

RESIGNATION OF HON. M. I. WILKINS.—The Gazette of 19th inst. contains a letter from Hon. Martin I. Wilkins, dated 12th inst., to His Excellency the Earl of Mulgrave, tendering his resignation as Solicitor General and Executive Councilor. Mr. Wilkins' grounds for this step are the non-appointment of Pictou gentlemen to the Legislative Council, and neglect of himself personally, he not having been consulted a Delegation was sent to England, together with such an unusual measure as sending a Delegation without the consent of the Legislature. Mr. Wilkins having very recently obtained a copy of the Governor General's despatch, not previously communicated to him (Mr. W.) is of opinion that the delegation was unnecessary and uncalled for and that it could not be defended, as it had not been solicited by H. M. Government. Mr. Wilkins thinks if the whole Council had been consulted in the matter, the majority would have advised His Lordship to forego the delegation, on pecuniary grounds. He also thinks had a full Council been in favor of the delegation, a very different selection of delegates would have resulted. —Mr. Wilkins has other grounds for taking the present step, but which he does not particularize. He closes with expressing his deep sense of the politeness and urbanity uniformly received at his Lordship's hands. Mr. Wilkins' letter has been published in the Gazette at the wish of that gentleman, and by his Lordship's permission. The other members of the Government replied. —Hal. paper.

COLONIAL SHIPPING.—In the year 1848 the number of vessels owned in the British North American Colonies amounted to 5,385, with a tonnage of 423,518 tons, manned by 23,992 men. —On the 31st Dec. 1857, the date of the latest official returns the number of vessels had increased to 6,416, embracing 616, 779 tons. The number of vessels owned in the British West Indies in 1857 was 718, comprising 14,431 tons.

Arrival of the "Europa." —The Europa, from Liverpool, arrived at Sandy Hook, at noon.

Indications in Italy, rapidly approaching crisis. —Decline in Paris Bourse reached 24 per cent., but afterwards slightly advanced. —Consols 96 1/2 to 98. Bullion in Bank increased £180,900. —Money market unchanged. —Flour dull; wheat firm, at an advance of 1s. 2d.; Corn quiet; little change in other markets. —Nothing of political importance since sailing of City of Washington.

PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, as an internal remedy has no equal. In cases of cholera, summer complaint, dyspepsia, dysentery and asthma, it will cure in one night by taking it internally and bathing with it freely. It is the best Liniment in America. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

MONEY AND LETTERS. —Cornelius Colonnay, 7s. 6d.; A. A. Pines, 20s.; Elijah Clark, 18s.; Palmer Woodworth, 7s. 6d.; Thos. Wallace, 7s. 6d.; A. Corey, 17s. 6d.; Miss Dunham, 7s. 6d.; James A. Colwell, 15s.; Rev. J. Hughes, 22s. 6d.; Spinney Whitman Esq., 16s.; Noah Robb, 7s. 6d.; Rev. James Tozer, 10s.; Thos. Denham, 7s. 6d.; J. H. Dykeman, 45s.; Joseph Blackney, 11s. 3d.; Ezra Steeves, Esq., 30s.; Mr. Bachelor, 7s. 6d.; Wm. Churchill, Esq., 20s.; Nathan B. Thurber, 20s.; J. Hutchinson Esq., 5s.; Rev. E. N. Harris, T. W. Welton, 15s.; all right.

NOTICE. —The next Quarterly Meeting of the County of Charlotte, will meet with the Baptist Church in Penfield on the second Friday in February, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Ministers and other Brethren are earnestly requested to attend. —JOHN MARCH, Clerk.

NOTICE. —Churches, Sabbath Schools and individuals desiring to purchase Books can have their orders supplied at Boston prices, free of expense for services rendered, by making application to H. P. GUILFORD, St. John, January 10, 1859.

NOTICE. —A Quarterly Meeting will be held with the First Baptist Church, Sackville N. B., to commence on Saturday the 19th, of March, at one o'clock. Ministers and other brethren who are sound in the faith, are requested to attend as matters of importance, are to be brought before the meeting. —DAVID LAWSON, —Pastor, Point de Bute, Jan. 1859.

NOTICE. —Subscribers in Westmorland, Albert, King's and Queen's Counties, will be called on for the amount of their subscriptions, during the present, and the next month (January and February) by the Junior Editor. It is hoped that the friends of the Visitor in those places, will facilitate his work as much as possible. He will be glad to take the names of persons desirous of becoming new subscribers. While attending to the duties of the Visitor, he will not neglect the teaching of the gospel, remembering the injunction, "AS YE GO PREACH."

TESTIMONIALS FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES.—A pleasing travelling companion, and one that no person should be without is Perry Davis' Pain Killer. A sudden attack of diarrhoea, dysentery, or cholera morbus can be effectually and instantaneously relieved by it. It is equally effective in curing scalds, burns, &c. —Thomas S. Bailey, writing from Rangoon, Burma, December 19, 1855, says:—"It is becoming more popular, and in several instances I am assured that the cholera has been arrested and life preserved by its use. The late prevalence of cholera here has swept off about all the Pain Killer I had, and purchasers looking to me for a supply will be disappointed in my ability to supply them. Please send me an invoice of \$50 worth by the first opportunity."

CAPE TOWN, Africa, Jan. 28, 1859. Messrs. P. Davis & Son.—Dear Sirs: The Pain Killer, we are happy to say, is getting in good repute here, and its good qualities are being appreciated. Lately, we have a great demand for the article, and confidently anticipate a large trade in the Pain Killer.

BORRODALE, THOMPSON, HALL & CO. Sold by druggists everywhere.

MARRIED. —At Queensbury, by Elder James H. Lupper, Oct. 6th, Mr. Benedict Jones to Miss Lucy Ann Doughty, both of Douglas. By the same, Oct. 20th, Mr. David Good to Miss Sarah Agnew, both of Kingsclear. By the same, November 11th, Mr. Joseph T. Dunphy to Miss Ruth W. Wheeler both of Kingsclear. By the same on December 23rd, Mr. Charles Currie to Miss S. E. Hately, both of Douglas.

By the Rev. S. March, on the 26th Oct. 1858, Mr. James Murphy to Miss Phoebe Hatt, all of the Parish of St. George, County of Charlotte. By the same, on the 4th of Nov. 1858, Mr. Eliphalet Bradwick, to Miss Mary Elizabeth McHenry all of the Parish of St. George.

By the same, on the 6th Nov. 1858, Mr. James Murphy to Miss Catherine Hoyt, all of the Parish of St. George.

By the same, on the 19th Dec. 1858, Mr. Benjamin Hall to Miss Charlotte Mathews, all of the Parish of St. George.

By the same, on the 31st December, 1858, Mr. Shepherd Clinch to Miss Amy Dowdall all of the Parish of Saint George.

COMMERCIAL.

THE VISITOR MARKET LIST, ALPHABETICALLY ARRANGED, AND CAREFULLY REVISED WEEKLY, JUST BEFORE GOING TO PRESS. COUNTRY PRODUCE. Apples, per barrel, 17 6 a 20 0. Beef, per lb. per quarter, 0 3 a 0 4. Butter, in firkins, per lb., 0 11 a 1 0. Buckwheat, per cwt, 8 0 a 11 0. Carrots, per bushel, 2 6 a 3 0. Cheese, per lb., 0 5 a 0 8. Chickens, per pair, 1 6 a 2 0. Cordwood Maple, 32 0 a 0 0. Ducks, per pair, 2 6 a 3 6. Eggs, per doz, 2 0 a 3 0. Hams and shoulders, 0 6 1/2 a 0 7 1/2. Hay, per ton, 70 0 none. Lamb, per lb., 0 34 a 0 4. Mutton, per bushel, 2 3 a 2 9. Oatmeal, per cwt., 15 0 a 16 0. Potatoes, per bushel, 3 0 a 4 0. Pork, per lb., 0 34 a 0 4. Turkeys, do., 0 8 a 0 9. Turnips, per bushel, 1 6 a 2 0. Veal, per lb., 0 4 none.

CANDLES. Mould, per lb., 0 10 a 0 0. Dips, do., 0 9 none. COFFEE, Duty 1-1-2d. per cent. Java, 11 0 a 12 0. Porto Rico and Laguayra, 0 11.

FISH. Codfish, 18 9 a 21 3. Pollack, wanted. Mackerel, No. 1, large, wanted. Do No. 2, wanted. Do No. 3, medium, wanted. Do No. 4, small, 26 3 a 30 0. Herring, Digby, No. 1, box, 4 0. Do Shore, No. 2, 2 0 a 2 6. Do Labrador, 22 6 a 27 6. Do Quoddy, scaled, 2 6 a 1 9. Do Scaled, box, 1 6 a 1 9. Do No. 1, 1 6 a 1 9. Haddock, none. Hake, none. Shad, No. 1, 55 9 none. Do No. 2, 40 0 none.

FLOUR. Canada Superior, 31 3 a 32 6. American, do., 23 9. New York City, common, 27 6 a 28 9. Corn Meal, City ground, bag 11 6.

FUEL. Coal, L'pool House, perch, 27 6. Do Scotch, 22 6 a 25 0. Do Grand Lake, 20 0 a 25 0. Wood, per cord, 17 0 a 24 0. LEATHER.—Duty on Foreign 2d per lb. Scale Leather, (Domestic) 1 2 a 1 5. Harness, do 1 3. Band, do 1 5 a 1 6. Upper do per side, 5 0 a 7 6. Pina Kip, 18 0 a 20 0. Slaughter, (upper side) 18 0 a 20 0. Gal Skins, per lb., 4 0 a 4 6.

LUMBER. Spruce Logs, per M nominal. Pine Sapping, 2 0 a 5 10 0. Deals, 2 0 a 3 0. Pine Timber, 18 inch, 2 0. MOLASSES.—Duty Free. Bright Porto Rico, per gal. 1 9 a 1 10. Cuba, Muscovado, 1 10 a 1 10. Clayed, 1 10 a 1 10. (Stock very limited).

PROVISIONS. Pork, New York Mess, £5 0 0. Butter, 11 0. Cheese, 11 0. Salt (old), 0 8 a 0 10. Salt, in bags, common 3 9. Do fine, 6 0. Rice, per 100lbs, 22 6. SOAP. Pale Yellow, per lb., 0 3 a 0 5. Common, 0 4. SUGAR.—Duty 6s per cwt. Bright Porto Rico, wholesale, 52 6 a 53 8. In bond 52 6 a 53 8. TEA.—Duty 2d per lb. Congo, wholesale, duty paid, 2 0. Fine Congo and Souchong, 2 3.

FREIGHTS. Deals, to London, 80 0. Do to Liverpool, 65 0. Do to Ireland, 80 0. Timber to Liverpool, 20 0.

EXCHANGE. On London, 10 per cent premium. New York, 1 do do. Boston, 1 do do. Halifax, 3 do discount. Nova Scotia Money, 3 1/2.

Colds, Coughs, Asthma, Catarrh, Influenza, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Incipient Consumption, Brown's Bronchial Troches, COPYRIGHT SECURED.

Entered according to act of Congress, in the year 1857, by JOHN L. BROWN & SON, Chemists, Boston, in the Clerk's Office of the District Court of the Dist. of Mass. —Coughs.—The great and sudden changes of our climate, are fruitful sources of Pulmonary and Bronchial affections. Experience has proved that simple remedies often act speedily and certainly when taken in the early stage of disease, or recourse should at once be had to "Brown's Bronchial Troches," or Lozenges, let the Cough or Irritation of the Throat attack may be effectually warded off.

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Brown's Bronchial Troches. —[From Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, who has used the Troches five years.] "I have never changed my mind respecting them from the first, except to think them better of that which I began in thinking well of." "In all my lecturing tours, I put 'Troches' into my pocket as regularly as I do lectures or hymns. I do not hesitate to say that in so far as I have had an opportunity of comparison, your Troches are pre-eminently the best, and the first, of the great Lozenges School."

Brown's Bronchial Troches. —[From Rev. E. H. Chapin, D. D., New York.] "I consider your Lozenges an excellent article for their purposes, and recommend their use to Public Speakers."

Brown's Bronchial Troches. —[From Mr. C. H. Gardner, Principal of the Rutgers Female Institute, New York.] "I have been afflicted with Bronchitis during the past winter, and found no relief until I found your 'Troches'."

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WESTMORELAND.

By Deputy Palmer, at Dorchester. 44 acres, north of lot F, block L, Sherdie, Anthony Simpson. 100 acres, lot 123, Botsford, Joseph Read. By Deputy Wilton, at Salisbury. 100 acres, next R. Madison, south of Coeagan R., Ohas, McLean. 90 acres, lot 3, block 11, Salisbury, Thos. Cochran, improvr. 100 acres, lot 46, block 14, Salisbury, W. Stewart. 200 acres, lot 47, block 14, Salisbury, A. Gilman. 200 acres, lot 48, block 14, Salisbury, G. Gilman.

23, South Wharf. 150 BLS EXTRA STAPLE FLOUR, 10 Chests TEA, 10 BOXES SALERATUS. —IN STOCK— 700 bushels OATS; 700 lbs BUTTER, 15 Hf brls. SHAD. For sale by J. READ & CO. Jan. 26.

Lecture. A PUBLIC LECTURE will be delivered at the Hall of the Mechanic's Institute, on FRIDAY EVENING next, before the Young Men's Christian Association, by Mr. JOHN BOND, Subject, "The British Pulpit, with sketches of some of its living celebrities." M. F. MANKS, Sec'y Lecture Committee. Jan. 26.

TO BOSTON IMPORTERS. The good Sch. ABI ALBION, Capt. Wright, was in Boston, laying on for FREIGHT for this Port, and will be ready to sail in about 10 days. For further information, apply to JOHN FERRIS, Boston. JOHN J. WRIGHT, Jan 21. 24 South Wharf.

Office Public Works. SEPARATE TENDERS will be received at this Office until TUESDAY, 16th day of March next, at noon, for the Erection of a Stone or Wooden Light House and Keeper's House on Grindstone Island, at the head of the Bay of Fundy. Plans and Specification can be seen at the Post Office at Dorchester and Hopedale Hill, at the Office of Isaac Woodward, Esq., Saint John, and at the Office of the Engineer in Charge. Satisfactory security will be required for the due performance of such Contract as may be entered into. J. W. STEVES, Chief Commissioner. Jan. 26.

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Drugs, Medicines and Perfumery.

JUST received from London by ship L. L. from the celebrated Laboratory of Piesse & Lubin; Her Majesty's Perfume; Alton Nougay (with which Britannia sends her handkerchiefs); Frangipani, "an eternal perfume" from the Holy City; Perfume of Paradise; Victoria regia or Water Lily; King me Quick, distilled from the Fragrant Tulip; Concentrated Essence of White Roses; Concentrated Essence of the Wood Violet. For sale by THOMAS M. REED, Head of North Wharf.

FLOUR.—Landing ex schr. Catharine from New York. 150 brls, Extra State Flour. —IN STOCK— 50 brls Flour, assorted brands, 50 brls large Labrador Herring, 25 do smaller size do half brls, 20 do Bay Herring, large, 50 cwt large Codfish, 20 do Pollock, 5 Puns. Molasses, 50 boxes smoked Digby and Quoddy Herrings, A large quantity of Tea and Tobacco, Coffee, Sale-ratus, Broomo, Sugar, Rice, coarse and fine Salt, &c., &c. For sale at lowest Market rates by S. J. GOLDING, 17, South Wharf, Jan. 12-13.

THE Subscriber, having now associated with him as a partner, Mr. CHAS. R. RAY, the business hitherto carried on in his own name will in future, be under the firm of FRASER & RAY. When a continuance of the liberal patronage previously extended, is respectfully solicited. JOHN FRASER, Victoria House, 4th January, 1859.

Subscribers beg leave respectfully to intimate, that they shall use their best endeavours to make the "VICTORIA HOUSE" a place of call to purchasers of FANCY and STAPLE DRY GOODS as can be found in the City, both as regards attention, quality and price of Goods. The stock, a large portion of which has been received by very recent steamers from Europe, has been marked down, and intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to call at the VICTORIA HOUSE. This is not a puff, but plain straight forward facts. FRASER & RAY, Victoria House, 19th Jan., 1859.

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GLIMPSES OF JESUS. Or, Christ Exalted in the Affections of his People By the Rev. W. P. Belfern, of England. 18mo., 267 pages. Price 60 cents. SHELDON, BLAKEMAN & CO., 150 Publishers, 115 Nassau street. For sale at the Colonial Book Store. Nov. 17, 1858.

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TAI-PING-WANG. Life of Tai-Ping-Wang, Chief of the Chinese Insurrection, by J. Milton Mackie, author of Life of Schamyl. J. & A. McMILLAN, Jan 19.

Notice to the Public. COMMENCING with SATURDAY next, the 1st January, and until the 1st of March ensuing, Mails for Digby, Annapolis and the Western parts of Nova Scotia will be made up at this Office every SATURDAY at three o'clock in the afternoon, and forwarded by the regular vessel on the following day. Post Office, St. John, Dec. 30, 1858.

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NEW BOOKS. Pearl from Boston—Clyde North British Review, for November. Chambers' Journal, "Godey's Lady's Book, for January, 1859. The Atlantic Monthly, Ladies' American Magazine, Balfour's Dollar Magazine, Household Words, Illustrated Annual of Rural Affairs for 1859. Life of George Stephenson. McChesny's Life and Letters. J. & A. McMILLAN, Jan 13.

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