

Great Bargains in Blankets & Calicoes, WILLIAM FREW'S, 191 WATER STREET.

JUST RECEIVED, PER "ASSYRIAN," AN IMPORTANT PURCHASE OF CALICOES, which we are offering at 5, 6, 7 and 8 cents per yd, strong and wide; BEST VALUE EVER SHOWN.

NOTE - Canadian and American Silver taken in trade at former value. WILLIAM FREW.

LIME. LIME.

A Great Boon to Farmers and Others. THE SUBSCRIBER, WHILE RETURNING THANKS TO FARMERS AND OTHERS FOR THEIR PATRONAGE during the past summer, would beg to respectfully intimate that he is now prepared to make CONTRACTS with them for the coming season.

Twenty Cents per bushel, or delivered by rail at the Rope Walk siding, or the Saint John's Depot at Twenty-five Cents per bushel.

He also agrees to take, in exchange for Lime, PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS, at market rates, from the coming season's crop, to be delivered at his Store, in St. John's, at the end of the season.

John Score.

BUILDERS' SUPPLY STORE, Water Street.

200 M. SEASONED PINE LUMBER, 1, 2 and 3-inch. WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

Drink the Health-Giving Waters! FOR SALE AT FORAN'S, ATLANTIC HOTEL.

Mineral Waters: from the Chalybeate Springs. A Genuine Blood Purifier. A certain and perfect cure for Dyspepsia, Nervousness and Debility.

The Newfoundland Consolidated Foundry Co., Limited. Patterns for Grave & Garden Railings, & for Cresting of Houses.

Candles, Candles ON SALE BY CLIFT, WOOD & CO., 50 BOXES. Morrill's Celebrated Mould Candles.

FOR SALE BY John S. Simms, TWO TABLE PIANOS.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, SITUATE 1 1/2 miles from Town. I AM INSTRUCTED TO OFFER FOR SALE BY private contract that desirable detached Residence.

P.E. ISLAND PRODUCE. On Sale by Clift, Wood & Co., HEAVY BLACK OATS, CHOICE ISL'D POTATOES.

GOOD STORIES! Ben-Hur by Lew Wallace, Hope Campbell by G. D. Bell, Mary Elliot by G. D. Bell, Kenneth & Hugh by G. D. Bell.

EGGS! 180 doz. P. E. I. Eggs. CLIFT, WOOD & CO.

Xmas Numbers and New Books. XMAS NUMBER OF THE QUEEN. Xmas Number of Myra's Journal.

For Sale, Water Company Stock 70 SHARES in the Saint John's Water Company. 25 SHARES in the Union Bank of Newfoundland.

ADVERTISING RATES. Fifty Cents per inch for first insertion, every continuation, 1st page 25 cents, 2nd and 3rd pages 10 cents per inch.

The Evening Telegram.

ST. JOHN'S, FEBRUARY 6, 1888.

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WILD BEASTS AND VENOMOUS SNAKES IN INDIA.

From a supplement to the Gazette of India it appears that during the year 1886 the number of persons killed by wild animals and venomous snakes in Hindostan was 24,841. This (the Times of India remarks) is an increase of 1,934 over the figures for the previous year.

A STORY OF PINKERTON.

How the Vanity of a Wife Saved Her Own Life and Her Husband's. I BELIEVE Allan Pinkerton to have been the greatest detective that ever lived.

into his face, soon giving place to a smile, and finally followed by roars of laughter from the rugged old man whom it took paralysis many long years to kill.

"I never see a bit of luck like that without reminding me of the biggest piece of luck I ever saw," began the veteran criminal catcher, "and it happened a raw Scotchman and his wife that I knew. This Scotch fool had been a Chartist; a price was set on his head; he had a sweetheart, Joan Carfrae, a bookfolder's apprentice, and a lass that had caught his heart singing Chartist songs, who married him with his head all but in the noose, and some friends shipped them by stealth to Quebec, he as a ship's cooper and she as a cook, on the barque Kent, April 9, 1840.

"I tell you, that little song-singing wife has had her way about bonnets ever since!" chuckled Pinkerton. "For that little Edinburgh girl was my Joan!—and that foolish cooper who ran away from the queen's officers was me!"

HOW THE FRENCH AERONAUTS DIED.

M. WILFRED DE FONVIELLE, says a Paris despatch, has received particulars from Mr. MacDonald, the master of the steamship Prince Leopold, respecting the fate of the Paris aeronauts, Messieurs Lhoste and Mangot, who were lately lost in the Atlantic.

PROFESSOR REID has received a letter from Sergeant Morgans, instructor in the Military college, at Kingston, accepting a challenge from the professor for a contest with foils, sword and bayonet.

CHEAP BOOKS.

PICKWICK PAPERS by Charles Dickens, 4 cents. Sketches by Boz do do 4 cents. Life of Queen Victoria do do 4 cents.

COAL. Sydney COAL. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. THE UNDERSIGNED—TO SUIT THE TIMES—begs to intimate to the Public, that he has opened a COAL STORE, in corner George Street and Williams Lane, where he is prepared to sell Wholesale and Retail.

A Cargo Afloat of a 130 Tons, Ex schooner "C. Tupper." PTK. BUCKLEY.

Molasses. Molasses. ON SALE BY P. & L. TESSIER, CHOICE.

Barbados Molasses, ON SALE BY P. & L. TESSIER.

CATTLE FEED. For Sale by P. & L. TESSIER, 100 BAGS.

Jersey Meal. ON SALE, At the City Auction Sale Rooms.

FROZEN HERRING. Choice Eating Potatoes, FOR SALE AT 429 WATER ST., WEST. W. H. Eales.

A Bazaar OF FANCY AND USEFUL ARTICLES WILL BE held at Spaniards' Bay, in November next.

Preserve Your Sight by wearing the only FRANK LAZARUS, (Late of the firm of Lazarus & Morris), Renowned Spectacles & Eye Glasses.

ON SALE, By DRYER & GREENE, Fresh Venison, Herring & Codfish.

Crystalized SUGAR, 10 brls Crystalized SUGAR, 10 brls Granulated SUGAR.

For Sale By DRYER & GREENE, Russian Chime Sleigh Bells, 2 sets Plumes, 6 superior Horse Rugs, 1 Buffalo Robe.

WANTED: A good General Servant at once. Apply at this office.

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