

and therefore have no occasion to scold my fingers."

CUYS.

Book of Health.

All that is required to do for a trifling cut, is to wash away the blood and dirt with a sponge and cold water, bring the edges of the wound as close together as possible, and then put on a piece of adhesive plaster (strapping). If the wound be large, a space should be left between each slip of plasters. The plasters should remain for several days, to give time for the wound to unite; when the pain is great, or inflammation be present, it will be necessary to take a little opening medicine. The bleeding may usually be stopped by pressure; but the application of a cobweb scarcely ever fails.—*Ed.*

PRESERVATION OF HEALTH.

One of the best modes of preserving health, and invigorating the constitution against the evils of the approaching winter, is the daily use of the cold bath. In many habits, however, the plunging bath is hurtful, by the absence of that reaction which causes the glow on the skin of those who are benefited by bathing. In these cases the shower bath is often useful; but, when reaction follows its use, the individual should sponge the trunk of the body with cold salt water, or vinegar and water, before rising in the morning, whilst the limbs are kept warm in bed.

EMIGRATION.

Copy of a Letter.

"WALLACE, July 29th, 1832.

"Dear Sir—The Brigantine John & Mary, from Belfast, arrived here on Thursday with 68 passengers. The deception practised on these poor people should be made public.

"They took passage for Halifax, where most of them have relations, but about an hour before they sailed, the Agent came on board and demanded their tickets, for the purpose, he said, of depositing them with the Captain, who on their arrival at Halifax, would return them. Compliance with this demand was enforced by the threat of being turned on shore in case of refusal. The vessel has now arrived at her real port of destination, Wallace.

"This statement the people made on board, to one of our Magistrates, in presence of the Captain, who assented to its truth, adding that he himself, that until within a few hours of sailing, thought that the vessel was bound to Halifax, and that his tickets had not been given to him. The emigrants are in a starving condition, and many of them penniless;—among others, one poor widow, with seven children, having a son in Halifax, who wrote for her, paid 15s. passage-money—every shilling she could scrape together; and though she was promised a comfortable berth, had to sleep on a box during a passage of 56 days, and destined to be cast adrift one hundred miles from the place at which she was to be landed, without a shilling to buy a loaf for her children. What completes the harshness of the transaction is, that 5 shillings each, extra, was extracted from the poor wretches in consequence of our Colonial emigrant tax.

"It does seem probable that Mr. Geo. Tait, has in this business, presumed much upon his knowledge of the locality and *et cetera* of Wallace. I hope, however, that he has reckoned without his host, and that our authorities will do their duty—but, we shall see."

UNITED STATES.

The cholera in New York, up to July 26, numbered 3,107 cases, and 1,411 deaths. The disease was declining at last dates. More strongly than hitherto, it is asserted, that intemperance and debauchery mark out a path for the cholera; and yet, awful to relate, intemperance, the result of fear and childish desperation, prevails to a greater extent than usual in the midst of the Plague in New York. Upwards of 50,000 of the inhabitants of this city have fled! and the most disgraceful panic exists in several towns and villages; which not-

withstanding its dreadful cause, is in some cases ludicrous enough to excite a smile. Can it be possible that those people ever stood the volley of bullets, or the charge of bayonets? The very same degree of moral courage which would uphold under the one, would excite to proper confidence and adherence to duty under the other. And yet we find fugitives in every direction, trade paralyzed, wharves and stores idle, poor persons out of employ, and the burden of attending the sick and dying, left on the few who are too poor or too magnanimous to desert their fellow citizens in their hour of utmost need?—We rejoice exceedingly, that the Destroyer's march was differently marked in Great Britain. Pestilence strode from town to town, and has to record many victims, but no runaway cowards. The awful visit was expected, and prepared for, and manfully met and combated, and thank Providence the result speaks loudly in favor of Christiana magnanimity.

Election ravings, fish-woman brawls among secretaries of state, and such incidents, are disgraceful enough, but this *running match*, this *flight* by 50,000 at a time, because fellow creatures were afflicted and needed assistance, casts all else into the shade. Under any circumstances may we be saved from such an exhibition. Many of the clergy are said to have fled from New York, and some papers assert that they should be ungodly. Why the shepherds have only *run* after their flocks; and no doubt, a sufficient number to wait on those that remain, have, like them, been prevented from their poverty, and we trust, some of them by a much more worthy inducement. Each fugitive priest should be called ever after, the Renegade, instead of the Reverend, Mr. So and So; and thus perpetuate the memory of their flight from God and their fellow citizens.

An Extraordinary Stalk of Timothy.—Mr. Graham and family who visited this town a few days ago, plucked from a neighbouring farm a stalk of Timothy, measuring 7 feet 7 inches and a half long, with a proportionate substance. Thousands, he said, nearly of the same length might have been gathered from the same field.

Shipping Intelligence.

ENTERED.

Schooners Jane, Burnos, Canso; Sally, Wellington, St. John's N. F.; Ranger, Salmon, St. John's N. F.; Prescilla, Warren, St. John's N. F.; Maria, Bishop, Halifax.

CLEARED.

Brig Isabella, Grossard, Dugarvon; schrs. Eliza, Jollota, trading voyage; Mary Ann, Roberts, fishing voyage; Isabella, Wadman, Richibucto; Maria, Bishop, St. Pierre's.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

August 4, 1832.

LICENSED RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS.

QUEEN'S COUNTY TAVERNS.

Henry McNeill, Charlotte-Town,

J. Jeffs, do.

A. Alexander, do.

John Doyle, do.

Joseph Pippy, do.

Eleanor McArthy, do.

John Cosgrove, do.

Thomas Kichham, Charlotte-Town.

Wm. Fear, do.

James Mooney, do.

James Maloney, do.

John Davies, do.

Robt. M. Donald, do.

Thomas Jones, do.

J. H. White, do.

David Hooper, 7 mile House, Princetown road

John Croker, St. Peter's road.

Lewis Gay, Lot 49.

Phoebe Crabbe, 9 mile House, Princetown road.

John Campion, Mount Pleasant, Lot 47.

Alexander Johnson, Lot 33, Princetown road.

John McLean, Charlotte-Town Royal; y. Prince town road.

Elisah Coffin, Mount Stewart Ferry, Lot 37.

Thomas Merry, do.

James Fitzpatrick, 12 mile House, St. Peter's road.

Wm. Murphy, Lot 48, Ferryman.

J. H. Down, Charlotte-Town Royalty.

James Hayden, Vernon river.

Peter Fraught, Lot 49.

Neil Beaton, Lot 48.

STORES.

Licensed to sell in quantities less than 1 quart.

Charles Dempsey, Charlotte-Town.

Robert Butler, do.

James Quinn, do.

Robert Hutchinson, do.

Robert Drew, do.

STORES.

Licensed to sell in quantities less than 1 qt.

John Gill, Charlotte-Town.

Samuel Nelson, do.

Daniel Brennan, do.

D. Reddin, do.

Alexander M. Donald, do.

David Wilson, do.

KING'S COUNTY TAVERNS.

George Aitken, Three Rivers.

Michael Brennan, Lot 47.

John Wightman, St. Andrews Point.

Simon Gill, Lot 43.

Edward Cooke, St. Peter's Bay.

STORES.

Licensed to sell in quantities less than 1 qt.

John Macgowan, Sourie.

C. & E. Worrel, St. Peter's.

Robert Meares, Georgetown.

PRINCE GEORGE TAVERNS.

James Sinclair, Princetown Royalty.

George Bearisto, do.

David Walker, New Anna.

J. P. COLLINS, Col. Sec'y.

FLLOUR FOR SALE.

A few hundred weight of fine Flour for sale. Inquire at the Office of the British American.

HAVING RECENTLY SEEN AN

Advertisement in the St. Andrew's Herald, signed Mr. George Milrose, where he advertises to teach Dancing, but is by trade a Clock & Watch maker. I, Wm. Graham do caution all persons against the said George Milrose, he having a wife and child living in Lockerby, Scotland, married by Rev. John Anderson, of that place, I holding his certificate and other documents corroborative of same, and said George Milrose, has again married a 2nd wife in Lunenburg, N. S. contrary to law and morality. That in making this exposition the undersigned considers himself in duty bound in charity to his destitute wife as well as to parents and guardians of youth.

WILLIAM GRAHAM.

Richibucto, N. B.

August 9.
** Printers in the vicinity of his residence, will confer a favor by giving publicity to the above.

MESSES. BLACKSTOCK & HADDON

Merchants, Richibucto, beg leave to inform Shippers of produce in P. E. Island, that any property consigned to their care, will be gratefully received, and the amount of Sales punctually remitted.

August 11.

BOOKBINDING MATERIALS FOR SALE.

Rolls, Tools, Pallets, Sheers, Cutting Presses Standing Press with Iron Screw, Gold Leaf, &c. &c. Enquire at J. H. WHITE'S Book-Store.