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WEEKLY ALMANACK.

1852. FEBRUARY.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Moon Sets	High Water
29 Sunday	6 47	5 41	2 23 *m*	5 23
1 Monday	6 45	5 42	3 23	6 45
2 Tuesday	6 43	5 43	4 20	8 9
3 Wednesday . . .	6 41	5 44	5 11	9 27
4 Thursday	6 39	5 46	5 55	10 24
5 Friday	6 37	5 47	6 33	11 10
6 Saturday	6 35	5 48	*Rises.*	11 54

Full Moon 6th, at 1 h. 3 m. morning.—S.

BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.
THOMAS E. MILLIDGE, Esquire, *President.*
Director next week, - - - - *L. H. DeVeber, Esq.*
Discount Days—*Tuesdays* and *Fridays.*
Hours of business, from 10 to 3.
☞ BILLS or NOTES for Discount must be left at the Bank before One o'clock on the days immediately preceding the Discount days.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.
D. J. McLAUGHLIN, Esquire, *President.*
Director next week, - - - - *Chas. Merritt, Esq.*
Discount Days...TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS.
Hours of business, from 10 to 3.
☞ BILLS or NOTES for Discount must be lodged before One o'clock on the days preceding the Discount days.

BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.
SAINT JOHN BRANCH.
F. W. WOOD, Esquire, *Manager.*
Directors:
Hon. JOHN ROBERTSON, WM. H. STREET, Esq.
J. V. THURGAR, Esq.
Discount Days—*Wednesdays* and *Saturdays.*
Hours of business, from 10 to 3.
☞ BILLS and NOTES for Discount to be left before 3 o'clock on the days preceding the Discount days.

NEW-BRUNSWICK
Marine Assurance Company.
Office open every day (Sundays excepted) from 10 to 3 o'clock.
F. A. WIGGINS, Esquire, *President.*
Applications for Insurance to be made in writing.

GLOBE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
JOHN DUNCAN, Esquire, President.
Office (in the Commercial Bank Building) open from 10 to 3 o'clock
Applications for Insurance to be in writing.

Mutual Insurance Company.
JOSEPH FAIRWEATHER Esquire, *President.*
J. W. LAWRENCE, ZEBEDEE RING, } *Directors.*
S. L. TILLEY, S. K. FOSTER,
J. M. ROBINSON, Esquire, *Solicitor;*
ISAAC WOODWARD, Esquire, *Secretary.*
Applications for Insurance against Fire to be made at the Office of the Secretary, North Market Wharf.

Central Fire Insurance Company,
AT FREDERICTON.
B. WOLHAUPTER, Esquire, *President.*
Hon. JOHN ROBERTSON, } *Local Board,*
DANIEL J. McLAUGHLIN, Esq. } St. John.
Agent—GEORGE THOMAS, South Market Wharf.

Provincial, Marine and Fire Insurance Company of Toronto, C. W.
CAPITAL, £100,000.
Local Board for New-Brunswick:
M. STREET, ISAAC WOODWARD, and CHARLES McLAUCHLAN.
POLICIES issued on Ocean and Inland Marine Risks, and on Fire Risks in Town and Country. Applications and information furnished by
CHARLES L. STREET,
August 16.—1y AGENT.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

To be Sold on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of March next, at the Coffee-House corner, between the hours of 12 o'clock, noon, and 5 o'clock, afternoon:
ALL the right, title, and interest of JOHN CONNOWAY, of, in, and to all, that certain Lot, Piece, or parcel of Land, situate and being in the Parish of Lancaster, known as Lot number One, in Willard Grant, so called—granted to Ebenezer Jonaan, bounded on the West by Lot number Five, and the Griffith Lot, on the South by Lot number Six, granted to Samuel Willard, on the North by Lot granted to Brundage & Coombs, and on the adjoining side by land owned by Samuel Gillespie, together with all buildings and improvements thereon. The same having been seized and taken in execution and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court. CHARLES JOHNSTON.
Sheriff's Office, Sept 1, 1851.—6m *Sheriff.*

To be sold on Saturday the seventeenth day of April next, at the Coffee House Corner, in the City of Saint John, between the hours of twelve o'clock, noon, and five of the clock in the afternoon—
ALL the right, title, and interest of JAMES SPROUL, of, in, and to all the Eastern half moiety of that certain lot, piece or parcel of Land, situate, lying and being in the City of Saint John said, known and described in the plan of the City, by the number 163; the said half part or moiety of said lot having a front on Hanover-street 50 feet, and extending back the same breadth 100 feet, together with the buildings and improvements thereon standing and being.—The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court.
CHARLES JOHNSTON,
Sheriff's Office, St. John, N. B. } *Sheriff.*
October 11th, 1851.

To be sold on Wednesday the fifth day of May, at the Coffee House Corner, between the hours of 12 o'clock, noon, and 5 of the clock afternoon—
ALL the right, title, and interest of NATHAN GODSOE, of, in, and to Lots 472, 473, and fronting on Leinster-street, in Queen's Ward, City of Saint John, together with the Buildings and Improvements thereon standing and being. The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court. CHARLES JOHNSTON,
Sheriff's Office, Nov. 1, 1851. *Sheriff.*

Partnership Notice.
MR. JOHN POLLOK, of Saint John, New-Brunswick, retired by mutual consent from the concern of Messrs. ROBERT RANKIN & Son, of Saint John, New-Brunswick, on the 9th ult. last, of which all persons will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
ALEX. RANKIN,
for self and remaining Partners.
Saint John, 5th September, 1851.

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE business heretofore carried on under the name and style of W. Y. FOSTER & CO., this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the said firm, will please make immediate payment to the subscriber: and all persons claiming from the said firm is indebted, will please send their accounts for adjustment, as the subscriber desirous of bringing the business of the said firm to a close. W. Y. FOSTER.
Fredericton, 12th November, 1851.—3¶

☞ *NOTICE.* ☜
THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of ROBERTSON and BROWN, is dissolved.—All debts owing to and from the concern, will be paid or received by JOHN BROWN. Dated 1st September, 1851.
HENRY P. SANCTON,
JOHN BROWN.
THE subscriber having purchased Mr. Sancton's interest in the SOAP AND CANDLE MANUFACTORY, would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he is now prepared to furnish all who may patronise him, with the manufactures above, of equal in quality, and on as good terms as any other Establishment in the City.—Having in his employ men, who, from long experience, thoroughly understand the business, he hopes, by strict attention and merit a continuance of the liberal patronage formerly received by the Establishment.
JOHN BROWN.

☞ NOTICE. ☜
THIS is to caution and forbid all and every person from Purchasing, Trespassing or Cutting Wood, or otherwise interfering with a certain Lot of Land situate on Orange Street, Queen's Ward, in the City of Saint John, known and distinguished on the plan of said City as Lot Number Seven Hundred and Twenty-one, (721,) it being a Lot taken possession of by the late THOMAS LEAVITT, Esq., and legally, the right and lawful Heirs being yet living, who are the only persons who can give a release to said Lot, and who are determined to prosecute to the utmost extent of the Law all persons who in any way interfere with said Lot.
JESSE OLMSTED,
Saint John of Portland, *Agent for the Heirs.*
Saint John, Jan., A. D. 1852.

The Courier.
NEW-BRUNSWICK
NEW SERIES. { VOLUME X. / NUMBER 37. } SAINT JOHN, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1852. VOLUME XLI. { NUMBER - - - - 43 / WHOLE NUMBER, 2124 }

IN BANKRUPTCY.
City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New-Brunswick, ss.
In the matter of HUGH O'TOOLE, of the City of Saint John, in the Province of New-Brunswick, Merchant Tailor, a Bankrupt:
NOTICE is hereby given, that I appoint a further General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Hugh O'Toole, to be held on MONDAY, the Fifteenth day of March next, at Eleven of the clock in the Forenoon, at the office of Daniel Jordan, Esquire, Provisional Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, in the Commercial Bank Building, in the City of Saint John, for the purpose of receiving proof of, or of allowing or contesting any claim presented against the said estate; at which meeting the said Bankrupt may be examined on oath, touching his estate and dealings, and will be required to finish his examination; and such other business relating to the said estate will be then and there transacted as may be deemed necessary. And public notice is also hereby given, that upon the application of the said Bankrupt, this day made to me, I appoint a public sitting to be held on MONDAY, the Fifteenth day of March next, at Noon, at the said Office, for the allowance of a Certificate of conformity to the said Bankrupt, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly in such case made and provided, when and where any of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt may be heard against the allowance of the said Certificate; and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order be made as the justice of the case may require.
Given under my hand, at the City of Saint John, this Sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-two.
ROBERT F. HAZEN,
Commissioner of the Estates and Effects of Bankrupts for the City and County of Saint John.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, }
City and County of Saint John. }
SURROGATE COURT, holden the 20th day of January, A. D. 1852.
In the matter of the Estate of URIAH MOWRY, Senior, late of the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, deceased.
WHEREAS WILLIAM MOWRY, Administrator of the Estate of URIAH MOWRY, Senior, deceased, has applied to me, by petition, according to Law, showing 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 may be granted to the Petitioner to sell the Real Estate of the said deceased for the payment of his debts.
I do therefore cite the Heirs and all persons interested in the aforesaid 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, on Monday the first day of March next, at two o'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.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, }
City and County of Saint John. }
Surrogate Court, holden on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1852.
In the matter of the Estate of CHARLES B. SIMPSON, late of the City of Saint John, deceased.
WHEREAS ROBERT FULTON and JOHN M. WALKER, Administrators of the aforesaid Estate, have filed their Account of the Administration of the said Estate:—I do hereby cite all the Creditors and next of kin of the said deceased, 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 aforesaid, at the Registrar's Office, in the said City, on Monday the first day of March next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to attend the passing of the said Account so filed as aforesaid.
ALFRED L. STREET,
Surrogate Judge of Probate.

NOTICE.
ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of ALEXANDER CAMPBELL, late of this City, Tinplate Worker and Gasfitter, deceased, are required to render their accounts, duly attested, within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to
G. W. SMITH, } Executors.
R. THOMSON, }
Saint John, January 24, 1852.

☞ NOTICE.
ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of GEORGE BOND, late of the City of Saint John, deceased, are requested to present their accounts within eighteen months, to the subscribers; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment to
MARY BOND, *Executrix,*
JOSEPH BEATTEAY, } *Executors.*
GEORGE B. BEATTEAY, }
St. John, N. B., 24th January, 1852.

NOTICE.
ALL persons having any demands against the Estate of JAMES ROBERTSON, late of Monkton, in the County of Westmorland, Esquire, deceased, are requested to render the same within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment thereof to the Subscriber.—Dated this eighth day of January, A. D. 1852.
3m. MARIA ROBERTSON, *Executrix.*

☞ NOTICE. ☜
ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of JAMES GLASS, late of Gagetown, in Queen's County, Inn Keeper, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same, duly attested, within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are also hereby notified and required to make immediate payment to
JANE GLASS, *Executrix,*
GABRIEL DEVEBER, *Executor.*
Gagetown, 10th December, A. D. 1851.—3¶

☞ NOTICE. ☜
ALL persons having any accounts against the Estate of URIAH MOWRY, Senior, late of the Parish of Portland, in the County of St. John, deceased, will render the same, duly attested, within Three Months from this date; and all persons indebted to the said Estate will make immediate payment to WILLIAM MOWRY,
Sole Administrator.
St. John, N. B., Dec. 8th, 1851. 3m

NOTICE.
ALL persons having demands against the Estate of ELEANOR DOWLING, late of this City, Widow, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to
SAMUEL SEEDS,
St. John, Feb. 14, 1852. *Sole Executor.*

Ætna Insurance Company
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
THE Subscriber, Agent for the above Insurance Company, continues to issue Policies and Renewal Receipts for Insurance on Dwelling Houses, Stores, Mills, Factories, Vessels and Cargoes while in Port, Vessels on the stocks, Household Furniture, Merchandise, and every other species of insurable personal property,—against
Loss or Damage by Fire,
at as low rates of premium as any similar institution in good standing.—Will give personal attendance to the survey of premises, &c. in the city and vicinity, on which insurance is desired, free of charge to the assured. Applications in writing (post paid,) from all other parts of the Province, describing the situation of the property to be insured, will receive prompt attention; the correctness of which description shall on all occasions be binding on the part of the applicant.
The ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY was incorporated in 1819—Capital, $200,000, with liberty to increase the same to half a million of dollars. The Capital has been all paid in, and invested in the best securities, independently of which a *surplus fund of* more than $25,000 has been set apart to meet occasional claims for Losses, and the Stock bears a high premium.—The reputation the Office has acquired for promptness and liberality in the adjustment of losses requires no additional pledge to entitle it to a liberal share of public patronage.
A. BALLOCH, AGENT.
St. John, N. B. July 21st, 1841.

AGRICULTURAL BOILERS.—Just received—5 Mott's Agricultural BOILERS, from 22 to 60 Gallons.
On hand—Several FANNING MILLS, of the most approved description.
Oct. 25. JARDINE & CO.

Commercial Bank of New-Brunswick,
SAINT JOHN, 11th July, 1851.
THE NOTES of this Bank are redeemed in Canada by the Quebec Bank, at par.
G. P. SANCTON, *Cashier.*

JOSEPH WILSON & Co.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
New Orleans.
October 16, 1851.—6mo.

E. A. SOULLARD,
Commission Merchant,
SAVANNAH, (Georgia.)
Refer to
Messrs. D. & T. VAUGHAN, } Saint John, N. B.
" OWENS & DUNCAN,
" W. & J. LAWTON,
September 13.—6¶

J. PICKARD,
Flour and Grain Dealer,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 111 BROAD-STREET, (*Up Stairs,*)
April 16, 1851. NEW-YORK.

THOMAS MAIN,
Commission Merchant and General Agent,
NELSON STREET, SAINT JOHN, N. B.

Central Fire Insurance Company
OF FREDERICTON.
Incorporated in 1836—Capital, £50,000:
ALL PAID UP.
Hon. JOHN ROBERTSON, } *Local Board,*
DANIEL J. McLAUGHLIN, Esq. } St. John.
PROPOSALS for Insurance against Loss or Damage by Fire, will be received and Policies granted by this Agency, (without referring to the Board at Fredericton,) on application to
GEORGE THOMAS,
"Agent" for St. John, N. B.
South Market Wharf, Feb. 15, 1851.

New-Brunswick Branch
OF THE
ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
CAPITAL, £2,000,000 STERLING.
Trustees.
John Shaw Leigh, and R. B. B. H. Blundell, Esqrs.
Directors, &c., in Liverpool.
Charles Turner, Esq., Chairman.—John Campbell, Esq., & J. Bramley-Moore, Esq., Dep. Chairmen.

George Armstrong, Esq.	Edward Johnston, Esq.
Ralph Brocklebank, Esq.	Roger Lyon Jones, Esq.
Michael Bousfield, Esq.	James Lawrence, Esq.
David Camon, Esq.	Francis Maxwell, Esq.
William Claxton, Esq.	George Maxwell, Esq.
Thomas Dover, Esq.	Robert M'Andrew, Esq.
Richd. Harbord, Esq.	Ed. Molyneux, Esq.
Robert E. Harvey, Esq.	Henry Moore, Esq.
R. Brodhurst Hill, Esq.	William Smith, Esq.
Thos. D. Hornby, Esq.	John Torr, Esq.
John Chas. Jack, Esq.	

Manager and Actuary—Percy M. Dove, Esq.
Directors, &c., in London.

Samuel Baker, Esq.	Edw. Mackmurdo, Esq.
Robert B. Byass, Esq.	Daniel H. Rucker, Esq.
Richard C. Coles, Esq.	Wm. Wainwright, Esq.
	John Westmorland, Esq.

The Subscriber having been appointed Agent to the above Company for New-Brunswick, begs to announce that he is prepared to receive Proposals for FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE. The large Capital of the Company, and the number and influence of its Proprietors, enable it to rank with the most eligible Offices, either in America or Europe, with respect to the advantages offered to the Public.
FIRE BRANCH.
Persons assured by this Company are not subject to any covenants or calls to make good losses which may happen to themselves or others, nor do they depend upon an uncertain fund or contribution, the Capital Stock of this Company being an unquestionable security to the Assured in case of Loss or Damage by Fire.
LIFE BRANCH.
In addition to the more customary methods of Insurance, the Company likewise Assures Lives on any of the following contingencies:—
For the term of One Year, Seven Years, or any other definite period.
For the whole continuance of Life.—The Premiums to cease, after a limited number of Annual Payments.
For Two Joint Lives.—The sum assured to be paid on the death of either.
On the longest of Two or Three Lives. The sum assured to be payable at the death of the last survivor; or,
On Survivorships.—To secure the payment of the sum assured, if a life A die before another life B.
For a sum to be payable at age 60, or at death.
Premiums on Credit.—A portion of the Premiums may remain on Credit. Assurances may be effected in various ways, not enumerated, to meet the convenience of parties.
The important advantages afforded by the Company in the Life Branch will include the following, viz:—
The Guarantee of an ample Capital, and Exemption of the Assured from liability of Partnership.
Moderate Premiums.
Large Participation of Profits by the Assured, amounting to Two-thirds of its net amount, which may be applied at the option of the party effecting the Assurance:—1st. By the immediate payment of the sum so apportioned.—2nd. By an equivalent reduction of the future Premiums.—Or, 3rd. By an equivalent increase of the sum assured.
Small Charge for Management.—The expenses of the Office being borne in due proportion by the two Branches.
Prompt Settlement of Claims.
Policies lapsed by non-payment of the Premium may be renewed within three months, by paying the Premium, with a fine of 10s. per cent., on the production of evidence to the satisfaction of the Directors of the good state of health of the life assured.
The Company will always be prepared to Purchase the Policies of this Office at their equitable value, or will grant a New Policy in lieu thereof, without any further payment of Premium, for a sum to be agreed on.
Extra Premiums, suitable to special circumstances, will be accepted, to enable a party possessing a Policy on the life of another to guard against the possibility of its being vitiated by the Life departing beyond limits, or by any other cause.
Thirty Days are allowed for the Payment of Premiums after the day on which they respectively become due.
Additional Advantages offered to Lives Assured with this Company at St. John, N. B.
I.—RESIDENCE.—Persons assured for the whole term of life will have permission, without the payment of extra Premium, to reside in any part of Europe, or in any place in North America to the north of 38 degrees of North Latitude, but not to the westward of the Mississippi River.
II.—VOYAGES.—They will also, if not seafaring by profession, be allowed, without any extra charge—
To cross and re-cross the Atlantic Ocean, in steamers or first-class sailing-vessels;
To pass from any part of Europe to any other, or from any part of North America to another, within the limits above specified; also,
To pass to and from, but not to reside in, any place which shall not be further south than 35 degrees of North Latitude, but not to the westward of the Mississippi River.
☞ *Office, corner of Prince William-street and the Market-square in St. John.*
JAMES J. KAYE, *Agent.*
December 27th, 1851. 6¶

To Claimants of Property in Great Britain and Ireland.
THE subscriber offers superior facilities for the recovery of all kinds of claims in Great Britain and Ireland. He has appointed numerous Agents throughout these countries; and he will, from time to time, make personal visits to those places, in connection with the business entrusted to his management.—Every information will be afforded on application to CHARLES DUFF, Esq., Barrister at Law, Prince William-street, Saint John, New-Brunswick, or to the subscriber, No. 15, Albany-street, LEITH Scotland, JAMES SIMSON.
Saint John, N. B., 23d August, 1851.

SPRING TERM.
GORHAM COLLEGE,
LIVERPOOL, NOVA-SCOTIA.
Under the sanction and controul of the Congregational Union of Nova-Scotia and New-Brunswick.
PRESIDENT:
REV. FREDERICK TOMKINS, M. A., University College, London.
SESSION 1851—52.
THE Session consists of three terms—the second term will commence January 14, 1852.
The mode of instruction pursued in this Institution, and the Text Books employed, will be precisely the same as those used at University College, London. Special regard will be paid to the future occupation of the Student in the classes that are recommended.
The Mathematical Classes will be conducted on the same plan as those in University College, London, under the Professorships of Augustus DeMorgan, of Trinity College, Cambridge; and Richard Potter, A. M., of Queen's College, Cambridge.
Classes are already formed in the Greek, Roman and French Languages; Geometry, Arithmetic and Algebra; the English Languages and Literature; and Composition in Greek and Latin. Classes for German, Logic and Experimental Natural Philosophy will be formed this next term.
The special feature of the next term is, that a Class will be formed with a view to give full instruction in Practical Geodesy, comprising Railroad Surveying, Chain Surveying, the use of Surveying Instruments, Levelling and Trigonometrical Surveying. Students wishing to qualify themselves as Railroad Surveyors will find every practical information afforded in this course.
Fee for the Session, £8. Board and Lodging will be provided in the College at the rate of 8s. 6d. per week.
Youths who have attained the age of 16 years are expected to enter the College; after that age they are not admitted into the Junior School.
JUNIOR SCHOOL.
Boys will be admitted to this School if they can read and write. The whole arrangements of the Junior School will be under the direction of the President of the College. The system pursued will be a combination of that pursued in University College School, London, and the best Schools in New England.
The course of instruction will comprise the usual elementary subjects taught in schools, with Classics, French and Mathematics; the whole of Wilhem's method of Vocal Music, as adopted by Hullah, and patronised by the Committee of Council on Education, will be gone through during the Session in the Junior School.
Fee for the Junior School, £4. Board and lodging, at the rate of 7s. 6d. per week.
A course of Forty Evening Lectures to adults, on Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Algebra and English Composition, will be delivered forthwith. Fee, £2.
COUNCIL:
Rev. Fredk. Tomkins, M. A., President and Prof.
Rev. W. H. Hendebourck, Homerton Col., London.
Rev. Jas. Porter, University College, London.
Rev. Charles Mackay.
Rev. George Sterling.
Rev. Joseph Peart.
Freeman Tupper, Esq., Treasurer of the College.
Mr. J. W. Hutchinson, Assistant Secretary.
Geo. McLeod, Esq.
Capt. Jas. Collins.
Capt. E. McLeod.
Messrs. W. H. Freeman, Joseph Gardner, Geo. Payzant, Stephen C. Tupper, Edward Smith, Nathan Tupper, Hiram Freeman, and David Dunlop.
All letters are to be addressed (post-paid) to the President of Gorham College, Liverpool, Nova-Scotia.
Liverpool, N. S., Dec. 29, 1851. j17

HIME & SON'S
PIANO FORTE, HARP, and MUSIC WAREHOUSE,
No. 57, Church Street, LIVERPOOL,
Established upwards of Fifty Years.
COLLARD & COLLARD'S PIANO FORTES for the Million, - - 30 Guineas.
D'Almaine & Co's do. (Rosewood,) 25 "
Hime & Son's do. do. 25 "
A large stock of best Instruments, by Broadwood & Sons, and Collard & Collard, always on hand, from the Semi-Cottage to the full sized Grand, and furnished at the Manufacturers' prices.
Orders addressed direct to Liverpool will receive every attention; a remittance, or reference for payment to a Liverpool House, should accompany each order. *The newest Music as soon as out.*
All Novello's Cheap Publications, Collections of Sacred Music, Chants, Psalm and Hymn Tunes, Oratorios, Creation, Messiah, Elijah, &c., from 5s. to 36s.
Masses, and Catholic Music.
☞ Second-hand Double Actioned HARPS, by *Erard*, on hand, at half their original cost.
57, *Church-Street, Liverpool.*—1 yr,

NOTICE.
JAMES T. HALL, of the City of Saint John, Clothier, having made an assignment of all his Goods and Chattels for the benefit of all such Creditors as shall execute the Trust Deed within thirty days from this date, all parties are hereby required to execute the said Trust Deed within the required time, in order that they may participate in its benefits.
Dated the thirtieth day of December, A.D. 1851.
JULIUS L. INCHES,
JOHN W. BEARD,
Dec. 31. *Trustees.*

NOTICE.
THE Subscriber, having this day sold out all his STOCK IN TRADE to Messrs. McMORRAN & DUNN, takes this method of thanking all those who have so liberally patronised him while in the Iron Trade, and would solicit a continuance of the same to his successors.
Jan. 9, 1852. THOMAS F. RAYMOND.
THE Subscribers having purchased the whole of the valuable STOCK-IN-TRADE of THOMAS F. RAYMOND, Esq., with the good will of the business, will continue to conduct the same at the old stand, Nelson Street, where the Customers of the former proprietor will be treated as usual.
They have now on hand a well assorted and extensive Stock of Refined and Common IRON, CHAINS and ANCHORS, RIGGING CHAINS; Blister, Spring, Cast and Axe STEEL; Plough Moulds and Plate; SPIKES, Yellow METAL, Tin PLATE, Sheet Lead, Fire Clay and Bricks, &c. &c.
They also continue to carry on their General and Ship Chandlery Business in Water Street, as usual, and have always on hand,
MANILLA ROPE, CORDAGE, HAWSERS, BOLT ROPE, Amber and House LINE, SPUNRARN, Bleached and Boiled CANVASS, PARCELLINGS and OSNABURGS, London and Domestic OAKUM.
ALSO—American and Coal Tar, Pitch and Rosin; Raw, Boiled and Lamp OILS; Bright and Black VARNISH; Patent Pine OIL; White Lead; Paints, TWINES; Cut and Wrought NAILS of all kinds; with a complete Stock of SHIP CHANDLERY and GROCERIES.
☞ Manilla and Tarred Rope and Canvass cut to suit purchasers—which is a consideration to parties fitting out Vessels, as they can have Cordage, &c. cut to the neat lengths.
The Subscribers are determined to sell at their establishments on good terms and at lowest Market prices; and hope, by strict attention and attending to their own business, to receive a share of public support. McMORRAN & DUNN.
St. John, Jan. 10, 1852.

Chains, Anchors, &c.
The Subscribers offer for Sale:
40 WOOD and Iron Stocked ANCHORS assorted sizes, 5 to 35 Cwt.;
35 Close CHAIN CABLES, ½ inch to inch, 45 to 90 fathoms;
Stud ditto, 1 to 2 inch, 90 fathoms;
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COMMUNICATIONS.

THE EDUCATION BILL.
After perusing what has issued from the public press respecting the Education Bill, particularly the excellent remarks in the *Church Witness*, relative to the mode of procuring teachers from among the native population, the requisite qualifications of teachers of schools, and the necessity there was that a respectable provision should be made for their maintenance, in order to render their exertions efficient, &c. &c., we have been led to think that a plan should be instantly suggested, by which the education of the youth of St. John might be extended, and adequate provision made for its supply. To those who feel interested in the mental improvement of the youth of this Province, it must be highly gratifying to learn that the subject of education is exciting a degree of interest not only among our Representatives, but also with the Editors of our public journals; and feeling highly gratified ourselves, we would not let the moment pass without suggesting something practical, feeling encouraged to do so by the answer Lord John Russell lately gave to a deputation of a National School Association, that had solicited Government aid from him. "I hope," said he, "you will go on with your scheme of education, because I think that even a failure in matters of this kind produces very great good." Now, should the present attempt to call the public attention to the necessity of having in this City an institution where a complete commercial and classical education may be obtained, prove a failure, it will not be labour in vain. When such laudable efforts have been and are made in Britain and the United States to improve the modes of communicating instruction to youthful minds, can nothing be done for the benefit of the youth of our City? It is not to be doubted that happily there is among the intelligent classes of this community a general feeling that education should be diffused as widely as possible. It would, therefore, be desirable that an association for education should be formed at St. John, who would take this highly important subject into their serious consideration, and elect an Educational Board, constituted on liberal principles, to superintend a seminary for the education of youth, irrespective of party or party feelings, and that would be satisfactory to people of every denomination. It is expected that the various classes of the community will regard such a proposition with favour; and it is thought the time is now come when a united effort should be made, which might result in the adoption of an efficient system of education for the children of this City, which would invade the religious scruples of no party. Can nothing, then, be done to improve and extend the benefits of the Grammar Schools, by placing the superintendence of the schools under a Board differently constituted? All parties are agreed that the Rector of the Grammar School is in every respect qualified for the duties of his situation. But objections are made about the manner in which the responsible duties of the Board are performed. The writer in the *Church Witness* has very judiciously remarked, "What New-Brunswick wants is a good system of education, based on right principles, and adapted to the state of the population." What the inhabitants of St. John want, and the state of the population stand in need of, is an institution where a complete classical and commercial education can be acquired. If such an education could be obtained, would the inhabitants of this City annually send such a large number of their children to the sister Provinces and parts of New-Brunswick remote from their parental abode and guardianship, at so much inconvenience and expense? For the success of any public institution, public opinion must be consulted and conciliated. Now, it is well known there exists a public prejudice about the Board who are entrusted with the superintendence of the Grammar School. *Inter alia*, an objection has been made that there are too many *ex officio* members; secondly, that several of the members are not sufficiently self-interested, and, of course, take but little interest in the progress of the children or success of the teacher or teachers employed; and, thirdly, that the constitution of the Board is unpopular, because it is too sectarian. To every family and every rightly constituted mind it must be apparent that an effort should be made that the children of this City should be taught the higher branches of education, that they may be qualified to fill with advantage to themselves and society the different spheres they may be called to occupy; and, for this purpose, that an institution ought to be established at St. John, on liberal principles. It is true, some from ignorance, others from religious scruples, object to secular education; but the writer coincides in opinion with Lord John Russell. His Lordship, in his reply to the deputation, to which allusion has been already made, informs these gentlemen "that he is convinced that secular instruction, so far from being hostile to religion, will prepare the minds of those so instructed for the reception of religious instruction, will make them better capable of understanding that which the ministers of religion teach them, and that there cannot fail to be in good secular instruction, give it as you may, admiration of the Creator of the world, love to their neighbours, and those general moral duties which, though not the Christian religion itself, prepare the mind for the reception of the truths of Christianity." Impressed with the truth of what has been stated, it is proposed that an Educational Association be formed at St. John, who will elect a Board to superintend the education of the children in a knowledge of the English language, writing, arithmetic, navigation, geography, mathematics, ancient and modern languages, and agricultural chemistry. Now, it is evident, in order that these different branches may be efficiently taught, that three—or, at all events, two—additional teachers, besides the Rector of the Grammar School, will be required. For these teachers a respectable provision must be made; it is, therefore, suggested that the affairs of the School Association be managed similarly to our Water or any other Company. How such Companies are managed, the influential inhabitants of this City are too well acquainted, both theoretically and experimentally, to require any illustration.
In conclusion, a comprehensive system of education, suited for town and country, founded on liberal and Catholic principles, cannot fail to be acceptable to intelligent Christians of every sect, which is based on principles of justice to all persons, and excluding none from the benefits of education which it is calculated to afford. All that is intended is, to call the attention of those who feel interested in the instruction of children in the useful branches of science to the views enunciated, leaving the details to those who may become shareholders, to be arranged as may appear to them best calculated to promote the prosperity of the institution.
As to funds, if a sufficient number be induced to take shares—which cannot be called in question, in a cause in which every family is interested—and the tuition money paid in advance to the Board elected by the shareholders, money will not be wanting for all purposes. Besides, when it is taken into consideration what has been paid for education in other parts of the Province, it cannot be doubted that the Legislature would aid the cause.
We have at Fredericton a College, a Baptist Academy, and a Grammar School; also a Methodist Academy at Sackville. Some of these seminaries are objectionable, because they are considered by a discerning public sectarian in their constitution, and tend to promote a party spirit inimical to the true interests of New-Brunswick, whereas our true interests and strength consist in union and united exertion. Can it, then, be believed, when our Legislature has given thousands to promote sectarian education, and continue to make liberal grants, they will withhold a liberal support to an institution for the education of all classes of the community at St. John?

OCEAN PENNY POSTAGE.
MR. EDITOR,—Permit me to call your attention, and that of your readers, to a movement in England, the aim and end of which must deeply and peculiarly interest all the colonial populations of the British Empire. This is the establishment of a universal OCEAN PENNY POSTAGE, by which a letter, under half an ounce in weight, shall be merely conveyed from any port of the United Kingdom to any port beyond the sea, at which the British mail packets may touch, for *One Penny*. Thus the whole charge on a letter from any town in Great Britain to any port in the British Colonies or dependencies, would be 2d.; or 1d. for the British island, and 1d. for the ocean transit. If an inland Penny Post were adopted in all the colonies, then the entire charge on a letter from any town in Great Britain or Ireland to any town in the British provinces, colonies or dependencies, in America, Africa, Asia and Australia, would be 3d. Vigorous steps are now being taken in England to induce the Government to adopt this measure during the approaching session of Parliament. The Right Hon. T. M. Gibson, M. P., has engaged to bring it before the House of Commons in a distinct motion. A series of public meetings has already been held, and will be continued for months, until the subject has been presented considerable towns in the kingdom. that one thousand petitions to Parlia the measure will be obtained, and influential members of that body the project. Several Cha other commercial assoc tion for it, and influen ties and religious d rating for its spe all classes of t personal frie distant com

who desire to see abolished everything in distance that tends to estrange from them their fellow-subjects abroad, or to prevent the development of that friendly intercourse and correspondence which would socially make them all part and parcel of the Home Country.
Now, while these efforts are being made in Great Britain to establish a postal system which must so deeply interest all the inhabitants of the distant provinces, colonies, and dependencies of the Empire, we would earnestly appeal to them for their co-operation in securing this great boon to the world. We would urge upon them the importance and necessity of uniting their petitions and memorials for such an *Ocean Penny Postage* with those of their fellow subjects in the Home country. We are confident, if they would thus unite their efforts with ours, we should speedily see this great measure realised, and crowned with blessed consequences to all the sea-divided communities of mankind. Memorials or petitions from legislative assemblies, municipal bodies, chambers of commerce, towns, villages, religious congregations, missionary societies, &c., addressed in due form to the Crown, or Home Government, would aid invaluably the efforts now being put forth in Great Britain to secure this great boon, which will bring equal blessings and beneficence to all the subjects of the British Government, in whatever region of the globe they may reside. We would earnestly appeal to every Christian, patriot, or philanthropist, who reads this statement, to lend a hand to this work; to interest his friends and fellow-citizens in the question; to get a memorial or petition in favour of an Ocean Penny Postage signed by the members of the legislature, or of the town council, chamber of commerce, ecclesiastical body, or religious congregation, of which he may be a member, or by the inhabitants of the town of which he is a citizen. It is expected that Mr. GIBSON will bring forward his motion in the House of Commons for this postal reform during the month of April next, therefore, all petitions and memorials from the colonies should be sent in early in that month. All such as may be directed to our care will be put in the hands of Members of Parliament, who will not only present them, but support