A COSTLY DRINK.—The son of a New York banker after drinking in a Bowery saloon, retired to a stairway and fell asleep, when he was robbed of his gold watch, finger rings, shirt studs, and $40,000 in railroad bonds.

PAPER MORE TENACIOUS THAN IRON.—A set of paper car-wheels have run over 160,000 miles of tract in New Jersey, wearing out entirely a set of steel tires. Ordinary car-wheels will only run about 60,000 miles.

NEW BOOK.

"Lights and Shadows of New York Life; or, the Sights and Sensations of the Great City." A work descriptive of New York City in all its various phases. Its Splendors and Wretchedness; its High and Low Life; its Marble Palaces and Dark Dens; its Attractions and Dangers; its Rings and Frauds; its Leading Men and Politicians; its Adventurers; its Mysteries and Crimes. By James D. McCabe, Jr.

The National Publishing Co., of Philadelphia, have just issued one of the most remarkable and attractive books of the day, bearing the above title. It is comprised in one large octavo volume of 850 pages, and illustrated with nearly 200 fine engravings of noted places, life and scenes in New York.

To Mr. McCabe is due the credit of having produced the most complete and graphic account of the great city, and its busy and varied life that it has been our fortune to meet with. His book is brim full of solid information, and abounds in descriptions of the various public buildings of New York, its palaces, prisons, hotels, churches, stores, hospitals, etc.

The work sets forth in glowing colors the noble work for suffering humanity, which is going on every day in the great city, and reveals with a bold hand the terrible crimes; the dark mysteries, the hidden sins of metropolitan life. We are introduced into the home of the Fifth Avenue million aire, and carried with equal interest to the squalid cellar of the Five Points beggar. We are brought face to face with the good and the bad, the high and the low, with leading merchants, bankers, editors, and actors, with bummers, thieves, detectives and murderers, with working women, ballet girls, adventuresses, and a host of others, and we seem to be listening to their stories from their own lips, so thoroughly does the author enchain our interest. Our warmest enthusiasm and our deepest contempt are alternately aroused by the thrilling recitals of their deeds of virtue and vice. The history and frauds of the famous Tammany Ring are related with great force and candor, and this portion alone is worth the price of the book.

In short the book is New York in miniature. The author has penetrated, under the protection of the police, into the darkest and most dangerous haunts of crime in the city, and has been enabled to obtain accurate information on the topics whereof he treats. Visitors to New York, cannot hope to see or know as much of the city as they may learn by a perusal of this book. To all who contemplate visiting the great Metropolis, we cordially recommend it, both for its information and for its powerful warnings against the dangers of the city. Those who cannot see New York for themselves will be in a great measure repaid for that privation reading this work. It is published in both English and German; sold by subscription only, and the publishers want agents in every country.

☞ Rev. I. E. Bill, Editor of the *Visitor*, is about relinquishing the charge of the Baptist Church in Carleton. The pressure of editorial duties is the cause.

The News and the Press.

ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 30, 1872.

BREVITIES.—Mr. Wallace, the old member, has been elected for Albert County by a majority of 113 over Mr. Calhoun.—Work on the Exhibition Building at Sackville is progressing finely.—The wires of the bridge across the Muduxnakeag at Woodstock are said by the *Sentinel* to be thought unsafe.—A project for building a Summer Hotel is being agitated. One is very much needed, as the number of visitors to the City is every year increasing.—On Saturday as the steamer for Quebec was leaving Shediac she ran down in the harbor a boat containing three men. One of the men lost his life, and another had his leg broken and was otherwise so injured that it is thought he will die, while the third escaped unhurt.—A man named Geo. Patrick was drowned in the Miramichi on Sunday.—Mr. Wesley Johnson was drowned near the mouth of the Keswick on Friday last.—The Hon. Mr. Davidson is dead. He was for a number of years a member of the Legislative Council of this Province.—A man named Clappison was arrested on the arrival of an English steamer in Halifax the other day on a charge of default and forgery in a London Bank. He has been started back to England in charge of an English detective.—Steamers from Fredericton to Woodstock leave at 7 A. M. now instead of 6 as formerly.—A despatch from St. Andrews to the *Telegraph*, on the 25th, says that, in accordance with instructions received from the Lieutenant Governor, the Sheriff of Charlotte Co., with a posse of men, has gone to Grand Manan to prevent the embarkation of Cuban volunteers, which the Government has received intimation is likely to take place from that Island.—Female servants are scarce in St. John, and throughout the whole Province for that matter.—Rumor says that a number of Americans are trying to buy the N. B. & C. R. R.—The last Dominion election in New Brunswick takes place on Thursday in Victoria. It is supposed that Costigan will be returned.—A Methodist Camp-meeting is to be held in Hodgdon, seven miles from Houlton, commencing on Monday next.—Mr. S. J. Parsons is building a large Tannery at Eel River Station on the N. B. C. R. R.—A million dollars in gold weighs about two tons.—Sir John A. McDonald has been made a Privy Councillor of Great Britian by special appointment of the Queen. He is the first colonist so honored. He is now entitled to be called the Right Honorable Sir John A. McDonald.—Cholera has broken out in the Russian camp at Vindzybor, in Volhynia, where several divisions are assembled for field manœuvres. It is judged dangerous to disperse the troops, since they may carry infection into other districts and aggravate the evil.—It is said that the greatest comb manufactory in the world is in Aberdeen, Scotland. There are thirty-six furnaces for preparing the horns and tortoise shell, and no less than one hundred and twenty iron screw-presses worked by steam power.—A despatch from Berlin says it is reported that valuable petroleum wells have been discovered in Silesia, and that there is much excitement in the Province.—In Tasmania, Australia, a land slide of five hundred acres stopped the course of the river Devon, causing an overflow, which devastated a large section of the surrounding country, the richest in the colony.—Intensely cold weather has recently prevailed in the southern province of New Zealand. The Wapori River was frozen over, so that heavy teams crossed on the ice.—Accounts from the sugar-producing West India Islands represent the sugar crop of 1872 as very successful, and largely in excess of that of last year. The people of Jamaica are represented as eager for material improvements, and they now propose the construction of a railway line through the most fertile districts of the island. The cable connections with the Bermudas and the American continent are reported to be well under way.

ORILLA, ONT., Aug. 27.—A large fire broke out here to-day, and destroyed the principal part of the town. Loss over $300,000.

OTTAWA, Aug. 28.—Sir George Cartier and Mr. Drummond were defeated to-day in Montreal by Mr. Jette and John Young. Jette's majority over Cartier, was 1,229, and Young's over Drummond, 823.

The result coming after the defeat of Sir Francis Hincks, John Hilyard Cameron and McDougall, causes much regret in Government circles. The Opposition are jubilant.

Sir George's manly refusal to disallow the New Brunswick School Act, had much to do with his defeat. The school question entered largely into the canvass.

The political situation now stands thus: Giving the Independents to the sides to which they lean, the position of the parties will be as follows: In Ontario, Opposition 52; Government 31, 5 uncertain. In Quebec, about 43 Ministerial, 18 Opposition, and 4 uncertain.—*Tel.*

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Prince of Wales has gone on a yachting excursion to the coast of France. He arirved at Trouville where he was cordially received by Thiers. The reception was entirely informal. Thiers and the Prince promenaded on the beach to-day.

Count Orloff has transmitted to Thiers a letter from the Emperor of Russia, which states that the meeting of the Emperors at Berlin is not aimed at France.

The business of the Board of Arbitration at Geneva is nearly finished. Mr. Brancroft Davis gives a ball this evening.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Dublin bakers' strike is ended, and tranquillity is restored.

The weather is fair and favorable to the crops.

Three hundred and forty Radicals have presented themselves as candidates for Spanish Cortes. The elections are shortly to be held.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—The steamship *Panama*, which sailed from St. Nazairo on the 15th was lost in a storm off the Spanish coast, near Santander. The passengers and crew were saved.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The value of property destroyed by the mob in Belfast estimated at $50,000.

The steamship from Capetown arrived at Southhamptom. News from the diamond fields is very favorable. A large number of precious stones continue to be found.

Grand Duke Alexis arrived at Capetown *en route* from Rio de Janeiro from the East Indies. He was warmly welcomed by residents, and expressed his pleasure at his reception.

Geneva is having a Musical Jubilee, at which twenty thousand persons are present. The Arbitrators have been invited to attend, but are too busy.

No award of damages has yet been made by the Arbitrators.

Recent floods around Rio Janeiro and Peru have caused great suffering in both cities. The Amazon has overflowed, flooding thousands of miles of country.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The steamship *Niger*, which sailed on the 19th from Plymouth, England, for Quebec, broke her shaft when a few days out and returned. The passengers were transferred to the steamer *Medway*, which sailed on Friday.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Advices from Belfast which have been received by the Government, state that everything is quiet, and that the reinforcements are leaving, there being no apprehension whatever of further trouble

At the recent election in Spain, two-thirds of the candidates chosen to the Cortes are members of the Government party. The Radicals supported the Government at the polls.

GENEVA, Aug. 26.—There has been an earnest contest between the British and American counsel, before the Board of Arbitration, regarding the case of the privateer *Shenandoah*. It is stated that the case of the *Georgia* has been practically abandoned by the American counsel.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Ex-Empress Charlotta is reported to be dying. All hope is given up, and the last sacrament administered.

Cholera is raging with great violence in the valley of Cashmere.

The Government seems to have completely triumphed at recent Spanish elections.

The "Jubilee" at Geneva closed last evening with a torchlight procession and grand ball.

The Emperor of Austria will arrive in Pesth in September, and after a brief tour in Hungary will proceed to Dresden with Premier Andrassy to visit the King of Saxony.

The people of Berlin are making extraordinary preparations for the meeting of the Emperors of Austria and Russia with the Emperor William in the city on September 7. A Grand military parade and State banquet are already on the programme.

Reports of the condition of cereals in France are favorable.

The Austrian minister, Baron Lederer, and Mario, the singer, sailed from Liverpool for the United States to-day.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The weather in England is unfavorable for the crops

Mr. Johnston, M. P. arrived at Londonderry yesterday. There was no demonstration on his landing. He goes to Belfast immediately. Tranquility continues in the latter city. The public houses have opened their doors again.

Stanley has written again to the *Daily Telegraph*, replying to the hostile criticism in the *Spectator* and *Saturday Review*.

GENEVA, Aug. 27.—There is every reason to believe that the Arbitrators have settled in principle the question of indemnity, and have fixed, approximately, the amount to be awarded for vessels destroyed by Confederate cruisers. It is probable that the amount of damages awarded the United States will be between three and four millions sterling. No dependence is to be placed on the reports which represent the amount as above or below these extremes. Some further claims remain to be settled. The question of payment of interest on sums awarded will be continued on Thursday.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The latest election returns increase the Radical majority in the Cortes. So far 279 Radicals, 75 Republicans, and 26 Conservatives of various shades have been elected. The returns are still incomplete.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—A despatch from Oporto states that the steamship *Perseverance* went ashore at the entrance of the harbor and became a total loss. Thirty persons were drowned.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Fourteen sun strokes took place yesterday, and four of them fatal.

A heavy thunderstorm occurred at Long Branch yesterday, and several boats with fishing parties have not been heard from.

Three men were drowned at Baltimore yesterday by the upsetting of a boat, while boarding a steamer.

At Montreal the first match of the English Cricketers against 22 Canadians commenced yesterday. The game was delayed by the storm. The Englishmen won the toss. The score stood, 136, with three wickets down.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—A barge with three hundred excursionists was struck by lightning at Hartford, Conn., on Thursday, and thirty people prostrated by the stroke, several being seriously injured.

Obstructions on the track of the Chicago, Clinton and Dubuque Railroad, threw a train from the track yesterday killing two persons and smashing up the cars.

The Republicans have carried the election in West Virginia. The word "white," as a qualification for office, was submitted for a separate vote, and almost unanimously voted down.

Twenty cases of sunstroke have occured during the past three days. A majority of them were fatal in this city.

The first innings in the cricket match between the English eleven against the twenty-two of Montreal resulted in a score for the eleven of 255 and 46 for their opponents.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A London Special to New York from Drogheda, Ireland, states that the authorities have just discovered the existence of a plot to massacre Protestants of that town on the tri-centennial anniversary of St. Bartholomew's day.

The principal part of the buisness portion of Mitchell, Ontario, was burned on Saturday, including the post office, telegraph office, and several stores. Loss $109,000.

Brig *Dominie*, Capt. White, of Halifax, laden with coal, from Pictou to Pembroke, went ashore at Beal's Island, 17th, and bilged. The crew were saved and brought to Portland from Jonesport on Friday night.

A steam flour mill, elevator, grain sheds, agricultural warehouse, etc., were burned on Satrday at Champaign, Ill. Loss $100,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Governor Washburn was nominated for re-elections by the Republican Convention in Massachusetts to-day.

William Quigley, and his wife and child, were killed to-day by the bursting of a steam boiler near Cleaveland, Ohio.

President Grant has returned to Washington.

The Cuban war schooner *Pioneer*, seized off Newport, has been adjudged forfeit to the United States and ordered to be sold.

The condition of ex-President Dumas, of Salvador, is improved, and his physicians hope for his speedy recovery.

Gold, 12⅜; Exchange steady.

Receipts for the 'Religious Intelligencer,' to Aug. 30.

Subscribers will please see that their money is correctly acknowledged. The whole number of the paper to which they pay follows the amount paid.

Mrs. Hannah Spinney, $2, 996; Allen W. Parlee, 2, 1023; Rev. C. W. Dutcher, 2, 1023; A. Gilmour, 2, 988; Sydney Bancroft, 4, 953; Wm. Kendrick, 2, (U. S. cy.,) 997; James Small, 5, 1022; Wm. Watt, 2, 979; John R. Thomas, 2, 636; M. Green, 4, 1011; Wm. Trecartin, 2, 988; Mark Daggett, 5, 850; Samuel Butler, 1, 971; Chris. Saunce, 1, 984; Thos. Morgan, 2, 956; John A. Cliff, 2, 988; J. B. Cliff, 3, 985; G. W. Ebbitt, 2, 1015; James Lawrence, 4, 988; Andrew Smith, 2, 1019; Stephen Tripp, 2, 899; Rev. R. French, 2, 778; Jonathan C. Jones, 2, 977.

FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

Collected by Rev. Aaron Kinney.

Israel Merritt,	$5.00	George Rideout,	$0.25
Mrs. Joseph McGee,	1.00	Mrs. G. Rideout,	25
Mrs. Rufus Shaw,	25	Amos Shaw,	75
Mrs. S. Rockwell,	25	Jas. W. Boyer,	1.00
Mrs. Cooper,	50	Aaron Kinney,	50
C. A. Shaw,	25		
			$10.00

Collected by Rev. J. N. Barnes.

Mrs M. J. Redmond,	$2.50	Mrs. Hannah Taton,	$0.25
Mrs. Maggie Bancroft,	2.50		
Mrs Chas. Good,	1.00		
			$5.25

WM. PETERS, Treasurer.

NOTICE.

The Yearly Meeting of Free Baptists of Nova Scotia will convene (D. V.) with the Church in Canning, King's County, on Thursday, the 12th day of September next, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

It is very desirable that all the Churches forward their Conference dues. (See Minutes A. D. 1871, fifth page.) J. I. PORTER, Clerk.

Barrington, August 1, 1872.

TIME AND PLACE OF HOLDING THE DISTRICT MEETINGS.

4th DISTRICT—To be held with the Church at North Branch of Oromocto, the second Saturday in September—Revs. Jacob Gunter, J. N. Barnes and Alex. Taylor appointed to attend.

6th DISTRICT—To be held with the Church in Studholm, the third Saturday in September.

COUNTRY MARKET.

Reported for the *Intelligencer* by MR. J. W. PORTS, Produce Dealer, No. 6 Market Street.

Thursday, August 29, 1872.

Butter, rolls, per lb.,	24 to 26c.
Do. Dairy, packed per lb.,	20 to 22c.
Do. Store, " "	20 to 21c.
Lard, per lb.,	13 to 14c.
Eggs, per dozen,	16 to 18c.
Oats, (Prov.) per bushel,	48 to 50c.
Oats, (P. E. I.) "	50 to 55c.
Potatoes, (kidney)"	80 to 9 c.
Potatoes, (new)	80 to 90
Cheese, Dairy, per lb.,	10 to 12c.
Beef, "	6 to 8c.
Mutton "	6 to 8c.
Veal, "	4 to 8c.
Lamb, per lb.	7 to 10c.
Pork, "	7 to 8c.
Chickens, per pair,	60 to 65c.
Turkies, per lb.	18 to 20c.
Ducks, per pair,	60 to 70c.
Green Peas,	80 to 1 00
Green Beans,	60 to 80c.
Squash, per 100 lbs.	1 25 to 1 50
Turnips, per bushel,	30 to 35c.
Parsnips per bushel	60 to 70c.
Carrots per bushel.	45 to 65c.
Lamb-skins,	55 to 64c.
Calf-skins,	12 to 14c.
Hides,	6 to 60c.
Yarn, per lb.,	60 to 70c.
Partridges, per pair,	25 to 45c.
Hams (green),	8 to 9c.
do. smoked,	9 to 10c.
Buckwheat Meal (grey),	2 40 to 2 50
Do. (yellow),	1 60 to 1 70

A CONSOLATION.—Consumption has been, and can be again cured by Dr. Wilson's Pulmonary Cherry Balsam. It is the only certain remedy, and no remedy has before been discovered that will certainly cure consumption. The most strongly marked and developed cases of pulmonary consumption have been cured by this wonderful remedy and are now as well as ever. It is composed of medications which are peculiarly adapted to and essentially necessary for the cure of coughs and consumption. We would advise our readers to seek early Dr. Wilson' Balsam. It is a genuine remedy indeed.

The stomach is the great centre which influences the health or disease of the system, abused or debilitated by excess. Indigestion, offensive breath, and physical prostration are the natural consequences. Allied to the brain, it is the source of headache, mental depression, and unrefreshing sleep. The liver becomes affected, and generates bilious disorders, pains in the sides, and the bowels sympathize with costiveness or diarrhœa. Dr. Wilson's Anti-Bilious and Preserving Pills act on the stomach, liver, lungs, and bowels, and regenerate their operation.

Clark's Derby Condition Powders are alike applicable to all domestic animals. They make fatting cattle thrive, and working cattle perform much better. There is nothing better for new milch cows, as they cleanse and regulate the system and appetite, and improve the quantity and quality of the milk.

The beneficial effects of Dr. Dow's Sturgeon Oil Liniment in relieving and subduing inflammation, bruises, sprains, &c., in all their various forms, and the unsolicited testimony in its favor from those who have used it, is its best advertisement.

MARRIAGES.

At Fredericton, on the 22nd inst., by Rev. Jos. McLeod, Mr. Ebor D. Hoyt, to Miss Basha Nason, both of Blissville, Sunbury County.

On the 10th inst., by Rev. G. W. Orser, at his residence, Mr. John Robinson, of Brighton, to Elizabeth Kimble, of the same place.

On the 13th inst., at his residence, by the same, Mr. Jeremiah J. Hall, of Northampton, to Miss Emily J. Woodstock.

By Rev. G. T. Hartley, on the 3rd inst., Moses Shaw, to Francis Brownlow, both of the Parish of Wakefield.

At Sunbury, on the 25th ult., by Rev. James Trimble, Mr. F. H. Wasson, of Chipman, to Miss Martha Cady, of Northfield.

DEATHS.

At Lincoln, Sunbury County, on the 20th inst., Deacon Daniel Hayward, aged 68 years.

At Northfield, on the 9th inst., William Frederick, infant son of George F. and Elizabeth Scott, in the third year of his age.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN—ARRIVED.

Aug 22.—Steamer New Brunswick, Pike, Boston, H. W. Chisholm, mdze and passengers; schrs. Iris, Buckard, Portland, J. M. Taylor, flour to H. W. Chisholm; White Star, Reynard, Portland, J. D. McDonald, flour and oil to H. W. Chisholm; Bell Barbour, Sullivan, Boston, Master, bal.; M. E. Bliss, ——, Boston, F. Tufts, gen. cargo; Sophia Bowen, Bowen, Sydney, Watters & McLauchlan, bal.; Lorne, Flowers, Providence, Luke Stewart, bal.

23.—Bark Francis Collins, ——, Sydney, C. B., ——, coal; brigt. Choice, Dalzen, Sydney, C. B., Schoield, coal to R. P. McGivern; schr. Digby, ——, Yarmouth, C. McLauchlan & Co.

24.—Steamer New York, Winchester, Boston, H. W. Chisholm, mdze and passengers; brig Robin, Woodman, Port Caledonia, coal to John Lloyd; brigts. Mabel, Emery, Boston; Mary Givan, Brinton, Port Caledonia, L. Stewart, coal to R. P. & W. F. Starr; schrs. Gipsey, Bradley, Boston, J. F. Masters, bal.; E. L. Dowling, Wetherbee, Boston, J. D. McDonald, furniture; Ellen, ——, ——, T. O'Mahoney; Ella Clifton, Hunt, Portland, E. D. Jewett & Co., flour; Laura, Foster, ——, G. Eaton, coal; Walter Scott, Sypher, New Haven, Scammell Bros., bal.; Annie Martha, Bissett, Picton, John Cotter, coal; Alruna, Lawson, Sydney, D. V. Roberts, coal; Lucy Lee, ——, Machias, S. T. Kleg & Sons, bal.

25.—Steamer M. A. Starr, Doane, Yarmouth, Hanford Bros., mdze and passengers.

26.—Bark Tellus, Gregersen, Glasgow, C. McLauchlan & Co., coal and water pipes; brig Chevlot, Nelson, Sydney, Geo. Thomas, coal; brigt. Alma, Fredericksen, Greenock, Guy, Stewart & Co., coal and bricks; schrs. Ada, Bolger, New York, G. W. Gerow, moulding sand to W. E. Everett; Moselle, Bennett, Port Caledonia, L. Stewart, coal; Snow Bird, Cripps, Portland, Scammell Bros., flour to H. W. Chisholm; N. Noyes, Holmes, Boston, J. F. Masters, liquors.

27.—Steamer New Brunswick, Pike, Boston, H. W. Chisholm, mdze and passengers; bark Alphild, Gleon, Liverpool, Melick & Jordan, gen. cargo; brigt. Selma, Richardson, Boston, W. Thomson & Co., bal.; schrs. Bagaduce, Devereaux, Castine, Me., Scammell Bros., bal.; R. A. Ford, Carpenter, Portland, J. M. Taylor, flour to H. W. Chisholm; Emma, Pitt, Boston, J. D. McDonald, bal.

CLEARED.

Aug. 22.—Brigt. Alex. Williams, Morrell, Santa Cruz, Morse & Armstrong; bark Satellite, Turner, Dublin, A. Gibson; schrs. Alice S., Glasgow, Boston, Quill & Goodwin, R. R. Ties; Humming Bird, Finley, Vineyard Haven, C. Hamilton & Co.; Armanilla, McLean, Boston, G. H. Gray; Arizona, Williams, New Haven, E. G. Dunn & Co.

23.—Steamer New Brunswick, Pike, Boston, H. W. Chisholm; schr. Black Bird, Keefe, Bostan, E. G. Dunn & Co.

24.—Brigt. G. A. Coonan, Outhouse, Westport, H. W. Wilson; schrs. Florence, Price, New York, M. D. & H. A. Austin; Rambler, Bissett, Danversport, A. Cushing & Co.; Martha A., Thomas, Philadelph, Scammell Bros.; Fred. E. Scammell, Barbarie, Los Palmas, A. Cushing & Co.; Fear Not, Shaw, Boston, J. E. Knight & Son; Montebello, Watters, Boston, A. Cushing & Co.

26.—Steamer New York, Winchester, Boston, H. W. Chisholm.

27.—Brig A. W. Goddard, Pengilly, Dundalk, H. W. Wilson; schrs. W. J. Starkey, Smith, New York, S. T. King & Sons; George V. Richards, Barlow, Boston, M. Pomares; Milo, McDougall, Boston, L. Stewart; Lorne, Flowers, Fall River, D. J. Secly; Lizzie G., Gilchrist, Boston, E. & F. Williams.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

FROM and after the 1st November next, the Postage rates between NEWFOUNDLAND and CANADA will be as follows:—

On letters, six cents per half ounce.

On Newspapers, if from office of publication, the ordinary commuted Newspaper rate, transient newspapers two cents each.

On book and printed matter generally, one cent per ounce.

Post Cards one cent each.

These rates to be prepaid, and to be considered as including the combined postage charge of both countries.

JOHN McMILLAN,
P. O. Inspector.

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NEW FRUIT, ETC.—Landing ex Steamer—27 brls. Apples; 5 brls. Bartlett Pears; 3 brls. Sweet Corn; 2 brls. Squash; 2 cases Grapes; 13 crates Peaches; 9 boxes Tomatoes; 1 case large Plums. 24 Water Street,
aug 29 J. S. TURNER.

R. S. STAPLES & CO., 46 Prince Wm. Street.—Great Annual Remnant Sale will take place on Monday, and continue throughout the current month. The Remnants which have accumulated throughout the year will be disposed of at a tremendous sacrifice, comprising: Remnants of Dress Goods; remnants of Printed Cottons; remnants of Grey Cottons; remnants of White Cottons; remnants of Grey Flannel; remnants of White Flannel; remnants of Scarlet Flannel; remnants of Blue Flannel; remnants of Fancy Flannel; remnants of Shirting Tweed; remnants of Winceys; remnants of Gingham; remnants of Brown Holland; remnants of Irish Linens; remnants of Linen Diaper; remnants of Towelling; remnants of Table Linens, &c.

N. B.—The subscribers would respectfully call attention to their Stock of Silks, Silk Umbrellas, Josephine Kid Gloves, &c. &c. Remnants must be cleared out during the present month. R. S. STAPLES & CO.,
46 Prince Wm. Street,
aug 29 St. John, N. B.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

MAILS for Quebec, Ontario and United States, for despatch per Sunday Evening Trains, will be closed at this office on SATURDAY NIGHTS, at 10 o'clock Correspondence mailed after that hour will be forwarded by Monday morning's trains. J. HOWE, P. M.
P. O., St. John, Aug. 23, 1872. aug 29

THRESHING MACHINES.—"Whitman's" Latest Improvement. The subscriber is Agent in "New Brunswick" for Whitman's Machine, which is acknowledged superior to any now in this market.
W. H. THORNE,
aug 29 St. John, N. B.

POTATO DIGGERS.—Just received—A superior lot of Potato Diggers. Wholesale and retail at
aug 29 W. H. THORNE'S.

600 DOZEN.—600 dozen Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites. For sale in any quantity by HANINGTON BROS.,
aug 29 Foster's Corner.

EXTRA WHITE GLUE, &c.—3 brls. Extra No. 1 White Glue; 1 Brl. Extra Buffalo Glue; 1 brl. Fine Powdered Pumice Stone; 1 brl. Lump Pumice Stone. Just received—wholesale and retail by
HANINGTON BROS.,
aug 29 Foster's Corner.

WINDOW GLASS.—Just received ex ship John Geddy—562 boxes German Window Glass. Also in Store—495 boxes German Window Glass, assorted sizes, from 7x9 to 30x40. Wholesale and retail by
aug 22 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

PATENT MEDICINE DEPOT.—Great Shoshones Remedy and Pills, Wilbor's Cod Liver Oil and Lime, Holloway's Wild Cherry Bitters, Davis's Pain Killer, Allan's Lung Balsam, Johnson's Liniment, Graham's Pain Eradicator, Dow's Sturgeon Oil Liniment, Wilson's Cough Balsam, Dr. Ayer's Remedies; Radway's Pills, Relief and Resolvent, Sharp's Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed, Moffatt's Phœniz Bitters, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, Dr. Baxter's Chalybeate, and an immense assortment of others, which want of space prevents our enumerating today. Wholesale and retail at
HANINGTON BROS.,
aug 22 Foster's Corner.

SAWS, with Adjustable Teeth, manufactured at Providence, Rhode Island, by the Providence Saw Works. The attention of Mill men throughout the Province is invited to an examination of these Saws, which are now in Store and for sale by W. H. THORNE,
Cor. Dock Street and Market Square.
☞ Send for Descriptive Circular and Price List in American currency. aug 22

R. S. STAPLES & CO. are now shewing a choice stock of Black, Colored and Fancy Silks, Silk Sunshades and Umbrellas; Black Lace and Silk Paisley Shawls; Ladies' and Gents' Satchels and Travelling Companions; Hosiery and Gloves. Inspection invited.
R. S. STAPLES & CO.,
aug 15 46 Prince Wm. Street.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT,
OTTAWA, 9th Aug., 1872.

AUTHORIZED discount on AMERICAN INVOICES until further notice: 13 per cent.
R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,
aug 29 Commissioner of Customs.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 19th inst., Mails for Bangor, Portland, Boston, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, &c., will close at this office every evening (Sunday excepted), at 8 o'clock. Morning mails will close at 7.30 as usual.
J. HOWE, P. M.
P. O., St. John, August 16, 1872. aug 22

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 19th inst., the Street and Hotel Letter Boxes will be attended to in the evenings, at 6 o'clock, in place of early in the afternoons as at present. They will also be attended to every morning as usual. J. HOWE, P. M.
P. O., St. John, August 17, 1872. aug 22

PUBLIC NOTICE.

A MAIL for the United Kingdom, via Quebec, will close at this office every THURSDAY, at 7.30 a. m., and a Supplementary Mail will close every Thursday, at 8 p. m., until further notice. J. HOWE, P. M.
P. O., St. John, Aug. 20, 1872. aug 22

FELLOWS' COMPOUND SYRUP.—50 gross of Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites. For sale by [aug 22] T. B. BARKER & SONS.

EXTRACT OF LOGWOOD.—Now Landing ex schr Martha A.—56 boxes Extract of Logwood, in boxes in bulk; also in 1lb., 4lb and 11lb. packages. Wholesale and retail by [aug 22] T. B. BARKER & SONS.

NEW PRINTS.—A fine assortment, same as last lot, which gave such general satisfaction, just opened at
aug 22 R. S. STAPLES & CO'S.

CIGARS.—450.0 real Havana and German Cigars, choice brands. Just received and for sale by
aug 22 T. B. BARKER & SONS.

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COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 19th inst., Trains will leave St. John Ferry Landing at 8.30 a. m., and 9 p. m., with Pullman Cars, for Bangor, making direct connection with Trains for Boston, Montreal, etc.

Leave for Fredericton at 8.30 a. m., and 4.15 p. m. The 8.30 a. m. Train connects with Trains of N. B. & C. R.

Freight leaves at 7.30 a. m. E. R. BURPEE.
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NEW TWEEDS.—A large and well assorted stock a
aug 22 R. S. STAPLES & CO'S.

LADIES' and Gents' Satchels, Reticules and Travelling Bags, fitted and unfitted, now showing at
R. S. STAPLES & CO.'S,
aug 22 46 Prince Wm. Street.

R. S. STAPLES & CO. have received per Acadia, another shipment of New Goods. 2 bales Grey Cottons; 1 bale White Cottons; 1 case Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets; 1 case Rough Hollands, Linens, &c.; 1 case Assorted Prints; 1 bale Heselans and Sheeting. Which are now open and ready for inspection.
R. S. STAPLES & CO.,
aug 8 46 Prince Wm. Street.

THRESHING MACHINES.—Orders received for the Improved Whitecomb Machines. To ensure prompt delivery, orders must be sent to the subscriber this month.
aug 8 W. H. THORNE.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

MAILS FOR PISARINCO close at 8 a. m. every WEDNESDAY, until further notice.
J. HOWE, P. M.
P. O., St. John, Aug. 5, 1872. aug 8

PUBLIC NOTICE.

MAILS for Blissville, Upham, Hammond Vale, etc., will close at 10 a. m., every FRIDAY until further notice. J. HOWE, P. M.,
P. O., St. John, Aug. 5, 1872. aug 8

R. S. STAPLES & CO. have just opened two cases Canadian Tweeds, containing a choice assortment, suitable for Men's and Boys's wear. Inspection invited. R. S. STAPLES & CO.,
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GENTLEMEN'S LINEN SHIRT COLLARS AND CUFFS, new styles, now opening.
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aug 8 Market Square.

HORSE RAKES, WITH WHEELS.—We have a few more Whitecomb Rakes to sell next Saturday
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JOUVIN'S CELEBRATED Two Button and Four Button French Kid Gloves, best quality.
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WATCHMAKING IN SWITZERLAND.

[From the Swiss Times of May 30th.]

WE have already drawn attention to the annual meeting of the Society of Arts, held on the 23rd current, under the presidentship of M. Th. de Saussure, and are now able to furnish some further details.

Professor Soret, in delivering a most interesting report, passed in review the operations of the Industrial section in reference to Commerce, laying great stress upon the competition that has taken place in the manufacture of chronometers. This competition was instituted with the object of testing the workmanship and precision of chronometers turned out by Genevese manufacturers, and not but those adopted for pocket use were admitted. They were deposited in charge of the authorities at the Observatory, and underwent the most searching ordeal possible to be applied to pocket instruments of this class. The jury specially retained to decide the difficult question as to whom to award the palm of excellence unanimously decided in favor of Messrs. J. M. Badollet & Co. This firm having carried off the sole prize by exhibiting a chronometer which fulfilled in the highest degree every condition required, crowned their first success by gaining honorable mention for two other chronometers. The allusion to this triple honor was received with enthusiastic applause, and Professor Humbert, President of the Fine Arts Section closed the meeting with happy and humorous dissertation upon subjects connected with this department.

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aug 23 20 North Wharf.

FLOUR—Now landing and hourly expected—200 brls. Marshall's Best; 10 brls. Oshawa; 100 brls. Arcade; 100 brls. Bushville (Extra State); 220 brls. Bridal Rose and Braemar Extra. For sale by
aug 23 G. BENT.

FLOUR.—Landing ex bark Gertrude—100 brls. Howland's Choice; 100 brls. Monck (Superior Extra); 100 brls. Baden Mills.
aug 23 G. BENT.

RICE.—25 bags Clean Rice. For sale low by
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