POETRY.

THE MORE CONVENIENT SEASON.

Alone he sat and wept—That very night
The ambassador of God, with earnest zeal
Of eloquence, had warned him to repent,
And like the Roman at Drusilla's side,
Hearing the Truth, he trembled,—conscience wrought
Yet sin allured.—The struggle shook him sore—
The dim lamp waned,—the hour of midnight toll'd,
Prayer sought for entrance, but the heart had closed
Its diamond valve. He threw him on his couch,
And bade the Spirit of his God depart.

But there was war within him, and he sigh'd,
'Depart not utterly thou blessed one;
'Return when youth has past, and make my soul
'For ever thine.'

With kindled brow he trod
The haunts of pleasure—while the viol's voice,
And beauty's smile, his joyous pulses woke;
To love he knelt, and on his brow she hung
Her freshest myrtle wreaths.—For gold he sought,
And winged wealth indulged him, till the world
Pronounced him happy.—Manhood's vigorous prime
Swelled to its climax, and his busy days
And restless nights swept like a tide away;
Care struck deep root around him, and each shoot
Still striking earthward like the Indian tree,
Shut out with woven shade the eye of Heaven.

When lo! a message from the Crucified,
'Look unto me and live.'—Pausing he spoke
Of weariness and haste and want of time,
And duty to his children—and besought
A longer time to do the work of Heaven.

God spake again—when age had shed its sorrows
On his wan temples, and the palsied hand
Shrank from gold-gathering. But the rugged chain
Of habit bound him, and he still implored
'A more convenient season.'—

'See my step is firm and free,
'My unquenched eye delights
'To view this pleasant world, and life with me
'May last for many years.—In the calm hour
'Of lingering sickness I can better fit
'For vast Eternity.'

Disease approached,
And Reason fled—the maniac strove with death,
And grappled like a fiend with shrieks, and cried
Till sickness smote his eyeballs,—thick ice
Closed round his heart-strings—the poor clay
Lay vanquished and distorted.—But the soul,
The soul, whose promised season never came
To hearken to its Maker's call, had gone
To weigh its sufferance with its own abuse,
And bide the audit.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHATEVER YOU LIKE.

Robert Brown was the son of a poor man, who could only send him to school a few months in the year; and Robert often said, "It is of no use for me to try to be anybody. I have no advantages. I shall always be poor and ignorant." Now Robert was mistaken. He had some very great advantages. He had a well-shaped, handsome head, and a fine, full chest, and strong limbs. He was a bright, healthy boy, and I think he had a fair chance to become whatever he liked. He used to beg his father to give him a piece of land for his own, where he could raise vegetables for the market. His father was too poor to give him part of the garden, but only a bit of sandy land in one corner of the lot. Robert struck his spade into it, and turned up the soil. "It is of no use planting anything here," said he; "only see how sandy it is; nothing will grow; but there was some strength in this loose soil, just as there was strength in Robert's healthy brain and stout arms and legs. And the wind sowed some seeds there, and they came up and grew; and one hot day in July, when our little farmer was tired with raking hay, he went to look at his despised corner, and there, just where the ground was broken by his spade, was a large cluster of strawberries, ripe and delicious. While he was eating them he felt something prick his bare foot, and looking down, there was a large, ugly thistle, just going to seed. Now, both the thistle and the strawberry grew from seeds which the wind had sown; but the land was Robert's, and he had a right to say which should grow. "Get out, you hateful thistle," said he. "You are a thief, come to steal your living, and pay me in prickles. Are you not ashamed to pick my ragged pocket, which only has a few cents in it at the most?" Then he dug up the thistle by the roots, and as he was too poor to buy manure, he used to go evenings by moonlight with his wheelbarrow, and get black soil from a hollow in the woods, full of old leaves and rotten wood; and he mixed it all thoroughly in with the sandy soil that bore the berries, and then filled it full of the best plants he could find, and the next year he had a great deal of fruit. Moreover, he sowed turnip seed between the rows, and the turnips grew large and round and sweet, and he sold them in November for a broad piece of silver. Robert was delighted. "I find," said he, "that I can raise on my land whatever I like." And then the thought came into his mind that he could make of himself whatever he liked, if he would only set about it in earnest. And I believe he will, for where a boy has conquered one difficulty, he is generally ready to try another.

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN TO PRAY.

Parents, if you love your children, do all that lies in your power to train them up to a habit of prayer. Show them how to begin. Tell them what to say. Encourage them to persevere. Remind them if they become careless and slack about it. Let it not be your fault, at any rate, if they never call on the name of the Lord.

This, remember, is the first step in religion which a child is able to take. Long before he can read, you can teach him to kneel by his mother's side, and repeat the simple words of prayer and praise, which she puts in his mouth. And as the first steps in any undertaking are always the most important, so is the manner in which your children's prayers are prayed, a point which deserves your closest attention. Few seem to know how much depends on this. You must beware least they get into a way of saying them in a hasty, careless, and irreverent manner. You must beware of giving up the oversight of this matter to servants and nurses, or of trusting to your children doing it when left to themselves. I cannot praise that mother who never looks after this most important part of her child's daily life herself. Surely, if there be any habit which your own hand and eye help in forming, it is the habit of prayer. Believe me, if you never hear your children pray yourself, you are much to blame. You are little wiser than the bird described in Job, "which leaveth her eggs in the earth, and warmeth them in the dust, and forgetteth that the foot may crush them, or that the wild beast may break them. She is hardened against her young ones, as though they were not hers; her labor is in vain without fear."

Prayer is, of all habits, the one which we recollect the longest. Many a gray-headed man could tell you how his mother used to make him pray in the days of his childhood. Other things have passed away from his mind perhaps. The church where he was taken to worship, the minister whom he heard preach, the companions who used to play with him—all these, it may be, have passed from his memory, and left no mark behind. But you will often find it far different with his first prayers. He will often be able to tell you where he knelt, and what he was taught to say, and how his mother looked all the while. It will come up as fresh before his mind's eye as if it was but yesterday.

Reader, if you love your children, I charge you do not let the seed-time of a prayerful habit pass away unimproved. If you train your children to anything, train them, at least to a habit of prayer.—*J. C. Ryle.*

BE PATIENT WITH THE LITTLE ONES.

Be patient with the little ones. Let neither their slow understanding nor their occasional pertness offend you, or provoke the sharp reproof. Remember the world is new to them, and they have no slight task to grasp with their unripened intellects the mass of facts and truths that crowd upon their attention. You are grown to maturity and strength through years of experience, and it ill becomes you to fret at the little child that fails to keep pace with your thought. Teach him patiently, as God teaches you, "line upon line, precept upon precept; here a little, and there a little." Cheer him on in this conflict of mind; in after years his ripe, rich thought shall rise up and call you blessed.

Bide patiently the endless questionings of your children. Do not roughly crush the springing spirit of free inquiry with an impatient word or frown, nor attempt, on the contrary, a long and instructive reply to every slight and casual question. Seek rather to deepen their curiosity. Convert, if possible, the careless question into a profound and earnest inquiry; and aim rather to direct and aid than to answer this inquiry. Let your reply send the little questioner forth, not so much proud of what he has learned, as anxious to know more. Happy thou, if in giving thy child the molecule of truth he asks for, thou canst whet his curiosity with a glimpse of the mountain of truth lying beyond; so wilt thou send forth a philosopher, and not a silly pendant, into the world.

Bear patiently the childish humors of those little ones. They are but the untutored pleading of the young spirit for care and cultivation. Irritated into strength, and hardened into habits, they will haunt the whole of life like fiends of despair, and make thy little ones curse the day they were born; but, corrected kindly and patiently, they become the elements of happiness and usefulness. Passions are but fires, that may either scorch us with their un controlled fury, or may yield us a genial and needful warmth.

Bless your little ones with a patient care of their childhood, and they will certainly consecrate the glory and grace of their manhood to your service. Sow in their hearts the seeds of a perennial blessedness; its ripened fruit will afford you a perpetual joy.—*Friend of Youth.*

POLITENESS.

One of the English infidels was so struck with the politeness and good feeling manifested in St. Paul's writings, that he affirmed if St. Paul had said that he himself had ever performed a miracle, he would believe it, because he was too much of a gentleman to tell an untruth. Whatever we may think of this remark, we cannot but be struck with the power which politeness has over the infidel. And as this infidel is not an exception, it may be well to show some few of the advantages of being polite.

1. We conform to the Scripture. If St. Paul taught politeness by his example—so did he in his writings. He tells us, "In honor we must prefer one another." Here is the great secret of politeness, viz—forgetfulness of self. In another place he says, "Be courteous," in other words—be polite.

2. We make friends. Nothing so wins upon strangers as true politeness. A little attention, shown in a stage, or in the cars, or at a public table costs us very little. But what an effect it has upon the persons to whom the attention is shown. The pleased look, the gratified smile, show us that we have gained a friend.

3. We increase our usefulness. One reason why ministers and good Christian people have no more influence, is on account of their sour face and forbidding countenances. They look as if they said—keep away from me. But if they allow the vulgar to approach within reach of their majestic presence, there is a pompous manner or way they have, which prevents the hearts of others going out to them, and thus the influence over such people is lost.

4. It gives success. Let any man who has goods to sell, or office to attain, be kind and polite, no sham like that put on by the politicians—and his goods are sold and his office reached, ten times sooner than the man who looks mad, and cuts off his calicoes and cloths.

Politeness, of all things earthly, costs the least. But its power, it is not saying too much, is tremendous. As Sydney Smith said of Daniel Webster, he was a steam engine in trowsers, so we say of the really genuine polite man—he, too, is a steam engine—his power in his particular sphere is wonderful. He, other things being anything like equal, will accomplish good in the world.

Your Evenings, Boys.—Great boys and little boys, here is a question which concerns you all. How do you spend your evenings? If your parents or guardians allow you to go from home in the evening, where do you go, and how is this time spent by you? Read this little account, and think of the lesson it teaches:—

Joseph Clark was as fine-looking and healthy a lad as ever left the country to go into a city store. His cheek was red with health, his arm strong, and his step quick. His master liked his looks, and said, that boy will make something.

He had been a clerk about six months, when Mr. Abbott observed a change in Joseph. His cheek grew pale, his eyes hollow, and he always seemed sleepy. Mr. Abbott said nothing for a while. At length, finding Joseph alone in the counting-room one day, he asked him if he was well.

"Pretty well, sir," answered Joseph.

"You look sick of late," said Mr. Abbott.

"I have the headache sometimes," the young man said.

"What gives you the headache?" asked the merchant.

"I do not know as I know, sir."

"Do you go to bed in good season?"

Joseph blushed. "As early as most of the boarders," he said.

"How do you spend your evenings, Joseph?"

"O, sir, not as my pious mother would approve," answered the young man, tears starting in his eyes.

"Joseph," said the old merchant, "your character and all your future usefulness and prosperity depend upon the way you pass your evenings. Take my word for it, it is a young man's evenings that make or break him."

THE FLIGHT OF TIME.

Time flies: it is his melancholy task
To bring and bear away delusive hopes,
And reproduce the troubles he destroys;
But while his blindness thus is occupied,
Discerning mortal! do thou serve the will
Of Time's eternal Master, and that peace
Which shuns the world shall be for thee confirmed.
—*Wordsworth.*

W. H. ADAMS, Saint John, N. B., *Agent for the following:*—Boston Belting Company's India Rubber Belting, Packing and Hose; Stearns & Marvin's unrivalled Fire Proof Safes, with the celebrated "La Belle Lock."
February 10.

PISCATAQUA FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
[PARENT OFFICE, SOUTH BERWICK, ME.]
Authorized Capital. $500,000. Actual cash 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.
THIS Company have filed the Statements required by Act of Assembly. The General Agent is supplied with Policies, Blanks, Statements, and every facility for taking Insurances, and exceedingly liberal arrangements regarding Policies, Premiums, Deposits and Losses have been made, namely:—
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 £25, 3 months, from £25 to £50, 4 months, over £50, 6 months.
Deposits of Premium, both cash and note, are made in St. John, constituting a Guarantee Fund.
Losses are paid in St. John.
The following Agents in the principal Towns in New Brunswick issue Policies against Loss and Damage by Fire:

John Richards,	Fredericton,
J. C. Winslow,	Woodstock,
W. Wilkinson,	Chatham,
K. B. Forbes,	Richibucto.
W. J. Smith,	Dalhousie,
J. S. Trites,	Salisbury,
George Calhoun,	Hopewell,
J. C. Harper,	Bay Verte,
W. T. Rose,	St. Stephen and Calais,
E. B. Dixon,	Sackville,
Joseph Crandall,	Moncton,
R. W. Abercromby,	Chediac,
E. B. Ketchum,	Hillsborough,
J. R. Bradford,	St. Andrews,
D. L. Hannington,	Dorchester,
J. S. Earle, High Sheriff,	Kings County,
B. S. Babbitt,	Gagetown,
A. J. Wetmore,	St. George,
H. W. Baldwin,	Bathurst,
Edward Williston,	Newcastle.

NOVA SCOTIA.

D. E. Goldert,	Halifax,
Robert Stubs,	Amherst,
W. W. Blanchard,	Windsor,
W. Y. Foster,	Bridgetown,
Edwin Bent,	Digby,
J. S. Carvell,	Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Marine Policies are issued by
O. D. WETMORE, General Agent,
So that for all practical purposes this Agency is essentially a local office. Feb 7.

FLOUR.—In Store—200 bbls. C. Richardson, 100 bbls Washington, 150 bbls. Bellefontaine, 100 bbls. Beach, and 79 bbls. Senecas. For sale low by
J. W. HAMILTON,
jan 16—wi No. 9 South Wharf, cor. Ward-street.

FAMILY FLOUR.—Landing ex schr. Dundee:—500 Bbls. White Wheat Wisconsin FLOUR, Eagle Mills, superior to Extra State, being a medium grade between that and best Pastry Flour. For sale by
jan 9—wi HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

TOO LATE.—Just received per ship "Admiral:"—3 cases WINTER CLOTHS, in Beaver, Pilot, Sealskin and Broad Cloth. As the season is far advanced, the above Goods will be sold *very low* for Cash. Wholesale and Retail.
Imperial Buildings, 2 King Street. SIMON NEALIS.

JUST RECEIVED.—19 half brls. No. 1 Mackerel extra; 10 do. Quoddy Herrings. For sale low by
J. W. HAMILTON,
jan 7.—wi No. 9, South Wharf, cor. Ward-st.

FLOUR.—200 Brls. Napier, 150 brls. Bellefontaine, 100 brls. Cavale Richardson, 200 Choice Extra, 25 brls. Pastry, 50 brls. Family, and 100 brls. S'fine FLOUR. For sale by (jan 9)—iw JACOB D. UNDERHILL.

JUST Landing, per ship Admiral from Liverpool, and for sale by the undersigned: 55 chests and 10 hf. chests Family Congo TEAS. FRAS. CLEMENTSON,
Jan 21.—wi 29 Dock Street.

FLOUR.—Landing, ex Lady Washington and Allandale: 200 brls. extra State and Canada FLOUR. For sale by
Jan. 7. JACOB D. UNDERHILL.

December 2d.—Rubber Coats, first quality, direct from Macintosh, per last English Steamer, just opened.
dec 3. A. & T. GILMOUR, 10 King st.

DAY STATE SEWING MACHINE, ONLY $20!—Unsurpassed for certainty and reliability of Stitch, for ease and grace in movement, and for absolute worth, by any Family Sewing Machine. For sale at the store of the subscribers, the sole Agents for the Machine in this Province; who will give all the requisite information and instruction for working it.
HORSFALL & SHERATON,
dec 24. 45 King Street.

REFINED SUGAR.—Landing ex "S. V. Coonan," from New York:—20 brls. Stewart's Standard Crushed Sugar. For sale by
Dec. 17.—wi JACOB D. UNDERHILL.

EXTRA AND FAMILY FLOUR.—The Subscribers have now landing, and in store, for sale at low rates:—

500 barrels	Napier	Mills	FLOUR
450 "	Bellefontaine	do.	do.
200 "	Solferino	do.	do.
100 "	Smith	do.	do.
100 "	Ferris	do.	do.
200 "	Sutherland	do.	do.
200 "	Lewis	do.	do.
100 "	Abbotsville	do.	do.
100 "	Lucean (family)	do.	do.
500 "	Eagle (family)	do.	do.
1000 "	CORN MEAL.		
50 "	Graham Flour.		

Jan. 7.—wi HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

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 side King-street.
P.S.—All orders attended to with punctuality and dispatch. J. J. C.
Dec. 5, 1861—wpi.

NEW STORE!—*CHEAP DRY GOODS.*—Ennis & Gardner, Prince William street.—Buyers of Dry Goods may now select from almost an entire new stock.
Dress Goods, in every new style and texture; Black and Fancy Silks; Poplins, Reps, Foulards, Norwich Checks, Tartan Plaids, with an immense variety of Orleans, Coburgs, Plaid Lustres, Challies, from Ten Cents upwards.
Mantles, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery, Furs, Scarfs;
Skeletons, Spencers, Polkas, Collars, Feathers;
Flowers, Felt Hats, Berlin Goods;
The West End Shawl, a decided novelty;
Belgravia Hoops, an English article, superior to the American.
Carpetings.—Our Stock has just been replenished with patterns in 5-ply Tapestry, Kidders, and Scotch, with Rugs to match.
Blankets, Flannels, Cottons, Stripes, Cloths, Tweeds, Satinetts.
A large assortment of English *ROOM PAPER.*
☞ All Goods marked in plain figures, at such prices as will ensure sales.
Wanted—A quantity of Homespun Cloth, Socks, and Mittens. ENNIS & GARDNER,
oct 15.—wi Prince Wm. street.

NEW GOODS!—HORSFALL & SHERATON have received by mail steamships, and ships Lampedo, Metropolis, and Edward Allison, the undermentioned Goods, suitable for the fall and winter trade, including all the fashionable styles of the season, which they offer at the lowest remunerating prices:—
Mantle Cloths, Dress Goods, Silks and Merinoes;
Shawls, Balmoral Skirtings, Hosiery, Gloves and Mitts
Ladies' Sontags, Woollen Hoods, Ladies' Corsets;
Bonnet Ribbons, Velvet do., Velvet Scarfs, Wool do;
Velvets, Skeleton Skirts, Cambric Frillings;
Velvet Buttons, Dress Trimmings
Cloths and Tweeds, Collars and Braces;
Necktics and Scarfs;
Sheetings, Table Linens, Towellings, Blankets;
Flannels, Fancy Crimean Flannels;
Carpetings, Floor Oil Cloths, Hearth Rugs, Table Covers;
Umbrellas, Lambs'-wool Shirts, do. Pants;
Leather Cloths, Hair Seatings, Furniture Trimmings.
H. & S. would invite particular attention to the following lots:—
Good French Kid Gloves, much below the usual price.
White Kid Gloves, very cheap.
Hand-loom Flannels, the most durable and economical Flannel made, and best adapted for this climate.
Windsor and Glycerine Soaps, for hotel and family use, very cheap by the box.
Photographs of all the celebrities of the day, and Photograph Albums, very cheap.
Ladies' Bags and Companions.
oct 15.—wi 45 King Street.

Earthenware, China, and Glass.—Fall Importation.—The subscriber has received ex ship Metropolis and others from Liverpool: 75 crates Common Ware, new patterns, assorted expressly for the country trade; 10 casks of Glass Ware; 5 do Cut Glass; 2 do plain Hot Water *Tumblers*; 25 crates containing Stone Dinner Setts, White and Gold; Stone Dinner Setts, colored and gilt; do do colored without gold; do do Lustre, &c.; China Breakfast Setts, white and gold; Stone do do, colored, &c.; Toilet Setts, China, colored and gilt; do do Stone China, colored and gilt; Stone *Water Pitchers*, various colors; China Tea Setts, the best assortment ever imported into the Province; Stone Tea Setts, gilt, all new patterns; Glass Ware, cut and pressed, new patterns; a great quantity of therl articles, too numerous to enumerate, will be sold low, wholesale and retail, by F. CLEMENTSON,
oct 8.—wi 29 Dock street.

AMMUNITION.—"Eley's" best Enfield Rifle Ball Cartridges, Balls, and Percussion Caps, Government regulation. Also, "Eley's" Waterproof Percussion Caps and Ball's and Canadian Rifle Powder. For sale by
sept 10. W. H. ADAMS.

HARDWARE.—Just received ex ships Ellen and John S. DeWolfe, 12th August, 1862:—505 Boxes German Window Glass, assorted sizes; 5 cases "Honie & Co.'s" Gang and Crosscut Saws; 25 bales Iron Wire; 2 bales Galvanized Iron Wire; 10 bdls. Galvanized Sheet Iron, 24 and 12; 2 cases Thomson's Screw Augers; 1 bale Cotton Chalk Lines; 1 do. Coffin Cord; 2 bdls. Sand Riddles; 6 casks Iron Clinch Rings, oval and flat; 12 do. assorted HARDWARE—containing Tea Kettles, Oval Kettles, Saucepans, Glue-pots, Enamel'd Preserving Kettles, Foot Scrapers, Spittoons, Coffee Mills, Brass Axle Pullies, Jack Chain, Coffin Mounting, Brass Cocks, Butt-Hinges, Gauntlets; Chest, Till, Desk and Padlocks; Sofa Springs, Rat and Fox Traps, Brushes, Tape Lines, Shot Pouches, Bell Levers and Wire, Reels, Crimping Machines, Shoe Tacks and Awls, Chain and Brass Dog Collars, Tea and Table Spoons, Steel Yards, Stair Rods, Melting Ladles, Sled Knitting Pins, Mixed Pins, Cattle Ties, Dog Chains, Cook's Tormentors and Ladles, Heel Plates; with a general assortment of Brass Shelf Goods.
Aug 13. W. H. ADAMS.

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 1855 being.....£180,060
While the Premiums for the year 1858 are.... 196,148
Showing an actual increase of..... 66,088
or upwards of 50 per cent. in three years.
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 moiety 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 £12,354 3s. 4d. These figures show a very rapid extension of business during the last ten years. Thus:—

Years.	No. of Policies.	Sums Assured.	New Premiums.
1848	98	£48,764 17 0	£1,380 9 1
1849	199	95,650 9 11	2,627 4 7
1852	422	161,904 12 6	5,828 5 0
1854	498	161,348 12 4	4,604 16 0
1856	703	297,560 16 8	8,850 3 11
1858	832	387,752 6 8	12,354 3 4

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 annum on the sums assured, and averaged 80 per cent. upon the 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,
Feb. 15 opposite Judge Ritchie's Building.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE, BENZOLE, ROSIN, &c., &c.—Just received per schr. Bellona, from Boston—1 bbl. Spirits Turpentine; 1 bbl. White Rosin; 2 bbls. Painter's Benzole; 5 Go. Kerosene Oil; 1 case Dandelion COFFEE, 5 cases Drugs, Glass Ware, &c. For sale by
feb. 4.—wip T. B. BARKER.

EXHIBITION.—The small Oscillating Steam Engine, sent by the subscribers to the great International Exhibition, London, having been returned, is now on exhibition at their Office, and is offered for sale at a moderate price. This engine having received honorable mention by the Committee of Examiners, requires no further remarks respecting the workmanship.
FLEMING & HUMBERT,
feb. 4.—wip Phœnix Foundry.

TESTIMONIALS!—Dr. Leary's testimonials are not few and far between. Hundreds in this city can testify with heartfelt gratitude to the efficacy of his Medicine and skill in all that he undertakes. He warrants a CURE in Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Consumption in its first stage, Scrofula, or King's Evil, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Epilepsy or Fits, Erysipelas, Nervous Diseases. The Doctor has several abandoned cases under cure, and hopes to be instrumental in their restoration to health. Mr. Benjamin P. Price, King Square, has been cured of Salt Rheum. Mr. Samuel Harris, same place, certifies that his wife was cured of Erysipelas in her hands by Dr. Leary's Remedy. Samuel Hake, King Square, certifies to the wonderful effects produced in the cure of Horse Disease by Dr. Leary's Albion Liniment. Mr. H. B. Baldwin, Railway Station, cured of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and Rheumatism. Mr. James Milligan, employed on the Railway, cured of Affection of Lungs and Bad Cough in a few days by Dr. Leary's Medicine, being under the care of a medical man for two months previous, but to no effect. Mr. John Keatley, Princess st., having had a bad Cough, procured a box of Brown's Bronchial Troches, which produced no effect; a few doses of Dr. Leary's Cough Drops cured him. Mr. Charles Flaherty, Indian Town, has been cured of Rheumatism by a few applications of Dr. Leary's Albion Liniment. The attention of all who may be suffering from that maddening pain, Toothache, is called to the Doctor's Oriental Tooth Tincture, warranted to cure nerve Toothache in five minutes, and will preserve the teeth from decay.
☞ Office at Crawford's Hotel, King Square.
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RAISINS, ALMONDS, ORANGES, &c.—To arrive ex Anna M., from New York:—100 boxes Layer Raisins; 2 frails 200 lbs. Soft Shell Almonds; 2 bbls. nice Oranges; 4 boxes Malaga LEMONS. For sale low on arrival by
JOSHUA S. TURNER,
jan 23—wpi 22 Water Street.

FOR CHRISTMAS!—Fashionable Perfumery in great variety; Silver Top Smelling Bottles, Fortemonaies, Toilet Soaps, Burnett's Toilet Companions, a nice present, Puff Boxes, Hair Brushes, Choice Confectionary, Flavoring Extracts, for Cakes, Puddings, Pies, &c.
Also—A lot of Fancy Boxes, in Oak and Paper, which, with a variety of other goods in the trade, are offered at reasonable prices at CLARKE'S DRUG STORE,
dec 17.—wi 59 King-street.

NAPIER FLOUR.—Landing ex Sea Bird, from New York—500 bbls. Napier Mills FLOUR. For sale by
jan 14—wi HALL & FAIRWEATHER.

BLANKETS.—1 bale Blankets, just received. Will be sold low to the trade. FERGUSON BROS.,
jan 28.—wpi 55 King Street.

GARLIC.—About 50 lbs. very superior Garlic. Just received and for sale by
dec 19.—wpi T. B. BARKER

NEW BOOKS.—Appleton's Mechanical Dictionary; Ure's Dictionary of Arts, Manufactures, and Mines; Clarke's Commentary on the Bible; Worcester's Dictionaries; Pitman's Phonography; Pitman's Phonography Readers; Mckenzie's 5,000 Receipts; Fowler's Phrenology; Chambers' Information for the People; Chambers' Miscellany; Bowditch Navigator; Nautical Magazine for 1862; Silas Warner (by Author Adam Bede); Dickens Child's History of England; Life Columbus, by Irving; Young Ben Franklin; Mahew's Wonders of Science; Self Made Men; Self Help (by Smiles); Chemical History of a Candle; and a large variety of Juvenile Books, in every kind of Binding. (Dec. 11.) BARNES & CO.

LONDON HOUSE, December 12, 1862.—Just received per "Hibernia" and "Jura," via Portland—1000 Bundles White Cotton Warps; 600 lbs. Candle Wick; 320 pieces Grey Cottons; 120 do White do; 840 do Printed do; 190 do Striped Shirtings; 160 do Rolled Linings; 20 do Hood Linings; 50 do Corset Jeans; 60 do Lastings, Serge de Berres, &c.; 60 do Boot Webs; 90 do New Dress Materials; 120 do Red, Blue, White, and Fancy Flannels; 150 pairs Blankets.
Per "Arabia" at Halifax—1 case Ladies' Garibaldi Jackets, &c.; 1 do Braids, Trimmings, Machine Silks, &c.; 1 do Black Broad Cloths. *Wholesale and Retail.*
dec 17.—wpi DANIEL & BOYD.

P. ROBERTSON INCHES, Druggist, No. 80 Prince Wm. street, keeps constantly on hand and for sale a full assortment of DRUGS, Medicines, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Perfumes, Brushes and Combs, Dye Stuffs, &c. Physicians' prescriptions prepared with care, and of the best articles. Medicine Chests filled and refitted. Trusses, Supporters, Bandages, Enema Syringes, Breast Tubes, &c., of the best description. oct 8.—wpi

Just received by Steamer Arabia, per Juliet, from Halifax, and opening out this day—A magnificent assortment of Wax Dolls, at astonishingly low prices. Fine Photographic Albums, for Cartes de Visite; Empire Machine Work Boxes and Writing Desks, in the richest styles. The latest and most elegant designs in Ladies' Companions, Jewel Boxes, Work Holders, Watch Stands, Cigar Holders, Spill Cups, &c., &c. F. A. COSGROVE,
dec 19—wpi Fancy Warehouse Prince Wm.-street.

THANKS.—January 1863.—The Subscriber hereby tenders his sincere thanks to his friends and the public generally, for the very liberal patronage that has been accorded to him since his commencement in business. I would also beg to state that I have increased my stock very much of late, and hope, by keeping a full assortment and selling at low rates, to still enjoy public support.
M. T. BREWER, Britain street,
Jan. 7. wpvi 3d Wharf east of Boston Steamboat Landing

SHINGLES.—Just received: 68 M. clear Sawed Pine Shingles. For sale low by
M. T. BREWER, Britain street,
Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.
feb 4.—wpvi

DRY HOUSE.—The subscriber has just built a Dry House, for Clapboards and Shingles.
Always on hand—Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Clapboards, perfectly dry. Also—Sawed Pine Shingles, of all qualities. For sale at very lowest market rates. M. T. BREWER,
Britain St., 3d Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.
jan 21—wpv

IMPORTANT to Ship Builders.—I have a very large stock of good and dry 2 inch Pine Plank, inch Boards, and ¾ inch Pine Boards, 2 inch and 1½ inch Spruce Plank, with a full assortment of common Pine Plank and Boards. For sale at lowest market rates by
M. T. BREWER, Britain st.,
Third Wharf East of Boston Steamboat Landing.
Jan. 7.—wpvi

DR. C. K. FISKE'S TOOTH POWDER for Cleaning, Beautifying and Preserving the Teeth and Gums.
Prepared and sold by P. ROBERTSON INCHES,
Jan. 15. Druggist, St. John, N. B.

Sharp's Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed.—For Coughs, Colds, Shortness of Breath, Asthma, &c. This excellent medicine has the extraordinary property of immediately relieving Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Difficulty of Breathing, and Hoskiness of the Throat. It operates by dissolving the congealed phlegm, and causing free expectoration.
Persons who are troubled with that unpleasant tickling in the throat which deprives them of rest night after night, by the incessant cough which it provokes, will, by taking one dose, find immediate relief, and one bottle in most cases will effect a cure. For sale by P. R. INCHES,
dec 10.—wpi No. 80 Prince Wm. street.

SLEDS.—The subscriber has on hand a splendid lot of Domestic Made Frame Sleds. For sale very low.
dec. 3.—wpi F. A. COSGROVE.

KEROSENE OIL.—Now Landing, ex "Ocean Wave," from Boston:—20 brls. best Kerosene Oil. For sale low by (Feb. 20.—wpi.) T. B. BARKER.

Hotel to Let.—To Let for One or Five Years, the Building known as the ST. JOHN HOTEL, situated on the corner of King Street and the King Square. To be rented with or without the Furniture, and possession given on the first day of May next. Parties wishing to rent can examine the premises at any time. For further particulars apply to J. F. SECORD,
dec 17.—wpiv King Square.

Pure Cod Liver Oil.—Just received ex schr. Juliet from Halifax—1 brl pure Medicinal Cod Liver Oil. For sale by (dec 10—wpi) T. B. BARKER.

BARNES & CO., Printers, Booksellers, Stationers, Paper Rulers, and Bookbinders, Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B. Having one of the most extensive Printing Offices in this City (including every variety of type, and the fastest presses), are prepared to do all kinds of Book and Job Work, in the neatest style, and at the shortest notice.—Blank Books Ruled, Printed, and Bound to any pattern to order. Dec. 13.

13 MAIN STREET. 13 MAIN STREET.
STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!
OF the latest and most improved patterns, equal, if not superior to any in the market. Thousands can testify to the good quality of the Stoves manufactured by the subscriber for the last twelve years.
He is prepared to manufacture Stoves and other (all) general Work in the Foundry Line, cheap for cash. Samples will be kept at No. 8 Charlotte-street.
Thankful for the patronage that has been so liberally bestowed him, and hopes for a continuance of the same.
Nov 27. GEO. CRAIG.

North American Clothing Store, 19, North Side of King Street.—Crimean Shirts, a splendid assortment.
L. W. Shirts and Drawers—a large stock.
Shetland L. W. half-Hose, in great variety.
Collars, Neck-ties and Handkerchiefs.
White Dress and Fancy Shirts.
☞ Selling the above Goods at very low prices.
nov 6.—wpi R. HUNTER.

GRANITE HALL,
10 MARKET SQUARE.
THOMAS R. JONES
HAS RECEIVED AND IN STOCK,
OVER COATS,
IN EVERY STYLE AND VARIETY;
Business Coats to suit all Classes!
Dress Suits,
From $8 up to the best article made!
RICH BALL AND WEDDING VESTS
ALWAYS ON HAND.
Fine Black, Blue, Brown, and Fancy Coloured
BEAVER CLOTHS.
Heavy Moscow Over Coatings;
Waterproof Portsmouth Pilot Cloths;
HEAVY NEWFOUNDLAND PILOT CLOTHS;
Siberian, Chevoit, Knickerbocker, Witney and other
Over Coatings.
WEST OF ENGLAND BLACK AND COLORED BROAD CLOTHS; BLACK CASSIMERES AND DOESKINS, SCOTCH TWEEDS, YORKSHIRE DOESKINS, AND
Trowsrings in endless variety.
Vestings, in Black and Fancy Silks, Silk Velvets, Plushes, Quiltings, Cashmere and Marseilles.
MEASURE WORK.
Got up by an experienced Mechanic, in a style that cannot be surpassed for neatness, strength and durability, and at prices that cannot fail to be appreciated by sound judgment.
THE BEST AND LARGEST STOCK OF REAL
SCOTCH HOSIERY
Ever imported, in Double and Single-breasted VESTS, and Under SHIRTS, DRAWERS, HOSE, and half Hose, in Chevoits, Cashmeres, &c.
AN ENDLESS VARIETY OF
CRIMEAN TRAVELLING SHIRTS, FROM $1 TO $4.
Gloves, Ties, Stocks, Silk, Satin and Woollen Neck Scarfs, Silk and Linen Pocket and Neckerchiefs, Travelling Scarfs, Pure Linen Shirt Collars, Braces, &c. English manufactured Iron frame Leather-covered Overland Travelling
PORTMANTEAUS AND WELLINGTONS.
Macintosh's Celebrated Waterproof Garments, in all qualities.
The "Mispeck" Company's TWEEDS constantly on hand.
PARTICULAR NOTICE.
All Goods sold at the Lowest Prices, and every article warranted to be what it is represented when sold, or the money returned.
THOMAS R. JONES.
October 9th, 1862.

SLEDS! SLEDS!—The subscriber has on hand a few more of those strong domestic made Frame Sleds, at $1.25 each.
Also—A good assortment of Snow Shoes, in Ladies' and Gentlemen's sizes.
Mooschide Moccasins in variety.
jan 23.—wpvi F. A. COSGROVE, Prince Wm. st.

Segee's Pile Ointment.—This Ointment has only been before the public for a short time, yet it has accomplished wonders in the cure of the dise