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Professional Cards.

GEO. F. GREGORY,
(Of late firm of Gregory & Blair.)
BARRISTER
—AND—
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Office, next below Queen Hotel, formerly occupied by Gregory & Blair.
Personal attention given to all professional business.
Loans negotiated on reasonable terms.
May 11

C. E. DUFFY,
Attorney-at-Law,
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ACCOUNTS COLLECTED AND LOANS NEGOTIATED.
ALSO,
Agent for the North American Life Assurance Company.
OFFICES: West Side of Carleton Street, Second Door from Queen Street.
May 4

Gregory & Gregory,
Barristers & Notaries,
OFFICES:
Carleton Street,
FREDERICTON, N. B.
ALBERT J. GREGORY. FRANK B. GREGORY, Registrar of Probates.
May 3

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Graduate of Penna Dental College, 1874.
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Offers for Cash; for Cash; for Cash only.
A FULL SET OF UPPER OR LOWER GUM TEETH, THE BEST THAT CAN BE OBTAINED, FOR $10.00.
Gumless sets, plain teeth, for $8.50.
Extracting Teeth, 25c. Small Silver fillings, 50c.
Do not be deceived about these rates; you will be told the work is inferior in quality, &c. *This is not so.* The rates only have been lowered not the quality of the operations. Take advantage of low rates and good work.

W. C. Crocket, M. D.
Physician
—AND—
Surgeon.
Office and Residence, Carleton St.
Fredericton, Nov. 13.—6m

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OFFICE and RESIDENCE:
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dec4 6m

F. J. SEERY, M.D., C.M.
Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh;
Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh;
Licentiate of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow.
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First Door Below People's Bank, Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.
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March 15—3m

William Wilson,
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—AND—
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CONVEYANCER, Etc.
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OFFICE: OPPOSITE POST OFFICE
ACCOUNTS COLLECTED, LOANS NEGOTIATED.
Sept. 10, 85.

McFarlane, Thompson & Anderson.
MANUFACTURERS OF THE PATENT
Dunbar Shingle Machine
which took First Prize at the Dominion Centennial Exhibition at St. John
STEAM ENGINES, MACHINISTS' TOOLS
—AND—
Agricultural Implements a Specialty.
Received the only Diplomas on MOWERS and RAKES granted at the Provincial Exhibition, St. John, 1880, and also at the Dominion Centennial, 1883.
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—TO—
W. R. Logan's
—FOR—
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
And no wonder. He keeps the very best
TEA, SUGAR,
MOLASSES, TOBACCO,
SOAPS, KEROSENE OIL,
FLOUR, HAMS & BACON,
And everything found in a first-class family grocery.
JUST RECEIVED
BANANAS, COCOANUTS,
HADDIES, ROLL BACON,
NEW MAPLE SUGAR,
NEW MAPLE SYRUP,
NEW MAPLE CANDY
Good TEA at 24 cts. per lb. Try it!
Will sell you TIMOTHY and CLOVER SEED as low as any in the trade.
W. R. Logan.
QUEEN STREET.
April 19

April 23rd.
TABLE LINENS,
Napkins,
De'Oyles,
Towels and
Towelings,

Opened This Day
—AT—
JOHN J. WOODALL'S
April 23

TO CHRISTOPHER BRODERICK, formerly of the City of Fredericton, in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick, Butcher, now of Helena, in the State of Montana, in the United States of America, and all others whom it may in any wise concern:
NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage, bearing date the first day of August, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty One, made between the said Christopher Broderick and Mary Jane, his then wife, since deceased of the first part, and one John McKeen, of the Parish of Bright, in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick, of the other part, and duly recorded in Book Q, pages 464, 465 and 466, of the Records of said York County, which said indenture of mortgage and the lands and premises thereby conveyed, and the debt thereby secured were, by indenture dated the twenty third day of March, A. D. 1887, and registered in Book D4 of the said York County Records, pages 499, 500 and 501, duly assigned by the said John McKeen to the undersigned John Woodward, there will, for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said indenture of mortgage and the assignment thereof, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at Public Auction, in front of the County Court House, in the City of Fredericton and County of York, on SATURDAY, the twenty-third day of July next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, the lands and premises mentioned and described in the said Indenture of mortgage as follows: "All "that piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and "being in the City of Fredericton, in the County "of York aforesaid, and described as follows, "all that piece or parcel of land situate in Block "Number thirteen, in the Town plat of Fredericton, being the Northeasterly portion of lot number two hundred and twenty, at the corner of "Regent and George Streets, in the City of Fredericton, at present occupied by John Biggs, (now deceased), also the Northeastern portion of lot "number two hundred and eighteen, fronts on "George Street, and adjoining the said lot number "two hundred and twenty, these two Northeasterly portions, forming a lot with a front- "age on Regent Street of eighty two and a half "feet more or less, and running back of that "width one hundred and thirty two feet more or "less, until it reaches lot number two hundred "and sixteen in the said Block," together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon and the privileges and imputtenances thereunto belonging and appertaining.
Dated the 21st April, A. D., 1887.
JOHN WOODWARD,
Assignee of Mortgage.
GREGORY & GREGORY,
Solicitors for Assignee of Mortgage. apr21

What are the wild waves saying"
SCOOT FRIENDS SCOOT, TO THE YORK STREET RESTAURANT.
Christmas has come and gone, and it is a thing of the past. Some parties, I have been informed, have made the remark that my advertisements are rather funky, and I think it is a good thing for them to make such remarks, but I wish to inform them that I can shell out on Christmas and New Years, and if they doubt my word just them drop in on New Year's eve on their way to or from midnight service and they can see me shelling out the Oysters and assist in spending the parting year and welcoming the incoming New Year.
Please give the York Street Restaurant a bumper house to-morrow night as I want lots of cash as my wardrobe is getting down and I've got to pay the tailor a visit.
To my numerous customers I take this opportunity of wishing a Happy and prosperous New Year.
G. REX LEEK, PROPRIETOR
dec30 York Street Restaurant.

AMERICAN DYE WORKS CO.
LADIES' DRESS GOODS DYED TO
Look Like New!
FEATHERS (all shades), LACE CURTAINS, CARPETS, etc.
MENS' WEAR A SPECIALTY.
Works, Black Spring Road, Portland.
Office, South Side King Square, St. John.
Agency for Fredericton at the Store of
J. G. GUNN.
P. S.—Give us a trial.
March 31.—2m

Water-proof Coats.
EVERY COAT WARRANTED. You can get them Cheap at
C. H. THOMAS & CO.'S
Apr. 30

DEVER BROS.
New Goods! **SPRING 1887.** New Goods!
NEW CARPETS
IN BRUSSELLS, TAPESTRY, WOOL AND HEMP. ALL IN GOOD SERVICEABLE COLORS.
NEW LACE CURTAINS
IN WHITE AND COLORS. These Curtains are the new Scotch make, beautiful in design, and of excellent value. They can be had from 50 cts. per set up.
FLOOR OILCLOTHS.
LINOLEUMS, FLOOR OILCLOTHS, IN ALL WIDTHS, from 30 cts. per yard up.
New Dress Goods.
NEW SUMMER PLUSHES, NEW PRINTS AND GINGHAMS, with Colored Trimming Laces to match. NEW RIBBONS, SATIN PICOT, OTTOMAN PICOT, in all the leading shades.
Jacket Cloths.
NEW AND BEAUTIFUL JACKET CLOTHS. Light weight and Good Mixed Colors. Buttons and Clasps to match.
March 26 **DEVER BROS.**
Selling Off For Cash.
THE ENTIRE STOCK OF THE ESTATE OF
WHITTIER & HOOPER
IS BEING SOLD AT **REMARKABLY LOW PRICES** FOR **CASH.** ANYONE WISHING TO **SAVE MONEY** WOULD DO WELL TO CALL AND BUY
Tea, Coffee, Spices, Brushes,
BROOMS, SOAP, STATIONARY, CIGARS, PIPES, STARCH, ESSENCES, BISCUITS, PERFUMES, COMBS, HAIR BRUSHES, PINS, CASTOR OIL, EPSOM SALTS, SENNA, HAIR OIL, OIL, KNIVES AND FORKS, WRAPPING PAPER, PAPER BAGS, FANCY GOODS,
Canned Goods and Confectionery.
ARTHUR P. TIPPET, JAS. A. VANWART, } Trustees.
May 30

JOSIAH,

You want a SPRING SUIT and OVERCOAT, sure. You go right away to
W. E. SEERY'S
and have him make them for you. He makes the MOST FASHIONABLE CLOTHING in the city, at the Lowest Price, and don't you forget it.
Latest styles every month. Cutting attended to promptly.
W. E. SEERY

CANNED GOODS!
CANNED GOODS!
PEACHES, PINEAPPLE, OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, SALMON, CORN BEEF,
TOMATOES, CORN, PEAS, BEANS, LUNCH TONGUE.
ALSO ON HAND A LARGE AND CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK OF STAPLE AND CHOICE
FAMILY GROCERIES.
S. L. MORRISON,
Opposite City Hall, Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.
Feb. 17

FEBRUARY, 1887.
>NEW GOODS!<
Tennant, Davies & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED
New Hamburg Embroideries, Muslins, Lawns, Fancy Piques, &c.
Canadian and American Prints, do. do. Corsets,
IN EVERY STYLE AND QUALITY;
Knitting Cottons, Pillow Cottons, SHEETINGS, &c.,
AND A FULL LINE OF
GIBSON GREY COTTONS,
ALL AT CLOSEST PRICES, WHOLESALE & RETAIL.
TENNANT, DAVIES & Co.,
202 Queen Street, Fredericton.
Agents for the Celebrated M R & A Dollar Shirt, and the New York Domestic Paper Patterns.

"Truth Stranger Than Fiction."
TO ALL PERSONS SENDING ME A POSTAL CARD CONTAINING THEIR POST OFFICE ADDRESS IN FULL, I WILL MAIL, FREE OF CHARGE,
A Copy of ZUMA,
A THRILLING AND INSTRUCTIVE TALE OF SPANISH CONQUEST IN AMERICA.

M. McLEOD, PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST,
No. 36 Dock St., St. John, N. B.

Steamer Florenceville.
THIS STEAMER will run between Fredericton and Woodstock during the season of 1887, as usual, Leaving Fredericton on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, at 6 o'clock; and leaving Woodstock on the return trip at 8 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings.
Notice I—WAY freight must be prepaid.
H. D. CREED, Agent.
may 5

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of A. WHITTIER & HOOPER are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, at the office of the late firm, or the office of J. A. & W. VanWart.
ARTHUR P. TIPPETT, JAS. A. VANWART. } Trustees
Fredericton, April 19th, 1887.

$50 If you think of spending fifty or one hundred dollars in advertising send us a copy of your advertisement and we will tell you free of charge, what will be the best possible investment for you to make. Send 10 cents for our 176 page pamphlet. Address
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Just Landed
∴ FROM LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND. ∴

THIS VESSEL HAS JUST ARRIVED WITH
14 CRATES
STONEWARE,
4 Casks, PLAIN & CORATED
2 Cases CHINA.
NEW GOODS arriving every day.
LEMONTS' IS THE PLACE TO BUY
House Furnishing Goods!!
LEMONT & SONS
P. S.—LADDER TAPE for Repairing Venetian Blinds for sale. L. & S.
May 5

NOTICE!
OF PROFESSIONAL
CO-PARTNERSHIP.
THE UNDERSIGNED have entered into a Professional Co-Partnership as Attorneys-at-Law, and Solicitors, with Offices on Carleton Street.
ANDREW G. BLAIR,
J. H. BARRY.
Fredericton, May 3, 1887.—1m w

To Housekeepers
I am offering SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS in
CARPETS and RUGS,
OILCLOTHS and LINOLEUMS,
CURTAINS & CURTAIN POLES,
WINDOW SHADES,
TABLE and PIANO COVERS,
TOWELS,
TABLE LINNEN and BEDDING
My Stock is now complete. Last importation for the season just received. Please examine our
Scotch Lace,
Pattern Damask
Tapestry and
Raw Silk Curtains
Irish Linnen Towels,
Napkins and
Table Cloths.
We claim they are REMARKABLY GOOD VALUE.
HAVE YOU TRIED
INDEX MATTING for Summer Carpets?
They are Cheap, Cleanly, Healthful and Durable.
I have a few PATTERNS of CARPETS, which have proved to be Slow Sellers. The prices will be reduced accordingly, as I purpose turning them into Cash without delay. All goods marked in plain figures and good value guaranteed to every customer. Please call. Shall be pleased to show you our stock.
152 and 154 QUEEN STREET.
J. C. McNALLY.
Fredericton, April 20, 1887.

VALUABLE
Real Estate
FOR SALE,
SITUATE NEAR FREDERICTON JUNCTION.
THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY, owned by the subscriber, situate on the Diamond Spar's Road, about three miles from the Junction, containing three hundred acres, seventy of which are cleared, and the remainder is covered with a fine growth of green hard and soft wood. The buildings consist of a good sized house, two barns, and our house all in repair. The farm is well watered and fenced. The orchard contains one hundred trees, a portion of which are grafted. There is also a plum orchard on the premises. The wild meadow, which now cuts seven tons of hay, can be made to cut twenty-five tons. The land is of excellent quality.
Possession given at any time.
For terms and further particulars apply to the undersigned, or to HERBERT B. RAINSFORD, Barrister, Fredericton, N.B.
JOHN L. ALEXANDER.
Fredericton, May 3, 1887.
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YORK STREET, FREDERICTON, N. B.
PLUMBERS & GASFITTERS,
Tin Plate and Sheet Iron Workers, &c., &c.
THE SUBSCRIBERS beg to return their sincere thanks to their numerous friends who have so liberally patronized them during the last fourteen years, and beg to inform them and the public generally that they intend to make an ENTIRE CHANGE IN THEIR PRESENT BUSINESS on the first day of May next, and request all parties indebted to them to make payment of the same immediately. Persons having accounts against the firm will please render them for adjustment.
We have now on hand an extensive and first-class
LOT OF IRON WARE
and other goods which we are offering at extreme low rates.
Parties requiring anything in our line will do well to give us a call. Call early and often.
CREAMERS at $1.25.
Gasfitting and Plumbing in all its branches promptly attended to by first-class workmen.
A. LIMERICK & CO.
April 2, 1887.

WANTED.
A **GOOD BLACKSMITH & HELPER.** One who is a first-class horse shoer.
Apply to ALEX. LEE,
Westmorland St., Fredericton.
apr 16

Sore Eyes
The eyes are always in sympathy with the body, and afford an excellent index of its condition. When the eyes become weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it is an evidence that the system has become disordered by Scrofula, for which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best known remedy.
Scrofula, which produced a painful inflammation in my eyes, caused me much suffering for a number of years. By the advice of a physician I commenced taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After using this medicine a short time I was completely
Cured
My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.
For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.—C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H.
From childhood, and until within a few months, I have been afflicted with Weak and Sore Eyes. I have used for these complaints, with beneficial results, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and consider it a great blood purifier.—Mrs. C. Phillips, Glover, Vt.
I suffered for a year with inflammation in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,
By Taking
three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Randal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.
My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.
Ayer's Sarsaparilla,
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles, $5.

NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY BRAITHWAITE, of the City of Fredericton, in the Province of New Brunswick, Lumberer and Trader, has this day made an Assignment of all his Estate and effects to WILLIAM W. STREET, of Fredericton aforesaid, Esquire, in trust, for such Creditors as shall execute the said Assignment within SIXTY days from the date thereof, and that the said Trust Deed lies at the Office of the undersigned, in the said City, for inspection and executions.
Dated this 26th day of April, A. D. 1887.
HENRY B RAINSFORD, Solicitor
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'86 Dec. '36
Owen Sharkey
Thankful for past favors, wishing his patrons
MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR,
Begs to state that he has now on hand a Large Stock of Staple and Fancy
DRY GOODS CLOTHING, ETC.
Many lines of which will be sold at
Reduced! Prices
with a view to a change in the business or a final wind-up as at early a day as practicable. The stock comprises in part
Ladies DRESS GOODS
IN
Cashmeres, Stuff Goods, Suitings, Tweeds, &c., all desirable Shades and Colors, Velveteens, Plushes, Mantle Cloths, Manties, Wool Jerseys, Shawls, Squares, Scarfs, Corsets, Fur Caps, Fur Capes and Fur Trimmings, Cassimere and Kid Gloves, Kid Mitts, etc. Also: Prints, Cretonnes, Grey and White Cottons, Shirting, Sheeting, Table Linens, Towelings, Dunks, Denims, Swanskinnes, Scarlet, Blue, Gray, White and Fancy Flannels, White and Colored Blankets, Table and Floor Oilcloths, Wool and Hemp Carpets, Cotton Warp.
MEN'S, YOUTHS', and BOYS'
Ulsters, Overcoats, Reefers, Coats, Pants and Vests, Shirts, Drawers, Scarfs, Collars, Ties, Fur Caps in Persian, Lambs', Astrican, Baltic Seal and Coney, Knitted Wool Gloves, Kid Gloves, Kid Mitts, Cardigan Jackets, etc., Scotch and Canadian Tweeds, Worsted and Coating, Choice Patterns and Good Value.
TRUNKS, VALISES, and TRAVELLING BAGS, SLEIGH ROBES, SLEIGH ROBE, HORSE BLANKETS, REMNANTS of all kinds always on hand.
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DR. E. C. WEST'S
FOR THE LIVER BLOOD STOMACH AND KIDNEYS
DANDELION
Infallible Blood Purifier, Tonic, Diuretic Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, all Kidney Diseases, Scrofula, Diseases peculiar to Females, Salt Rheum, Eczema and all Skin Diseases, Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Sour Stomach and Heart Burn. Purely Vegetable.
JOHN C. WEST & Co., TORONTO ONT.

TREES
—FOR—
Trans-plantation!
THE SUBSCRIBER will supply all parties requiring Trees for Decorating Grounds and Streets with any quanty of the following varieties during the coming season: Oak, Elm, Maple and Ash; also, Cedar Hedges, if required, and will deliver the same either at Neill's hardware store or at the residence of P. McPeak, Esq., at which places orders will be received.
WM. BOOKER, Nashwaaksis.
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IMPERIAL INSTITUTE
TO THE CITIZENS OF FREDERICTON.
I HAVE received a circular from His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, in reference to the Imperial Institute, about to be erected in London, in honor of the Queen's jubilee year, in which all the Colonies are invited to contribute towards the object. I will be pleased to receive any amounts persons may feel disposed to contribute, and acknowledge the same publicly, when the time is up, viz: 15th June.
G. E. FENETY, Mayor.
May 10—2i (Papers friendly disposed please copy)

L. P. LaFOREST,
Tinsmith, Plumber and Gasfitter,
Begs to announce that he has purchased his father's stock in trade, and will continue the business in all its various branches at the old stand,
PHŒNIX SQUARE, NORTH SIDE.
He will give particular attention to Erecting Furnaces and to Tin Roofing; and is well-prepared to meet the demands of the wholesale tin trade.
He will keep constantly on hand a superior class of TINWARE for the retail trade, which will be found to be cheaper and better than can be bought anywhere else in the city.
He solicits a fair share of the public patronage.
Remember the place:
PHŒNIX SQUARE, NORTH SIDE.
Fredericton, April 12, 1887.—3m t w

REV. T. DEWITT TALMAGE.

The Brooklyn Preacher on the Work of the Night.

From Twelve to Three O'clock —The Sights and Sounds of the City by Night— A Vivid Picture.

BROOKLYN, May 15.—At the Tabernacle this morning, there were the same great throngs of people as usual, overflowing the main audience room into the corridors, and from the corridors into the street. This, the largest church in America, is more and more inadequate to hold the people, as the years go by. All parts of the earth are represented at every service. The pastor, the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, D. D., took for his text this morning:—"Watchman, what of the Night?" Isaiah xxi, 2. He said:—

When night came down on Babylon, Nineveh and Jerusalem they needed careful watching. Otherwise the incendiary's torch might have been thrust into the very heart of the metropolitan splendor, or enemies, marching from the hills, might have forced the gates. All night long, on top of the wall and in front of the gates, might be heard the measured step of the watchman on his solitary beat; silence hung in the air, save as some passer-by raised the question, "Watchman, what of the night."

IT IS TO ME A DEEPLY SUGGESTIVE

and solemn thing to see a man standing guard by night. It thrilled through me, as at the gate of an arsenal in Charleston, the question once smote me, "Who comes there?" followed by the sharp command, "Advance and give the countersign." Every moral teacher stands on picket or patrols the wall as watchman. His work is to sound the alarm, and whether it be in the first watch, in the second watch, in the third watch or in the fourth watch, to be vigilant until the daybreak flings its "morning glories" of blooming cloud across the arching trellis of the sky.

The ancients divided their night into four parts—the first watch, from six to nine; the second from nine to twelve; the third, from twelve to three; and the fourth, from three to six.

I speak now of the city in the third watch, or from twelve to three o'clock.

I never weary of looking upon the life and brilliancy of the city in the first watch. That is the hour when the stores are closing. The laboring men, having quitted the scaffolding and the shop, are on their way home. It rejoices me to give them my seat in the city car. They have stood and hammered away all day. Their feet are weary. They are exhausted with the tug of work. They are mostly cheerful. With appetites sharpened on the swift turner's wheel and the carpenter's whetstone, they seek the evening meal. The clerks, too, have broken away from the counter, and with brain weary of the long line of figures and the whims of those who go a-shopping seek the face of mother, or wife and child.

THE MERCHANTS ARE UNHARNESSING

themselves from their anxieties, on their way up the street. The boys that lock up are heaving away at the shutters, shoving the heavy bolts, and taking a last look at the fire to see that all is safe. The streets are thronged with young men, setting out for the great centres of bargain making.

Let idlers clear the street, and give right of way to the besweated artisans and merchants! They have earned their bread, and are now on their way home to get it.

The lights in full jet hang over ten thousand evening repasts—the parents at either end of the table, the children between. Thank God, "who setteth the solitary in families."

A few hours later, and all the places of amusement, good and bad, are in full tide. Lovers of art, catalogue in hand, stroll through the galleries and discuss the pictures. The ball room is resplendent with the rich apparel of those who, on either side of the white, glistening boards, await the signal from the orchestra. The footlights of the theatre flash up; the bell rings and the curtain rises, and out from the gorgeous scenery glide the actors, greeted with the vociferation of the expectant multitudes. Concert halls are lifted into enchantment with the warble of one songstress, or swept out on a sea of tumultuous feeling by the blast of brazen instruments. Drawing-rooms are filled with all gracefulness of apparel, with all sweetness of sound, with all splendor of manner; mirrors are catching up and multiplying the scene, until it seems as if in infinite corridors there were garlanded groups advancing and retreating.

The out door air rings with laughter and with the moving to and fro of thousands on the great promanades. The dashing span adrip with the foam of the long country ride, rushes past

AS YE HALT AT THE CURB-STONE.

Mirth, revelry, beauty, fashion, magnificence mingle in the great metropolitan picture, until the thinking man goes home to think more seriously, and the praying man to pray more earnestly.

A beautiful and overwhelming thing is the city in the first and second watches of the night.

But the clock strikes twelve, and the third watch has begun.

The thunder of the city has rolled out of the air. The slightest sounds cut the night with such distinctness so as to attract your attention. The tinkling of the bell of the street car in the distance, and the braying of the dog. The stamp of a horse in the next street. The slamming of a saloon door. The hiccough of the drunkard. The shrieks of the steam-whistle five miles away. O, how suggestive, my friends, the third watch of the night.

There are honest men passing up and down the streets. Here is a city missionary who has been carrying a scuttle of coal to that poor family in that dark place. Here is an undertaker going up the steps of a building from which there comes a bitter cry which indicates that the destroying angel has smitten the first-born. Here is a minister of religion who has been giving the sacrament to a dying Christian. Here ir a physican passing along in great haste, the messenger a few steps ahead hurrying on to the household.

Nearly all the lights have gone out in the dwellings, for it is the third watch of the night. That light in the window is the light of the watcher, for the medicines must be administered, and the fever must be watched, and the restless tossing of the coverlids must be resisted, and the ice must be kept on the hot temples, and the perpetual prayer must go up from hearts soon to be broken.

O, the third watch of the night! What a stupendous thought—

A WHOLE CITY AT REST!

Weary arm preparing for to-morrow's toil. Hot brain being cooled off. Rigid muscles relaxed. Excited nerves soothed. The white hair of the octogenarian in thin drifts across the pillow, fresh fall of flakes on snow already fallen. Childhood with its dimpled hands thrown out on the pillow, and with every breath taking in a new store of fun and frolic. Third watch of the night! God's slumberless eye will look. Let one great wave of refreshing slumber roft over the heart of the great towr, submerging care and anxiety and worriment and pain.

Let the city sleep. But, my friends, be not deceived. There will be thousands to-night who will not sleep at all. Go up that dark alley, and be cautious where you tread, lest you fall over the prostrate form of a drunkard lying on his own doorstep. Look about you, lest you feel the garrotter's hug. Look through the broken windowpane, and see what you can see. You say, "Nothing." Then listen. What is it? "God help us!" No footlights, but tragedy ghastlier and mightier than Ristori or Edwin Booth ever enacted. No light, no fire, no bread, no hope. Shivering in the cold, they have had no food for 24 hours. You say, "Why, don't they beg?" They do, but they get nothing. You say. "Why don't they deliver themselves over to the almshouse?" Ah! you would not ask that if you ever heard the bitter cry of a man or a child when told he must go to the almshouse.

"O," you say, "they are vicious poor, and, therefore, they do not deserve our sympathy." Are they vicious? So much more need they your pity. The Christian poor, God helps them. Through their night there twinkles the round, merry star of hope, and through the broken window-pane they see the crystals of heaven; but the vicious poor, they are

MORE TO BE PITIED.

Their last light has gone out. You excuse yourself from helping them by saying they are so bad, they brought this trouble on themselves. I reply, where I give ten prayers for the innocent who are suffering I will give twenty prayers for the guilty who are suffering.

The fisherman, when he sees a vessel dashing into the breakers, comes out from his hut and wraps the warmest flannels around those who are most chilled, and most bruised, and most battered in the wreck; and I want you to know that these vicious poor have had two shipwrecks—shipwreck of the body, shipwreck of the soul—shipwreck for time, shipwreck for eternity. Pity, by all means, the innocent who are suffering, but pity more the guilty.

Pass on through the alley. Open the door. "O," you say, "it is locked." No, it is not locked. It has never been locked. No burglar would be tempted to go in there to steal anything. The door is never locked. Only a broken chair stands against the door. Shove it back. Go in. Strike a match. Now, look. Beastliness and rags. See those glaring eyeballs. Be careful now what you say. Do not utter any insult, do not utter any suspicion, if you value your life. What is that red mark on the wall? It is the

MARK OF A MURDERER'S HAND!

Look at those two eyes rising up out of the darkness and out from the straw in the corner, coming toward you, and as they come near you your light goes out. Ah! this is a babe, not like those beautiful children presented to baptism. This little one never smiled; it never will smile. A flower flung on an awfully barren beach. Oh! Heavenly Shepherd, fold that little one in Thy arms. Wrap around you your shawl or your coat tighter, for the cold wind sweeps through.

Strike another match. Ah! is it possible that that young woman's scarred and bruised face ever was looked into by maternal tenderness? Utter no scorn. Utter no harsh word. No ray of hope has dawned on that brow for many a year. No ray of hope will ever dawn on that brow. But the light has gone out. Do not strike another light. It would be a mockery to kindle another light in such a place as that. Pass out and down the street. Our cities of Brooklyn and New York and all our great cities are full of such homes, and the worst time

THE THIRD WATCH OF THE NIGHT.

Do you know it is in this third watch of the night that criminals do their worst work? It is the criminal's watch.

At half-past eight o'clock you will find them in the drinking saloon, but toward twelve o'clock they go to their garrets, they get out their tools, then they start on the street. Watching on either side for the police, they go to their work of darkness. This is a burglar, and the false key will soon touch the store-lock. This is an incendiary, and before morning there will be a light on the sky, and a cry of "Fire, fire!" This is an assassin, and to-morrow morning there will be a dead body in one of the vacant lots During the daytime these villains in our cities lounge about, some asleep and some awake, but when the third watch of the night arrives, their eye keen, their brain cool, their arm strong, their foot fleet to fly or pursue, they are ready.

Many of these poor creatures were brought up in that way. They were born in a thieves' garret. Their childish toy was a burglar's dark-lantern. The first thing they remember was their mother bandaging the brow of their father, struck by the police club. They began by robbing boys' pockets, and now they have come to dig the underground passage to the cellar of the bank, and are

PREPARING TO BLAST THE GOLD VAULT.

Just so long as there are neglected children of the street, just so long we will have these desperadoes. Some one,