

True Worship.

The ends for which we assemble in the house of God are two—to worship God, and to listen to religious instruction. The public worship of God is the chief and most sacred purpose of every religious assembly of Christians. Let it here be remembered that it is not the uttering, or the hearing of certain words that constitutes the worship of the Almighty. It is the heart that praises or prays. If the heart accompany not the words that are spoken or heard, we offer the sacrifice of fools. By the inattentive thought, and the giddy and wandering eye, we profane the temple of the Lord, and turn the appearance of devotion into insult and mockery. With regard to religious instruction, attention and reverence are unquestionably due. All religious and moral knowledge comes from God. His light from heaven, first transmitted to man by the original constitution of his nature, and afterwards made to shine with fuller and fuller lustre, by the revelation of the gospel in Jesus Christ. Its brightness may sometimes be stronger, and sometimes weaker, according to the mediums by which it is conveyed; but still, as far as the instructions delivered from the pulpit are illuminated by the ray from heaven, they are the truths of God, and ought to be received as such. Refinements of vain philosophy, or intricate subtleties of theological controversy, are undoubtedly not entitled to such regard. But when the great principles of natural or revealed religion are discussed; when the important doctrines of the gospel concerning the life and sufferings, and death of our blessed Redeemer, are displayed; or useful instructions regarding the regulation of life and the proper discharge of our several duties, are the subjects brought into view, it is not then the human speaker, but the divine authority that is to be regarded.

In the speaker, many imperfections and infirmities may be discovered. The discoveries of the gospel are represented in Scripture as a hidden treasure brought to light, but by the appointment of God, we have this treasure in earthen vessels. 2 Cor. iv. 7. It is not the spirit of curiosity that ought to bring us to church. Too often, it is to be feared, we assemble there merely as critics on the preacher, critics on his sentiments, his language, and his delivery. But such are not the dispositions which become us on so serious an occasion. It is with humility, with firmness and candour, with an intention to improve ourselves in piety and virtue, with a view to make personal application to our own character, that we ought to hear the word of God. When we enter the sacred temple, let us ever consider ourselves as creatures surrounded with darkness, seeing illuminations from heaven; as guilty creatures, imploring forgiveness from our Judge; as frail and mortal creatures, preparing for that eternal habitation into which we know not how soon we are to pass.

It with such sentiments and impressions we join in the worship of God and the ordinances of religion, we may justly hope that they shall be accompanied to us with the Divine blessing. It is the express precept of God, not to forsake the assembling of ourselves together.—Heb. x. 25. "Gather together, people, men, women, and children, that they may hear, and that they may learn, and fear the Lord your God, and observe to do all the words of this law." Duet. xxi. 12. "Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give unto the Lord the glory due to his name." Thus hath God commanded, and he never commanded, his people to seek his face in vain; for, where two or three are gathered together in his name, our Lord hath said that he is in the midst of them. Matt. xxi. 20. God hath said that he loveth the gates of Zion more than all the dwellings of Jacob. Ps. lxxvii. 2. "The prayer of the upright is his delight." Both in their temporal and spiritual concerns they may be most expected to prosper, who can say with the Psalmist in the text, "Lord, I have loved the habitations of thy house, and the place where things honor dwelleth."—Dr. H. Blair.

The Paris Exposition.

The Board of Trade has issued the following notice in connection with English exhibitors:—"Each exhibitor will be at liberty to do as he pleases in the matter of having his goods exposed to view on Sunday; and it may serve to guide some who have not yet made their arrangements to learn that the manufacturers of several of the departments have, under the sanction of the Board of Trade, given instructions to their agents in Paris to close their departments Saturday evening." The British exhibitors at the Exhibition have made a firm stand against the lax notions and customs prevalent in the French capital as to the Christian Sabbath. The Paris correspondent of the *Daily News*, reports that on Sunday last, the long series of Glasgow cases were closely covered up, and the Glasgow nave stall was equally obscured from the view of visitors. The engineering section was enveloped in brown Holland; and the exhibitors of ceramic manufactures vied with Glasgow exhibitors in what he is pleased to describe as "this little exhibition of bigotry." He remarked among these, the firms of Messrs. Rose & Co., of Galloway, Shropshire, and Messrs. A. E. and R. F. Daniells of London. Not a single thread of Manchester cotton was to be seen. Jacob Behrens, Samuel Smith, and James Akroyd & Son, had also drawn curtains before their stalls. In English gallery, the Irish poplin stall "looked like a great four-poster bedstead with the curtains drawn," and the entire display of English silk was effectively hidden from view. In the jewellers' department, two prominent exhibitors also displayed brown holland covering. Making his way to the Indian court, he found the opening to the beautiful tent "blackened up with calico," and the attendants very active in hiding the rest of the exhibition. Of all the British exhibitors, Minton & Co., who show furniture, were the only persons that, being "at Rome," had the politeness to "do as Rome does."

A Literary Screw.

The late Sharon Turner, author of the *History of the Anglo Saxons*, who received three hundred a year from Government as a literary pension, wrote the third volume of his *Sacred History of the World* upon paper which did not cost him a farthing. The copy consisted of torn and angular fragments of letters and notes, of covers of periodicals, grey, drab or green, written in thick round hand, over a small print; shreds of curling paper, riddled with punctures of bees' stings, and of the white waste of his printer's press, were sent from the printers. The paper, sometimes as thin as a bank note, was written on both sides, and was so sodden with ink, that on one side it was a stump, that, plastered on with a pen wisp, to a stump, that,

hours were frequently wasted in discovering on which side of it certain sentences were written. Men condemned to work on their dinner vanish in illimitable perspective, and first rate hands groaned over it a whole day for ten pence. One poor fellow assured the writer of this paper that he could not earn enough upon it to pay his rent, and that he had seven months to fill besides his own. In the hope of mending matters in some degree, slips of stout white paper were sent to the writer with the proofs; but the good gentleman could not afford to use them, and they never came back as copy.—*English paper.*

A NEW KIND OF BUSINESS.—The *Courier du Nord*, of the 13th of May, contains the following curious advertisement:—"Razet, late soldier of the class of the year 1814, who ceased to practise religion in all its principles, offers to undertake pilgrimages to any country and to any distance whatsoever. Persons who wish to intrust him with their confidence will find him at Grande Digne, faubourg de Paris 22, a Valenciennes."

Seed Oats & Oatmeal.

500 BUSHELS Prime White SEED OATS One Ton OATMEAL, in bags. For sale by JOHN ESSON & CO. May 5

Buckets, Brooms, &c.

WATER PAILS, Brooms, Baskets, Wash Boards, Clothes Pins, Paints, Willow Carriages, Nest Boxes, 5 in a nest; Painted Tubs, Rat Traps, Brass Wire Sieves, Wheel Barrows, Toy Pails, &c., &c. to be had cheap for cash at J. D. NASH, Auctioneer. May 19

Morrison's Medicine. Per Steamship "America"—May 25, 1855. Just received a large supply of Morrison's PILLS, and for sale by A. & W. McKINLAY. June 2 Sole Agents for Nova Scotia.

White Wine Vinegar.

100 Bbls. White Wine VINEGAR, for sale very low, by BAULD, GIBSON & CO. June 23

Oil Floor Cloth

1 YARD AND A HALF, and two yards wide, Fancy and Cheap Patterns, at 2s. 3d. to 3s. per square yard, at the VARIETY SALES ROOM, by J. D. NASH. June 9

BUSINESS CARD.

J BOWES.

BOOK binder in all its branches, opposite Borden & Cogswells Druggists Cheapside. March 31 1855.

Corn Meal and Rye Flour.

500 Barrels No 1 Kilt Dried CORN MEAL 100 do RYE FLOUR. Landing this day ex schr Emma Amelia, from Philadelphia, and for sale by JOHN ESSON & CO. May 19

April 27, 1855. Cheap Room Paper. A per. A & W. McKINLAY have just received a large assortment of ROOM PAPER, from 5d. to 10d. per piece. April 28

Stoves, Stoves.

BOSTON COOKING STOVES.

ELEVATED Ovens, Provincial and other Cooking Stoves, always on hand, and at very low prices at the Store of J. D. NASH, Auctioneer. May 19

Prime P E Island Oatmeal.

150 Bags prime OATMEAL, 300 Bushels OATS, for sale low by BAULD, GIBSON & CO. June 23

1855—Seeds, Fresh Seeds—1855. H A TAYLOR

BEGS to announce arrival of Season's supply of KITCHEN GARDEN and FIELD SEEDS, which for Purity and Freshness will compare with any imported, and at Prices as low as warranted Seeds can be sold for. The importation comprises Beets—the real unheated Beet—Broccoli—Cauliflower—Celery—Carrots—Cabbage—Cucumbers—Onions—Peas, Beans—early and late—short and tall—Parsnips—Orach—Lettuce—Turnips—Scotch Leeks, &c., &c. Roll Northern Clover—Timothy Grass Seeds—of superior quality duly expected. Orders addressed as above, at 84 Seckville Street, will receive careful and prompt attention, ap 14

Lozenges, &c.

ALWAYS on hand, Boston Confectionary, 5 A to 80ths each, Conversation Lozenges, Happy Family Gum Drops, Sugar Butter, Soda and Water Biscuits, at low prices for cash only. I cannot at such small profits as I ask, afford to trust. May 19 J. D. NASH, Auctioneer.

Oat Meal! Oat Meal!

3 TONS superior OATMEAL just received, ex schr St Croix, from Prince Edward's Island. For sale by BAULD, GIBSON & CO. May 5

Farmers Attend.

If you want Hay Rakes, Smiths, Forks, Hoes, Ploughs, Hay Cutters, or any other kind of Farming utensils, give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, and you will find it to your advantage. May 19 J. D. NASH, Auctioneer.

East India Carpeting.

A FEW PIECES White and colored, 1 yard 14 and 12 yard wide, at 6d. the square yard, by J. D. NASH. June 9

Brass Foundry and Gas Chandelier Manufactory.

179, HOLLIS STREET, 179.

THE Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends, and the public in general, for the liberal support he has received since he commenced business, and now begs leave to inform them that he has enlarged his premises, and having engaged experienced artisans, is now prepared to furnish GAS, FLUID, and CANDLE CHANDELIERS, and GAS FITTINGS, in every variety, with a large assortment of GLASS GLOBES and SHADES. Old work bronzed and relacquered. Every description of BRASS RAILS made to order. BRASS CASTINGS of every description. Orders from the country attended to with despatch. April 24—6m. JAMES HUNTER.

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING. EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE WITH NEATNESS AND DESPATCH.

MORTON'S MEDICAL WAREHOUSE.

ESTABLISHED 1842—RENOVATED 1854.

THE Undersigned have received at the above premises their new importations, ex "Pearl" from London, "Mic Mac" from Glasgow, and other arrivals, comprising: Patent Medicines, Shaving Creams, Chemicals, Genuine Eau de Cologne, Spices, Brushes, Perfumery, Varnishes and Dry Colors, Toilet Soaps, Seeds, & Fancy Articles. The whole of which will be sold at prices unsurpassed for cheapness in the Province.

Orders from Physicians and others in the country will receive careful attention, if addressed to the subscribers, 39 Granville Street, Halifax. June 2 MORTON & CO.

SEEDS, FRESH SEEDS.

By the Francis Hubert from England, and Africa from Boston, the undersigned have completed their assortment of SEEDS for the season, comprising Clover and Field turnip seeds, Mangel Wurzel, &c.

Spring Vetches or Tares.

French and English Beans, fine Tescarora, sweet and Canadian Corn, Hemp and Flax. Also, a great variety of Flower Seeds, the whole of which have been selected with great care, and can be recommended as fresh and true to their names.

Catalogue furnished on application at Morton's Warehouse, No. 39 Granville Street. May 5 G. E. MORTON & CO.

Baxter's Oil Color Prints.

THE undersigned being authorized agents for the sale of BAXTER'S PATENT PRINTS in Nova Scotia, will continue to be supplied with specimens of all subjects produced by the Proprietor of this unequalled process of coloring. One hundred and twenty specimens may now be inspected at MORTON'S WAREHOUSE, 39 Granville Street, comprising:—

GENIUS OF THE GREAT EXHIBITION.

POETRY—THE QUEEN & PRINCE ALBERT.

AUSTRALIA—NEWS FROM HOME.

VIEW—THE CRISTAL PALACE NEW YORK.

REVIEW OF THE BRITISH FLEET.

NAPOLEON I. SEBASTOPOL, &c., &c.

Also—C. Graf's Books of Tinted and Colored Landscape Views, and Studies from Nature adapted for the drawing-room Table. The whole for sale at Proprietor's prices, by

May 25 G. E. MORTON & CO.

Medicated Confections, and Lozenges.

Ex Mic Mac, from Glasgow, and Steamer from Liverpool.

THE Subscribers have received a large and varied assortment, comprising:—Pepper and Black Currant LOZENGES, Ginger and Pine Apple do, Cayenne Morphia do, Jergonelle Pear and Acid Drops, Raspberry and Red Currant do, Strawberry & Brambleberry do.

With mixed confections in boxes and bottles from Jaz to 25s. each, at Morton's Warehouse, 39, Granville Street. May 5 G. E. MORTON & CO.

MARBLE WORK!!

R. A. McKIM.

—Manufacturer of—

MONUMENTS, TOMB-TABLES,

Grave-Stones, &c., &c.

IN Indian Marble, American do, or Free-stone. CHIMNEY PIECES, Centre Tables, and Ornamental Work of every description, executed with neatness. "A Large Assortment of Grave-Stones, now on hand, and for Sale, at from One to Three Dollars—no pay wanted until the Stone is placed in the Grave-Yard, to bear inspection with the Stones executed in other shops!"

A Diploma and Prize were awarded to R. A. McKIM for excellence in Carving, at the Provincial Exhibition, held at Fredericton, in 1852.

Statute of the late Duke of Wellington, executed by R. A. McKIM, for Halifax Exhibition; also, Statute of the late Daniel Webster for New York County, was got up at his Establishment.

Agents for County of Colchester, N. S. James K. Blair Esq., Truro; Mr. James D. Archibald, Stewiacke; Mr. John M. Cummings, London. They will furnish all orders on the spot, and ask no pay till the stone is placed in the Grave-Yard. 6m. R. A. McKIM.

20th JUNE, 1855.

NEW BOOKS.

JUST RECEIVED BY

A. & W. McKINLAY.

Amongst which are

FAMILY WORSHIP, or Prayers for every day in the year.—The best Book on Family Prayer ever published.

D'Aubigne's Reformation.

Watson's Body of Divinity.

Ritto's Bible Readings, 8 vols.

Ministers Family, by Dr. Hetherington.

The Dead in Christ, Payoff of the Apostle Paul.

ALSO—

A large assortment of Charts, Mathematical Instruments.

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FAIRBANKS' PLATFORM SCALES

IF EVEN BUSINESS, &c.—Platform Scales, Subscriber with many other kind Scales, Beams, and weighing apparatus, cheaper than most other places, for particular reasons which I will not explain for a year or two.

May 19 J. D. NASH, Auctioneer.

New Brass Foundry and Gas Fitting Establishment.

JOHN DONALD & CO.,

BRASS FOUNDERS and Gas Fitters,

(LATE OF THE HALIFAX GAS WORKS.)

BEG leave to inform the public of Halifax that they have commenced business in the Store lately occupied by Mr. E. Dodson, at the corner of BARRINGTON and SACKVILLE STREETS, where all business in their line will be personally and carefully attended to.

Chandeliers, Gas Lustres, Pendants, Pillars and Brackets; Brass Rails, Office Desks, Shop Counters, &c.; Window Guards, Show Brackets, Rods, &c.; Brass Rails for Ship's Cabin, and every description of Brass Work, manufactured to order, of the newest styles & designs.

Old Work cleaned and repaired.

After an experience of several years both in Scotland and Nova Scotia they flatter themselves that they will be able to give entire satisfaction in the fitting up of Public Buildings, Warehouses, Stores, and Dwelling Houses, with Gas Fixtures, &c.

Orders from the country solicited, which will be attended to with punctuality.

Daily expected, per Mic Mac from Glasgow: A handsome assortment of GLASS GLOBES, SHADES, &c. J. DONALD & CO. Halifax, N. S., April 21, 1855.—5m.

Just Published.

BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

Price 7 1/2d.

A LECTURE on the Prospective Triumph

of the Temperance Reformation.

By P. G. FULLER.

County of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

June 30. E. G. FULLER.

SPRING—1855.

THE Subscribers have recently received

and now offer for sale:

275 chests and 18 chests Congo Tea, very superior,

150 hds and 100 Bright Porto Rico and Cuba SUGAR,

200 puns and 100 Bright Retailing Molasses,

250 boxes Liverpool and Nova Scotia SOAP,

100 bxs assorted PIPES,

75 bxs Leschers and Glenfield Starch,

75 kgs Mustard,

250 gross Lindsay's Matches, in 5 gross boxes,

150 bxs Mould Candles, 6's and 8's,

250 bxs and 100 bxs Superior TOBACCO,

Manufactured expressly for retailing.

50 kgs No 1 Figs Tobacco,

120 bxs Ginger, Pepper, and Allspice,

150 bxs Broma, Cocoa, and Chocolate,

20 bxs Beck's Washing Powder, 2, 6, and 12 dozen,

200 dozen PAILS,

300 lbs MEDAL,

150 bbls Rye Flour,

30 bbls and 100 bags Clover Seed,

30 hds and 100 casks Geneva,

200 casks Malaga Sherry,

25 bbls Vinegar, White Wine and Cider,

500 reams Wrapping Paper, ass'd sizes,

300 barrels Crushed SUGAR,

75 bxs Ginger, Coffee and Pimento,

Boxes Indigo, Keros Salts, Alum and Vetrol,

Logwood, Redwood, Coppars and Cloves.

The remainder of the Spring Stock duly expected.

JOHN ESSON & CO.

SPRING IMPORTATIONS.

STAFFORDSHIRE HOUSE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have just received per

"Shooting Star," "Nicaus," and "Humber,"

a large and varied stock of

CHINA & EARTHENWARE,

which they offer at Wholesale and Retail for Cash or approved credit.

CLEVERDON & CO.,

Opposite L. M. Ordinance, Water St.

NB.—Extensive stock of Irish Cut and Press GLASSWARE expected daily per "Royal Victoria."

June 16

Revelenta Arabica Food.

OF all discoveries, none has conferred greater

benefit upon mankind than that made by

Du Barry some years back. We allude to a

plant grown upon that gentleman's estates in America, called Du Barry's Revelenta Arabica. Its

superiority over Pills and other medicines in

subduing disease and keeping off the enemy is

manifested in a marked degree in the metropoli-

tan where the public head has lately acquired

a tone it never attained before; thus, besides a

great falling off in disease, there is a decrease in

deaths of from 10 to 15 per centum, whilst the

births exceed the deaths by 40 per cent. Testi-

monials from parties of unquestionable respectability, have attested that it supersedes medicine

of every description in the effectual removal of

indigestion (dyspepsia), constipation, and diarr-

hea, nervousness, biliousness, liver complaint,

flatulency, distension, palpitation of the heart,

nervous headache, deafness, noises in the head

and ears, pains in almost every part of the body,

chronic inflammation and ulceration of the stom-

ach, angina pectoris, eruptions of the skin, indur-

gation of the prostate gland, gonorrhoea, rheumatism,

gout, dropsy, and all low spirits, spasms, hiccough, after-dinner sleep, nervousness, hiccough, after-dinner sleep, nervousness,

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