

both of them had erred in their estimate of Canadian feelings and interests. Mr. Wood was compelled, by the general outcry, instantly to resign his position in Montreal; and a petition has been got up for an investigation into the suspected plots of the cynical Mr. Potter. It is not likely that so outspoken a gentleman has had much to do with any secret conspiracy; but the Governor-General will probably find reason to request that the United States Consulate may be filled by a gentleman of sufficient reticence to be silent on any project for coercing Canada, be hostile tariffs, into a transfer of allegiance from Queen Victoria to President Johnson. It is not probable that an utterance so indiscreet was countenanced by the Washington Government; but underlings incontinent of tongue often reveal, while they exaggerate, the policy of their masters. It may be hoped that a clearer appreciation of the sentiments prevailing in Canada will modify the project which the Government announced. Whatever else they may desire, nothing is more certain than that the great majority of the Canadians, both French and English, have little wish for political union with the United States, and still less taste for the taxation which a debt at least at burdensome as that of England would involve. A people who are apt to grow indignant when asked to contribute a few hundred thousands to the cost of their own defence can scarcely be expected to show much alacrity in accepting a share of a debt of 600,000,000.

The re-establishment of commercial hostility on the frontier, and the revival of the old disputes about fishing trespasses, may lead to much local ill-feeling and add to the difficulties of maintaining peace. Whether this course of action is likely to convert the colonists into warm adherents of the United States, President Johnson will have to consider; and it is at any rate quite certain that Canada is not so entirely devoided of resources as to be paralysed by the withdrawal of the custom of the United States. Both countries would inevitably suffered by any ill-judged restriction of trade, but the loss on the side of Canada would not be comparable to that which would fall on the Western States; and if Mr. Johnson should act upon the policy of his Consul-General in Canada, he must be prepared to face the opposition both of the trading and farming classes over a very considerable section of the Union.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Abscesses, Erysipelas, Piles.—Unvarying success attends all who treat these diseases according to the simple printed directions wrapped round each pot and box of Holloway's medicaments. They are invaluable to the young and timid, whose bashfulness sometimes endangers life. A little attention, moderate perseverance, and trifling expence, will enable the most diffident to conduct any case to a happy issue without exposing secret infirmities to any one. The Ointment arrests the spreading inflammation, restrains the excited vessels, cools the overheated skin, alleviates throbbing and smarting pains, and gives great ease. The printed directions for the use of the Ointment also clearly point out when and how Holloway's Pills are to be taken, that their purifying and regulating powers may assist by adjusting and strengthening the constitution.

Bied.

On yesterday after a long and painful illness, borne with Christian resignation to the Divine Will, Mr. John Johnston, a native of Moffat, Scotland, aged 85 years. Funeral will take place from his late residence Barter's Hill on Friday at 3 o'clock, friends are respectfully requested to attend.

Shipping Intelligence.

ENTERED.

Aug. 30—Louisiana, Lavoire, Quebec, W. Grieve & Co.—staves and heading. Elizabeth Mary Ann, Williams, Liverpool, Muir & Duder—148 tons salt. Paquita, Venequela, (sp) Pascual, Trinidad, de Cuba, W. Grieve & Co.—ballast. Kate, Palfry, Sydney, J. & R. Kent—273 tons coal.

CLEARED.

Aug. 30—Koodoo, Burford, Glace Bay, N. Stabb & Sons—ballast. Corsair, Christian, Sydney, S. March—ballast. Wanderer, Collier, St. Peters, Evans & LeMessurier—ballast. Jane, LeBlanc, New Carlisle, Baine Johnston & Co.—ballast. Comalo, Caldwell, New Carlisle, Cliff Wood & Co. ballast.

LOADING.

Aug. 23.—Reindeer, Waterford, W. Grieve & Co.

29—Gertrude W. Indies, J. & W. Stewart, Recuerdo, (sp) Spain, J. & W. Stewart, Spray, Brazils, Job Brothers & Co. Onward, Portugal, Job Brothers & Co. Seamen, Boston, W. Grieve & Co. Alexandra, Boston, W. Grieve & Co. Nuevo Conception (sp) Spain, W. Grieve & Co. Luisita (sp) Spain, W. Grieve & Co. 30—Maria Louise, Canada, Boyd & McDougall. Devon, Europe, Baine Johnston & Co.

Miscellaneous.

JUST RECEIVED.

A LOT OF CHOICE

English KIP

Aug. 30. WILLIAM KITCHIN, Si

ON SALE

BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

To clear out before the arrival of Fall STOCK expected in a few days:—

1 Piano Melodeon,

Price & Co's make,—5 oct—double reed—6 stops, beautifully finished rosewood case, curved legs, confidently recommended for a Hall, or Drawing Room—and warranted for FIVE YEARS.

Aug. 30. F. W. BOWDEN.

Market House,

Auction Mart and Premises.

TO BE LET PRIVATELY, WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

THOSE extensive Stores and Premises, comprising the Ground Floor of the Market House, lately occupied by James L. Scaplen, Esq., deceased. Their situation, either as an Auction Mart, for a Commission stand, or freedom from casualties by fire, is superior to any in town.

Term—3, 7, 10, 14, or 21 years from 1st May last, to expire at any term by either party giving 3 months' notice.

For particulars, to view the premises, or treat for them, please apply to

FREDK. R. PAGE, Auctioneer and Surveyor.

Aug. 30.

Danielle's Farewell Adult BALL ON FRIDAY EVENING.

Aug. 30.

Positive Sale.

John Ryan's Farm, on the Old Placentia Road,

THE Subscriber is instructed to Sell by Public Auction, without any reserve, on the premises, On TUESDAY, the 15th day of September next, at 12 o'clock, noon, THE ABOVE FARM, situate opposite the entrance to Mount Pearl, comprising 30 acres of superior LAND, including 3 acres of very valuable BOG, about 17 acres are under good cultivation.

After which, will be sold,

12 Tons Prime Hay, 4 Tons Fodder, 1 Acre Potatoes, proceeds of 7 barrels seed, 1 Strong Horse, 1 three year old Colt in June last, 2 Carts, 2 Calamars, 2 Sets harness, Ploughs and other Farming Implements, and 20 Loads Manure, composed of Bog Earth and Cap n. N. B.—There is a good Dwelling House and Housing for 17 head of Cattle on the Farm.

For particulars enquire of

FREDK. R. PAGE, Auctioneer, &c.

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Notice.

ALL parties having claims against the Estate of WILLIAM BRANSCOMBE, late of St. John's, Gentleman, are requested to furnish their accounts duly attested for payment to the undersigned. And all persons indebted unto said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

MARGARET BRANSCOMBE.

Or to A. O. HAYWARD, Solicitor.

Aug. 24.

The Undersigned

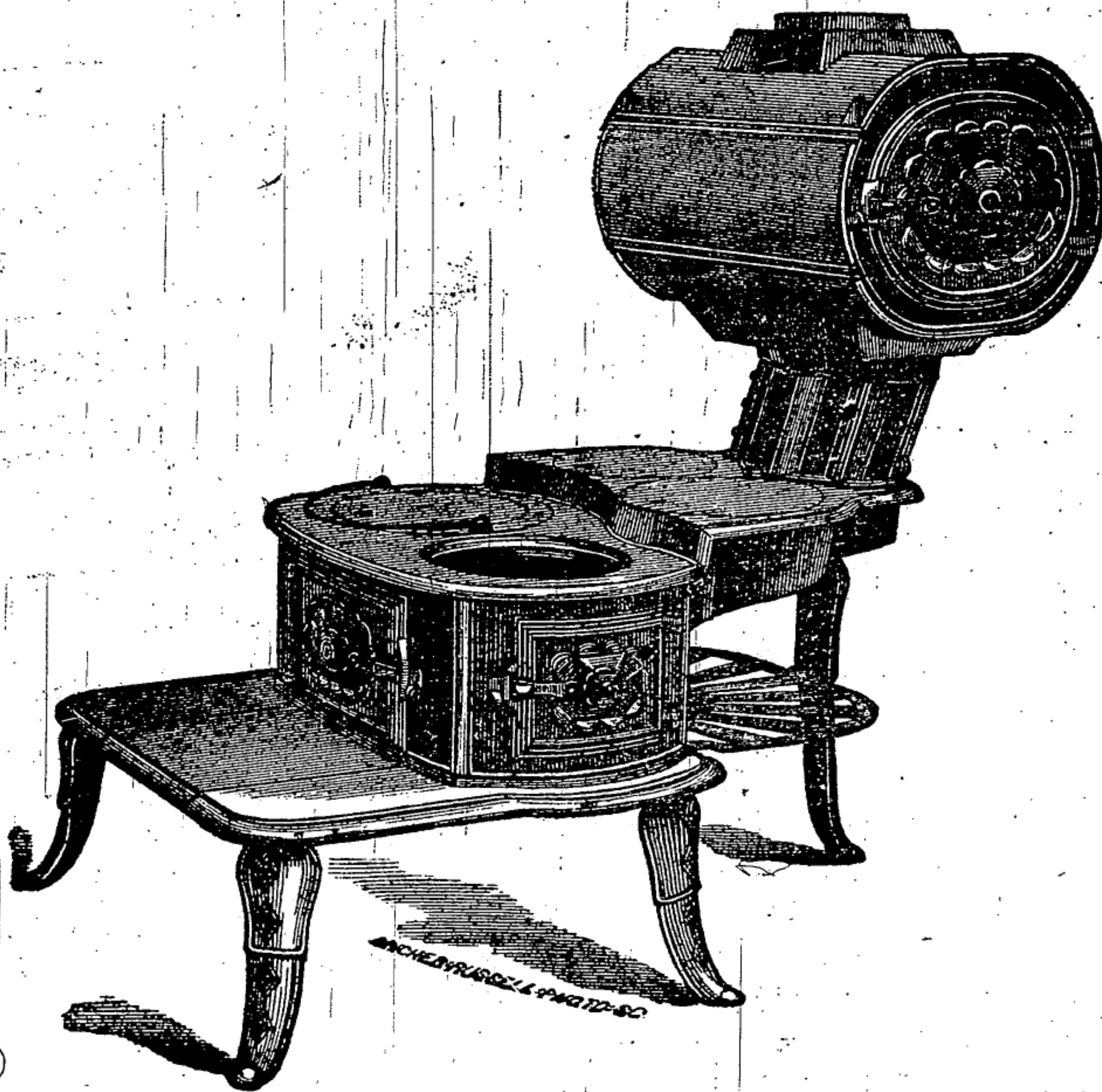
Offers for Sale to close off the balance of STOCK on hand, at prices below cost, 1 Full Cabinet (Silver Plated and inlaid with Pearl) Grover & Baker's Sewing Machine Half Case Ditto Medium Finish Common Ditto

The above can be seen between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., by calling at Sewing Machine Depot, Market House.

HOMER JOSLYN, Aug. 22.

City Stove Establishment,

NO. 199, WATER STREET.



ROBERT PEACE & CO.

RESPECTFULLY intimate that they have now received the larger portion of their Fall stock embracing a large variety of

COOKING STOVES
PARLOR STOVES
BEDROOM STOVES
OFFICE STOVES

CHURCH STOVES
SHOP STOVES
HALL STOVES
CABIN STOVES

SHIP'S CABOOSSES
KITCHEN RANGES
PARLOR GRATES
FARMERS BOILERS

&c., &c., A few of the New Registered

BATH & WATER HEATERS,

The most effective and expeditious thing of the kind ever introduced.

N.B.—Sole Agents in Newfoundland for Messrs. Bowers Pratt & Co's. Waterloo and Niagara STOVES, with elevated Ovens.

City Stove Establishment,

NO. 199, WATER STREET.

Aug. 30. 1m.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED,

£70 Currency

For one or two years, on

4 Brick Tenements

Situated in the centre of the Town yielding annually £23 cy, free of Ground Rent and Water Rates, Mortgagee to receive the Rents until the principal and interest be paid up. The Property is Insured.

Please apply to

F. R. PAGE, Estate Agent.

Aug. 15.

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Sewing Machine Depot, MARKET HOUSE.

By the undersigned, a supply of

GROVER & BAKER'S

celebrated Family and manufacturing, first Premium

Sewing Machines,

Call and examine the different varieties.

A supply of Needles, Hemmers, Quilting Gauges, Corders, Tuckery Binders, Machine Oil, Oilers &c. constantly on hand.

HOMER JOSLYN.

The Subscriber

Aug. 24.

Will sell by Public Auction on the 7th of Sep. Those three substantial Dwelling Houses, situate on Queen's Road, and Cathedral St., immediately opposite the orphan & asylum School, if not previously disposed of by private sale.

JOHN FREEMAN, THEODORE CLIFF, Auctioneer.

Miscellaneous.

Notice to Ship-Masters.

THE MERCHANTS of St. John's, finding the errors and rates of Chronometers given here, often egregiously wrong, furnished the Subscriber with the means of finding and keeping Time with precision, in order to afford Ship-Masters these errors and rates with accuracy. This accuracy is certified by the following:—

"This is to certify that the Gun at the Fort, (fired by a Time ball dropped by Mr. Campbell) indicates the instant of mean noon very correctly,* as I have taken several opportunities of proving it during our visits to St. John's.

J. J. P. HITCHFIELD, Master.

Oct. 11, 1863. H. M. S. Vesuvius.

As the earth revolves on its axis always in equal intervals of time, viz. 24 sidereal hours, equal to 23h. 56m. 41s, mean Solar Time; then, whatever Time a Chronometer shows at the instant when any Star is observed at any meridian, it should show this interval of Time when the same Star is observed at the same Meridian again; if it shows more 'tis gaining, if less, losing. This method requires no calculation, it is free from instrumental error, and also from errors arising from change of parallax, semi-diameter, declination, right ascension, &c., to which the sun, moon and planets are all subject. Thus are the rates of Chronometers determined with absolute certainty.

JAMES CAMPBELL,

Teacher of Navigation, Nautical Academy,

Parties in Conception Bay can have their Chronometers rated by telegrams from St. John's.

SHIP-MASTER.

What do you want to know at sea? The sun's true latitude at true mid-day, And the Time at Greenwich and the Time at Ship.

And then to know my compass needle's dip, Which rectified, then find its variation, And on each course is exact deviation. All these if known, my course wherever bound.

And distance too, are easy to be found, Then to know these, what better can you do. Than come to me with a doubloon or two, Here you'll be taught whatever you want to know.

And for each branch, you'll find the terms quite low, For bear in mind, your worth will be much greater.

When known to be a first-rate Navigator, Your quadrants the sign of my abode, At 100 on Military Road

*The Gun was then fired with the precision necessary to rate Chronometers, but it is not fired so now.