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WEEKLY ALMANACK.

1852. AUGUST.	SUN Rises	SUN Sets	MOON Rises	MOON Sets	High Water	
Day . . .	5 22	6 38	3 4		41	11
Day . . .	5 23	6 37	4 2		-	-
Day . . .	5 25	6 35	7 2		0	33
Wednesday	5 26	6 34	8 18		1	35
Day . . .	5 27	6 32	8 39		2	5
Day . . .	5 28	6 30	9 3		2	36
Day . . .	5 29	6 28	9 28			

Full Moon, 29th, 10 h. 42 m. morning.—S. E.

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.*

J. PICKARD,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 121 Pearl-street, Corner of Hanover.
March 13, 1851. NEW-YORK.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of ELIZABETH CHIPMAN, late of this City, Widow, are requested to present their Accounts within Three Months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment to
A. E. BOTSFORD,
St. John, 10th July, 1852. *Administrator, &c.*

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any demands against the Estate of the late JAMES BEATTY, of the Parish of Hampton, County of King's, will please render their Accounts, duly attested, to the Executors, and all those indebted will please make payment of the same within three months after date hereof.
HUMPHREY BULL,
WILLIAM LANGSTROTH, } *Executors.*
Hampton, King's County, July 7th, 1852.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any demands against the Estate of the late E. D. VERY, of the Parish of Portland, will please render the same within three months from this date; and all persons indebted to the said Estate will make immediate payment to
ELIZA W. VERY, Administratrix.
June 26. A. McL. SEELY, Administrator.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any demands against the Estate of the late BARZILLAI ANSLEY, Esquire, of this City, are desired to present the same, duly attested, within Twelve Months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to
MARY JANE ANSLEY,
Sole Administratrix.
St. John, N. B., May 15th, 1852.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any demands against the Estate of the late JOHN PATTERSON, of the City of Saint John, will please render their Accounts, duly attested, to the Executors; and all those indebted will please make payment of the same within three months after date hereof.
ELIZABETH PATTERSON, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M. SMITH, *Executor.*
St. John, N. B., 15th April, 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,
GEORGE B. BEATTEAY, } *Executors.*
St. John, N. B., 24th January, 1852.

Central Fire Insurance Company
OF FREDERICTON.
Incorporated — ALL PAID capital £50,000.
Hon. JOHN ROBERTSON, DANIEL J. McLAUGHLIN, Esq. } *Local Board,* 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) for St. John, N. B.
South Market Wharf, Feb. 15, 1852.

Protection Insurance Company
OF HARTFORD.
SAINT JOHN AGENCY.

THE subscriber having been appointed Agent of the above Company, will attend to the renewal of Policies issued by the late Agent, W. H. SCOVIL, Esq., as also to effecting new Insurances against Fire, on Houses, Furniture, Merchandise, Ships on the stocks and in harbour, &c.
Sept 2, 1843. A. BALLOCH, AGENT.

LIVERPOOL & LONDON
Fire & Life Insurance Company,
[*Established in* 1836.]
Capital £2,000,000—in shares of Twenty Pounds.

THE Stockholders of this Company are responsible to the full extent of their property for the liabilities of the Company.

The undersigned hereby notifies the Public of New-Brunswick that the above-named Company have empowered him, by a full and ample Power of Attorney, to open an Office in the City of Saint John, for the Insurance of PROPERTY against loss or damage by FIRE, in any part of the Province, and to sign and issue Policies in the name of the Company; and that in virtue of the power vested in him by the said Power of Attorney, he has appointed Mr. ADAM JACK to act as Agent for the said Company, in the receiving of proposals for Insurance, and the inspection of premises proposed for Insurance, and all other the usual duties of an Agent; and to collect and receive the amount of premium on any policy issued by the undersigned in the name of the said Company, or for the renewal of the same.

The Deed of settlement, and the supplemental Deed of settlement, lies with Mr. JACK, at the Office of the *New-Brunswick Marine Assurance Company,* also the pamphlets issued by the Office at Liverpool, affording ample details of the mode of transacting business by the Company.

The rates of premium will be as low as any other respectable Company, and the undersigned trusts a fair portion of public patronage will be accorded to the Company.

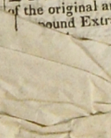
Losses not exceeding £500 will be settled without referring to the head Office at Liverpool.
EDWARD ALLISON.
Dated at St. John, N. B., } 4th August, 1851. }

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. JOHN LEITCH, of the City of St. John, Merchant, has this day assigned to us all his Estate and Effects, in trust for the benefit of such of his Creditors as shall execute the Trust Deed, agreeably to the terms thereof. The said Trust Deed is now in the Office of CHARLES DUFF, Esquire, *Barrister-at-Law,* where the Creditors are requested to call and to execute the same within six calendar months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said JOHN LEITCH, are requested to make immediate payment to the said CHARLES DUFF.
Dated this third day of June, A. D. 1852.
THOMAS ALLAN,
JAMES MACFARLANE,
CHARLES DUFF.

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 counties; 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 given 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.

Drugs, Medicines, & Perfumery.



THE Subscriber has just received by the "Faside," from London, a fresh supply of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, PATENT MEDICINES, PICKLES, SAUCES, &c., for sale at low rates.
THOMAS M. REED,
May 1. *Corner North Wharf and Dock-street.*

The Great Specific!

NOW landing, per *Maria* from New-York, direct from the Manufactory—a further supply of the original and genuine S. P. TOWNSEND'S Compound Extract of SARSAPARILLA.
R. D. McARTHUR, *Agent.*

DR. FONTAINE'S
Balm of a Thousand Flowers,
For the Toilet, the Nursery, for Bathing and many Medicinal purposes;

HIGHLY perfumed by its own ingredients: recommended by the Faculty of almost every European city, and established under the patronage of almost every Physician in London and Paris, and thousands of individuals, who make daily use of it in New-York, Philadelphia and Boston. It is the most luxury a lady or gentleman could wish for as an embellishment of health, for comfort and personal neatness, and the delicate and its delicate soothing sensation, softness it imparts to the complexion.

We give a few of the prominent properties of the

Balm of a Thousand Flowers!

already well established by actual experience.

FIRST:
This Balm remedies every defect of the complexion,
and establishes in its stead Beauty and Health, at the time when both, by the changes of age, or freaks of nature, or disease, have been obscured or undermined—it cleanses the skin, and draws to the surface all impurities, and every species of pimples and blotches; also removes tan, sunburns, sallowness, and freckles, imparting to the skin its original purity, and an unsurpassed freshness, rendering it clear, smooth, and white.

SECOND:
It promotes the growth and increase of the Hair—causing it to curl in the most natural manner.
It cleanses the head from dandruff, giving vigor, health and life to the very roots of the hair.

THIRD:
It is a superior article for Shaving, being superior to all descriptions of Soaps, Creams, Pastes, &c.

As a *Dentrifice for Cleansing the Teeth,* it is by far the most medicinal of any compound yet discovered, preventing decay, relieving pain, ulcers and cankers, and renders the teeth white as alabaster. For bathing, for suffering infants, and for adults, to promote sweetness of body, cleanliness, health and strength, and to prevent eruptions, &c., there is no article more suitable than this BALM. It may be used in cold or warm, hard or soft water.

FETRIDGE & CO.
Manufacturers and Proprietors,
15, State-street, BOSTON, Mass.

Price, 50 cents, and $1 per bottle.
FELLOWS & CO., AGENTS,
St. John, 2d August, 1851. (y) *Foster's Corner.*

The smallest favour thankfully received.

FIRST Department consists of DRUGS, Medicines, Patent Medicines and Chemicals.

SECOND Department—A large and varied assortment of PERFUMERY, Hair Oils, Creams, Fancy and Plain Soaps, Brushes, &c.

THIRD—PAINTS, Oils, Varnish and Dye Stuffs.

FOURTH—CIGARS and Cigar Cases, which have been lately received direct from Germany, consisting of plain, steel-bound and gilded bands, newest style, and approved pattern.

FIFTH—SODA WATER, well iced, with Syrups of all kinds.

SIXTH—A little of everything generally kept by Druggists and Venders of Medicines, all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms.

Please call and examine, both in regard of prices and quality.

☞ As this establishment has been removed to the above building, *King Square,* be sure and mistake not the shop, by calling at the old stand.
July 3. R. D. McARTHUR.

PAUSE! READ! CONSIDER!
FELLOWS'
Compound Fluid Extract of SARSAPARILLA.

A NEW and the most valuable Extract yet introduced, which is put up in Quart bottles, is cheaper, more pleasant, and warranted superior to any sold. It is prepared from the best

Honduras Sarsaparilla Root,

combined with Yellow Dock and other valuable productions, which from their purifying effects on the Blood render it the best

Spring and Summer Medicine

in the World, purifying and cleansing, giving tone and strength to the whole system.

This Extract is the result of numerous experiments, and the Proprietors feel confident that they have arrived at that perfection in preparing it to which no other manufacturer has yet attained. Every person has heard of Sarsaparilla. All have heard of its uses.—And many Physicians in this City are conscious of the fact that our Extract is far superior to those sold under the names of Townsend's, Sands', Bristol's, Brown's or Bull's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as it contains other prime remedies besides those used by the above named parties, is STRONGER, contains nothing but *Vegetable productions,* and is prepared *without boiling,* which causes it to retain all the volatile and active properties.

ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE.

We pledge our reputation on the truth of what we here state, that we believe it better in every sense than any other Extract of Sarsaparilla ever introduced.

Scrofulous Diseases, Cutaneous Eruptions, Rheumatic Affections, Syphiletic Disorders, Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, Lung and Bronchial Affections, all diseases arising from the injudicious use of Mercury, Impure state of the Blood or habit of the system, are some of the many diseases which are cured by the use of this Sarsaparilla.

FELLOWS & CO., *Manufacturers.*
Price 3s. 9d. per Bottle, 17s. 6d. per six Bottles.
St. John, March 13, 1852.—6m.

Lubins' Perfumery.

THE subscriber has just received an extensive assortment of the above celebrated Perfumery, consisting of Rose, Geranium, Jockey Club, Sweet Briar, Heliotrope, Verbena, &c.
Also—A fresh supply of Farina's COLOGNE and LAVENDER WATER.
THOMAS M. REED,
Head of North Wharf.

1852.
NEW NAIL FACTORY.
W. E. ADAMS

BEGS to acquaint his Customers and the public generally, that having lately erected a STEAM CUT NAIL MANUFACTORY in this city, is prepared to furnish CUT NAILS from 4d. to 30d., and Flooring Brads, Finishing Brads and Sheathing NAILS, as low and equal in quantity and shape as can be produced in the Province, and therefore solicits from purchasers an inspection at his HARDWARE STORE, corner of Dock Street and Market Square.
Jan. 24.

SALT.—4000 Bushels for sale by landing ex *Juverna,* from Caguilla.
July 17. G. SUTHERLAND.

GREAT REDUCTION IN
Gilt Cornices, Mirrors, Portrait AND PICTURE FRAMES,
at POTTER & Co's., in Germain Street.

THE Subscribers would call attention of the above articles which they are now Manufacturing at prices nearly one half less than have ever before been offered to the Public. One of the firm having recently visited the cities of New York, Philadelphia and Boston, where he made himself acquainted with the latest and most approved modes of working, by which a great amount of labour is saved in the various departments of the business, and having also made arrangements to receive, as soon as introduced, the newest fashions, designs, and styles of work, they are now prepared to execute in the best manner, all orders with which they may be favoured.

MANTLE AND PIER GLASSES of any style and price, to suit the taste of customers.
GILT CORNICES from 25s. to £10.
ROSE WOOD AND MAHOGANY MOULDINGS for Picture Frames, that heretofore have been selling at 2s. 6d. per foot, we will furnish at 1s. 6d. per foot.
GILT MOULDINGS that have heretofore been selling at 5s. per foot, we will furnish in any quantity at 2s. 6d. per foot.
RICHLY ORNAMENTED FRAMES, will be supplied at a corresponding reduction in price.
New and extremely elegant styles of *Fire Screens,* in plain, gilt, richly ornamented, white and gold, and superb dark patterns.
GILDING of all kinds, done in the first style, and at prices to defy all competition.
SIGN BOARDS made and lettered in any style to suit customers, at prices one third less than can be had elsewhere.
☞ Old PAINTINGS cleaned and repaired, old Frames re-gilt, Pictures stretched and varnished, Maps mounted and varnished.
FOR SALE.—A choice collection of finely coloured PICTURES, including a great variety of subjects, Heads, Studies, &c. &c.
May 27th, 1851. POTTER & CO.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers, in returning thanks to their friends and the public for the patronage they have hitherto respectively received, would give notice that they have entered into Partnership under the firm and style of MIERS & MASTERS, and hope, by unremitting attention to business, to merit a share of public support.
JACOB MIERS,
May 8. JAS. E. MASTERS.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers having fitted up and enlarged the Premises recently occupied by J. MIERS, Sidney Street, adjoining the Old Burying Ground, and introduced various kinds of labour saving Machinery, are prepared to manufacture and dispose of, on the most advantageous terms, CARRIAGES and SLEIGHS of every description, FIRE ENGINES and HOSE CARTS, Mill Work and Machinery, Plain FURNITURE, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS of all kinds, CARTS, WHEELBARROWS, HAND TRUCKS, &c. &c.
REPAIRS, JOB-WORK, PAINTING, Trimming, &c. attended to with punctuality and despatch.

Constantly on hand and for Sale:
LUMBER of all kinds, in plank boards, or sawed to order.
Steel Springs, Iron Axles, Brass Bands, Malleable Castings; Patent and Enamelled Leather; Enamelled Cloth, a superior article for Carriage Lining; Carriage Lace, Floor Canvas, Tacks, Paint, &c.

Ætna Insurance Company
Of Hartford, Connecticut.

THE Subscriber, Agent for the above Company, is prepared to issue Policies against Loss or Damage by Fire, on Stores, Mills, Manufactories, Dwelling Houses, Furniture, in Dwellings, and other buildings, and on 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, to 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 dollars. The Capital has been all paid in, and invested in the best securities, independently of which *surplus funds of* more than $225,000 has been set to meet occasional claims for Losses, and the whole bears a high premium.—The reputation the Company has acquired for promptness and liberality in adjustment of losses requires no additional plea to entitle it to a liberal share of public patronage.
A. BALCH, AGENT.
St. John, N. B. July 21st, 1851.

UNITED KINGDOM
LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,
OF LONDON.
Capital £1,000,000 Sterling.
The Annual Income exceeds £1,000 Sterling.
Established 1848.
Division of Profits.

IN 1841, the Company added a BONUS of £2 per Cent. per Annum on the Sum Assured, to all Policies of the *participating class,* from the time they were effected to December, 1840; and there shall be added at the General Meeting on 6th July, 1847, £2 5s. per cent. per Annum without reference to the age of the Assured.

The plan of Distribution of Profits being different from that of *the other* Companies, the following Table is subjoined for the information of the *many* persons of this Province, and of the public in general:

Age.	Annuity equal to every £100 of the Assured.	Bonus per cent. added to the Policy per Ann.	Bonus equal to the undermentioned per cent. on the Annual Premium.
15	£1 1 8	£2 5 0	£132 0 7
20	1 11	2 5 0	116 7 7
25	2 2	2 5 0	104 17 1
30	2 8	2 5 0	93 13 0
35	3 4	2 5 0	82 6 4
40	4 9	2 5 0	71 1 1
45	5 10 7	2 5 0	60 4 0
50	10 10	2 5 0	49 13 7
55	17 9	2 5 0	40 12 1
60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

EXPLANATION:—A person aged 45 years, and who received an annual premium of £3 14s. 9d. per cent, received an annual Bonus equal to £60 4s. per cent. the amount of premium paid. A person of 25 years, who paid an annual premium of £2 2s. per cent. received an Annual Bonus equal to 117s. 1d. per cent. on the premium. And a person of 15 years, who paid an annual premium of 1s. 1d. received an Annual Bonus equal to 132 0s. 7d. per cent. on the premium paid.

Notwithstanding these *unprecedented* divisions of profits, the premiums are on the most moderate scale, AND ONLY ONE HALF NEED BE PAID FOR THE FIRST FIVE YEARS, when the Insurance is for Life.

The EXTRA heretofore charged for Passage from America to Europe, or from Europe to America, within the limits, by a recent vote of the Directors, Residence excepted, No extra charge made for North Latitude, and no extra charge of 36 degrees longitude.

Information as to rates of premium, forms of proposals, &c., and Pamphlets, furnished *gratis* by application to
A. BALLOCH,
Agent for New-Brunswick.
☞ Agency, Prince William Street, St. John.
21st April, 1851.

Tea, Starch, Indigo, Tin Plates, &c.

Ex *Commodore* and *Vixen,* from Liverpool,
130 CHESTS of very superior TEA, selected expressly for the market;
20 boxes best Blue STARCH;
65 boxes Charcoal TIN PLATES—A, DX, ICW;
42 bundles SHEET IRON, Nos. 1 to 4;
1 case INDIGO BLUE;
1 case BLANK BOOKS.
For sale low from the vessel by
BERTON BROTHERS.
June 26.

Australia and the Gold Diggings!

The Liverpool "*LIVER LINE*" of Packets to AUSTRALIA will be despatched as under, sailing about the 5th and 20th of every month.

Ships.	*Tons burthen.*	*Commanders.*
Lady Head,	1350	J. JONES,
Emigrant,	1100	W. KEMP,
Belleisnig,	1350	W. THOMAS,
Sea,	1300	J. MACKAY,
Reliance,	1300	H. B. FELL,
Thames,	1350	R. RENNIE,
Flora,	1250	W. HAYLES,
Argyle,	1000	JAS. IRVINE,
Waterlilly,	1000	R. TULLOCK,
Fanny,	1400	GEO. FORREST,
James T. Foord,	1300	F. BARCLAY,
Ann Thompson,	800	JAS. DAVIES.

These Ships are all first class, and sail remarkably fast; they have handsome poop Cabins, with spacious and lofty accommodations; the between decks are fitted up in a very superior style, for the comfort and convenience of passengers, each compartment being seperated by substantial bulk heads, well lighted and ventilated; all the rooms are enclosed, and each family can have a seperate one if required. An experienced Surgeon is attached to each Ship, and they will be despatched under the inspection of Her Majesty's Emigration Agent.

Rates of Passage, including provisions:—

First Cabin,	£45
Second do.,	25
Third do.,	16
Steerage,	13
Children under 14 years, half price.	

For further particulars apply in Liverpool, G. B., to JOHN S. DEWOLF & CO., 1, Tower Chambers; or in Halifax, N. S., (if by letter post-paid) to THOS. A. S. DEWOLF; or in St. John, N. B., to JOHN McGRATH.
May 22, 1852.

Oil Paintings Restored.

THE Subscriber, well known for his successful manner of renovating Ancient and Modern Paintings, Family Portraits, &c., injured by time or accident, respectfully invites those requiring his services, to call and examine specimens.
Reference (by permission) to Gentlemen and Artists of Boston, of the first respectability.
GEORGE HOWARTH,
No. 1, Bradford Place, Mason-street,
May 15.—3m BOSTON.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, on retiring from his late Business, (as Proprietor of the Establishment known as READ'S HOTEL,) would beg to return sincere thanks to his numerous friends and the public generally for the very liberal patronage he has received in the above business, and would now with pleasure recommend to their patronage Mr. WESLEY THOMPSON, (his Successor,) who has taken the above Establishment, and intends conducting it on the same principle as it has been conducted heretofore, and he is confident that it will be kept in that decent and respectable manner which will make it at all times a comfortable and respectable Home for all who may favour him with a call.
St. John, May 8, 1852. JOSEPH READ.

Thompson's, late Read's HOTEL,
King Street, St. John, N. B.

THE Subscriber having purchased the Effects of Mr. JOSEPH READ, the former Proprietor of the Establishment as above, stopping place for PERMANENT and TRANSIENT BOARDERS; and it is his intention to spare no exertion to meet the wants and wishes of those who may favour him with a call. He would respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on his predecessor.
WESLEY THOMPSON.
N.B.—An attentive Hostler will be in attendance.
St. John, 8th May, 1852.

TO LET,

And Possession given immediately if required:
THAT well Known Brick HOUSE, adjoining the property of the Hon. John Robertson, in Germain Street, well adapted for a Hotel (the Donald Estate). The residence. It has water introduced, extensive family premises, Company's Works, good cellars, and 50 feet from the Company's Works, good cellars, and a superior Garden in good order, 8 of Barn room. Well with Pump in the yard. For any more particulars, please apply to Messrs. McMorran & Donald, Water Street, or to JAMES SMITH, Shipbuilder.
March 13, 1852.

TO LET.

THAT comfortable House, east end Church, now occupied by Hon. W. B. Kinnear. The house is in good repair, and in every respect a desirable residence.—Rent low to a good tenant.
Feb. 14, 1852. B. REYNOLDS.

TO LET,

THE OFFICE in the Custom House Building now occupied as the GENERAL POST OFFICE. Also—The LOFT on the Custom House Wharf, suitable for a Sailmaker or Rigger—Possession on 1st May. Apply to
G. SUTHERLAND.
Feb. 21.

Land to be Leased.

SEVERAL valuable Lots of Land, containing One Hundred Acres each, belonging to the Trustees of St. Andrew's Church, and fronting on the Quaco Road, in the Parish of Simonds, at present occupied by Messrs. BEATTY, BAXTER, KELLY, DUNN, and others, will be leased on liberal terms, and possession given on the first of May next, by early application to
W. HUTCHINSON,
St. John, 14th Feb., 1852. *Barrister-at-Law.*

FOR SALE,

THE subscriber's HOUSE, in Union-st. The purchaser can have the use of most of the purchase money for a length of time.—Possession can be given by the first of August. Apply to [May 15.] JAMES LAWTON.

FOR SALE,

The valuable Store and Premises in King-street, now in the occupation of Messrs. Myles & Howard. The Shop and Dwelling-house in German-street, the next lot but one south of Church-street, occupied by Mrs. Brooks. Terms liberal.
Further information given on application to the subscriber. GEO. WILSON.
July 10.

FOR SALE,

A valuable FREEHOLD PROPERTY pleasantly situated, in the City of St. John. For particulars, apply to
BERTON BROTHERS.
July 10.

TO BE SOLD,

and possession given the 20th October next,
THAT delightful residence now in possession of Dr. LESLIE, at Annapolis. Few such opportunities occur for a private gentleman who wishes either to secure a pleasant and healthy summer retreat for his family in one of the most pleasant residence stations in the Province, or a comfortable Country Life in the midst of the excellent society and flowers afford to a refined mind. There are no extra acres, in which there is a handsome commodious House, containing spacious and airy well furnished rooms, suitable for a genteel family, and the usual outdoor offices. The Garden is extensive, in a state of cultivation, and stocked with the choicest fruits and flowers which the climate of Annapolis is capable of maturing. There are two orchards, one of choice plums in full bearing, and the other lately planted, and grafted with the best varieties of apples from this Province and the United States.

The society in the vicinity is good, the schools are good and satisfactorily conducted, Daily mails and tri-weekly steamers are at hand, and the Electric Telegraph Office is a very short distance.

For terms enquire of Alexander Balloch, Esq., St. John; of the subscriber, Annapolis, July 3. ROBERT LESLIE.

POETRY.

NO NIGHT BUT HATH ITS MORN.

There are times of deepest sorrow,
When the heart feels lone and sad;
Times when memory's spell of magic
Have in gloom the spirit clad,
Would'st thou have a wand all potent
To illume life's darkest night;
This the thought that c'er in nature
Darkest hours precede the light.

When the world, cold, dark, and selfish,

[illegible]

Work away!
For the Master's eye is on us,
Never off us, still upon us,
Night and day,
Work away!
Keep the busy fingers plying,
Keep the ceaseless shuttles flying,
See that never thread lie wrong;
Let not clash nor clatter round us,
Sound of whirling wheels confound us:
Steady hand, let woof be strong
And firm that has to last so long!
Work away!

Keep upon the anvil ringing
Stroke of hammer on the gloom:
Set 'twixt cradle and 'twixt tomb,
Shower of fiery sparkles flinging;
Keep the mighty furnace glowing,
Keep the red ore hissing, flowing
Swift within the ready mould;
See that each one than the old
Still be fitter, still be fairer
For the servant's use, and rarer
For the master to behold:
Work away!

Work away!
For the leader's eye is on us,
Never off us still upon us,
Night and day!
Wide the trackless prairies round us,
Dark and unsounded woods surround us,
Deep and savage mountains bound us:
Far away
Smile the soft savannahs green,
Rivers sweep and roll between:
Work away!
Bring your axes, woodmen true—
Smite the forest till the blue
Of heaven's sunny eye looks through
Every wide and tangled glade;
Jungle, swamp and thicket shade
Give to-day!

O'er the torrents fling your bridges,
Pioneers! Upon the ridges
Widen, smooth the rocky stair—
They that follow far behind
Coming after us, will find
Surer, easier footing there;
Heart to heart, and hand with hand,
From the dawn to dusk o' day,
Work away!
Scouts upon the mountain's peak—
Ye that till the Promised Land—
Hearten us! for you [illegible]
Of the coming [illegible] upon us,
Night and day!
WORK AND PRAY!
Pray! and work will be completer:
Love, and prayer will make lighter
Will around [illegible] their way;
Fear not least the busy ginger
Weave a net the souls to sting;
Fearing wing—she will not linger—
Cleaving clouds the day,
From the azure dept of reside us
She will come again beside us
With the sunshine on her wings;
Sit and sing to us as learned above.
On the [illegible]
Wh[illegible]
Live in Future as in Present—
Work for both while yet the day
Is our own! for lord and peasant,
Long and bright as summer's day
Cometh soon our Holiday;
Work away!

[From the *Fredericton Reporter.*]

To the Rev. JAMES PORTER.

We, the members of the Congregational Church in Sheffield, feel that we would neither be doing respect to you, our late Pastor, nor justice to our own feelings, were we to permit your leaving us without an expression of the heartfelt satisfaction which we have experienced from your ministrations amongst us during the past nine years, and of our congratulation upon your attaining a position in which the sphere of your influence is much more enlarged, and in which your efforts will still be directed to the intellectual, moral, and social improvement of mankind.

When we reflect upon the change that has been wrought among us through your labours, by the addition of many to the Church, and by the building up of all in our most holy faith:—when we observe the beneficial effect that has been produced upon our community in general through your influence:—when we remember the zeal, assiduity and faithfulness with which your duties were discharged, the willingness with which you entered upon every good work, the promptness that you ever displayed in cases of emergency, the interest you always manifested in our welfare, the readiness with which you offered consolation to the distressed, and advice to those who sought it;—we cannot but feel grateful to the great Head of the Church, who in the order of his Providence directed you hither, and to you as the instrumentality He has employed to carry out such benevolent intentions towards us.

It is our desire and prayer that the deep regret we feel respecting your removal from our midst may not lead us to repine at the arrangements of Him who maketh all things work together for the good of His people; but may we be induced, on the contrary, to reflect more upon the good we have received from your past connection with us, and be benefited thereby.

We heartly rejoice in your appointment to a station which we deem so well qualified to occupy; and, although deprived of the valuable services of you, by your beloved partner, are still hitherto bestowed with your beloved partner, are still think that you, with your beloved partner, and that we now with us in Christian fellowship, and that we may participate in the fruits of your endeavours to the benefit the rising generation of our Province.

We feel that we sustain no ordinary loss in the absence of Mrs. Porter and family from our neighbourhood; but we trust that their change of residence—though a loss to us, will to them be an advantage.

In conclusion, we would request an interest in your prayers, that we, continuing in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, may grow and prosper to the glory of God, and that the Divine blessing may also rest upon you yourself and family, is the fervent prayer of
Yours in Christ,
ISAC BARKER,
on behalf of the Church.

Dec. 2.

Sheffield, 31st July, 1852.

To the Members of the Congregational Church, Sheffield.

BRETHREN,—The address which I have just heard, I not well know your gravity and sincerity might lead me to suppose, is a mere piece of ironical commendation, intended rather to remind me of what I should have been, than to express the real opinion of your unbiassed judgment regarding my conduct during my residence among you.

It is not, I assure you, without violence to my feelings that I have, as a conviction of what is the whole, made up my mind to leave New-Brunswick—the New-Brunswickest and best, should ever be the place—and as, both in my case and in my removal from regulating among you, so far as I know my motives have been mainly influenced, so far as I know you, by such a conviction, I wish to subordinate feelings of regret to that prevailing sense of duty which must ever be accompanied by its own calm, yet deep and enduring satisfaction.

Your far too favorable estimate of any beneficial influence, social or religious, which I have been assisted to exert in your midst, I attribute to your undue sanguine in your c[illegible] extended usefulness to be realized may render of my occupancy of a more public and prominence position. On this subject I can only say, in confidence not affecting an indifference which I cannot feel to the results of any plans or labors in which I may engage, I am chiefly anxious that they may be prompted by enlightened benevolence, directed by sound discretion, and characterized in their fulfilment by a steady determination to do all that duty requires, without regard to any merely personal considerations.

Very cordially do I reciprocate the expression of your satisfaction in the recognition of the fact that Mrs. Porter and myself retain our connexion with you as a Church; for while, as you can bear witness, I have always laboured to inculcate and illustrate sentiments directly opposed to all that is sectarian and exclusive, I am incapable of denying principles or of declining observances which, in our own judgment, are of Divine authority.

Your allusion to Mrs. Porter and our children cannot but be highly gratifying to me, knowing as I do, the deep interest Mrs. Porter takes in your welfare, and that our children cannot think with other than pleasing emotions of scenes amidst which they have passed so many of their earlier years.

Accept my best thanks for those prayers for our future prosperity, which you so kindly record; and be assured that your Christian stability and progress must ever be near my heart, and be with me matter of fervent supplication at the throne of grace.

I remain, my dear Brethren,
Yours, affectionately and truly,
July 31, 1852. JAMES PORTER.

GOLD.—One of the most splendid specimens of gold ever brought to this city, may be seen for a few days at Ellerd's on the Plaza. It was dug at Viacita, Calaveras County, by the present owner, Mr. Durham. Its weight is somewhat over *twenty-six pounds,* and with the exception of a few specks of quartz, which can be removed with a knife, the lump is a solid mass of pure gold. This was found sixty feet below the surface, in a drift of nearly thirty feet from the main hole. Those prophets who shake their wiseheads and assert that the mines are "giving out," would do well to look at this delicate little "chispa," and alter their opinions. Its value is about $5,400.—*San Francisco Whig, July 8.*

SURVEY OF HALIFAX HARBOUR.—Our readers may have observed a schooner at anchor in McNab's Cove. We are glad to learn that it is the surveying schr. Gulnare, and that Capt. Bayfield and his officers are by order of the Admiralty now engaged in the survey of this fine Harbour and the adjacent coast. We have long been aware that the chart of this Harbour is inaccurrate and we now learn that it is wrong in scale and defective and erroneous in detail of coast and soundings. It is quite right that a place of such extreme maritime importance as Halifax should no longer lie under the reproach of having no correct harbour plan, and it is highly creditable to the Home Government to undertake its completion under the conduct of an officer so distinguished and talented as Captain Bayfield.—*B. N. American.*

APPARATUS FOR RAISING SUNKEN VESSELS.—A very ingenious apparatus for raising sunken vessels has lately been invented. It consists of large air-tight canvass bags, sixty feet long and 8 feet thick. They are sunk attached to the wreck and inflated. Their lifting power is 250 tons.

The Mississippi.—There are few readers who will not feel an interest in the subjoined statistics of the river Mississippi and its tributaries. The navigable rivers of the Mississippi alone show a navigation of 20,000 miles, while their entire length is 51,000 miles. Thus—Mississippi and tributaries, not including those given below, aggregate length, 14,385 miles; Red and all tributaries, aggregate length, 4125; Arkansas do. do. 5540; White do. 1650; Ohio, do. do. 10,730; Missouri do. do. 12,270; Illinois (in all) 5,500; Upper Mississippi, the Great River, with all its parts, 31,000 miles.

LIFE IN A POWDER MILL.—Dickens thus describes a visit to the Powder Mill of Hounslow, near London:

"In this silent region, amid whose ninety seven worst places no human voice ever breaks upon the still except in the isolated house in which his allotted task is performed, there are secreted upwards of two hundred and fifty work people. They are a peculiar race, not, of course, in the circumstances of their cases, but by the habit of years which they live, added to the necessary destruction in consequence of the necessary regulations, have subdued their minds and things to the conditions of their hire. There seldom any need to enforce these regulations, no oaths, no [illegible] heard; a smile loosen here, or in works of a [illegible] carried on by the metre was a fixed mark in [illegible] sible, and these uttered in a [illegible] anybody fancies that mere sound [illegible] kept subdued.

If a man wishes to communicate anything to another, or to ask for any thing from somebody at a short distance, he must go there; for he is never permitted to shout out. There is a particular reason for call out. Amid all this silence, whenever last regulation, everybody knows that some immut does occur, expected the next moment, and all danger is headlong from the direction of the shout, awe running toward it to render any assistance common in all other cases, it is thoroughly stood that none can be afforded. An a here is immediate and beyond remedy. If shouting be continued for some time (for a man might be drowning in a river,) that might cause one or two of the boldest to return; but this would be a very rare occurrence.

It is by no means to be inferred that the men are selfish and insensible to the perils of each other; on the contrary, they have the greatest consideration for each other, as well as for their employers, and think of the danger to the lives of others, and the property at stake at all times, and more especially in all the more dangerous "houses." The proprietors of the various gunpowder mills all display the same consideration for each other, and whenever any improvement tending to lessen danger is discovered by one, it is immediately communicated to all the others. In short, no the men are good, and the hours [illegible]. They all artificial lights are used in the [illegible] and house—wash themselves—black [illegible] and leave the mills at [illegible] and summer."

QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S ISLAND.—Intelligence from Queen City of Oregon from Queen Charlotte's Island, confirms the rumor of the existence of valuable gold mines there. The Indians had large lumps in their possession, but were so hostile to the expedition as to compel them to return to settlement as to compel them to return to settl