General Intelligence.

The European News.

The news by the Arabia, which arrived at Halifax on Thursday evening last, presents the peace prospects in a much more favorable aspect than anything we have had since the war commenced. When the telegraphic wires announced in London that Russia had accepted, unconditionally, the ultimatum of the Allies, as presented by Austria, the whole nation was stirred with startling emotions. The excitement on 'C' ange was tremendous, and the British Funds went up suddenly more than three per cent, and, notwithstanding there is much uncertainty as it regards the issue, still an immense impetus is given to the trade of the nation. It will be seen, however, from the following extracts from our English files, that strong fears are entertained, that all this talk of peace will end in smoke.

The Times, of the 18th inst., says .--Over the sounds of warlike preparation but yes. terday resounding from one end of this laborious island to the other has fallen a sudden bell, and the hammer of the armourer is uplifted, and the hand of the shipcarpenter is stayed, while they listen with wonder and surprise to the unex-pected tidings of peace. We have become indurated to a state of war, and it seems now almost as impossible for England to fall back into the od pacific routine of the last forty years, as it appeared two years ago, for her to shake off the neaceful habits and associations which those forty years had created. Nor would it, we suspect, be perfectly true to say that the country hails the prospects so suddenly offered of a return to peace with unmixed and unalloyed satisfaction. No one is so unhuman as to argue for war in the abstract, but there are a great many, we suspect. who think that its continuance for another year would have more of good than of evil. Our preparations are so vast, our army and navy are assuming so much more promising an aspect than before, and the power of Russia is so visibly reduced and shaken, that we might reasonably hope at the end of another campaign, not only to dictate terms much more favourable, but to have for them the best of all possible guarantees—the utter exhaustion and prostration of our adversary. In such cases, however, it is wise to propitiate that Nemesis which is so apt to wait on those whose overweening expectations of future good fortune render them blind to the opportunities of the present, and to close our hand upon that certain success which is in its grasp than open it to snatch at some fortune more alluring, but also more donotful and dangerous. To be delivered from the continually recurring catalogues of slaughter, from the rapid increase of our national debt, from the prospect of a 10 per cent. income tax, and a constant derangement of our monetary system ; to curb offectually the insolence and aggression of a Power which two years ago would only condescend to answer our carnest remonstrances by a hughty and expressive silence, treating them, to use the metaphor of the Empress Catherine, "as the moon does the wolves that bay at her,"--these are advantages so solid and substantial that we would not change then for the most brilliant future that ever allured and deluded the visionary or the enthusiast. Let us only be sure that we have got what we ask for and we shall bear with much chilosophy the loss of all the fine things that another year of war might bring us. We would, however, caution the public against

the persuasion that the telegraphic message of posted by the French Government on the Paris Bourse, necessarily imply what their words certainly, taken in their literal sense, would fairly comprehend,-that all the propositions upon which the allies insist have been unconditionally accepted by Russia. The terms of the fifth proposition are general, and do not necessarily include the undertaking not to fortify the Aland Isles, any more than any other dema id the allies might think fit to make. We do not believe that this requisition has yet been specially submitted to Russia, and, whatever may be the probabilities of the case, we are certainly not justified in saying that she has unconditionally accepted it. I'wo other terms on which we must peremptorily insist-the disarming of the eastern coast of the Black Sea, and the allowing Consuls of the Western Powers to reside in the Russian ports on its waters-have been only slightly and ambiguously mentioned. Why this is so we do not know, That is the concern of Austria. We are not prinipals in the negociation, but have employed the ediation of a third Power, whose duty is to see that Russia be brought to an unconditional acceptance of our terms, with all their stipulations. before we evenenter into negociation. We do not believe for a moment that these things are likely to offer permanent obstacles to the conclusion of peace, but our readers must remember that the announcement is that of an Austrian, not of an English diplomatist, and that he speaks from a point of view not always identical with our

Again, what does Russia mean by an unconditional acceptance? We have held an acceptance of hers before, and have some experience how coolly she can dishonour it. Other despatches from Vienna speak of the terms being accepted as the basis of negociations. Logically, there is no distinction between the two, for the foundation on which a negociation rests must be accepted unconditionally, or they are no foundation at all. We must begin somewhere, and that with which we begin must be unconditional; but we have some experience how Russia understands these things when we remember that last year she undertook to do away with her preponderance in the Black Sea, and could be brought to assent to no means of carrying out this condition which did not tend directly to defeat it. We do not be lieve, as we have said, that any of these difficulties will really be allowed to interfere with that peace which the Court of St. Petersburg seems te have determined to be necessary to its interest, but merely wish to cool the ardour of those over sanguine spirits who may infer that everything is already done, and that nothing remains for England and France but to ring their bells, light their bonfires, and pay the bill.

Nothing should induce us to relax for a single noment in our preparations until all the stipulations we have mentioned have been clearly and unequivocally put by Austria, and as clearly and unequivocally conceded. We must remember that by the pressure we have put upon Russia, and not by the mediation of Austria, has the present happy alteration in our circumstances been brought out, and that, if we would preserve the advantages of our position, it can only be done by a constant adhesion to the very means by which that change has been produced. Let Russia once see reason to believe that we have allowed the hopes of ease and tranquility to unnerve our vigilance and disarm our conrage, and the whole work must be done over again, for she will assuredly find means to wriggle out of the concesions she has made, and to resume her old attitude of haughtiness and defiance. The way to obtain peace is to make our adversary feel theroughlywhat is, indeed no more than the truth-how much more necessary that peace is to her than it s to us. We have tried reason and remonstrance with no effect, wehave tried vigour and action with the most encouraging results. By energetic action we have compelled the enemy to negociate; by a continuance of that energy and that action we shall bring those negociations to a happy re su't. It is the common error of historians to atribute in these matters too much to the talents

force of the contracting States. No nogociator was more successful than Charles XII. before the Battle of Pultwa, or Napoleon before the expedition to Moscow, for their arguments were backed by their havonets, and faults in their logic passed unnoticed amid the thunder of their cannon. After these signal reverses they negociated with equal talent but entirely different success, to the command of the 5th infantry corps. for the power that gave force to their propositions was gone. Now, then, if ever in the course of the war, it is necessary to push on those preparasea and land forces in the next campaign. Ne- Chamber of Deputies by a large majority. ver before was that necessity so urgent, never would the effects of any relaxation or remissness be so immediately felt. We have the goal in sight, and that ought to induce us rather to don- Government to permit the exportation of corn. this line of conduct we shall either have gained the noblest victory-a solid and lasting peace, or be in a position to inspire those who shall have withheld it from us with a still mo e durable re-

PEACE! Russia Accepts, Unconditionally, the Pro-(From the Second Edition of the London Times.

VIENNA, WEDNESDAY, 10 p.m. Russia has unconditionally accepted the

We have received the following telegraphic despatch from our Paris correspondent :-

Paris, Thursday, Jan. 17 .- The following elegraphic despatch was received here at 12 30 this morning, and was immediately posted up at the Bourse, by order of his Excellency the Minister of the Interior :-

" VIENNA, Jan. 16, 11 15 p.m. - The Minister of France to the Minister of Foreign

"Count Esterhazy writes to-day from St. Putersburg that M. de Nesselrode has just notified to him the acceptation, 'pure and simple, of the propositions contained in the ultimatum, which propositions are to serve! preliminaries of peace."

We have received the following telegraphic despatch from our Berlin correspondent :-

" BERLIE, Thursday, Ian. 17 .- Russia has accepted the Austrian proposals. Official men attribute this to the urgency of Prussia's representations and remonstrances."

(From the Morning Post.)

Her Majesty's Government has received the following telegraphic despatch from Sir Hamilton Seymour: "The Russian Government accepts the Austrian proposals as a basis for negociations.

(From the Hamburg Correspondent of the

Express.) A despatch received from Dresden announces that an extraordinary supplement of the official journal of Dresden has been publish d, in which it states, on reliable authority, that Russia has accepted unconditionally the Austrian proposals.

The Paris correspondent of the Times reports that at a reception at the Court of upon "the triumphs of the day." Vienna, on the 6th instant, the Emperor The Committee on Resolutions report the Francis Joseph declared to a member of the subjoined—which were submitted to the Meet-Diplomatic Corps that the moment had at last arrived to get out of the situation they were in one way or another, and to the Swedish Minister he observed that the treaty of his Government with France and England had produced the greatest effect at St. Petersburg, and would be powerful in hastening the termination of the crisis.

THE PEACE QUESTION .- Le Nord of Law. yesterday contains the text of a despatch from Count Buol to Count Valentine Esterhazy, accompanying the propositions which thereto, when it is further that diplomatist has taken to St. Petersburg Unanimously Resolved.—That the cordial in the name of Austria. In this despatch it thanks of this meeting are due to Ald. FOSTER Emperor of Austria, though finding the chair. Allied Powers unalterable, resolving not to The Rev. Chairman pronounces the Benetake the initiative in pacific overtures, never- diction, and the meeting adjourns. theless believes himself justified in expressing the Lope that these Powers continue to hold the principles which guided them at the outset and have no object of aggrandisement in view. The Imperial Cabinet is therefore encouraged to endeavour to procure a settlement, taking the four principles already accented by Russia as the best starting point. The propositions already known are then given, and it is added that the signing of sons were a good deal hurt. F. P. Sharp, a spethese by the belligerents will be immediately cial constable, was severely boaten; and afterfollowed by a general armistice and definie wards knocked down by one Mr. Patchell. Sharp negociations. Count Buol adds if the pro- fired a pistol, charged with powder, at Patchell; positions are accepted, Austria will not hesi- the crowd fell on Sharp and, but for the tlmely tate to warmly recommend their acceptance to the courts of Paris and London, and that killed him. The Sheriff arrested him for the use he is persuaded the special conditions will be no serious obstacle. We will not, says Count Buol, in conclusion, enter upon the grave consequence which Russia will entail upon a large quantity in the neighbourhood. Three herself by refusing to enter upon the paths other seizures took place the same day without we a second time open to her for arriving at any serious resistance. an honourable reconciliation, a refusal which would bring upon her the weight of an immense responsibility. We prefer relying upon her wisdom to weigh all the chances.

CONTINUED WAR PREPARATIONS .- We hear that the authorities of the War Department are not abating their efforts. At the the Lunatic Asylum .- Freeman. Tower the embarkation of ordnance and commissariat stores is carried on with the same energy and despatch as heretofore; the operations in the small arms department prov- beautiful and massive silver Epeigne, and ing this establishment is rather on the in two silver Claret Jugs, to Henry Pryor, Esq. crease.

of the 10th Hussars and 12th Lancers, which presentation took place at Masonic Hall, regiments are complete to the war establishment, namely, 700 rank and file each.

THE EAST.—The Gauges arrived at Marseilles this morning with advices from Constantinople of the 7th, and from the Crimea of the 5th instant. A ship called the Superb has gone down in the Black Sea with the whole crew, the captain excepted. The transport Talavera has also gone down in the Sea of Marmora; the crew were saved.

Spain -Maded news of the 16th states 4; Wells, 1. that the Government has announced to the Cortes the nomination of M. Ecosura to the Ministry of the Interior, of M. Lojan to the B. Caldwell for insertion has been unavoidably Ministry of Public Works, and of M. Arias mislaid-will Mr. C. please send us another of plempotentiaries, and too little to the relative Uria to the Ministry of Justice.

Russia.-Advices from St. Petersburg state hat General Luders will take the supreme command in the Crimea, and Prince Gortschakoff will succeed Paskiewitsch as Stadtholder (viceroy) of Poland. Kotzebue, hitherto head of the staff in the Crimea, is appointed

PIEDMONT .- A Turin desputch of the 16th announces that the bill for the loan of thirty tions which are required for the efficiency of our millions had that day been adopted by the

NAPLES .- Intelligence from Naples of the 16th announces the refusal of the Neapolitan than to remit our exertions. By observing No political interests had been granted, as was anticipated.

> GREECE. From Athens, under date of the 11th, we are informed that the brigands were being actively hunted down.

THE BALTIC.—The English steamer which had re-entered the Baltic had succeeded in capturing several traders.

Asia .- News dated Trieste, the 16th, contains intelligence from Constantinople to the effect that the generalisimo was concentrating propositions of the Allies. This is authentic. his troops at Ursuagetti. An English war steamer had received orders to proceed from Sinope to Souchoum Kaleh, to convey Omar Pacha to Constantinople.

> Persia .- The Hop. A. C. Murray left Teheran on the 6th of December. Intelligence from Teheran states that the influence of the Russians at that capital was increasing in a manner to excite uneasiness.

DOMESTIC.

PROHIBITORY LAW ! TEMPERANCE MEETING!

SONS OF TEMPERANCE HALL, Swint John, N. B. January 30th, 1856. Immediately after the dismissal, by the

Sheriff, of the public Meeting held this day, a very large number of Sons of Temperance and Temperance Men assembled at the Sons of Temperance Hall.

On entering the room the NATIONAL Anthem is sung and three cheers are given for the QUEEN. On motion S. K. FOSTER, Esq., is moved

to the Chair, and Mr. WILLIAM WEDDER-BURN requested to act as Secretary. The Rev., CHARLES MACKAY, (Congregationalist,) in compliance with the request of the Charman, returns thanks to Almighty God for the abundant success vouchsafed by Him to the Prohibitionists in their labors to

impede the enforcement of the Prohibitory Law and to accomplish its repeal. The Doxococy followed, performed by the whole Company.

overrule the endeavors of their opponents to

A committee, having been appointed to draft Resolutions for the consideration of the Meeting, retired for deliberation.

A. H. GILMOR, Esq., M. P. P., N. S. DEMILL, Esq., Rev. C. MACKAY and others addressed the meeting eloquently and forcibly

ing and carried unanimously. Resolved .- That this meeting views this day's proceedings as a great triumph of the

principles of Prohibition: Further Resolved-That this meeting hereby urges upon all men favourable to the cause of Prohibition to continue and increase their exertions in the advocacy and defence of our principles, and the maintenance of the

On motion Ald. Foster leaves the Chair, and the Rev. CHARLES MACKAY is moved

is stated that his Imperial Majesty and the for his able and impartial conduct in the

S. K. FOSTER, Chairman. WM. WEDDERBURN, Secretary.

Liquor Law .- Disturbance at Woodstock.

We learn that on Friday the 25th of January, some disturbance took place at Woodstock in consequence of the seizure of some liquer belonging to a man named Caldwell. Several perinterference of the Sheriff would probably have of unlawful weapons. Only a small quantity of the liquor was secured, but it is supposed there is

It is said that Sharp is not seriously injured.

Suicide. -On Sunday, a shoemaker named Mc-Coy, committed suicide in Indiantown, by ripping his bowls open with a shoemaker's knife. The unfortunate man has been insane for some years, and was we believe for a long time an inmate of

PRESENTATION OF PLATE.—A large number of the Citizens of Halifax have presented a the late Mayor, "to evince their appreciation Instructions were forwarded yesterday of his services, extending over the period of morning to the commanding officers of embo- three years, as Mayor of the City, during died regiments of militia notifying that volun- which time he filled that highly important teers from these corps will be accepted in office in a manner honorable to himself, and light cavalry regiments, with the exception satisfactory to his fellow citizens." The after which the citizens present, about 3000 in number, sat down to a handsome entertainment provided for the occasion.

ELECTION OF A SPEAKER BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES!-A telegraph despatch from Washington received vesterday, informs us that the U.S. House of Representatives elected Mr. Banks to be Speaker on Saturday last, by a plurality of votes, all attempts At Kerteh an a tack was expected from having failed. The vote stood :- Banks, 103; Aiken, 100; Fuller, 6; Campbell of Ohio,

An Advertisement handed us by Mr. C.

LETTERS AND MONIES RECEIVED. Jan. 9. T. H. Randall, " F. W. Bradford, 11. J. W. Frost, (1s. 3d. Casket,) 14 15. Rev. H. Ross, (1 sub.) " 17. Rev. A. Cogswell, (1 sub.) " 18. Joseph Graves, " 22. Nathan J. Thurber, [Former letter acknowledged in No 4] w. a Wm. Marshall " 23. Joshua Prescott, (4 sub.) [Through some mistake the

two names referred to were not previously forwarded as Subscribers, but will be sent from the present date. " 24. John Hea, jr.
" By Rev. T. Todd 0 7 6 James E. Potter (1 sub.) " " Rev. Henry Eagles (all right) " 25. A. Pineo (1 sub) " 26. John Bent (1 sub) " Henry Parlee (Is 3d Casket)

David Moore (1 sub) " Rev. G. F. Miles (2 sub) " .. Rev. James Walker " 27. Deacon Wm. Gremley " 28. Zehulon S. Davis (am't enel'd) 2 5 (am't said enclosed £3 2s 6d) Rev. A. D. Thomson (1 sub) " 29. B. Richards (1 sub) " W. H. Everett, Esq.

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Thos. Holmes -- Wm. Wentworth-James A. Calder. " John S. Colpitts, (1 sub.) [5s. for preeli] " Miss Dunbam,

" By Henry March. Feb. 1. By Rev. James Walker, (1 sub)0 5 1 16 0 " John T. Smith, (1 sub) " John Gerow. " By James Die' 0 7 2. H. E. Seelye, Esq. " B. G. W. Day [8 sub] 1 10 0 5. Rev. C. Spurden 0 7 6

(F) All directions in the above attended to. COUNTILY MARKET. Feb. 6. PROVISIONS, &c. Butter, in firkins, per lb Roll, per lb $70 - 0 \, \alpha 89$ Meats, Beef, per lb, quarter, $\frac{3\frac{1}{2}a}{3\frac{1}{2}a} \frac{0}{0}$ Lamb, Hams and Shoulders, Pork. Oats, per bushel, Potatoes, per bushel. 4 0 a 4 Apples, per brl,

Turkey. per lb. Geese, single, Fowls, per pair, Ducks. FLOUR, &c-New York State, common 45 0 a 47 6 Rye Flour 42 6 a --

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.—ARRIVED. We inesday-Brigt Lucy Ann, Simpson, Halifax-G & J Salter, general cargo.

Thursday-Brig R B Clark, Rum ny, Eastport-Hall & Pairweather, flour and meal Saturday-Schr Margaret A, Anderson, Boston, 3 -Mas er, assorted cargo Monday - Bark Indian Queen, Tro p. Matanzas, 20-Edward Allison, molasses and fruit

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20 Brigt Conductor, Wyman, Barbadoes, C McLauchlan; sch Tasmania, McDonough, Queenstown, W & G Carvill ; Rechab, Speers, Eastport, W A Woods Jan 30th-Schr Washington, Brannan, Boston,

-E D Jewett & Co ;-H Maxwell Feb 1st-Barque N tive, frask, Dublin,-R Rankin & Co; Scar. Ella, Hunt, Boston, -Stewart & McLean

Feb 21 - Ship Sirocco, Johnston, London, - Vorrisey & Shives : Agenoria' Smith, Liverpool .- S Wiggins & Son :

MEMORANDA. The ship John Duncan, Kenney, belonging to Messrs. J & R Reed's line of Liverpool packets, husband and eleven children, with a large circle of arrived at the Belize, lelow New Orleans, in thirty relatives and friends to mourn their loss. days from Liverpool, being the quickest passage of

The steamer Africa, at New York, passed the packer ship John Barbour, hence for Liverpool, on the 20th i strut in lat 42, lon 60

SPECIAL NOTICES

HALL & FAIRWEATHER AVE removed to C. M. Gove's new brick building, Johnston's Wharf, near the Carleton Ferry Landing, and having engaged the use of the Ashburn Mills, they will continue business in the new stand as Importers and Manufacturers of Flour. V. B. Entrance to Johnston's Wharf from Water Street, nearly opposite essrs. Berion Brothers. St. John, N. li., Jan. 2, 1856.

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Jan. 9. CHARLES SPURDEN, Principal.

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pos d to the use of patent medicines,) cannot with-hold their adproval of this invaluable remedy: Ltnd, Stark Co. Ohio, Jan. 8, 1849. I have used Dr. M'Lane's Worm Specific in my private practice, and am prepared to say that the un-paralleled success with which I have prescribed its use, both for children and adults, induces me to say the most in its favor of any specific or patent medicine ever before brought to my notice. The mode of ad-ministration, the smallness of the dose, and the certainty of its efficacious effects, give it, in my opinion a decided advantage over any other medicine of the kind before the public.

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Prof. S. CENTER writes us as follows: GENTLEMEN, -I have recently had occasion of test your Cherry Syrup and Hygean Vapor in a case of hronic sore throat, that had refused to yield to other forms of treatment, and the result has satisfied me, that, whatever may be the composition of your preparation, it is no imposition, but an excellent remedy I wish, for the sake of the afflicted, that it might be brought within the reach of all. CAULTON .- DR CURTIS'S HYGEANA is the original

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Rev. Doctor Cheeven writes: New-York, Nov. 15, 1854 DEAR SIR .- I think highly of Dr. Curtis's Hygeana, as a remedy in diseases of the throat and lungs. Having had some opportunity to test its efficacy, I am convinced that it is a most excellent medicine, both the Syrup and the inhaling application to the chest.
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The Hyganass for sale at St. John by FELLOWS & Co. who said said retail. See Advertisement in snother column.

MARRIAGES.

At New Horton, A. C., on the 17th ult., by Elder Levi H. Marshal, Mr. Abraham Bray, second son of Deacon Benjamin Bray, to Miss Eliza Ann Reed, el-dest daughter of Mr. Wm. Reed, of New Horton At Caledonia, on the 24th ult., by the same, Mr. Alfred Reed, eldest son of Deacon James Reed, to Miss Jane Barber, of Caledonia.

On the 25th uit., in this city by the Rev E. McLeod Mr. Hiram Kimble, to Miss Hannah Holder, both of Long Reach, Kingston. At Fredericton, on the 15th inst., at the residence of

the bride's father, by the Rev. G. Scaly, minister of the Baptist Church, Mr. Robert S. Bailey, merchant, to Miss Amelia E., e dest daughter of of J. L. Marsh. Esq., all of that city.
At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 16th

inst., by the Hon. George Hayward, Commissioner for Solemnizing Marriages, Mr James L. Slip, to Miss Caroline J Hartt, daughter of the late Thomas Hartt,

DEATHS.

On the 25th December last, Capt. Francis J. Drake, Commander of the ship "Dirego," owned by Messrs. Coulthart & Son, of Liverpool, whilst on a voyage from the East Indies to London. His remains were interred at Falmouth. Capt. Drake was a competent and respectable shipmaster, and held in high esteen by his late employers. He has left a distonsolate widow and four helpless ones, to lament the loss of an indulgent husband and kind parent.

" His future state I leave alone, Because to me it is unknown But yet I hope he took his flight To the pure realms of endless light. The widows's heart is made to mourn, But still she is not left alone: Her Saviour's presence fills her heart, And He from her will ne'er depart. Parent and children dry your tears-Indulge not in those gloomy fears; The promises belong to you-The words of which are always true .- Com.

On Wednesday afternoon Sarah Eliza, wife of W At his son's residence, Salisbury, Westmorland Co. on the 21st of January, Mr. Ralph Colpitts, at the ad

vanced age of about 8) years.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber have this day entered into Co-Partnership under the firm and style of BAR BOUR & SEELY, and intend doing a general Dry Goods Business in the Store in King Street known as the " Wakefield House." WILLIAM V. BARBOUR,

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CHAIN AND SPIKES.—Just received ex Fack-et Ship Lampedo from Liverpool—5 tons proved Short Linked CHAIN, 3-16 to 5-8 in.; 116 bags fine Deck SPIKES, 4 to 10 inch. For sale low for prompt pay. [feb 6.] W. H. ADAMS ELEME FIGS.—100 Boxes & 30 Drums fine fresh Eleme FIGS—for sale by D. & J. LEAVITT,

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Prince Wm. Street. TOBACCO .- 40 boxes Saunders' Fives, for sale Prince Wm. Street. SUPERIOR BURNING FLUID.—Just received ex schr Washington from Boston—3 bbls superior

Burning FLU1D.

THOMAS M. REED. Head North Wharf. A XE AND SPRING STEEL.—Just received A per Packet ship Lampedo—40 Bdls. Spring STEEL: 3 cases Sandercon's AXE STEEL; 15 boxes FLEMING BROS. Canada PLATES, 25-18. For sale low for each or

W. H. ADAMS.

LECTURE in connection with the above society

SAINT JOHN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN

ASSOCIATION. ill be delivered on the evening of THURSDA inst., by the Rev. RICHARD KNIGHT. Sub-The Mental, Moral, and Religious Attainment Young Men, the Basis of Prospective Happiness to amilies. Advantages to the Community, and Pros-

Young men are particularly invited to attend. Tickets 3d. each to be had at the stores of Messrs W. Daniel & Co., Haznah & Underhill, and Fraser, Ennis & Co.

Doors open at 7 o'clock-Lecture to commence at o'clock.

W. F. HAWKINS, Recording Secretary

GAS FETTINGS.

WUST RECEIVED-2 cases Patent Spring GAS Always on hand—Gas and Water Pipes; House and Ship Water Closets; Gas, Copper, Tin, Zinc, and Sheet Iron Work executed in the most approved and thorough manner, at the Store of

JAMES DYALL, 6m. No. 42, Water-st. NOTICE.

A LL persons having any Legal Demands against the late SAMUEL B. CORY, deceased, of Saint cht., N. B., are requested to hand in the same, duly ittested to, within three months from the date hereof an I all persons indebted to the same, are requested to make immediate payment to

HANNAH CORY.

Feb. 6 .- 1mp. WINDOW GLASS.—Just received and for sale low—427 boxes German Window GLASS, sizes feb 6.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

LL persons indebted for Instalments on Crowns Lands are desired to pay the same on or before he arst day of March, 1856, to the Local Deputy in the respective Counties for that purpose appointed And notice is hereby given to the purchasers of such Lands, and to all persons occapying or claiming right to the same, that after the first day of March, 1856, every lot upon which any balance may be due and unpaid will be considered vacant, and as such will from that time be open for applications for purchase or licence.

JAMES BROWN, Sur. Gen. VALUARLE BUSINESS STANDS

TO LET FOR ONE OR TWO YEARS: THOSE TWO STORES in Prince William-street, This is one of the best situations in the City for a retail trade of any description, particularly that of Clothing or Groceries, being directly in front of the landing of steamer Adviral, and a short distance from the Reed's Poin' improvements-nearly opposite the Pilot's Office and Custom House, and but three buildings south of Mr. Stubbs' Hotel. Rent very low. ssession given on the 1st day of May next

Also, the Dwelling apartments over the above Stores. One house containing ten rooms, the other seven, having separate Yards and Woodhouses. Water and Gas will be put in if required, and everything done to secure the comfort of the tenant.—Apply immediately to GEO. C. GARRISON & CO.,
Jan. 33. 46 Charlotte-street and Reed's Point.

COUGHS AND COLDS. Sharp's Balsam of Horehound and Aniseed. (50 DOZEN ON HAND.)

HERE are hundreds here who have received almost miraculous cures after years of suffering and pain; and almost every family in this city can testify to the value of Sharp's Balsama Its well-known efficacy has won it a renown unequalled by any other Gough medicine. Thousands of bottles are now annually sold, and its pleasant taste has made it the "favorite medicine" with both old and young, adult and

This excellent Medicine has the extraordinary property of immediately relieving Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Difficulty of Breathing, and Huskiness of the Throat. It operates by dissolving the congealed phlegm, and causing free expectoration. Persons who are troubled with that unpleasant tick ing 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. It is sold in small bottles at 1s. 6d., large size, Each bottle has the Proprietors' stamp on the cork. thus:-J. G. SHARP, Chemist, St. John; do not buy without this stamp; if you do, you may depend on

ts being a counterfeit. Agents wanted in every town throughout the Province to whom a liberal discount will be made. Wholesale and Retail Agents for New Brunswick,

G. F. EVERETT & CO., No. 9, King street, Opposite the Commercial Palace.

REMOVAL. HUTCHINGS & BURNHAM.

UNDERTAKERS, &c.,

THANKFUL for past favors, would inform their
friends and the public generally, that they have
removed to No.51, East side of Germain Street, to the shop formerly occupied by Potter & Co., where they are prepared to manufacture FURNITURE to order. and warranted to give entire satisfaction or no sale. The subscribers have on hand a good assortment of Furniture of their own manufacture, consisting of Mahogany Book Cases, Sofas, Centre and Dressing Tables, Bureaus, Washstands, &c. Also A quantity of low priced Birch Tables and Bedsteads, wood-bottom Chairs-all of which will be disposed of on reasonable

In the Undertaking Department we flatter ourselves that we can give general satisfaction to all who may favor us with a call, and whose orders will be carefully attended to. Charges in all cases moderate

HUTCHINGS & BURNHAM. JOHN CURRY'S, Gagetown, till the 12th day

of February next, for the purpose of building a Meering House in the Parish of Gagetown, according to a specified plan there to be seen; security to be given for due performance; to be finished by the first day of September next. Payments to be satisfactory.

JOHN CURRY, January 11, 1855. Chairman of Committee

NOTICE .- SEALED TENDERS will be received until the 1st March, for erecting and completing Baptist Meeting House, to be built at the Head of Cumberland Bay, Grand Lake. The plan and specification may be seen by calling upon either of the subscribers. Grand Lake, Dec. 24. ROBERT SNELL, GEO, ELKIN. scraphines and Melodeons.

HE Subscriber is constantly receiving a supply of Seraphines and Melodeons, of most beautiful finish and style, and of the sweetest tone. They are all warranted of first rate workmanship, and will be soid at a very low price. Several of these beautiful In struments will arrive from Boston y the first vessel. Enquire of the subscriber, Indiantown; or at Mr Barker's Segar Manufactory, Dock Street, St. John there a sample of them can be seen. Several of these Instruments are used in Churches n this vicinity, and give great satisfaction Jan. 5 .- 3m.p. D. NUTTER. . .

I INION HOTEL, Union Street, between Charlotte and Sydney streets, (south side.)—The Proprietor of this Establishment, thankful for favors received during the period he occupied the New Brunswick Hotel, and convinced of the necessity of more and better accommodation for the public, has erected a large and substantial Building in Union Street, capable of accommodation from 70 to 83 Boarders. This House is well ventilated, the sleeping rooms are large, and every flat is well supplied with water, and also lighted with gas. The proprietor is determined to leave no means unfried to merit the patronage of the community. Travellers arriving late at night will find the house always open, and ready to receive them: while the conveniences and moderate charges will rende" ' uphatically the home of the stranger. The arket affords, and the Proprietor is determined to adhere strictly to the Total Abstinence principle. Two large Stables have been erected on the pre-mises, capable of accommodating 60 or 70 horses. Good hostlers always in attendance.

St John Sept. 7, 1855. ELIAS S. FLAGLOR. NEW SHOP, PINE'S BRICK BUILDING, No. 20, King Street.

SAMUEL BROWN R ESPECTFULLY invites the Attention of his friends and the Public to his stock of FANCY DRY GOODS, Which he has just recived per "John Barbour," consisting in part of FURS, in Chinchilla, Stone Martin, Fitch, and Squirrel, &c., in setts to match: French Flowers, Plain and Tinseled Roses, in all colours: Head Dresses, of the richest design; Evening & Bal' Dresses; SILK, in Brocade, Stripe, and Checks; VELVETS, in all Colours." and Velvet Mantles; Velvet Plush and Silk Trimmings; Bugle and Fancy Floss FRINGES; Fancy Neck Ties: Berlin

and Fancy Floss FRINGES; Fancy Neck Ties; Berlin Jachets, GAUNTLETS. Sleeves, &c. &c.
P. S.—The above Goods being all new, together with the rest of the STOCK, will be diposed of Chean.