

THE CHILD'S DREAM.
"Oh, I have had a dream, mother,
So beautiful and strange;
Would that I could sleep on, mother,
And that dream never change."

loved and venerated Sheriff of Dumfriesshire.
The narrative concludes with the following curious revelations:—

It is not a little remarkable that this is not the first occasion on which a family from the south of Scotland has furnished a bride to the Bonapartes. Jerome Bonaparte, the only surviving brother of the Great Napoleon, and who now lives in Paris, sharing so far in the fortunes of his nephew, married, in the United States, a Miss Paterson, who was a granddaughter of one Robert Paterson, better known in Scotland, and indeed over the world, as "Old Mortality."

The Ancestry of the French Empress.

It has been remarked that truth occasionally brings out in bold relief circumstances which appear much more unlikely to happen than the wisest dreams of fiction ever conceived. In illustration of the justness of this observation, may be instanced the wonderful career of Louis Napoleon, from the time when Louis Philippe was so unceremoniously dismissed from his throne, to the present moment—from the time when he was almost a penniless wanderer in London, till now, when he is the uncontested master of the lives and fortunes of millions of human beings, not of half barbarians, but of one of the most civilized nations on the face of the earth.

Nearly a century back, a highly respectable gentleman, William Kirkpatrick, Baronet of Closeburn, was proprietor of the estate of Conehath, in the parish of Caerlaverock, where he resided. The estate had originally been one of the numerous possessions of the Closeburn family, of which he was a cadet, but had passed out of their hands, and was purchased by Mr. Kirkpatrick's grandfather.

The late great-granddaughter of the proprietor of a small estate in Dumfriesshire now occupies the throne of France. We hope that the Empress, now that she has attained such an exalted position in this world, will show by the prudence of her conduct, and beneficial influence she may have in her power to exercise over her husband, that she may be employed as to tend towards the preservation of peace in Europe, and to justice and moderation towards the people of France; and by so doing show that she has not forgotten the motto of her father's family—"I make siccus." Indeed, if the accounts are correct of what occurred previous to the marriage, she has already shown that she has not forgotten the family motto. The seat is a very agreeable one, and it is only by the most careful and judicious conduct on the part of both herself and husband, that the throne can be placed on anything like security.

Now in nothing that we feed out to cattle is there so wide a difference as in hay, and it is a solemn duty for every farmer, in the first place to cultivate those grasses which shall contain the greatest quantity of nutritive matter; in the next place to cut and cure and house it in such a manner as to preserve these ingredients in the best possible manner, and then to feed it out so as to supply the cattle with enough and have none wasted.

There are several species of plants, which grow in our moving lands, that make excellent fodder, which are not, strictly speaking, grasses, although generally reckoned so. Among them may be enumerated clover, yellow weed or buttercup, (Ranunculus), as it is sometimes called—white weed or oxeye daisy—scouring rush or gun bright. Of the above, clover is the only one that is sown or cultivated.

White weed, and yellow weed, when dried in this way, make excellent fodder. The principal objection to white weed is, that it is apt to crowd other grasses out, and it yields but comparatively a light crop itself, but the yellow weed and clover will grow well with other grasses.

The scouring rush, or joint rush, is a water plant. It is singular, that it grows best where the water will stand an inch or two above its roots, and yet it contains a large amount of saccharine matter, and if cut at the right time, and cured right, cattle will eat it during the winter with great avidity, and much cows do better upon it than any other fodder. It seems to resemble corn stalks more closely than any other of the forage plants. But little is known in regard to propagating the plant. It generally comes in spontaneously, where the water covers the surface of the ground a very little during the summer, on the margin of ponds and streams, and affords to those who have it a rich source of fodder for cows during the winter.

From the New England Farmer. MANURES.

Many a farmer possessed of acres of cultivated land, which in its present state is a source of neither pleasure or profit, is convinced of the necessity of increasing its productiveness, but is in the dark as to how the work is to be done.

From the Maine Farmer. RANDOM THOUGHTS ABOUT HAYING.

We stated in our last that grass should be cut when in blossom, as the greatest quantity of the matters necessary for the nutriment of cattle was then most generally throughout the plant.

By cutting it at this time, the changes which would have taken place at successive stages of its growth are arrested, and these matters preserved.

In order, however, to preserve them in the best manner, the grass should be dried, or, in other words, the cut grass should be exposed to heat sufficiently long to expel the water from it and leave the other substances.

Hence it will appear very evident to every one that it should not be exposed to any moisture, such as dew or rains. Moisture will dissolve portions of the sugar, gum or mucilage, which is contained in the plant, and if soaked sufficiently long, nothing will be left behind in the hay but vegetable fibre.

It would probably be better if grass could be dried under cover, but as this is out of the question, the greatest care should be taken to keep off dew or rains after it begins to dry.

Hence the hay-racks, which are nothing but pieces of cotton-sheeting placed upon the hay-cocks, answer an admirable purpose in case of storms coming on before the hay is sufficiently dry to put into the barn.

And your pig-stye! Is it not a fit compulsion for the barn-yard? Is it not often flooded with water? Does not your hog, for want of better employment, undermine his fence, and break forth in his enclosure, to the serious injury of the garden or cornfield?

Give your hog plenty of leaves, potato-tops, and grass sods, and his labor will be turned to some account. He will enjoy you from ten to twenty dollars in the course of the season, and in the fall fill just as large a barrel, as if he had spent his life in idleness or mischief.

But perhaps you say, "the substances above spoken of, as materials from which to manufacture manure, are worthless,—that spread upon the field they will not increase the crop." In their present or natural state they may be indifferent fertilizers; and so is hay, before eaten by stock, and wood, before reduced to ashes.

The Potato Rot.

H. Penoyer, of Union County, Ill., writes to the St. Louis Republic that he has found a perfect cure and preventive of the potato rot, and which also restores the potato to its primitive vigor, and the product is not only sound, but double the size, consequently producing twice the quantity, on the same ground, and the vines grow much larger, and retain their freshness and vitality until the frost kills them. The remedy is as follows:—

Take one peck of fine salt and mix it thoroughly with half a bushel of Nova Scotia plaster or gypsum, (the plaster is the best), and immediately after hoeing the potatoes the second time, or just as the young potato begins to set, sprinkle on the main vines next to the ground, a table-spoon full of the mixture to each hill, and be sure to get it on the main vines, as it is found that the rot proceeds from the sting of an insect in the vine, and the mixture coming in contact with the vine, kills the effect of it, before it reaches the potato.

Adams' Hardware Store, Dock Street Corner, Market Square. The Subscriber has received, per Ships Imperial, Miramichi, &c.:

Dick & Son's Celebrated Theads. THIS unrivalled and popular Sewing Thread can now be supplied by the Subscriber—the sole Agent for the Manufacturers—in any assortment and quality to suit customers. He can with confidence recommend the Six Cord to the trade and consumers generally.

No. 4, Water-street.

W. TISDALE & SON. Are receiving ex Bellamirig, from Liverpool:—

110 RINGS IRON WIRE, from No. 4 to 10; 10 bundles Fry Pans; 40 casks Tea; 40 casks Coffee; 2 casks Sad Irons; 1 case Wire Grating; 2 casks round point SHOVELS.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

JAMES BURRELL, Corner of King and Germain Streets. HAS received per St. John, from Glasgow, part of his Spring supply of DRY GOODS, viz:

Per "Mecca," from New York: 30 BOXES TOBACCO—S's and 8's; 12 casks CHEWING TOBACCO, "Lucks's" Chewing Tobacco; 25 half chests fine Oolong Souchong TEA.

Just arrived, per English Steamer.

120 DOZENS French KID GLOVES, colours—also, Black and White.

A Large Assortment of CARPETS, with Long and Square Shawls; Fancy Printed MUSLINS and DELAINES; LINENS, Damask and Huckabacks; Gingham and Cotton Handkerchiefs; Cotton Reels, Laces, Threads; Plant and Figured MUSLINS; Boys' HATS and Cloth CAPS.

LONDON ZINC PAINT.

2 TONS, in 14 lbs. to 15 lbs. Kegs.—Received by the Miramichi, and for sale.

TOBACCO.

PER Pearl and Valley Belle, from New York: 81 boxes TOBACCO, in 8's and 10's; 5 boxes 1 lb. Lump Tobacco; 40 boxes Mys.romatic Tobacco, Alb. Imp.

LONDON GOODS.

DAY & MARTIN'S Blacking; Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil; Poland Starch; Mustard; Windsor SOAP; Salad Oil; Currants; Crushed SUGAR; Lazenby's Pickles; Cloves, Ginger, Nutmeg, Indigo, Sage, Isinglass, &c.—For sale by May 17. JARDINE & CO.

Seeds and Oatmeal.

Received per steamer Admiral, from Boston, 1 BAG White Beluga CRRROT SEED; 1 BAG White Western Clover Seed.

Muscovado Molasses.

84 HHDs, and 1 tierce Muscovado Molasses, now landing.—For sale by FLEWELLING & READING.

Carpets, Carpets, Carpets! RUGS, RUGS.

JUST received per ship St. John, a large and varied assortment of Brussels CARPETS; also, two and three-ply splendid patterns, with RUGS to match.

London White Lead, Wine, &c.

Received ex Ship Miramichi, Wyles, master, from London.

5 TONS best London White Lead; 28 boxes Belmont and Patent Sperm CANDLES, 25 lbs. each; 3 quarter casks Gold and Pale SHERRY, (very superior).—Landing, for sale by May 17. CUDLIAP & SNIDER.

Pepper, Loaf Sugar, Mustard.

Landing, per Miramichi, from London, 20 BAGS Black PEPPER; 2 cases Coleman's SF MUSTARD; 10 cases Coleman's best STAR H; 1 case NUTMEG; 2 cases CASSIA; 2 cases LIQUORICE; 3 cases PICKLES, assorted; 1 case CREAM TARTAR; 1 case SALTPEPER: 1 case Blue VITRIOL.

JARDINE & CO.

ONE barrel Catraway LINNET: 10 blrs. Dried Apples; 1 dozen Wax Cards; 50 chests fine Congo and Souchong TEA; 12 boxes E. I. Company's fine do.; one case fine Chestnut Tobacco; 27 boxes Tobacco; one case Sardines.

St. John, April 19th.

NEW SPRING GOODS!

DAVID PATERSON begs to announce to his Customers and the Public, that he has received part of his Spring Supply of BOOTS & SHOES consisting of the following description:—

Ladies' Cashmere, Satin, and Franela BOOTS; Ladies' Patent Franela, Leather, Web, and fancy SLIPPERS; Ladies' Kid and Golf Village PIES and Walking SHOES; Misses and Children's Franela Boots; Do. do Patent Back Straps; Do. do. Kid Boots; and Walking SHOES; Infants' Kid Boots; Patent Back Straps, &c.; Young's Patent Oxford Ties, and BOOTIES of various kinds; also, Gent's Oxford Ties; Carpet and Leather SLIPPERS, &c. &c.—Together with a lot of French CALF SKINS, a beautiful article for Gent's Boots, which will be made up to order in his usual style, without any extra charge.

Adams' Hardware Store

Market Square, Corner of Dock Street. JUST RECEIVED—1 C Case Hoole, Stanforth & Co's GANG SAWS; 1 case Round and Mill Saws; 8 cases Sanderson's Cast Steel; 1 case German Steel, for Horse Corks; 39 bundles Blister and Spring Steel; 2 casks Japanned and Tinned Ware.

JARDINE & CO.

Are now receiving part of their supply of Agricultural Implements, Seeds, &c., viz:—PLOUGHS of all descriptions; HARROWS, SEEDSOWERS, Cultivators, Garden Rakes, Manure Forks, Border Knives, Hay Cutters, &c.

Flour, Sugars, Teas, Cigars, &c.

A FEW Bbls. very bright Puerto Rico SUGAR; A lot of Havana CIGARS, very superior; 20 chests London Congo TEAS; 50 barrels Superior FLOUR; 10 small casks E. I. Pale ALE; for sale by JOHN W. THURGAR, North Market Wharf May 3, 1853.

SPRING BONNETS.

RECEIVED per steamer "Canada," the latest fashion. FIVE HUNDRED BONNETS, comprising the latest fashion. W. G. LAWTON.

ADAMS' HARDWARE STORE

SAWS, FILES, &c. Received per "Middletown," "Perseverance," &c.—130 C GANG SAWS, (Hoole, Stanforth & Co's); 60 Gang SAWS, (Hoe & Co's); 60 Gross Cut SAWS; 12 Pk SAWS; 200 dozen Mill FILES, "Vickers" and others; 130 do. Pk. Blacksmith, and Cross Cut Saw FILES.

Per "Cuba," from Boston:

100 B BOXES Bunch RAISINS; 50 bags Java COFFEE.

LONDON MADE IMPERVIOUS REVERSIBLE COATS!!!

A large Stock of the above Goods now ready for inspection at the Howard House, King-street. May 31. MYLES & HOWARD.

Ex "Miramichi," from London:

1 C ASS containing CHARTS for all parts of the World; 1 case containing Norris's EPITOME; Griffin's do.; Declination Tables; Thomson's Table; Summer's Method for finding a Ship's position at Sea; Chronometer's Companion; Great Circle Sailing; Lee's Laws; Lee's Manual; Nautical Almanac for 1853 and 1854.

Vulcan Foundry Manufacturers.

A LARGE assortment of the manufacture of Vulcan Foundry, consisting of Bay State and Patent Upright COOKING STOVES; FRANK LINS, Register GRATES, Close Stoves, Hot-cells, &c., all of the most approved patterns and descriptions. For sale at the Warehouse of the subscriber.

J. C. HATHEWAY, M. D., DENTIST.

OFFICE in Sydney Street, first house above Queen's Square, and opposite the residence of Dr. H. is prepared to insert ARTIFICIAL TEETH of his own manufacture, and attend to all other branches of Dentistry; he also prepares a superior article of TOOTH POWDER, warranted free from all substances that would have an injurious effect upon the teeth, for sale only at his office.

GILMOUR'S First Prize Tailoring Establishment.

No. 4, Bragg's Building, King Street. FIRST Prize Importation of Rich and Elegant Fancy VESTINGS and TWEEDS, per steamer Canada.

Rich Embossed Velvets, Fancy Figured SATINS, and Embroidered English and German Cloths, VESTINGS—all the very latest styles.

A few choice White and Pink flowered Satin VESTINGS, for special purposes. Also—a good article of TWEEDS for Summer Shooting Coats, Paleots and Sacks.

Remainder of Spring Stock, consisting of best West of England Wool Dyed CLOTHS, FANCY DRESSING, Black CASIMIRE, TWEEDS, and VESTINGS, in first Spring ships.

All of which being carefully selected to meet, and advance the progressive Provincial trade; and purchased on the most advantageous terms by myself, will be sold low.

The Road to Health.



Holloway's PILLS. CURE OF A DISORDERED LIVER AND BAD DIGESTION.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. R. W. Kirkus, Chemist, 7 Prescott Street, Liverpool, dated 6th June, 1851. To Professor HOLLOWAY.

SIR—Your Pills and Ointment have stood the highest on our list of Proprietary Medicines for some years. A customer, to whom I can refer for any enquiries, desires me to let you know the particulars of her case. She had been troubled for years with a disordered liver, bad digestion. On the last occasion, however, the violence of the attack was so alarming, and the inflammation set in so severely, that doubts were entertained of her not being able to bear up under it; fortunately she was induced to try your Pills, and she informs me that after the first, and each succeeding dose, she has great relief. She continued to take them, and although she used only three Boxes, she is now in the enjoyment of perfect health. I could have sent you many more cases, but the above, from a worthy lady of your standing Pills, (Signed) R. W. KIRKUS.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF RHEUMATIC PAIN.

Margaret Mackenzie, aged 40 years, residing in New Town, had been suffering from a violent rheumatic fever for upwards of two months, which had entirely deprived her of the use of her limbs; during this period she was under the care of the most eminent medical men, but without effect. She then obtained a few Boxes of your Pills, which she commenced to take, and by them her case was considered hopeless. A friend prevailed upon her to try Holloway's celebrated Pills, which she consented to do, and in an incredible short space of time they effected perfect cure.

CURE OF A PATN AND TIGHTNESS IN THE THROAT AND STOMACH OF A PERSON 94 YEARS OF AGE.

From Messrs. Thers & Son, Proprietors of the Lym Advertiser, who can vouch for the following statement.—August 2nd 1851. To Professor HOLLOWAY.

SIR—I desire to bear testimony to the good effects of Holloway's Pills. For some years I suffered severely from a pain and tightness in the stomach which was attended by a shortness of breath, that prevented me from walking about. I am 94 years of age, and notwithstanding my advanced state of life, these Pills have so relieved me that I am desirous that others should be made acquainted with their virtues. I am now restored, by their means, comparatively active, and can take exercise without inconvenience or pain, which I could not do before.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF THE GRAVEL.

Copy of a Letter addressed to J. K. Hayden, Esq., 8yd Rue, Ave. South Water, dated Feb. 20th, 1851. Sir—A Mr. Thomas Clark, a Settler at Lake George, was for a considerable time seriously afflicted with the Gravel of the Liver, together with the Gravel of his medical attendants, after trying all their skill, candidly told me that he was as hopeless, and any further efforts I make in his case, he would be therefore preserved. In this situation, and when expecting every day to die, I gave him your Pills, and as a fortiori hope he did so, the first trial giving him considerable relief, he has therefore persevered in taking them according to the directions, and is now restored to health. He will feel great pleasure in confirming this statement, or even make an affidavit to the same effect, should it be required.

WONDERFUL EFFICACY OF HOLLOWAY'S PILLS IN CASES OF INDISPOSITION.

Persons suffering from Indisposition, either about the turn of life, or at other times, should immediately have recourse to these Pills, as hundreds of persons are annually cured, by their use, of this distasteful complaint in its different stages, when all other means had failed.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints. Ague, Asthma, Bilious Complaints, Blotches on the Skin, Bowel Complaints, Colic, Constipation of the Bowels, Consumption, Debility, Dropsy, Dysentery, Erysipelas, Febrile Affections, Female Complaints, Gout, Head-ache, Indigestion, Inflammation, Jaundice, Liver Complaints, Lumbago, Piles, Rheumatism, Retention of Urine, Scalding, King's Evil, Sore Throats, Stone and Gravel, Secondary Symptoms, Tic Douloureux, Tumours, Ulcers, Venereal Affections, Worms of all kinds, Weakness from whatever cause, &c. &c.

Sold by the Proprietor, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar), London; and by S. L. TILLEY, Provincial Agent, No. 15, King Street, St. John, N. B.; A. Coy & Son, Fredericton; W. T. Baird, Woodstock; Alexander Lookhart, Quaco; James Beck, Bend of Pettediac; O. K. Sayre, Dorchester; John Bell, Shediac; J. M. Halls, Hillsborough; John Curry, Canaan; J. and James G. White, Belleisle; In P.ots and B.ves, at 1s. 4d., 4s. 6d. and 7s. each. There is a very considerable saving in taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients are affixed to each Box.

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W. TISDALE & SON,

Have received ex Packet Ship "Liberia," from Liverpool:—

26 TONS LEAD PIPE, from 4 to 14 in.; 4 tons SHOT, from A. A. to No. 9; 5 rolls SHEET LEAD, 3 to 5 lbs.; 20 ingots BLOCK TIN;

50 Ingots Stanforth & Co's GANG MILL SAWS; 210 dozen Vickers' FILES; 6 SALL IRONS; 60 do. Stubbs' do.; 2 casks SILD IRONS, 4 casks containing SALLPANS, STWIPANS, TEA KETTLES, and GLEB POTS;

2 casks Griffin's SCYTHES, 38 to 48 inch; 13 pairs Smith's BELLOWS; 6 ANVILS; 1 case VICES; 1 case Smith's HAMMERS; 1 ton CLINCH RINGS—all sizes; 1 ton BLOCK RIVETS; 1 ton BLOCK BUSHES; 1 case Copper BOAT NAILS; 1 case Red CRANK;

11 cases containing Bed Screws, Butt Hinges, Locks of all sorts, Shovel and Tongs, Stink Brackets, Nail and Shoe Hammer, Truck Nail, Wrought and Cut Brads, Latches, Gridirons, Bel-lows, Pipes, Coffee Mills, Brass and Iron Wood Screws, Chest Hinges and Locks, Ruler, Squares, Candlesticks, Castors, Door Scrappers, &c. &c. which will be sold at low rates.

Canvass, Oakum, &c.

Landing, ex "Hibernia," 12 BALES Bleached Gourock CANVASS. Ex "Miramichi," from London—10 tons first quality OAKUM. An Invoice of White, Black, Green, Yellow and Red PAINT, from BRASHEAR BROS. Boiled and Raw LLNSEED OIL.—For sale low by JOHN WALKER, Corner Peter's Wharf & Ward-St.

MESS FARRER.

—Landing ex schr. Gilmour, from Boston—20 blrs. St. Louis Mesa POW. 6 blrs. LARD and Sea Elephant OIL; 9 bags Soft Shell ALMONDS. May 24. JAMES MACFARLANE.

SHIRTS, SHIRTS, SHIRTS.—Gentlemen an want of good well made SHIRTS, will find a splendid assortment at the Howard House, 545 1/2 May 19. MYLES & HOWARD.