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The Archbishop of York died at Bishopthorp on the 5th Nov.—He had entered upon the 91st year of his age.

Capt. Grover, whose generous and unwearied exertions in the cause of Col. Stoddart and Capt. Connolly will be fresh in everybody's recollection, died at Brussels on the 7th Nov. after a brief illness.

Dr. Musgrove, Bishop of Hereford, has been translated to the Archbishoprick of York; and Dr. Hampden, Regius Professor of Divinity at Oxford, will, it is said, be raised to the vacant see of Hereford.

Mr. Merivale has been appointed Under-Secretary of state for the Colonies. He is said to be an able lawyer, and, as the author of "Lectures on Colonisation," is favourably known to the public.

The receipts of the British and Foreign Bible Society, last year, amounted to £117,000, being the largest amount entrusted to its management.

It is stated that in the event of nothing being heard of Sir John Franklin next year, the Government will fit out three separate expeditions very early, to be despatched different routes in quest of him. Dr. King has offered his services to Government to go in search of Sir John and his gallant crew, whom he supposes to have been shipwrecked.

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With the exception of the pending strife in Switzerland, European politics are upon the surface calm and unruffled. In France two more domestic tragedies have been enacted on the great theatre of human life. The diseased state of social feeling in the highest ranks of society has furnished two more lamentable victims of insanity and suicide. Count Bresson, the chief promoter of the unfortunate Montpensier marriages, has put a period to his ill-fated existence, by violent means, at Naples. This fatal act has been produced by an overwrought mind not finding "ample room and verge enough" for the scope of its ambition in the subordinate station of ambassador of an Italian State. Being disappointed in obtaining the London embassy, where activity might have stifled "the still small voice" of conscience, Count Bresson expatriated to Naples, could no longer bear the misery of his own thoughts, and so rushed to self-destruction. Count Mortier, ambassador from the Government of France to the Court of Turin, has also been stricken with insanity. In a paroxysm of the most frantic lunacy, this unhappy man nearly sacrificed the lives of his two children, but fortunately the poor innocents were rescued from his violence. These events happening so close upon other similar examples of murder, suicide, and frightful corruption amongst the circles immediately surrounding the French throne, cannot but leave a most painful impression upon public opinion in every civilized country in the world. A frightful fatality seems to haunt the progeny of the chief actors in the great social revolutions of which, during our time, France has been the scene.

In Switzerland the rival Catholic and Federal forces seem drawn up ready to give battle, and rumours have reached Paris that hostilities have actually commenced; but with the exception of a slight skirmish between the Tessinese and the Uri troops, in which two officers were killed, the main bodies of the armies have not as yet struck the blow, which will probably bring this intestine quarrel to an end. All endeavours at pacification have hitherto failed. The foreign ambassadors have retired to the frontiers; and in these days of non-interference, even on the score of humanity, they must passively look on and see the people of a free republic slaughter each other in a civil war, rather than stretch out the hand of power to prevent it. As far as we can see at present, the Swiss are to be left "to fight it out" without interference from any quarter.

We have accounts from Malta to the 7th instant, advising the departure of Sir W. Parker, with the English fleet under his command, on the previous day. It consisted of the Hibernia, Trafalgar, Superb, Rodney, Albion, and Vanguard, ships of the line, and the Thetis frigate. Its destination was unknown, but it was supposed to be Leghorn. By papers which have just reached us from Paris we learn that hostilities had actually commenced in Switzerland. It was reported that the bombardment of Friburg had begun, the firing having been distinctly heard on the French frontier. The general staff had marched out of Berne on the 11th inst. A rumour was current that the Austrian troops had entered the Duchy of Modena, in order to leave the Modenese troops at liberty to occupy Fivizzano. The Prince de Joinville continued at Spezzia.

The intelligence from Madrid to the 10th instant is of the same intriguing character as usual. Narvaez escaped a dismissal on the 6th inst. The personal exertions of the Queen-Mother, and her sway over her daughter, alone rescued the cabinet from destruction.

The Courier.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1847.

The Steamer Britannia, with the second November Mail, arrived at Halifax last Monday night, after a stormy passage of upwards of 17 days from Liverpool. The Letter-portion of the Mail for this Province and Canada was despatched at seven o'clock the next morning, and arrived in St. John at 3 A. M. on Thursday last, when the letters for Canada, &c. were forthwith sent off to Fredericton by the Nerepis road. The newspaper bags for Canada were also sent from Halifax by express, but being extremely heavy, and the roads bad, they did not reach our Post Office until after seven o'clock last evening. The British papers for St. John were received by the regular Halifax Mail this morning.

Our extracts are chiefly made from a Liverpool paper of the latest date, which, with other English journals, we received immediately on the arrival of the Express Stage,—Thomas M. Smith Esq., who was a passenger by that conveyance, having punctually delivered them at the earliest moment.

Sir Donald Campbell, the new Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island, and Mr. Pope, Speaker of the Assembly, came passengers in the Britannia.

It is stated that a son of Mr. Dempster, of Nenagh, succeeds to the Assistant Surgency of the 33d Regiment, vacant by the lamented death of Dr. Andrews, at Fredericton.

In addition to the information contained in the newspapers of the prevalence of a better feeling in monetary affairs in England, we have been favored with the following extract of a letter from a respectable Banking House in London to their correspondents in this City, dated November 18:

"The symptoms of improvement in our Money Market, mentioned on the 3d instant, have been realized, and, with the exception of the large failure of Freeman & Cooke, for £350,000, (and who, it is said, are to pay in full,) we have not had many more disasters. We doubt not our next letter will convey you more favorable accounts."

THE NEW MAIL CONTRACT.

CUNARD STEAMERS.

We have been favored with the perusal of a copy of the contract entered into on the 1st July, 1846, between the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty and Messrs. Cunard, Burns and McIver, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails between England and North America, and other official documents connected therewith, and learn from them that the contractors are to provide a vessel to proceed on every alternate Saturday during April and the seven following months, and on every fourth Saturday during the months of December, January, February and March, from Liverpool to Halifax and Boston, and then, *vice versa*, on every alternate Saturday during May and the seven following months, and on every fourth Saturday during the other four months, from Boston, *via* Halifax, to Liverpool; and that similar voyages alternately with the former are to be made to and from Liverpool and New York.

Under this agreement the contractors are only required to despatch one Steamer from Liverpool during the present month, namely on the 4th; but, with a view to the commencement from both sides of the Atlantic of the increased service from and after the 1st January, 1848, the contractors have obtained permission of the Admiralty to despatch one of their vessels from Liverpool to Halifax and Boston on *Saturday the 18th of December*. A Mail will therefore leave Liverpool on that day, and Mails will leave Liverpool for *New York*, and *New York* for Liverpool on Saturday the 1st and Saturday the 29th January, and so on; while, on the *Boston route*, the Mails will leave Liverpool for Boston and Boston for Liverpool on Saturday the 15th January and Saturday the 12th February next and so on, until the commencement of the summer service. *On each voyage out and home, the Packets will touch at Halifax until further orders.*

The contractors are required to be provided from the 1st January, 1848, with eight good and efficient Steam Vessels, each to be supplied with Engines of not less than four hundred horse power, and from the 31st December, 1848, with nine such vessels, of such construction and strength as to be fit to carry guns of the largest calibre now used on board Her Majesty's Steam Vessels of War, and to be equipped in the most efficient manner for the Packet service.

If required by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Steamers are to call at Holyhead in the Irish Channel, for the purpose of receiving and delivering Mails, and in case of stress of weather or other unavoidable circumstance, the Steamers should not be able to fetch the River Mersey, the Mails with the officer in charge may be landed at Bristol, Falmouth, Plymouth, Southampton, Portsmouth, Dover, or Deal.

In addition to the general penalty of £30,000 for non-performance of the agreements, the contractors are liable to a penalty of £100 for any delay or deviation on the voyage, without the sanction of the Mail Officer, who is to decide all discretionary questions as to the necessity of stopping to assist vessels in distress or to save human life. A penalty of £500 is also incurred in case of a delay of twelve hours after the appointed time for leaving Liverpool, and also a further sum of £500 for every successive period of twelve hours which shall elapse until the departure of the Steamer.

The contractors to receive £85,000 per annum for the services between Liverpool and Halifax and Boston, and £60,000 per annum for those between Liverpool and New York, (either direct or by way of Halifax)—making in all £145,000 per annum, to be paid quarterly. An additional allowance to be made to the contractors in case a state of war should occasion an increase in the rate of insurance or freight for coals, but not to exceed £40,000 per annum.

The contract to continue for ten years from the first Saturday in January, 1848, and until determined by either party giving twelve months' notice after that period; but determinable by the contractors at any time after the first year, by a similar notice, on payment of £20,000; Government to have then the opinion of purchasing the vessels at a valuation. The contractors not to assign or dispose of the contract.

The contract contains various provisions as to the carrying of Government Officers, soldiers, &c. and their families, varying from £30 sterling in the first cabin to £4 for a deck passage, for each adult.

The following are the days of departure of the Steamers until the commencement of the summer service in April:

From Liverpool.	*From America.*
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.. 25, for N. York.	.. 25, from New-York.

RAPID TRAVELLING.—Mr. Caldwell, mail contractor, who arrived in town on Thursday morning last with the letter portion of the Express Mail from Halifax, drove his stage from the Bend of Petticodiac to this City, a distance of one hundred miles, in nine hours and three quarters, including five stoppages—once for supper.—The time actually occupied in driving was a little over eight hours, being at the rate of *twelve miles an hour!* This, considering the state of the roads, is one of the greatest feats of the kind that has ever been performed in this Province, and says much for the quality of Mr. Caldwell's horses, and his determination to perform his part of the service expeditiously.

MURDEROUS AFFRAY IN PORTLAND.—We have been furnished with the following statement relative to the murderous affray in Portland on Saturday evening last, and as we are assured that it has been collected from official and other authentic sources, we presume the details may be relied upon.

It appears that James Gowith, (or, as he is commonly called, Gough,) James Earle, and Henry Kinney, three of the Special Constables employed as a Nightly Watch in Portland, were directed to patrol the streets near the head of the Long Wharf;—that about seven o'clock, shortly after they had entered on their beat, Kinney stopped at Mr. P. Bogan's corner, and was leaning on the railing, when a young man (since proved to be Thomas Bowes,) came up to him and said he wanted to speak with Gowith, as he had worked for the Boom Company with him; he went a short distance and talked with Gowith, when another young man (John McGowan,) came along, and Bowes asked him if he had had his supper; he replied, no, and was told by Bowes to go and get it, and then they would go to town together. McGowan accordingly went down the Long Wharf, where he resides. Bowes then returned to Kinney, and began talking saucily, speaking loud and swearing, which collected a number of boys; Kinney ordered Bowes to go home, as he was intoxicated; he replied, that he would act his pleasure about that,—persisted in using irritating language, and ran up against Kinney, who cautioned him, and told him that if he did not go home he would find a home for him in the Watch-House; Bowes replied that he would have some fighting to do before he could do that. Kinney then took hold of him, and called Earle to assist. They both had hold of him and got him up as far as the lamp-post at Thompson's corner, when a young man, (William Bowes,) came behind and put his hand on Thomas Bowes' shoulder, and said, you shall not take this man to the Watch-House. Kinney replied, if you put your hand upon him again I will knock your brains out; at that instant Kinney was stabbed in the belly by the prisoner, which caused him to let go his hold; the prisoner, taking advantage of his partial release, immediately turned round and stabbed Earle on both sides of the belly, and broke away from him. Earle and Kinney both called to Gowith to pursue him, which he did, running up a narrow street nearly opposite Mr. Morrison's brick building, and, as Earle expressed it, caught him, but he (Earle) could not go to his assistance, being so badly wounded.

A respectable inhabitant, who was coming out of the shop at Thompson's corner, states that he saw Gowith pursuing a young man answering the description of Thomas Bowes, being dressed in a blue jacket, drab trowsers and glazed cap, up the narrow street alluded to, who, when nearly overtaken, turned round and struck Gowith in the breast;—that Gowith struck him with his stick, whereupon the young man stooped his head under Gowith's arm, and struck him several blows on the body. Some person at the other end of the street called out to the young man to run, which he did; that no other person struck or was near Gowith at the time.

The same person who makes this statement, had previously spoken to Earle and Kinney, and said they were poor Policemen, to stand by and see their companion beaten. They made him no reply. But he states that he had no idea that Gowith had been struck with any thing but the man's hands, as neither of the Constables then said anything about being stabbed or wounded; and even Gowith, when he came to the main street, walked several times to and fro on the platform, before he said he had been stabbed, when he was taken into Mr. G. Morrison's.

There appeared to be a reluctance on the part of the Watchmen to let the crowd, which had then collected, know that they had been wounded, and the people at the southern end of the narrow street did not appear to know that Bowes had stabbed any one, as they allowed him to pass on to his aunt's, from which he had escaped when the police, having had him identified, searched for him in about twenty minutes after the affray.

William Bowes, who attempted the rescue, and Patrick Bowes, with whom the murderer lodged, and who there is reason to suspect was present at the affray, are both in custody.

Thomas Bowes has as yet eluded his pursuers, notwithstanding the handsome reward which has been offered for his apprehension by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

To the above, we regret to add the distressing announcement that Mr. Gowith died of his wounds on Monday evening. He was a married man, with a small family, a native of Fredericton, and, we are informed, a cousin of Mr. Yerxa, who lost his life by violence on the Marsh Road about two years since. His remains were interred on Wednesday last, attended to the grave by several divisions of the Sons of Temperance, (to one of which he belonged,) and also by a large concourse of other friends and acquaintances, who thus gave expression to their deep regret at his premature death, and the brutal means by which it was effected.

Mr. Kinney is considered out of danger, and Mr. Earle, we understand, is also likely to recover.

The Coroner's Jury, in the case of Gowith, have not yet given in their verdict.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, who happened to be in town, and His Worship the Mayor, who were not informed of the horrid butchery until Sunday morning, at once visited the scene, and the result was, that the Portland Watchmen were armed in a proper manner in the evening, which we trust will enable them in future to preserve their own as well as the lives of the well disposed, from the murderous attacks of a gang of base assassins who infest the road from York Point through Portland.

It would appear from the above statement of the affray, that a great laxity must have prevailed in not arresting the murderer Bowes immediately afterwards, and the authorities are looked upon as highly culpable in the matter, but the difficulty, we understand, arose from not knowing who the perpetrator was, and this information was only obtained on the arrest and examination of McGowan, as none of the Watchmen who were stabbed knew him by name. There is no doubt that he was well known to some of the crowd; and we feel confident if the principles of law laid down by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland in similar cases, as given in an extract in another part of our paper, relative to the suppression of crime and outrage in that unfortunate country, were adopted here, an end would soon be put to the present disgraceful state of things. We trust our authorities will adopt the determination of Lord Clarendon, and if the same laws are not in force here, that they will lose no time in enacting equally stringent ones with respect to persons who protect criminals,—aid their escape or mislead persons who may be in search of them,—and also carry them out with energy and firmness, in which they would be assisted by all good and loyal subjects.

At the Annual Meeting of the Saint John Agricultural and Horticultural Society, held at the St. John Hotel on Wednesday, 8th December, 1847—

Mr. Robt. Jardine, the President, took the chair.

The Secretary then read the Report of the Directors, and the papers annexed.

ON MOTION, RESOLVED, That the Report be received and adopted, and that the same, with the accompanying documents, be forthwith published.

RESOLVED, that two hundred copies of the Report and papers be printed on sheets for circulation, and that a copy be sent to each Agricultural Society in the Province, as a request that such Society will co-operate in measures for the establishment of a Central Board of Agriculture.

RESOLVED, UNANIMOUSLY, That the thanks of this Society are justly due, and be now tendered to the worthy President, for his zeal and assiduity in forwarding the best interests of the Society, and that he be now re-elected President for the ensuing year. The following gentlemen were then elected officers of the Society:—

George G. Gilbert, and James Ingledew, *Vice Presidents*; John Duncan, *Treasurer*; M. H. Perley, *Corresponding Secretary*; Douglas B. Stevens, *Recording Secretary*; G. C. Carman, Peter Dewar, Robert Bowes, Henry Chubb, A. Menzies, James Dunn, Henry Blakslee, James Brown, Wm. Hawks, Charles Drury, R. F. Hazen, Thomas Trafton, and Wm. Howard, *Directors*.

ORDERED, That two hundred bushels of Polish Oats, and fifty bushels of Barley, for seed, be imported on account of the Society; and that the Secretary do write to the Northern part of the Province, and ascertain on what terms one hundred bushels of "three months' Wheat," which has been so successful there, can be procured for seed.

ORDERED, That Mr. Jardine and Mr. Ingledew be a committee to obtain information relative to the establishment of a Bone Mill, and report thereon to the Board of Directors; and that the same gentlemen do also report as to the encouragement which should be given to the erection of an Oat Mill and Kiln on the Golden Grove road.

ORDERED, That the following publications be taken in for the use of the members of the Society—The transactions of the Central Boards of Agriculture in England and Ireland, and of the Highland Society of Scotland,—with the "Gardener's Chronicle and Gazette," (published in London,) the "Ayrshire Cultivator," and "Downing's Horticulturist." M. H. PERLEY, *Secretary*.

[The Report, with the documents referred to, will be found on our first page.]

New Brunswick Benefit Building Society and Savings' Fund.—We are requested to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of this Society, which announces the commencement of its operations. We have before expressed our opinion of the soundness of the principles upon which these Societies are founded, and we observe in the Canadian papers that they are uniformly successful there, and in fact in every place where they are established.

The delay which has taken place is to be attributed solely to the wish on the part of the Board of Directors to proceed on sure and safe grounds. The number of shares already subscribed for encourages us to hope that the Society will now proceed flourishingly.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—On Monday evening, Mr. George E. Fenety delivered a lecture on the *Improvement of the Mind.* It contained a mass of excellent observations and many hints calculated to be useful to the young.—*Obs.*

Last evening the turn out at the Hall, notwithstanding the unpleasantness of the weather, was very respectable, and leads us to believe that the efforts which are now made to communicate instruction on scientific subjects in a regular systematic manner will yet be duly appreciated. Mr. Foulis, in his excellent lecture, took a view of the *general objects of Chemistry*, and at the close exhibited some interesting experiments on the changes effected in colours by acids and alkalies, &c. He announced as his next subject, *Attraction and Repulsion.*

On Monday evening next, the Rev. Mr. Wishart will deliver a lecture, at the request of the Directors—circumstances preventing Mr. Stubs, whose name appeared in the progamme for that evening, from lecturing.

Dr. Paterson's subject, next Friday evening, will be *Inertia and the Laws of Motion.*

We understand the Philharmonic Society intends giving a Concert on the evening of the 20th inst., assisted by other Amateurs and a number of Professional Gentlemen.

In our obituary notices of to day will be found the death of Mr. Joseph Wilson. During the many fires with which this city has been visited, Mr. W. has rendered most valuable assistance, and his death has been in some measure occasioned by the exposure to which on these occasions he has voluntarily subjected himself. His death will therefore be a loss not only to his young family, but to the community generally.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENTS.—On Friday night a sailor was drowned by falling from the wharf into Lovett's Slip. The night being dark, with rain, he is supposed to have missed his way.

On Saturday evening, the Mate of the Schr. L. O'C. Doyle, named John Stevens, and another man, named Alexander McFarlen, (a moulder in the Foundry of Messrs. Harris & Allan,) in attempting to go on board the above vessel, lying at the North Market Wharf, unfortunately fell into the Slip, and the tide being up, we regret to state they were both drowned before they could be rescued from the water.—*New-Brunswicker.*

Report from the Emigrant Hospital for the week ending Friday the 10th inst.

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The Steamer Acadia, 80 hours from Boston, arrived at Halifax last Saturday night, and proceeded on her voyage to Liverpool on Sunday morning. Sir Henry Vere Huntley, late Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island, and the Rev. Mr. Gallaway, of this City, were among the passengers.

NOVEL TRIAL AT HALIFAX.—*The Effects of unrequited Love!*—The Halifax *Courier* says that great excitement was created in that City on Thursday, by the trial of Abraham Tagg, a Sergeant in the 20th Regiment, who, it will be recollected, was committed to prison in midsummer for violently ill-treating a young woman named Elizabeth Bourne, to whom he professed great attachment, but who had rejected his addresses. It appeared that the young woman lived with Quarter Master McKay, as child's maid, and that the prisoner, who had frequent opportunities of seeing her, at length became so enamoured of the fair destroyer of his peace of mind, that he made proposals to her, which were, however, rejected. In this extremity of his distress, he adopted the wicked resolve of maiming or destroying her, so that, according to his own confession, if he did not marry her, no one else should! Acting upon this resolve, he concealed a sword under his coat, and watching his opportunity, attacked her so violently with it, that he cut the left side of her face, leaving a scar, besides using other indignities towards her. The temper of his mind at this juncture may be best gathered from the following memorandum, which was found on the prisoner at the time of his arrest:—

"I, Abraham Tagg, Sergeant of the Reserve Battalion of the XXth Regt., do hereby declare, that I will make an object for life, or murder Eliza Bourne the first opportunity, for the unkind treatment I received from her, dated at Halifax, Nova-Scotia, this twentieth day of August, at half-past nine o'clock, p. m., one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven. I am at this time in my proper state of mind. ABRAHAM TAGG, Sergt.
Reserve Batt. XXth Regiment.

This memorandum, I swear, shall be attended to before orderly hour on the 24th August, 1847."

The manner in which Tagg undertook to execute this cruel determination, left room for the defending Counsel to plead his acquittal on the ground of insanity; but the Judge charged strongly against the defence, and the Jury returned a verdict of guilty.

The prisoner, says the *Courier*, heard the verdict with some tremour, and after a few words of thanks to Mr. Whidden for his defence, drew a pen knife from his pocket, and cut his throat! inflicting two deep gashes, which severed his windpipe, and some of the arteries. A cry of consternation resounded through the Court, and the unfortunate man would, no doubt, have killed him self on the spot with a third gash, had his hand not been caught by a person near who held it firmly.

A letter was found on the prisoner, directed to Sergeant Major Mullen, informing him of the name and residence of his parents, with a request that the particulars of his death might be favorably conveyed to them. Another letter to Elizabeth Bourne was found on him—expressive of the most ardent affection—and begging her to follow his remains to the grave.

The wounds were dressed in the Court Room by several medical gentlemen who happened to be present, and the prisoner was soon after removed to the Military Hospital, where a few days afterwards he tore off the bandages and bled to death!

CANADA.—The Mail this morning brought us Quebec papers down to Monday last. The Chronicle of that day contains a telegraphic report from Montreal at 6 P. M. on Saturday, containing the following—

An Official Gazette extraordinary will be published early on Monday morning, containing His Excellency the Governor General's proclamation dissolving the present provincial parliament, and declaring the calling of another.

The Hon. D. B. Papineau, commissioner of Crown Lands, has resigned. The vacancy thus created will be filled by the Hon. John A. Macdonald, the present Receiver General. Report says that Mr. Macdonald's place will be filled by the Hon. Peter McGill, and that the office of Speaker of the Legislative Council will be conferred on the Hon. P. B. De Blaquiere. These two latter appointments are, however, considered doubtful. It was rumoured in town this morning, and generally credited, that J. E. Turcott, Esq., had been appointed Solicitor General for Canada East.

The United States Congress assembled at Washington on Monday last at noon. The President's message would not be delivered until Tuesday.—Mr. Winthrop was elected Speaker of the House.

The canals west of Schenectady having closed, Flour in New-York had risen 12½ cents per brl. and the Corn exchange was firm all round.—In the afternoon of the 6th, Indiana in Genesee style sold at $6.25; Wheat was held two or three cents higher, and there was a demand for round corn to ship at 75 to 76 cents.

A letter was received at Washington on Saturday last, from Vera Cruz, stating that Pedraza had been elected President of Mexico, and would propose a renewal of negociations for peace with the United States.—A New Orleans paper gives a report that Santa Anna was taken off the Island of Lobos by a boat to the British steamer Forth, bound for Havanna.

HAYTI.—On the 7th Nov. the Haytian man of war Constitution, while lying at anchor at Port au Prince, was destroyed by the explosion of her magazine. About fifty persons were killed. Nine were taken up from fragments of the wreck, dreadfully mutilated, and four marines were saved by the boats of a French man of war. A son of Col. C. Michel and a nephew of the minister of France, were among the sufferers. The commander and his second in command were on shore at the time.

☞ The Rev. Mr. IRVINE will preach a Sermon to-morrow (Sabbath) Evening, in his own Church, at 6 P. M. on behalf of the Sabbath School connected with his Congregation. The friends of the Sabbath School Institution are respectfully invited, and strangers will be accommodated with pews on the occasion.

☞ To morrow (Sunday) the Union-Street Congregational Church will be lighted with Gas, on which occasion the Rev. CHARLES MCKAY will preach a Sermon on the subject of Temperance—when a collection will be taken up in aid of the expenses incurred in lighting the Church.
☞ *Seats free.*

☞ The Mail for England, to meet the sailing of the Steamer *Britannia* from Halifax on the 18th current, will be closed at the General Post Office in this City on Wednesday next, the 15th instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

A CARD.

The Rev. EDMOND QUINN feels happy in being able to acknowledge the receipt of the handsome donation of Two Pounds from Mrs. Charles Johnston, Lady of the High Sheriff, in aid of the fund for procuring extra outer garments for the Emigrant Orphans in the Old Poor House.

Also, from Mr. Dennis Coll, 10s.; Mr. Edward Hayes, 10s.; and Mr. Patrick Halliday, 5s. for the same benevolent purpose.

This good work is progressing admirably—a large number of Cloaks, Bonnets and Hoods is already finished, and many more in course of operation.

Those Ladies who have taken so lively an interest in making up this Clothing, and who have, for that purpose, spent whole days in the Temperance Hall, are entitled to the lasting gratitude of every friend of the needy and distressed. Dec. 11.

READ THE MOST REMARKABLE CURE EVER RECORDED.

Waldoboro', Me., July 30, 1845.

Dear Sir:—Having experienced great benefit from your invaluable medicine, I feel it my duty and privilege to let the world know what it has done for me. Possessed of a strong constitution naturally, I had enjoyed perfect health previous to the spring of 1843, when I was troubled with a difficulty in my left side, attended with considerable pain. Sometime in July I was violently attacked with a cough, which continued until fall; then I was confined to the house eight months, during which time my cough was very severe. I frequently had spells of coughing which lasted two hours; daily raised large quantities of disagreeable matter, accompanied with blood. Sometimes I raised a quart of blood at a time. I consulted three physicians, all of whom did their best to restore me; gave me up; said they could do no more for me; I must die; it was impossible for me to live but a short time. One of them said my lungs were gone. At this critical moment, when eminent physicians had exhausted their skill, friends despaired of my life, my own hope of recovery at an end, I resorted to

DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

When I had taken one and a half bottles those severe spells of coughing were removed. I continued taking the Balsam until spring, 1844, when I ceased to bleed at the lungs, my health and strength improved so that I left the house, but was not able to work for a year. Now my health is good. I am able to do a day's work every day on my farm.
JAMES COMERY.

Witness, THOMAS BENNER.

For particulars see Dr. Wistar's treaties on Consumption, to be had of the agents.

None genuine, unless signed I. BUTTS on the wrapper.—☞ For sale by PETERS & TILLEY, King-street, St. John.

HALSEY'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS.

ONE year has now elapsed since this great and good medicine was first made known to the public, yet within which time thousands have experienced its good effects. Invalids who have been given over by their physicians as incurable have found relief and been restored to sound and vigorous health by this wonderful remedy. *HALSEY'S PILLS are unlike all others!* They act directly on those vital organs of the stomach, liver, kidneys, &c. which secrete the fluids and separate the impurities from the blood. While they purge from the stomach and bowels all bilious and morbid matter, they cleanse and renew the blood, thereby destroying the seeds of disease. HALSEY'S PILLS do not weaken, but give strength and animation to both body and mind. They neither cause griping or any inconvenience whatever. The patient is better able to attend to business while under their influence than before taking them. Their action is innocent, yet efficient; are mild in operation, yet powerful in restoring health. The great amount of good these Pills have done for the sick and afflicted have induced thousands to commend them to their friends and the public. Individuals of rank and integrity have testified to the world in favor of their extraordinary virtues.

Frankford, July 15, 1846.

Dr. G. W. HALSEY:

Sir;—During the last ten years, I have been dreadfully afflicted with the Dyspepsia and habitual costiveness. I was so bad sometimes that for nearly a week nothing would pass my bowels, which caused headache, dizziness, and at times partial insanity. The doctors could do nothing for me. Their medicine gave me much pain and griping, and after weakening my system very much left me worse than before taking it. I was at last induced to procure a box of your Pills, as they were recommended to me by the Rev. Mr. COLBURN of this town. I took them according to the directions which came round the box, and they affected me different from any medicine I had ever used. Their action was perfectly harmless and soothing, and appeared to animate my spirits. I had taken them but three times before my health began fast to improve, and by the time I had finished the box I was entirely restored from my protracted illness. It has now been four months since I left off taking them, during which time I have not had any symptoms of a return of the disease, and my health is as perfect as it was at the age of twenty, although I am now nearly forty.
Your's, &c. JAMES H. STONALL.

☞ For sale at the Store of the Subscriber, 8, Brick Buildings, North Wharf, at 1s. 3d. per box, and liberal allowance for wholesale purchasers; and at the several Sub-Agencies in the Provinces—see Phœnix Advertiser, &c.

H. G. KINNEAR,
Sept. 5. *General Agent for the Provinces.*

MARRIED.

On Sunday evening, the 5th instant, by the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D., Mr. Edwin Fairweather, to Miss Margaret Fought, all of this City.

On the 9th inst. by the Rev. Henry Daniel, Mr. David Jones, of Portland, to Miss Jane Robson, of this city.

On the 11th of November last, by the Rev. J. Bunting, Baptist Minister, Mr. Noah Tabor, Jun. to Miss Marybe Sherwood, of the Parish of Upham, K. C.

DIED.

On Saturday evening, the 4th inst., after a short but severe illness, Mr. William Nepton, a native of Devonport, County of Devon, England, in the 53d year of his age—leaving a wife and nine children to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and kind parent.

On Sunday morning, very suddenly, in the 26th year of his age, Mr. William H. Smith, formerly assistant to Lieut. Kortright, in the coast survey, much and deservedly lamented—leaving a wife and one child to mourn their sudden and severe bereavement.

On Sunday morning, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends, Mrs. Rebecca M. wife of Mr. Robert J. Hunter, and eldest daughter of Mr. Valentine C. Troop, in the 27th year of her age, leaving a husband and two small children to mourn their sudden bereavement.

On Tuesday afternoon, after having given birth to a child, Catherine, wife of Mr. George Cathers, aged 48 years, leaving a husband and large family to deplore their irreparable loss.

On Wednesday last, very suddenly, Sarah, wife of Captain Edward H. Huggins, in the 36th year of her age, leaving an affectionate husband and a large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn their bereavement.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. Joseph Wilson, aged 34 years—leaving a wife and two children to mourn their loss. Funeral to morrow, (Sunday,) at half-past one o'clock, from his late residence in Harding-street. Friends and acquaintance are invited to attend.

On Wednesday, after a short illness, Mr. Daniel Hamilton, in the 44th year of his age, leaving a disconsolate wife and family to mourn their severe bereavement.

Yesterday morning, Robert Wood, aged seventeen months, only child of Mrs. Caroline Laskey, widow of the late Mr. Charles L. Laskey.—Funeral to-morrow, (Sunday,) at two o'clock, from Mr. Robert Carr's, Portland.

At Carleton, on Wednesday morning, Mr. Walter D. Ponsford, aged 33 years, eldest son of Mr. Joseph Ponsford, leaving a wife and four small children to mourn their irretrievable loss.

In Portland, on the 5th inst. nine days after having given birth to a daughter, Sarah, wife of Mr. Robert McLauchlin, in the 36th year of her age, leaving a husband and five children to mourn their irreparable loss.

At Portland, on Tuesday evening, 7th inst. Mr. Thomas Gibson, aged 57 years, a native of Dromore, County Tyrone, Ireland.

At Simonds, (County of Carleton,) on the 12th ult. John Wilford, youngest son of Mr. Tamberlain J. Campbell, aged one year and seven months.

At Edinburgh, on the 4th of November last, deeply lamented, Alexander George Brunswick Boyle, Student of Medicine, second son of Alexander Boyle Esquire, M. D., of this City, Surgeon to Her Majesty's Forces.

At Yarmouth, (N. S.) on the 2d instant, John Bingay, Esq. High Sheriff of that County, in the 61st year of age. He formerly represented the County of Shelburne in the General Assembly of Nova-Scotia, and possessed much energy and decision of character in the performance of his official duties. His death is much deplored.

At Calcutta, on the 12th August last, Captain Thomas Henry Carter, of the Barque *Zion's Hope*, of Liverpool. He has left a wife and nine children to mourn their loss, and is also much regretted by all who knew him.

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN—ARRIVED,

Sunday—Ship Boadicea, Leavitt, Hull, 48—J. & R. Reed and A. S. Perkins, coals.
Brig Ann, Scott, Bermuda, 6—Chas. McLauchlan, ballast.
Schooner Isabella, Hilton, Newburyport, 4—Jas. R. Sweet, ballast.
Martha Greenow, Robbins, Halifax, 7—Master, sugar, molasses, wine, &c.
Wednesday—Brigantine Albert Fearing, Yetten, Philadelphia, 12—Geo. Thomas, flour, bread, &c.
Schr. Eleanor Jane, Haynes, Boston, 3—James R. Crane, ballast.
Thursday—Barque Lucerne, Nichols, Boston, 8—to order, ballast.
Lady Caroline, Martin, Shoreham, 33—James McSweeny, ballast.
Brigantine Woronoco, Michener, Baltimore, 11—J. & R. Reed, wheat.
Schooner Richmond, Kyffin, Boston, 4—Master, beef and hardware.
Pheasant, Mussels, Boston, 2—James Robertson, flour, &c.
Brothers, Fitzgerald, Boston, 2—Master, flour, apples, &c.
Eliza Jane, Holder, Boston, 3—Jas. R. Sweet, assorted cargo.
Peruvian, Flemming, Boston, 3—Master, flour, &c.
Mountaineer, Fitzgerald, Bath, (Me.)—Master, ballast.
Julia Ann, O'Neil, Eastport—Master, rum.
Mary, Magee, Prince Edward Island, 5—Master, oats, oysters, &c.
Friday—Barque Coverdale, Benson, Glasgow, 58—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.
Schooner Relief, Johnston, New-York, 5—Master, flour, wheat, &c.
This Morning—Barque Allan Brown, Shaw, Dublin, 34—Chas. McLauchlan, ballast.

COASTWISE.

Sunday—Chance, Coil, Windsor, deals.
Caroline, Boyd, Dorchester, potatoes and oats.
Maid of Erin, (s.) Belyea, Annapolis and Digby, passengers, &c.; and steamer Herald in tow.
Monday—Jim, Minness, Cornwallis, cordwood.
Wilmot Packet, Harris, Wilmot, poultry & meat.
Crown, Parker, Annapolis, cider and cheese.
Wednesday—Spray, Balsam, St. Andrews, cordage.
Favorite, Helms, St. Andrews, matches.
Henrietta, Gilliatt, Cornwallis, potatoes & poultry.
Maid of Erin, (s.) Belyea, Annapolis and Digby, passengers and cattle; and a new Steamer in tow for Mr. Whitney.
Thursday—Lark, Lord, Deer Island, fresh fish.
John Nelson, Shields, Salmon River, deals.
Eliza Ann, Lord, Deer Island, fresh fish.
Sarah, Wheaton, Maitland, plaster.
Packet Lily, Beeler, Digby, sheep and turnips.
Swan, Munro, Cornwallis, potatoes and fish.
Lark, Ingersoll, Grand Manan, dry fish.
Copy, Turnbull, Digby, sheep and turnips.
Dove, Trecartin, Fishing Voyage, fish.
Victoria, Vance, Annapolis, cordwood and cider.
Alonzo, Rice, Digby, cider and oats.

ENTERED FOR LOADING.

Dec. 10—Coverdale, Benson, Cork.

CLEARED.

Dec. 6th—Brigt. F. L. Vail, Rodney, Boston, coal—Master; Schr. Beverley, McCarthy, Boston, timber, &c.—P. Bogan.
8th—Ship David Cannon, Wright, London, timber and deals—Charles McLauchlan; China, Attridge, Cork, timber and deals—R. Rankin & Co.; Barque Gilmour, Carter, Bristol, timber and deals—R. Rankin & Co.; Perseverance, Robinson, Gloucester, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son.
9th—Schooner Isabella, Hilton, Boston, boards—James R. Sweet.
10th—Barque Wolfville, McMillan, Belfast, deals—John Wishart; Schooner Three Sisters, McLean, Boston, boards and scantling—J. R. Sweet; Rising Sun, Faulkner, Newburyport, boards—Joseph Fairweather.

The Barque Lord Glenelg, reported as having put into Yarmouth, is ashore at Whale Cove, Grand Manan, with masts cut away.—While attempting to come up the Bay during the last snow storm, she was blown off, and struck on Grand Manan.

Brig Roseway, of and for Halifax, from Havana, in ballast, in charge of wreckers, was taken into Key West, Nov. 17, having been ashore on Loggerhead Bank, near Bay Honda.

Arrivals from St. John.—October 31st—Helen Douglas, at Annan; Nov. 2d—Princess Victoria, at Ayr; 3d—Forager, at Hull; 5th—George, at do.; 6th—Hampton, at Grangemouth; 7th—Frederick, at Plymouth; 8th—Pearl at Grimsby; Londonderry, at Londonderry; 9th—Jane, at Carlisle; 10th—Hannah, at Bridport; Rhodes, at Clay Hole; 11th—James Hay, at Cork; 12th—Susan, at Deal, and Frances, at Strangford; 13th—Enterprise, at Kinsale; 14th—Clyde, in Yarmouth Roads; Three Sisters, at Wexford; Bethel, at Bristol; Maid of the Mist, in the Clyde, with boats stove, decks partly swept, loss of bulwarks, bowsprit, &c. having been struck by a sea on the 24th ult.; Helen Thompson, at Troon; 15th—Oriental, at Deal, and sailed for Hull; Diadem, off the North Foreland; 16th—Mary Caroline, at Deal, and Ann Davis, at Beaumaris.

At Gravesend, 15th, barque Susan, Cronk, from Shediac; at Cork, 7th, Mersey, from Windsor.

Vessels sailed for St. John.—Nov. 3d—Olive, from Bristol; 4th—Nelson Village and Kate Kearney, from Dublin; Kingston and Orion, from Deal; 5th—Allen Brown, from Dublin, (and put back to the Pigeon Hole); Orleans, from Gravesend; 6th—Samuel, from Newport; 9th—Adeline Cann, from Belfast; 11th—Novascotian, from the Clyde; 12th—Lesmahagow, from Gloucester, and Lady Campbell, from Waterford; 14th—Devon, from Liverpool; 16th—Princess, from Dublin; 15th—Progress, from Liverpool.

Loading at Liverpool, John Fielden, for St. John.—In the Clyde, Avon, for do.

Sailed from Dublin, Nov. 5, Alceste, for Savannah; 9th, Commerce, do.—From the Clyde, 9th, St. John, do.—From Deal, 13th, Coronation, and Charlotte, for New Orleans.

Cleared at London, Nov. 17, ship Queen Pomare, Till, and Argo, Waterbery, St. John.

Cleared at Liverpool, Nov. 18, ship India, Thomson, New-York.

MILFORD, November 15—The Maria, from — for St. John, N. B. has arrived here with much damage to her hull and sails, having been thrown on her beam-ends during a hurricane, 25th ult.—Bore up from the Banks of Newfoundland.

The New York packet ship Stephen Whitney, bound to Liverpool, with 110 persons on board, has been totally lost in thick weather, in the vicinity of Skibbereen. Only nineteen were saved. Among the sufferers were all the cabin passengers, and Capt. Popham, the commander, and his wife and children.

The Jenny Lind, from P. E. Island, at Southampton, took Capt. Allen and eleven of the crew from the barque Amity, from Richibucto, waterlogged. They had been three days and four nights on the wreck, lashed in the main rigging, and six of the crew had been drowned before the Jenny Lind hove in sight.

Province of New-Brunswick.

BY AUTHORITY.

By His Excellency Sir WILLIAM MACBEAN GEORGE COLEBROOKE, *K. H. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.*

[L. S.] W. M. G. COLEBROOKE.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it appears from information which I have received from the Justices of the City and County of Saint John, that on or about the hour of Seven o'clock in the evening of Saturday last, the 4th instant, a murderous assault by stabbing, was committed in the streets of Portland, in the said County, by one *THOMAS BOWES*, together with some other person or persons as yet unknown, upon James Gough, James Earle, and Henry Kinney, Watchmen, then being in the execution of their duty; And whereas the said James Gough has since died from the effects of the wounds and violence inflicted on that occasion,—I do therefore publish this my Proclamation, and do hereby offer a Reward of

Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds, or One Thousand Dollars,

to be paid to any person or persons (except the actual perpetrators of this fatal crime) who shall apprehend the said Thomas Bowes, and a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, or *Four Hundred Dollars*, for such information to Her Majesty's Attorney General as shall enable him to prosecute any of the offenders to conviction.

Description of Thomas Bowes:

Slender figure, height about five feet seven, light complexion, blue eyes, chin sharp, nose long and straight, hair light and rather long, whiskers thin but the hair under the chin projecting to a point and of a light sandy colour, age about twenty-three years; when last seen at St. John had on a blue reefing jacket and light fustian trowsers.

Given under my Hand and Seal at St. John this seventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven, and in the eleventh year of Her Majesty's reign.

By His Excellency's Command.
J. S. SAUNDERS.

NEW-BRUNSWICK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF ST. JOHN, ss.

Surrogate Court holden on the seventh day of December, 1847.

In the matter of the Estate of WILLIAM H. SCRIBNER, late of the City and County of Saint John deceased.

WHEREAS SARAH SCRIBNER, Administratrix of the Estate of the said William H. Scribner, deceased, has applied to me by petition according to Law, shewing therein that the personal Estate and Effects of the said deceased are insufficient to pay the debts of the said deceased, and praying that a Licence be granted to the petitioner to sell the Real Estate of the said deceased to pay off his debts.

I do therefore cite the Heirs, and all persons interested in the said Estate, to appear before me, Alfred L. Street, Esquire, Surrogate Judge of Probate in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Registrar's Office in the said City and County, on Tuesday the 11th day of January next, at two of the clock in the afternoon, to shew cause why the prayer of the said petition should not be complied with.
ALFRED L. STREET,
Surrogate Judge of Probate.

RURAL CEMETERY.

A MEETING of the Stockholders of the St. John Rural Cemetery, will be held at the Marine Office on Monday, 13th December, at 3 o'clock, for electing Directors and enacting By-Laws.

N. B. Those Gentlemen who have subscribed Stock will please pay the deposit of 12s. 6d. a Share at the Commercial Bank before that day.

St. John, December 4th, 1847.

New-Brunswick Benefit Building Society SAVINGS' FUND.

THE FIRST MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION MEETING of this Society will be held at the Office of the Society, Prince William-street, Saint John, on MONDAY, the 3d day of January next, between the hours of 5 and 9 o'clock in the evening.

Such persons as intend to become members are requested to register their names and pay the present Entrance Fee of 5s. per Share to the Secretary and Treasurer, on or before that day.

The Rules and Receipt Book will be supplied to every Member—price 1s. 3d.—every other form will be furnished gratis.

The Directors will proceed to lend or advance the Funds of the Society on Thursday the tenth day of February next—the competition for Loans to be decided by Ballot.

☞ AGENCIES on behalf of the Society will be forthwith established. Applications for appointments must be made by letter, post paid, to the Secretary. *By order of the Board,*
CHARLES L. STREET,
Secretary & Treasurer.
Dec. 11. *Prince William-street Saint John.*
[City papers will insert till 3d January.]

Ex Maranham, from London.

THE subscriber has received his Spring Supply of DRUGS and MEDICINES, PATENT MEDICINES, Surgeons' Instruments, Trusses, PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS, SPICES, Hair BRUSHES, Cloth, Teeth, Paint, Wash, and Nail BRUSHES.

—ALSO—

480 kegs *Brandram's* best WHITE LEAD.
200 kegs green, red, yellow, black, and brown PAINTS.

5 casks containing Crome Yellow, Prussian Blue, Vermillion, Gold Leaf, Gold Bronze, Amber, Terra de Sienna, Verdigris, Brunswick Green, French Green, Copal and Carriage Varnish, Camels Hair and Sable Hair Pencils, &c.

Daily expected per Helen, from London—30 hhds. Boiled and Raw Linseed OIL.

May 15. W. O. SMITH.

MASONIC NOTICE.
THE Brethren of ALBION LO
570, on the Registry of the Gran
England intend to Dine together on M
instant (being St. John's Day), at
Hotel, at 7 o'clock. Visiting
Brethren are respectfully requested
may obtain Tickets for the
Committee, addressed to them at the
Hotel, at any time before the evening
instant. By Order. C. P. BETT
Dec. 11.

MASONIC FESTIVA
ST. JOHN'S DAY,—Dec. 27
THE BRETHREN of CARLETON
LODGE, No. 767, on the Regi
Grand Lodge of England, will celebrate
Day by Dining together at their Lodge
Monday the 27th instant. Dinner will
table at half-past 6 o'clock.
☞ Transient and Visiting Brethren
feel desirous to participate in the Festi
respectfully invited to join.
Tickets may be had on application
on or before Monday the 19th
By Order of the W
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THE "CARLTON MARK L
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By Order of the R. W. M.
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GRAND CONCERT of VOC
Instrumental Music
THE ROWE FAM
MOST respectfully announce to t
and Public of St. John, that the
CONCERT of VOCAL and INST
TAL MUSIC at the Mechanics' In
THURSDAY Evening, the 16th De
MRS. MILLICENT ROWE, who
has met with the most enthusias
will sing several Solos, and
several Trios, Duetts, &c.
MR. ROWE will sing, in the course
Russell's celebrated cavatina,
with several others, and perfor
the Violin, Pianoforte, and Flut
attempted by any artiste.
Tickets of admission, Half a Dolla
had of Mr. Rowe or Mr. Wetmor
Hotel; at the Courier Office, an
Germain street. Children unde
half-price. Particulars of the
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Doors to open at 7,—performance
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NOTICE.
SEALED TENDERS will be
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