom and Youth, 450 bris Extra State Flour. For sale by
HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

DAVIES & MARSHALL, 87 King street, are opening this day, New Dress Goods, New Bonnets, New Feathers, New Hats, New Mantle Cloths, New Mantles, New Prints, New Parasols, New Lace Goods, New Bonnet Borders, New Silk Goods, New Ribbons, with a general assortment of other New Goods, suitable for the scanon. We would call especial attention to the above, as they have been personally selected, and will be sold very low april 9 .-- wi

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—The subscriber begs to inform his friends and the public that he has engaged the services of Mr. R. Welce, a first class cutter, who for Policies, Premiums, Deposits and Losses have been made, the last twelve years has been engaged as first cutter in the namely leading houses in Boston. Persons requiring superior fit-ting garments will do well to call at No. 86 Prince William street. (april 28.—wi) J. E. WHITTEKIR.

NIEW STORE !-- NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS !-- WE are receiving by every steamer portions of our new Spring Stock, and have now ready for inspection, HATS Bonners, Ribbons, Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols, Sewed Goods, Dress Goods, Prints, Silks. We can offer inducements in several cheap lots, viz., 239 pieces Printed De laines, 12½ to 15 cents; 93 pieces Plaid Lustres, 17½ to 20 cents; 85 pieces Figured Orleans, 10 to 15 cents; 113 pieces colored Coburgs, 12½ to 15 cents; 48 boxes Bonnet Ribbons, 10 to 15 cents; 102 brocade Satin Parasols, at \$1.50; with some new things in Hosiery and Gloves, at empting prices.

CARPETINGS.—Our stock consists of nearly 200 pieces

of all qualities. We invite particular attention to some Registered Patterns of 1862 in Brussells, also to a job lot of Tapestrys and Scotch, much under their regular value. ROOM PAPER .- We have made arrangements with the most extensive Paper manufacturers in England for a constant supply of new styles in Paper Hangings, in common, Satin, Gilded, Flock and Velvet, and can now exhibit patterns of a first shipment of 15,000 pieces.

SKELETON SKIRTS.—In these Goods our stock is arger than that of any other house in the Province, and

no effort shall be wanting on our part to secure, as we have hitherto done, the chief portion of the trade in that article. april 16—wi ENNIS & GARDNER, Prince Wm. st. THILSON'S COOKING RANGES -The subscriber has on hand Two Chilson's Patent Cooking Ranges, which he will sell at less than cost, not having storage for them.
April 11.—wi W. H. ADAMS. April 11 .-- wi HOOP SKIRTS.—A large lot Hoop Skirts, newest shapes, just received from the manufacturer. Will be sold low, wholesale and retail.

IMPERIAL BUITDINGS, 2 King street. SIMON NEALIS. ANDELION COFFEE .- The subscriber has just re-C. P. CLARKE, Druggist,

85 King street. MOLASSES.—Landing ex "John Barbour."—50 hhds. Cienfuegos Molasses. For sale low before storing by April 4.—wi J. W. HAMILTON, No. 9 South wharf. RASS SEED.--75 bushels Canadian Grass Seed. For sale by J. W. HAMILTON. No. 9 South Wharf. YENTS' CLOTHING .- Clothing of every description I made to order in the most approved style, at very oderate prices. A perfect fit warranted.

IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, 2 King street. SIMON NEALIS. Ennis & Gardner have received from Liverpool via Halifax, per Juliet, 8 bales and cases, consisting of Grey Cottons, Prints, Dress Goods, Mantle Cloths, Diapers, Towelings, and Osnaburgs. april 2.—wi EECHES.—The subscriber has just received a lot of

healthy European Leeches. C. P. CLARKE, Druggist, 85 King street. GROCERIES.—Ex Empress from Liverpool, 20 chests fine Congou Tea. Ex John Barbour from Halifax, 10 hhds bright and heavy Cienfuegos Molasses. Ex Forest City from Boston, 5 boxes and 1 case Tobacco. For sale by april 9.—wi JACOB D. UNDERHILL. MOLASSES, SUGAR, PORK, &c.—In store, 70 hhds Cienfuegos Molasses; 20 brls very bright Sugar, ex-tra article; 50 brls Mess Pork; 15 boxes Tobacco.

To arrive, 20 hhds Porto Rico Sugar; 80 hhds Barbadoes Molasses. For sale by HALL & FAIRWEATHER. TEW CARPETINGS, &c .- HORSFALL & SHERATON respectfully invite the attention of buyers of Carpetings and Curtain Materials to their splendid Stock of New 30 pieces New CARPETINGS, which with the stock previously on hand comprises an assortment of upwards of 200 pieces in Brussels, Velvet, Tapestry, 3 ply Imperial and Kidderminster with Hearth Rugs to match. Cocoa Matting, Druggetts, Door Mats and Hassocks, New Curtain

Materials in great variety with Trimmings to match. March 14.-wi PIRST Spring Importation of Silk Mixtures and Fancy Doeskins, suitable for Spring Coats, Pants and Vests. april 2. A. & T. GILMOUR, No. 10 King street. DAPER HANGINGS !- To arrive .- 15,000 pieces Eng-I lish Paper Hangings, in all qualities, the paterns entirely New; designs all produced in February last.

April 4—wi FNNIS & GARDNER.

DLASTING FUSE.—The subscriber has just received D a further supply of best Blasting Fuse, and has now on hand—Common, for Dry Blasting; Single Taped, for Damp Blasting; Double Taped, for Wet Blasting. For sale low. (april 10).—wi. W. H. ADAMS. ARPETINGS .-- Carpetings, Hearth Rugs, Damasks Moreens. 196 pieces Carpeting, decidedly the largest and best assorted in the city at present, in Tapestry, Brussells, Turkey, Velvet Pile, All Wool, Kidder, 3-ply, Union and Hemp, Hearth Rugs to match; Velvet and Damask Table Covers; Damasks and Moreens, and all descriptions of House Furnishing Goods. A further supply of Carpetings, in all the latest designs, to arrive per steamer America, and will be opened on the 28th March, 1862.

ENNIS & GARDNER. TENERAL LEATHER AND FINDING STORE .-- Con-Stantly 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 side King-street.

P.S .- All orders attended to with punctuality and dis-Dec. 5, 1861 .- wpi. TILK RUBBER COATS .-- The subscriber has received a lot superior Silk Rubber Coats, in black and colored, ich will be sold low.

J. E. WHITTEKIR, which will be sold low.

DERKINS' INDIAN HERB CINTMENT .- This Contment is unequalled for the speedy cure of Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, &c. See numerous certificates on circulars. Sold by march 6.—pi M. McLEOD, 26 Charlotte street.

CHEAP LAMPS! H. ROBERTSON, KING SQUARE. HAVING recently purchased at a Custom House sale, for cash, a large lot of Albertine Lamps, at a much cheaper rate than they could be imported, is selling them at the following low prices to suit the times: 40, 45, 50, 60, 80 cents each, and upwards. Also separate Chimneys, Brushes, Wick. Several kinds of Burners sold separate from Lamps, at equally low prices. Nov 27.

CURE FOR PILES. EGEE'S PILE OINTMENT .-- The most desperate case of Outward as well as Inward Piles, are cared by the use of Segee's Pele Ountment. During the last year the Pro prietor has disposed of large quantities of it—the deman baving been created by its own merits, and by the recom mendation of many persons who have used it. The genuine can be had at M. McLEOD'S, No. 26 Charlotte street.

SPALDINGS, SPALDINGS, SPALDINGS, THROAT, Throat, Throat, Confections, Confections, Confections, are the most pleasant and effectual, are the most pleasant and effectual, are the most pleasant and effectual.

TROACHES, TROACHES, TROACHES, For relieving, for relieving Cougus, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis, &c., for purifying the breath and strengthening the voice. Try them, try the try them. Sold wholesale and retail at MoLEOD'S. try them. Sold wholesale and retail at

march 6.

TITCHEN GRINDSTONE, COMPLETE! Domestic Manufacture!--From E. V. Crandall, Moneton.--The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the sale of these Goods. They are superior to and cheaper than anything of the kind before offered in this market. An assortment will be constantly on hand. For sale wholesale and retail, at

No. 90 Prince William street. Jan 22.-wi Paraffine Oil and Fluid.—Just received, 20 darred Paraffine Oil, of the best quality. Also, 100 dozen Chinners, sold from 10 to 20 cents, according to size and quality. To arrive, 10 brls Non-explosive Burning Fluid. for sale low by

J. F. SECORD.

Ring square Daraffine Oil and Fluid .-- Just received, 20 barrels

PISCATAQUA FIRE AND MARINE INSU-RANCE COMPANY.

PARENT OFFICE, SOUTH BERWICK, ME. Authorized Capital. \$500,000. Actual eash capital, \$300,000. Charter perpetual. Incorporated 1855. Fire Insurance on Stores, Dwellings, Mills,

Factories, &c., &c., &c. Marine Insurance on Vessels, Freights, Cargoes, &c. GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE, St. JOHN, N. B. HIS Company have filed the Statements required by Act of Assembly. The General Agent is supplied with blicies, Blanks, Statements, and every facility for taking

Marine Insurance Policies are filled out, and issued by the Agent, immediately on receiving the order. Premiums are the same as are usually charged, and are payable in sums under £10, cash, from £10 to £35, 8 months, from £25 to £50, 4 months, over £50, 6 months. Deposits of Premium, both cash and note, are made in St.

ohn, constituting a Guarantee Fund. LOSSES ARE PAID IN ST. JOHN. The following Agents in the principal Towns in New runswick issue Policies against Loss and Damage by Fire Fredericton, John Richards, Woodstock,

J. C. Winslow, W. Wilkinson, Chatham, Richibucto. K. B. Forbes, Dalhousie, J. S. Trites. Salisbury, George Calhoun, J. C. Harper, W. T. Rose, Bay Verte, St. Stephen and Calais, Sackville, E. B. Dixon Joseph Crandall, R. W. Abercromby, Moncton, Shediac, Hillsborough

St. Andrews.

L. Hannington Dorchester. Kings County, J. S. Earle, High Sheriff, B. S. Babbitt Gagetown, A. J. Wetmore, St. George, Bathurst. H. W. Ba'dwin, Edward Williston Newcastle. NOVA SCOTIA. D E Goldert. Halifax. Amherst, Robert Stubs, W. W. Blanchard, Windsor,

E. B. Ketchum

R. Bradford,

Bridgetown, W. Y. Foster, Digby, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Edwin Bent, J. S. Carvell Marine Policies are issued by O. D. WETMORE, General Agent,

So that for all practical purposes this Agency is essentially
Feb 7. a local office. THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY 92,

Lombard-street, London, and Royal Insurance-build 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

nighly 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 re insurance companies of this kingdom.

The Premiums for the year 1855 being......£130,060 While the Premiums for the year 1558 are.... 196,148 Showing an actual increase of 66,088 The recent returns of duty made by Government for this latter year (1858) 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 advance to the extent of one-half the increase of the Company, while all the others respectively fall far short of the

noiety of its advance. LIFE DEPARTMENT. The amount of new Life Premiums received this year is by far the largest received in any similar period since the commencement of the business, and must far exceed the average of amount received by the most successful offices in the kingdom. The number of policies issued in the year was 832, the sum assured £387,752 6s. 8d., and the premium £12,854 3s. 4d. These figures show a very rapid extension of business during the last ten years. Thus:

Years. No. of Policies. Sums Assured. New Premium £48,764 17 0 £1,380 9 1 2.627 4 95,650 9 11 .. 422 181,504 10 6 5,828 5 10 161.848 13 4 4,694 16 0 297,560 16 8 8,850 3 11 887,752 6 8 The remarkable increase in the business of the last four years is mainly consequent upon the large bonus declared in 1855, which amounted to no less than £2 per cent. per anum on the sums assured, and averaged 80 per cent. upon

premiums paid.
PERCY M. DOVE, Manager and Actuary JOHN M. JOHNSTON, Secretary to the London Board. All descriptions of property 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. Princess-street,
opposite Judge Ritchie's Building. Clour and Corn Meal .- Landing ex Vernon from

New York, 200 bris extra State Flour; 50 do Corn Meal. For sale by JACOB D. UNDERHILL LOUR .-- Landing ex Helitia from New York, 300 brls Extra State Flour, Solferino Mill. For sale by april 9.—wi HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

PISH HOOKS.—Job Johnson's new and improved Central Draught, Cod, Pollock and Mackerel Hooks, a fine assortment, including Limerick, Yankee Doodle, or Grab Hooks. Also, Trout Hooks and Fishing Frames for ditto. The excellence of these Hooks in temper and shape are well known to Fishermen in the United States, which is

a guarantee for the article. For sale low, at wholesale, by march 26. W. H. ADAMS. RAISINS, COFFEE, TEA, BUCKWHEAT, &c. THE Subscriber has just received per steamers and schr. "Ino," from Boston :-

25 boxes and 10 balf do. Layer Raisins; 25 do. M. R. do.; 13 bags Coffee; 17 half-chests Oolong and Souchong Tea, 24 tons Buckwheat Flour; 2 brls. Burning Fluid,

8 matts Cassia; 2 boxes Corn Starch; kegs Saleratus; 1 gross Essences; 5 half-barrels Pearl Barley; 1 case Arrowroot; 1 case Pearl Sago; 1 bbl Mason's Blacking; 3 bbls Chestnuts; 250 fbs. Cream Tartar; 3 cases Matches; 5 bush. Hemp Seed; 1 bbl. Sulphur;

28 bbls. Onions; 1 gross Yeast Powder; 10 tons Feed; 5 doz. Washboards; 14 doz. White Wash and Paint Brushes; 15 boxes Extract of Logwood; 1/2 ton Dye Woods; 2 bbls, Ground Logwood.

38 chests and half-chests Tea; 2 cases Currants; 10 hhds. Molasses; 4 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar; 800 sacks coarse and fine Salt; Which, with a general assortment of articles in the Grocery line, are offered for sale at market rates. JAMES WILLIAMS, East side Simonds-st., Portland.

Portland, 20th Dec., 1861. W. PETERS Manufactures and keeps on hand—Sole, Upper, Belt, Harness, Lacing, Hose, Buff, and all the various kinds of Leather usually found in Tanneries in the Province. Also, Soap and Candles. N. B.—Tanners in the country supplied with Oil, Tools, Rubstones, &c., at short notice. Cash paid for Hides, at

highest market price. STEAM BOILER FOR SALE.—The subscriber has on hand, and will sell cheap, a second hand Boiler having two flues, and suitable for a Tannery. WM. PETERS, March 7.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any legal demands against the Estate of the late Daniel Smith, of Blissville, Sunbury County, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested to, within three months from this date; and all persons indebted to the

JUST RECEIVED—Fellows' Worm Lozenges; Dyspepsia Bitters; Comp. Powder of Juniper; Golden Eye Ointment; Wheaton's Itch Ointment.

Also—Wilbor's Cod Liver Oil and Lime; Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Cathartic Pills, and Cherry Pectoral; Kennedy's Medical Discovery; Sharp's Balsam; Wistar's Balsam.

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M. McLEOD, 26 Charlotte street.

Medical Discovery; Sharp's Balsam; Wistar's Balsam.

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THE subscriber desires to return his sincere thanks.

THE subscriber desires to return his sincere thanks to the Farmers and Country Traders who have so liberally favoured him with their business since he commence an Agency in the City for the sale of Country Produce, and would inform all Farmers and Country Traders that he continues to give his whole attention to the sale of produce of every description, and solicits a continuance of their

St. John, Feb. 14, 1862. CHARLES CALKIN.

BARNES & CO., PRINTERS, BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS, &c. Prince William Street, St. John, N. E.

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