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ST. JOHN LETTER.

Tapley Brothers the North End Lumber shippers are in financial difficulties, but it is hoped by their friends that their embarrassments are only temporary.

Schooner Clayola owned by J. M. Smith of this city, was lost in Long Island Sound a few days ago. The crew was rescued in a perishing condition.

Steamer M'cneac sailed from this port for South Africa last Wednesday with 47 tons of preserved fruit and 20,092 bales of pressed hay.

Police-man Gosline was roughly handled last Wednesday by a gang of drunken sailors four of whom are in jail.

Steamer Cunaxa has been chartered to take a cargo of provisions and hay from this port to South Africa.

The streets of Bangor are blocked with snow while those of St. John are made perilous by ice.

William Goldsworthy was held up and robbed in Carleton last Wednesday by two Italians who are now in jail.

Madame Albina will sing in this city March 8.

Shipments of pulp from the Mispec and Cushing mills are made to England almost every week.

St. John has a free soup kitchen for the first time in several years.

A young girl of this city was arrested a few days ago for obtaining money under false pretences.

Twenty births, nine marriages and twelve deaths occurred in the city last week.

For some leading staples today's quotations are as follows:

Best Manitoba flour, \$ 5 per bbl	
Ontario patents, 4	
Oatmeal medium, 3.85	
Crown brand oatmeal, 3.70	
Oatmeal, 3.60	
Corneal, 2.25	
Clear pork, 19	
Pork backs, 18.50	
Mess pork, 17.50	
Extra plate beef, 14.50	
Plate beef, 14	
Pot barley, 4.20	
Split peas, 4.20	
Swiss food (2 doz. case) 3 per case	
Malt Breakfast food (3 doz case) 4	
Beaver oats 2 " " 3	
Edward Edwards.	
St. John Feb. 11.	

SCOTCH VILLAGE

Crowded out last issue.

Mr. Joseph Walley and Mrs. Henry Walley have both been very ill with Lagrippe. They are now doing well.

Whooping cough is very prevalent and is considered a very bad type.

It is reported that measles have made their appearance.

Mrs. Flint came home from Boston to nurse her father.

Mrs. Adams (nee Miss Emma Marsters) and child have come to N. S. to spend the winter with Mrs. Adams' sister Mrs. J. I. Dimock.

Mr. Adams comes in the spring and will permanently reside among us.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

having purchased Mr. Joseph Walley's residence.

Rev. Mr. Crandall has got out a gain after his severe attack of Lagrippe.

Mr. John J. Dearman of North Andover paid a flying visit to his friends here and thence to see his sister Mrs. Mosher at Kempt Shore.

Mr. Phillip Molanis and family have moved into a part of Miss Amy Fish's house.

Mr. Gould Northup slaughtered twenty of his pigs last Thursday and sent them to Halifax. It required five men, and busy at that, during nine hours. They averaged about 110 pounds or thereabout. Another twenty are to go in the near future.

Beauty of Form and Figure

Health and beauty ways go linked together. A wrinkled, tired and worn looking face tells immediately of nervousness, worry and the many accompanying ills and irregularities. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food fills the shrivelled arteries with new, rich blood, and gives a well rounded form, and clear and healthy complexion to all who use it. 50 cents a box, all dealers.

SIGNS AND OMIENS

Our late Gracious Sovereign held the belief that she would die in the month of January, and the afternoon. The deaths of Prince Henry of Battenberg and Prince 'Eddie' made the most impression upon her. Much more curious is the well known saying of the ancient Druids. "When the stones of Stonehenge fell, so surely there dies a monarch." Now, everybody will remember that on Sunday, Dec. 30th, last, two out of three huge stones, which form a trillithon at Stonehenge, fell. Surely enough, the saying has come true. Moore's Almanac predicted for this month, "There will be mourning in England."

Bright's Disease of the Kidneys

Mr. Andrew Duffin, Aultsville, Ont. writes:—I was troubled with Bright's disease of the kidneys for five years. I tried a number of doctors and preparations, but got no relief. My son advised the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney Pills. I got relief at once, and am now thoroughly cured. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

THE SCHOOL.

Hantsport Advance

The total number of pupils enrolled at the end of the half year (Feb 1st) was 216. Principal Shields had 29, Miss Burgoyne 34, Miss Angwin 45, Miss Reid 58, Miss Dickson 50. The boisterous winter since the first of December has cut down the average attendance, particularly in the lower rooms attended by the younger pupils. The total days attendance for all the departments was:

Principal Shields	2487
Miss Burgoyne	2668
Miss Angwin	3146
Miss Reid	3922
Miss Dickson	3190
	15413

Miss Lulu Finnigan—I will give you the answer in a month, Pat.

He—That's right, me darlint; tek plenty av time to think it over. But tell me one thing now—will it be yes or no?—Tut Bits.

A FAMILIAR FALSEHOOD

When a customer seeks to purchase some well known, widely advertised, standard article, and the dealer tries to sell him something else claiming the offered substitute to be "just as good" that dealer is guilty of flagrant falsehood.

If the substitute were just as good it would sell for its own merit and would be called for by customers instead of having to be unloaded upon them by means of falsehood and deceit.

The very fact of the comparison "just as good" proves the claim to be untrue. We measure up not down. We measure the less by the greater, not the greater by the less. When therefore some unknown or little article is ranged up for measurement by a well known standard article, the very fact of such measurement and comparison, stamps the substitute as a lesser thing than the standard article with which it is compared.

But this is only half the truth. By this we prove the claim "just as good" to be a falsehood, but the extent of that falsehood it is impossible to estimate. "Just as good" means in place of purity an uncertain quality, cheap material instead of good material. And beyond all this the adulterants may be not simply make weights and cheats may be dangerous poisons.

When the dealer says "just as good" ask yourself "just as good" for whom? You will find in the answer to that question the motive of substitution, which is the extra profit paid the dealer by the sale of the substitutes and imitations of standard wares. Practically the dealer says, when practicing the gentle art of substitution, "This is just as good" for you, because it is a great deal more profitable for me, and anything is good enough for you which increases my profit."

A Cynical Query—A man ought to try to make many friends as possible in this world, remarked the gentle philosopher.

Of course, answered the cold blooded confidence man. If you don't get friendly with people, how are you going to get near enough to get their money away from them?—Washington Star.

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Pat, said the dealer to his assistant give this gentleman three pig's feet.
—Tit Bits.

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Ben E. Volent—Well, if you're going to buy land for a home for poor actors, I guess you'll have to buy two or three states.—Brooklyn Life.

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