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QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, GAGETOWN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1897.

it can they?"

let us try."

what we can do.

story commences.

record itself upon the place which must

"Is that all?" returned Donald. "How

very easy. Couldn't we take some? Do

"All right," I replied. "But first of

photograph traps ready and we'll see

The marvellous photos of lightning

flashes that appear in the Strand had ex.

cited Donald's wonder and curiosity, lead-

ing to the conversation with which this

We had not long to wait for a thunder-

when there is another at night get your front of my house.

conscious.

He declared that his pockets must

covered consciousness he was lying on his

dazed to think or observe, but great was

ways carried) and everything all gone.

then be developed in the usual way."



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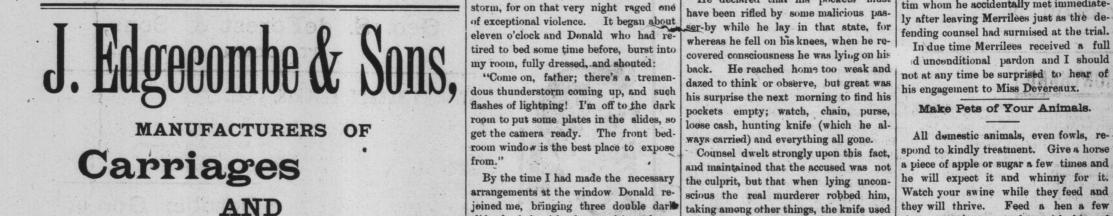
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forthcoming assizes about to be held Literature. the Guildhall, Winchester. TIT Doubtless the reader remembers the SAVED BY A NEGATIVE. account of the trial, which was published so fully in the daily papers at the time, but in case he may not recall it to mind "Father," said my son Donald to me I might here briefly give Merrilee's deone day, "how do they take these wonfence. In spite of the strong proofs of derful photographs of lighting flashes that his guilt, he persistently declared himare printed in the magazines? They self innocent and pleaded 'not guilty. don't know when a flash is coming, and He fully admitted the truth of the evican't make it stay while they photograph dence of the butler of 'Forest Hall,' and his counsel explained that he had that "Not likely," I laughingly replied; evening proposed for the hand of Miss "the lightning 'takes' itself. If there is Devereus, but had been rejected, upon a thunderstorm at night all that is neceswhich he had accused her of favoring the sary is to put a sensitive plate in the suit of Solenski, and when she admitted camera, uncover the lens and point it at the that she had that day accepted Solenski sky, when the next flash of lightning will his jealousy and rage over-powered him

chester on my bicycle. The very thing! John G. Adams. At 6.45 that same morning I rode up UNDERTAKER to the Winchester jail, and demanded te see the governor immediately, and upon being admitted to his presence, showed him the heaven-sent witness, which he Funeral Director. deemed of such importance that he tele-

graphed to the Home Secretary giving Caskets, in Brocade, Velvet, Broad cloth (Black or White), Rosewood, Wal-nut, Oak, French Burl and Stained ;Wood, Highly finished in different Styles and Qualities, All Sizes, Prices Reasonable. him details of my marvellous photograph, with the result that in this eleventh hour Gerald Merrilees was reprieved-he was Polished Woods and Cloth Covered

saved! The police had my negative enlarged and sent copies of the photographwhereupon the features of the murderen were clearly portrayed-to all the police stations in the kingdom, with the result that within ten days the real culprit was arrested in the foreign quarter of Soho, in connection, with White or Black Mountings for Young or Old. Orders from the Country care-fully attended to at Mod-erate Prices. and upon being charged of the murder, confessed his guilt, stating that Solenki - being a very hot-tempered fellowwas an absconding Nihilist, who had fled 'causing him to rush from the house mutto England to avoid carrying out a hor-Opp. Queen Hotel, Fredericton tering the terribly incriminating threats rible task imposed upon him by the parnow used as evidence against him. Aft-

ticular rules of that dreaded society. er leaving 'Forest Hall' reason gradually By so doing his life became forfeited prevailed, and he proceeded to go home, and to the murderer was allotted the duty all we must wait for a thunderstorm, so his path lying across the common in of carrying out the society's vengeance. Hoping to escape, Solenki, had lived in

Being anxious to arrive there before retirement in our village, but was tracked the threatened storm broke, and partly by his inexorable executioner, who stated PICTURE MOULDINGS to cool his fiery temper, he ran; but, his that on the night of the great storm, he foot catching in the stump of a furze bush, had come across the prostrate and sensecaused him to fall heavily to the ground less form of Merrilees, from whom he

and with such force as to render him untook everything available, including that fatal knife with which he stabbed his victim whom he accidentally met immediatehave been rifled by some malicious pasly after leaving Merrilees just as the defending counsel had surmised at the trial. whereas he fell on his knees, when he re-In due time Merrilees received a full d uncenditional pardon and I should back. He reached home too weak and

not at any time be surprised to hear of his engagement to Miss Devereaux. Make Pets of Your Animals.

All demestic animals, even fowls, re-TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN : spond to kindly treatment. Give a horse Counsel dwelt strongly upon this fact, and maintained that the accused was not a piece of apple or sugar a few times and he will expect it and whinny for it.

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Deveroux, in which Solenski's name was mentioned several times, and that Merri-lees had suddenly dashed out of the house muttering: "I'll kill him! I'll kill him!" Upon this evidence and that of " Upon this evidence and that of and were alarmed to see my agitated state, drive it down beside the pail, inside the but upon explaining matters, my wife's bail, whenever the pail is set out with Gagetown, N. B. Merrilees was committed for trial at the ready wit suggested that I ride to Win- water in it.

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