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FANCY CAKES AND BISCUITS, Confectionery, and other articles in his line, of the very best quality, wholesale and retail.

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Stone Street Kingston, June 1st, 1835. 35-6m

Cobourg Whickey.

R. JACKSON, Auctioneer, ke ps constantly on and a large quantity of COBOURG WHISKEY, of a very superior quality and at a very low price. N. B. As R. J. is appointed agent for one of he most extensive Distilleries in the Upper Produce, persons dealing largely in the article, would lo well to give a call previous to purchasing else-

TERMS, Cash, or approved credit. Kingston, June, 1835.

CHEAP GROCERY,

Wine & Spirit Warehouse, Store Street. AMES WILLIAMSON respectfully informs his friends, hat in addition to his Grocery and Provision Warepuse in Front-street, he has taken the shop and usiness of Mr. A. Fee in Store-street, (directly oppsite Mr. C. Heath's,) where he has laid in an expasive and well selected stock of Groceries, Wines July 28th, and following days, at Scanlan's Long od Spirits, Glassware, &c. &c. suitable for a town d country trade.

His stock consists of the following Goods, viz: GROCERIES .- Green and Black Teas; Refined, ast India and Muscovado Sugars; Almonds, Rains, Starch, Soap, Salt, Moccoboy and Rappee buff, Paper & Plug Tobacco, Saltwater Herrings,

pioked Hams, &c. &c. WINES AND SPIRITS .- Superior Port, Sherry and enecarlo Wines; Cognac Brandy, Hollands Gin, . maica Spirits and old Rations Rum; Prime Canaan Whiskey, Peppermint, and White Wine Vine-

Sole and Upper Leather, Blacking and Brushes,

th a variety of other articles. J. W. being determined to sell for cash or pro-

ce only, he is enabled to part with his goods at th a small profit as shall command future custom. Kingston, July 7th, 1835.

Cotter's Exchange ('offee-House.

(OLD BRITISH COFFEE-HOUSE.) HE subscriber having taken this extensive estabhment, and having fitted it up in a style not infer to any in this Province, hopes from his long perience and extensive acquaintance in the busiss, to merit a share of public patronage. JOHN COTTER,

Late of Brantford & London, U. C. Poronto, May 14th, 1835.

Mr. Wood, Dentist.

. WOOD, Dentist, will stay a few days at the mmercial Hotel. Kingston, June 23rd, 1835.

Bilious Pills.

SAFE and valuable medicine for family use in bilious disorders and obstructions of the bowels, be had at Dr. Adamson's house, with proper di-

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Kingston, July 9, 1835.

NOTICE.

E Subscriber offers for Sale,

* Two tons superior Oakum, Three tons Tarred Rope-consisting of Ca-

bles, Rigging, Four hundred Single and Double Blocks-Bushed,

Two hundred barrels Fine Flour, Three hundred barrels American Salt. JOHN MOWATS

lingston, June 10th, 1835.

BANK OF UPPER CANADA. breday the 20th day of August next, for the pose of electing a Director, in the room of Hon. Alexander Macdonell, who has resign-

By order of the Board, THOS. G. RIDOUT. ank of Upper Canada, July S, 1835.

KINGSTON, U. C. TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1835.

MISS HAINES' SEMINARY, Will re-open on Monday, Adgust 17th. Rear Street July 23rd, 1835.

NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER being desirouss to relinquish

Kingston, 15th July, 1835.

IRISH POTATOES. 200 Hampers Irish Potatoes, in first rate order, and warranted excellent for eating. PATRICK EGAN. Market Square, July 23rd, 1935.



Wines Groceries, &c. &c.

JUST received and for sale by the Subscriber, 10 Chests Twankay Tea, direct from the East

India Company's sale. 10 Chests Twankay Tea, free trade. 15 do. Bohea

10 Hhds. bright Muscovado Sugar, 5 " double refined Loaf do.

10 Bags of Cuba Coffee, 6 Pipes Cognac Brandy, Dupuy's, Favreau's

and Otard's Brand, 5 Puncheons

JAMAICA RUM,

I to 21 Warranted.

5 Pipes Hollands, 3 " I. P. Teneriffe Wine, 6 Hhds. Pale and Brown Sherry do. 3 Pipes East India Madeira, 3 do. Benecarlo do. 2 do. superior old Port do. 5 Cases French Claret

20 CASKS

3 Hhds. Dordeaux Vinegar, 25 Boxes Lexia, Bloom and Muscatel Rai-

3 Tierces Prines. 3 Bags soft Shell Almonds,

50 Boxes Hard Liverpool Soap, 5 Boxes Pine Apple Cheese, 5 Tierces Rice, 30 Boxes Tobacco Pipes,

Kingston, July 14, 1835.

100 Barrels U. C. Whiskey, 50 Drums Turkey Figs, 5 Tierces French Currants,

6 Bags Barcelona Nuts, 150 Packages Drugs, Spices, Pickles, Sauce,

100 Boxes Starch, 3 cwt. Spanish Float Indigo, 25 Kegs Virginia Leaf Tobaco 16's to 18's. Terms Cash, or approved Notes at 90 days. GEORGE ARMSTRONG.

EXTENSIVE SALE

Furniture, &c. &c.

15-6ts

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on Tuesday, Room, a quantity of valuable Household Furniture, Books, &c. &c. to close consignments, viz:

A set of walnut dining tables, Elegant four post bedsteads, Sofa covered with patent hair cloth, Pier glass in gilt frame, Bronze dinner lamps,

do Hall do Plated candlesticks with branches, Elegant cut glass decanters, with plated stands, Cut glass wines and tumblers,

Dressing and card tables, Walnut chest of drawers, A double office desk, Feather beds and bedding,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CROCKERY. Dinner tea and chamber sets, Bed pans, stool pans, &c. &c.

QUANTITY OF BEAVER AND CHIP HATS. 10) Boxes segars, shaving boxes,

Shawls, Quills, and a great variety of other articles.

-ALSO-Several excellent Stoves, Stove pipes, &c. 200 volumes Webster's spelling Books, do Family Library,

do History American war, An elegant edition of Shakspeare in 9 vols. and numerous other works.

A quantity of printing and writing paper, And about 200 reams wrapping paper. The usual assortment of Kitchen Utensils, Fenders, Fire Irons, &c. &c.

The whole must be sold for cash, without reserve, the Subscriber being about to leave Kingston. Sale at ELEVEN o'clock, each day. H. SCANLAN, Auctioneer.

Kingston, July 23rd, 1835.

A VALUABLE LIBRARY OF ABOUT

3000 VOLUMES, Of new and second-hand English London Printed

BOOKS, Which will be sold by Auction, at the Subscriber's Auction Room, commencing on Friday Evening, the 24th inst. and to continue every Friday, Saturday, and Monday Evenings until the whole are disdisposed of, among which are many scarce and cu-

rious Works, CONSISTING OF 41-1m. An assortment of Ancient and Modern Publications by distinguished writers in Divinity, History, Lives, Voyages, Travels and Adventures; Astronomy, Philosophy, Physic, Surgery, Chymistry, Military ting of the Stockholders of this Bank on and Naval; Agriculture, Planting and Gardening: Novels and Romances, and other Miscellaneous Literature, not to be met with in Canada; together with a variety of Portraits, Views, and scarce Prints, some by eminent designers, painters and engravers. R. JACKSON,

Auctioneer.

RAGS! RAGS!! BAGS!!! THE highest price in Cash paid for Rags at this Office.

British Whig Office, Kingston, July 21, 1835.

SALE OF CLERGY RESERVES.

AT THE TOWN OF BECLEVILLE, On Monday the 20th July next,

and adjourned sales will afterwards be held at the same place upon the 20th August, 21st September, 20th October, and 20th November following, at the apart price of 10s, currency per acre. The terms of payment will be one-tenth of the purchase money down, and the remainder in nine equal annual instalments, with interest on each instalment as it becomes due.

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TOWNSHIP OF KALADAR. 1 8 15 25 31 1st Concession, Lots Nos. do TOWNSHIP OF RICKMOND.

TOWNSHIP OF RAWDON.

3 10 17 22 PETER ROBINSON. Commissioner of Crown Lands' Office, Toronto, June 18, 1835.

OLD RATIONS RUM.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER, a quantity of the above article, warranted seven years old. A desirable purchase for Tavern Keepers. JAMES WILLIAMSON.

MISCELLANY.

A LAY OF REAL LIFE. 'Some are born with a wooden spoon in their mouths, and some with golden indic."—Goldsmith.

are born with tin rings in their noses, and some with silve Who ruined me ere I was born, Sold every acre, grass or corn, And left the next heir all forlorn."

Kingston, July 7th, 1835.

M. Grandfather. Who said my mother was no nure, And Physicked me and made meworse, Till infancy became a curse?

M: Grandmother. Who left me in the seventh year, A comfort to my mother deer,

And Mr. Pope, the overseer? Who let me starve, to buy ber gin, Till all my bones came through my skin, Then called me "ugly little sin ?"

My Mother. Who said my mother was a Turk, And took me home-and made me work, And managed half my meals to shirk ?

My Aunt. Who "of all earthly things" would boast, "He hated others' brats the most," And therefore made me feel my post?

Who got in scrapes, an endless score, And always laid them at my door, Till many a bitter bang I bore?

Who took me home when mother died, Again with father to reside,

Black shoes, clean knives, run far and wide? My Stepmother. Who marred my stealthy urchin joys

And when I played, cried "What a noise!" Girls always hector over boys-My Sister.

Or took it all, did he incline, 'Cause I was eight and he was nine ! My Brother. Who stroked my head, and said "Good lad," And give me sixpense, "all he bad."

Who used to share in what was mine,

But at the stall the coin was bad ! My Godfather. Who, gratis, shared my social glass, But when misfortune came to pass, Referr'd me to the pump? Alas! My Friend.

Through all this weary world, in brief, Who ever sympathised with grior Or shared my joy-my sole relief

Hood's Comic Annual.

PERSONAL SKETCHES OF THE PRE-SENT MINISTRY.

sixth year, is brother-in-law to Lord Duncannon .-He is a widower, since 1828, with an only son. His Lordship's father, Sir Peniston Lamb, Bart., was raised to the peerage in 1770.

Council, is the younger son of the celebrated Earl Sutherland. His Lordship was born in 1802. of Shelburne, who became Prime Minister at the decease of the Marquis of Rockingham, in 1782, and who was displaced by the coalition of Fox and North. The Marquis, while Lord Petty, during the life time | ble!) Snake Story that we have met with. business in this Town, takes this public method of notifying all persons indebted to her, to make immediate payment.

THE undertnentioned Clergy Reserves In the Townships of Huntingdon, Madoc, Hungerford, Kaledor, Richmond and Rawdon, in the Midland District, will be offered for sale by and magning of the Exchequer, to the short-lived Whig administration of ISO6. His Lordship is in his 55th year, and magning to a daughter of the Earl of Hebester. and married to a daughter of the Earl of Ilchester. Their eldest son is the Earl of Kerry, M. P. for

Lord Auckland, First Lord of the Admiralty, represents a branch of the ancient family of Eden, formerly Ambassador to the Court of Versailles, created Baron Auckland in 1793. His Lordship is first cousin to I may Brougham, and his sister is married

Lord Holland, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, is nephew of the illustrious Charles James Fox, to whom he bears a strong personal resemblance. He is the only son of Stephen, late Lord Holland, and cousin-german, through his mother Lady Mary Fitzpatrick, daughter of the Earl of Upper Ossory, to the arquis of Lansdowne. He is in his 60th year.

Lord Duncannon, First Commissioner of the Woods and Forests, and Privy Seal, is the eldest son of the Earl of Besborough, first cousin to Lord standing on the beach on the eastern shore of the Spencer, and brother-in-law to Lord Melbourne .-The Ponsonby family, which the noble Lord represents, is an aucient one in the north of England. was established in Ireland during the Protectorate of Cromwell, and has since maintained a leading position in the sister island. Lord Duncannon is in his 52ml year, and married to Lady Maria Fane, third daughter of the Earl of Westmoreland. His second daughter is the Countess of Kerry.

Right Hon. T. Spring Rice, Chancellor of th Exchequer, represents and possesses the Estates of two ancient families settled in Ireland, in the reign of Elizabeth, the Rices of Mount Trenchards and the Spring's of Castlemaine. He has just completed his 43rd year, and is married to the Lady Theodosia Pery, second daughter of the Earl of Limerick. Of Mr. Spring Rice's ancestors, James Rice was seen by the above gentlemen, and after waiting in made Count of the holy Roman Empire, by Joseph the most anxious suspence for nearly half an hour, II. and Sir Stephen Rice. Chief Baron to the Ex- we were fully gratified by a sight of the animal.chequer, in the reign of James II, was created Liord | We think we must have had a better view of him Monteagle by that monarch after his abdication .- than any of the other gentlemen who had seen him, Maurice Fitzgerald, the Knight of Kerry, is nearly for we saw distinctly twenty-eight feet. This, adrelated to the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Sir John Cam Hobbouse, Bart. President of the India Board, is the son and heir of the late Sir Benjamin Hobhouse, (created a Baronet in 1812) Sir John Hobbouse is known in the literary world as the confidential friend and fellow traveller of Byron and the historical illustrator of "Childe Harold."-He married, in 1828, the Lady Julia Hay, youngest daughter of the late Marquis of Tweeddale, and has been left a widower within the last few weeks with, we believe, two daughters. He is in his 49th pond now contains, or did yesterday, the incontro-

dent of Board of Trade, is the eldest son of J. Poulett Thompson, Austin Friars, and brother to Mr. the fact. We have given them the testimony of Poulett Scrope, member for Stroud. He was orig- some of our wealthiest and worthiest citizens, and inally a merchant in London, but becoming a minis- supported it by our own statement. There is no ter of the crown on the formation of the Grey ad- room for doubt. ministration, withdrew from commercial life.

Lord John Russell, Secretary of State for the Home Department, is the youngest son of the Duke of Bedford, by his first marriage with Georgiana Elizabeth, daughter of Lord Torrington, and nephew of Duke Francis, the friend of Fox. Lord John Russell is in his 43d year, and has just been married to Lady Ribblesdale, sister of Mr. Lister, and thor of "Gran'ty," and daughter of the late Thomas

Lister, Esq., of Armitage park. Viscount Palmerston, Secretary of State for For eign Affairs. This nobleman was born in 1784 and inherited his title, an Irish peerage, in 1302 -He springs from a scion of the Temples of Stowe (now represented by his Grace of Buckingham, and is the direct descendant of the learned and accomplished Sir W. Temple, of the days of El z abeth. His Lordships brother, the Hon. W. Temple, is Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of

Lord Glenelg, Secretary of State for the Colonies, is the son of C. Grant, Esq., formerly Chairman o the Court of East India Directors, and brother of the right hon. Robert Grant, Governor of Bombay. Lord Howick, Secretary at War, is the son and

heir of Earl Grey. He is in his 33d year. Francis Barring, Esq., Joint Secretary of the Treasury, is the eldest son of Sir thomas Barring, and married to Miss Grey, niece of Earl Grey .-The importance of the Baring family was founded by the celebrard Sir Francis Baring, whom Erskine once appropriately designated the first mer-chant in the world.' It came originally from Germany, and was, long before its commercial aggran-

dizement, of rank in the Country of Devon. Edward John Stanley, E-q., Joint Secretary o the Treasury, represents a branch of the great family of Stanley, which has been seated for centuries at Alderly park, in the county of Chester. He is the eldest son of Sir J. T. Stanley, Bart.

and son-in-law of Lord Abinger.

India, and realised a considerable fortune. He and feeling in these twins, might prove a test of the

surer of the Navy, is the son of the late Sir John that the prenological doctrine is untrue. We pro-Parnell, Bart. Chancellor of the Irish Exchequer, fess not to be an adept in the science of phrenology, and married to Lady Caroline Dawson, daughter of and wish not to be considered as expressing an opinthe Earl of Porttarlington. The family was estab- ion either for or against it. But having not long lished in Ireland by the celebrated poet, Archdeacon ago with much satisfaction paid some attention to Parnell, and has since maintained a leading position this science, and as it was now brought to mind by there. Sir Henry is in his 59th year.

his Lordship is in his 38th year. Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland .--

will complete his 38th year in May.

ciating in Dublin, and brother to Dr. Plunkett, a physician of that city. Lord Morpeth, Secretary for Ireland, is the el- man, their profector and associate, who has traveldest son of the Earl of Carlisle, nephew to the Duke led with them for the last four years. He gives

The Marquis of Landsdown, President of the of Devonshire, and brother-in-law of the Duke of

CAPITAL SNAKE STORY!-The following is altogether the best told (and doubtless the most verita-

[From the Syracuse Constitutionalist.]

PRODUCIOUS SERVENT.-An enormous animal of the serpent species has been seen by a number of persons, among them some of the most respectable and influential citizens, several times within the last four or five days, swimming and playing about on the surface of the water in the mill pond in this village. Different opinions have been given of the dimensions of this strange animal, by different gentlemen who have seen him at different times. We are now however enabled to give a statement of his to Lord Bexley. He is in the 51st year of his age. length which we venture to say will not be found very wide of the truth. It is as follows: The gentleman who first saw him saw Sixteen feet, but a small part from his head downwards. The next time he was seen by two gentlemen who had repaired to the pmd for the express purpose of getting a view of him. They saw, when within a few yards of him, as near as they could judge, nineteen feetwhich, added to the sixteen previously seen, makes thirty-five feet. He was seen the next day by a number of our most influential citizens who were pond about half way from the dam at the foot of Water st. to the bridge on Onordaffa-st. These gentlemen saw distinctly when within twenty yards of the animal, twenty two feet of his length. This added to the thirty-five feet, makes fifty-seven feet -While the above gentlemen were making their observations, the animal directed his course farther out into the mill pond, in doing which he passed over a large log whi h lay in his way. His passage over this log was found by the watch of one of the gentleman to occupy between fifteen and sixteen minutes, though he was moving at a pretty rapid rate at the time. This last convinced us that his length was much greater than had been generally supposed, and to satisfy ourself on that point, we repaired to the beach at the place where he was ded to what the other gentlemen had seen, makes eighty-five feet in all, which is at least five feet longer than the scrpent recently seen in Lake Ontario, which was found to be only seventy-five or eighty feet --- certainly not more than eighty feet in length.

We have other facts in relation to this huge sorpent, which we must defer to another occasion .---We confess that we have all along been incredulous about the existence of sea or water serpents or such unexampled size, but now give it up. Our-mill vertible evidence that such animals, or at least such Right Hon. CHARLES POWLETT THOMSON, Presi- an animal, does frequent the American waters .--Our readers may rely with perfect confidence upon

> QUAKERS .- Among the very numerous testimonials in fovor of the exemplary class of professing Christians, whose usual designation stands at the head of this article, there are none more to the purpose than that given by the honorable Prentis Mellen, who states that during his connection with the courts of his country, for a term of forty years, he has never known but one instance of a Quaker's being arraigned for a criminal action. Supposing that some may have the curiosity to know what the case was, I relate the following anecdote, which was recently related to the writer on a visit to Portland, it probably being the case alluded to by the umorable Judge. There is a worthy weathy merchant at i Reisland whom I cell found W., apprwertol athletic man withal rather quick and passionate, though thoughty well tempered by a good degree of Quaker moderation. It happened one day that he felt himself very much insulted in his own store, by a overbearing, intruding, and much less worthy neighbor. Says friend W. "Friend James as they appears to have done thy business, perhaps they had better leave my store, lest some tools fall upon thy head," (it being a hard-store.) Friend James not being disposed to leave, but continuing his abuse, friend W. took him by the collar and the pantaloons, and in an instant landed him in the middle of the street. Friend W. was accordingly arrested for the breach of the peace, and one being placed at the bar of the court, he was asked whether he was guilty, "Yea," was the ready reply, "I gave him a little friendly push of my store." Friend W. was accordingly fined sixteen shillings. 'Cheap enough,' said he, "it is only about one shilling per foot for the distance I sent him."- Portsmouth Journal.

THE STAMESE TWINS-PHRENOLOGY .- Last week . we visited the Siamese Twin brothers Chang and Eng, then exhibited in this city. They certainly afford a very remarkable and interesting spectacle, Sir John Campbell, Attorney General, is the son which we much enjoyed. Although in the first inof Dr. Campbell, minister of Cupar, in Fiteshire, stance we were led to view them as objects of cuand son-in-law of Lord Abinger.

Robert Monsley Rolfe, Esq., Soliciter General, we became fond of their society; so much so that is related to the late Lord Nelson, and is recorder we were induced to call upon them several times. A few days previous, we had noticed an article in Right Hon. Robert Cutler Ferguson, Judge Ad- the Albany Argus, in which the editor of that pavocate General, practised formerly as a barrister in per suggested, that the alleged identity of thought possesses the estate of Craigdaroch, in Dumfrie- phernological system. He hinted that the existence of this, while the cerebral developments of Sir Henry Parnell, Paymaster General and Trea- each twin are different, might lead to the conclusion. the article alluded to in connection with the Siamese Marquis Conygham, Paymaster General, inherited twins, we were tempted to examine their heads se. the honours and great estates of his family, in 1832, cundum artem. Such examination, with that Kindness for which they are so distinguished, they permitted us to make. We would state in passing, that He is the author of some fashionable novels. It is we do not consider these twins as proper subjects. just 125 years since his ancestor, Sir Constantine by which to test this science. Their case is isol-Phipps, was Lord Cancellor of Ireland. The Earl ated and sui generis: yet as far as it proves any thing, it proves the truth of phrenology. We opine Lord Plunkett, Lord Chancellor of Ireland. He that all who draw the conclusion above alluded to, is the youngest son of the late Rev. Thomas Plun- most reason from false premises. It exists only in This nobleman, who has just completed his fifty kett, a clergyman of the Church of Scotland, offi- the fancy of the poetess upon whose heautiful lines conversed with Mr. Harris, an intelligert gentle-