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MAPLE HILL.

THE Subscriber has to announce to his friends and the public generally that he has leased and fitted up for a HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT on the above described property on the MANAWAGOSH ROAD. This place is beautifully situated about five miles from the city, and the drive presents a great variety of scenery.

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Cooking, Hall, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves,

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OAKUM.

A company of troops has arrived at Nassau, N. P., from England to do garrison duty, being the first European troops stationed there for many years.

200 Bbls. Very Good Quality Hand-Packed OAKUM.

For sale by JAMES L. DUNN & CO.

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NOTES AND NEWS.

UNITED STATES.

Godfrey Kunkle, a German baker on Frankford road, Philadelphia, was murdered Wednesday morning in a baker house by a young German in his employ. The murderer robbed the house of \$65 and attempted to kill Kunkle's wife in her bed. He then fled but was captured by the police in a neighboring lager beer saloon.

A despatch from Chicago says two brothers named Hopper quarreled with Solomon Silkwood and William Husan, Christmas day, at Carolton. Monday night the Hoppers visited Silkwood and Husan at their home in Walkerville, and finding the two men in the road shot at them, killing Husan and dangerously wounding Silkwood. The desperadoes were arrested.

A Boston lady, while spending the summer at Swanscott had the misfortune to have stolen from her a very elegant sash which she had purchased in Europe. While at the Boston Theatre a few evenings since, she espied the identical sash on a woman in the audience. Scene not down in the bill. Police called—station-house by moonlight—lost property recovered—young lady happy. Those tickets were a good investment.

Taking prayer to Salem is very much in vogue here. It is a new and original comparison. Rev. Newman Hall lectured there lately, and offered the audience their choice between "Mountains" and "Prayer" as the subject, at the same time expressing his preference for the latter. The audience, nevertheless, preferred the "Mountains." The fact is, prayer is cheap at Salem, and the people have plenty of it every day.

The residence of W. A. K. Sotter at New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y., was entered Tuesday night by twelve masked men who overpowered and bound the man left in charge of the premises, and then proceeded to rob the place at their leisure. They blew open the safe, plundered it of silver and gold, and carried off such valuables as were easily removed. They also broke open the stable door, which they took a few articles. The family had gone to the city for the winter.

A servant girl at White Plains, N. Y., was accused by her employer, of stealing jewelry worth \$20, and was arrested and imprisoned. The jewelry was afterwards found among some clothes in the room from which it was said to have been abstracted, and the girl was released, but she had spirit and would not let it go that way. She brought suit for false imprisonment, and recovered \$600. It is a good lesson. People are altogether too ready when anything is missing, to put on the poor servant girl with a charge of theft, and possibly ruin her reputation for honesty without cause.

The accounts of the treasurer of L. V. Newburgh county, N. Y., are in confusion, and a committee who have examined them report that the officer is "short \$89,000." The committee requested the treasurer an explanation of the disagreeable facts, and he replied that he was "unable to say where the money was; that he had none on deposit save what the committee had found, and he had requested to resign."

They have a champion office holder in Florida. He is thus described by a local paper:—"When the Hon. G. Dennis left for his Northern trip, to be absent several months, we lost in him our Senator, County Commissioner, and County Treasurer, Deputy Marshal, Deputy Sheriff, Deputy County Clerk, Treasurer of School Fund, Custodian of County Treasurer's books, Senior Councilman and acting Mayor. Nearly all public business was suspended until his return."

The number of *Littell's Living Age* for the week ending January 3d, begins a new volume (the 120th) of that sterling periodical, and the present is therefore an excellent time for the beginning of new subscriptions. For early numbers of the year, the publishers already announce articles on important topics by Dr. W. B. Carpenter, the eminent scientist, Sir Arthur Helps, Alfred Russel Wallace, F. R. S., and Letters of Elizabeth Barrett Browning on Literary and General Topics, together with choice fiction by Mrs. Alington, Miss Mackenzie, and other favorite writers; and, generally, throughout the year the best fiction by the leading foreign authors, and the latest and most valuable contributions to Science, Art, Politics, History, Biography, and general Literature by the ablest authors, as contained in the unrivalled periodical literature of Europe. With fifty-two numbers, of sixty-four large pages each, (aggregating over 3000 pages French) the subscription price (\$8) is low. Littell & Gay, Boston, Publishers.

A Western editor has put into practice a plan which will enable all papers to dispense with the usual fighting member of the staff. One morning, he was waited upon by the biggest kind of a fellow armed with a terrific cudgel, with several sundry protuberances sticking out all round, vaguely resembling Colli's derailleurs and bowies, who saluted him with: "Where's that scoundrel, the editor?" Our friend said: "He is not about, he's hurried down stairs, at the foot of which he met another man still more profane and fierce, who asked the same question in the same language. "Oh," said the retreating editor, "go up stairs; you will find him reading the paper." Accordingly he went, like a high-pressure steam-engine, letting off steam at every step. Our friend waited a minute, and such a crash—as if all Pandemonium was let loose. When the result was, was never known, as our friend didn't wait.

GENERAL.

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A Wonderful Coincidence.

[From the N. Y. Herald.]

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protracted," has made himself known on the other side of the ocean by his definition of what constitutes a marriage engagement. The English papers pass the item round with approval.

The government of Salvador, Central America, to favor the reconstruction of the capital, destroyed by the earthquake in March last, has decided to slow all the material necessary for building to enter the country free of custom duty, and also municipal taxes.

The Commission on the project of a submarine tunnel between France and England held a sitting recently. Many delegates, engineers, etc., were present, and the meeting was of unanimous opinion that the establishment of a submarine railway between the two countries should be declared to be a matter of public utility.

As one of the results of the recent troubles in Japan, part of the students who were being educated at the Michigan University have been recalled. The students were sent by the general government of Japan; and the Mikado now finds it difficult enough to support his own army, and is unwilling to pay the expenses of a hundred more students.

The ages of notable persons now spoken of in France are as follows: President MacMahon, 65; Comte de Chambord, 53; Prince Louis Napoleon, 19; Comte de Paris, 35; Duc de Chartres, 25; Prince de Nemours, 50; Prince de Joinville, 55; Duc de Nemours, 51; Prince Jerome Napoleon, 51; M. Thiers, 76; M. Gambetta, 57.

A mature Casablanca has been discovered in the Russian army. He is a private soldier who was on duty as a cook in the town of Bardscoff. The great fire that occurred in the town recently had spread to his watchbox. It was burned, and the soldier, who was a cook, was taken to a hospital to be cured of his wounds. The Emperor has made the man a non-commissioned officer, decorated with the Order of St. Anne and given him 50 roubles.

Mr. Ruskin affirms that "we might sufficiently represent the general manner of conclusion in the Darwinian system by the statement that, if you fasten a half-brush to a mill wheel, with the handle attached to the axle, and the wheel free to revolve, and within the continued face of a steam whistle, after a certain number of revolutions, the hair brush will fall in with the teeth, which they will marry, lay an egg, and the product will be a nightingale."

A correspondent of the London *Lancet*, the most important medical journal published in England, relates the following curious fact: "A man in his neighborhood had three daughters. Wishing for a son, he made a solemn vow that, if his first child should be a girl, he would never speak to her. The next child proved to be a son, as he wished, but he never spoke to him. He was a physician, and he lived thirty-five years with him. He was talked for with his mother and sisters, but with every one else until after the death of his father, when he was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, where he took the usual degree, and was called to the Irish bar in 1846. He married in 1841 Anne Grogan, daughter of Mr. Thomas De Banz, of Clonmel, County Wick. He had a son, Thomas De Courcy, who now becomes 'The O'Grady.'"

The Academy of Science at Brussels and the public press of that city have become greatly agitated by the conduct of a heretical scientist who has dared to doubt the story about Jonah and the whale. He was such a respect for the digestive powers of the whale that he doubts the ability of Jonah to preach so vigorously after lodging with him for three days, and the Catholic professors of Louvain have demanded that the Academy censure the heretical naturalist for his temerity. It is a very nice point to quarrel about, for it is of immense concern to us whether or no the whale's stomach might be made available for temporary lodging in cases of shipwreck.

"What ailed Mr. and Mrs. Compton?" is now the standing conundrum in Bristol, England. The vulgar simply say—"Gin." The facts are, that Mr. and Mrs. Compton, comfortable residents of Leeds, being on a visit to Bristol, stayed at the Victoria hotel. Early in the morning both screamed "Murder!" and when Mr. Compton had discharged a revolver at their window and ran to a railway station, they explained that they had heard strange noises; they had called out and their window had been echoed back to them. Suddenly their bed had opened and they had fallen into a pit beneath it. Both had fallen into a pit beneath it. Both had fallen into a pit beneath it. Both had fallen into a pit beneath it.

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gentlemen of the navy "under strict orders not to communicate with anybody in relation to the circumstances" in which she went down, and with the whole history of her relations to our government and of the attitude in regard to her recently assumed by the administration before us, it is an observation which presents itself on the very surface of the subject that the sudden disappearance of the ship in eight fathoms of water is a wonderful piece of good fortune for the incapables at Washington. Indeed, it is so uncommonly fortunate that it reminds us of a little story. In the eventful life of the late Mr. Weller it happened that an important election had been before-hand counted over very closely, and it was known that the arrival of a coach on that day, called by invitation on one of the gentlemen concerned and accepted of the younger, the gentleman said—"We're all very fond of you, Mr. Weller; so in case you should have an accident when you're bringing these here voters down and should tip 'em over into the canal without hurtin' 'em, this is for yourself," says he. "You're very kind, says my father, and I'll drink your health in another glass of 'em, says he, which he did, and then buttons up the money and bows himself out. You wouldn't believe, sir, continued Sam, "that on the very day as he came with them voters, his coach was upset on that 'ere werry spot and every man on 'em was turned into the canal; and what I look at is the extraordinary and wonderful coincidence that, after what that gentleman said, my father's coach should be upset in that werry place and on that werry day." It will probably be imagined by many that the coincidence in the case of the Virginian is not less remarkable.

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From 3 dy to 20 dy.

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Oysters and Smelts,

20 BBL. SHELL OYSTERS: 4 BBL. SMELTS.

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ARE now showing a large and choice assortment of Knitted Wool Goods, Ladies' and Misses' Hosiery, Children's Wool Hats, Gaiters, Boots, Mittens, Collars and Armbands.

Gents' Cardigan Jackets!

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Daily exported from New York:

100 BARRELS

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100 PUNCHEONS

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1000 LBS. Pure Grey Buckwheat Meal. For sale by E. B. BUBBINGTON, 41 Charlotte street.

CHOICE DAIRY BUTTER

13 tubs and 3 blbs.

Roll BUTTER.

All carefully selected for Family use. dec 20 BERTON BROTHERS.

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Six Quarters Wide.

For Ladies' Wear.

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In great variety, consisting of Real Fagotles, Shell and Ivory Clogs, Cigarettes and Match Cases, mounted with gold and silver with pearl, silk, tobacco pouches, lined with fine silk, Ivory Toilet Sets, Ivory Brushes and Combs, Ivory Paper Cutters, Ivory Toys and Dolls, Pearl Card Cases, Silk Sashes, Christmas Tree Ornaments, &c., &c., &c.

For sale by GEO. STEWART, Jr., 24 King Street.

Foundry Facings.

Just received from New York:

50 Bbls. BITUMEN FACINGS;

25 bbls. Charcoal FACINGS;

20 BBLs. BRASS MOULDING SAND.

For sale low by T. McAVITY & SONS, dec 26 7 and 9 Water Street.

Extra Refined Iron!

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Call and see tested samples.

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LO! BEHOLD HE IS COMING!

JUST RECEIVED a beautiful assortment of every kind OPERA GLASSES, in the most fancy and ornamental styles. Just the article to bestow on a Lady or Gentleman.

For a Christmas or New Year Gift.

20 different patterns to select from will be sold low. Lose not the present opportunity.

D. McAVITY, No. 46 Charlotte Street, Op. King square.

Weir Twine.

Just received:

5000 LBS. of the best

W. R. JONES & CO.

Steam Service!

NORTH SHORE.

SEALED TENDERS will also be received at the Office of the Chief Commissioner of Public Works, Fredericton, until February 1st, 1874, from persons willing to place a good and serviceable passenger and Freight Steamer during the Navigation Season of 1874, once a week on the route between Shediac and Campbellton, calling at Richibucto, Chatham, Newcastle, Capreol, and Grand Falls. The Department will not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender for either of the above services.

W. M. KELLY, dec 19 Chief Commissioner of Public Works.

1874.

NEW YEAR'S CARD!

J. CHALONER,

THE Manager of the Drug Store, brick building, corner King and Germain streets, begs most thankfully to acknowledge the numerous favors of the past year, especially that of the fourth of September, when a kind Providence permitted the efforts of the Fire Department and others to be successful.

He wishes all his customers health and happiness, and whenever necessary to visit the Drug Store during the coming year, asks a continuation of their favors; promises every care and attention, so that business in every department may