

POOR DOCUMENT

The Czars.
Appropos of the approaching coronation of the Czar at Moscow, the following items of Russian history will be of interest:
Russia had three successive capitals before Moscow, namely Novgorod, on the Volkhoff; Kiev, on the Dnieper; and Vladimir, on the Kliasna. Moscow was founded in the twelfth century by Prince Youry Dolgoroky (Long-armed), and in the fourteenth century, when all the small, independent were annexed to the Muscovite State, became the capital of Russia. In the fifteenth century, Ivan III. of Moscow married Princess Sophy, the niece of Constantine, the last Emperor of the Eastern Roman Empire. Sophy lived in Rome, and when she came to Moscow she brought along a number of Italian artists. One of these, the architect Aristotel Fioraventi, immortalized his name by building the Czar's palace at Kremlin, the church tower of Ivan Veliky (the Great), the highest in Russia, and the Uspensky (Assumption) Cathedral. From that time to the present day all the Czars and Czarnitsas of Russia have been crowned and anointed in the Uspensky Cathedral in Moscow.
What a tale the walls of that ancient but now insignificant cathedral could tell! Within it Ivan the Terrible stood and took an oath before God that he would be an ever-loving father to his subjects, and yet during his fifty years of reign he proved himself one of the most cruel tyrants that ever lived. Metropolitan Philipp, who anointed him with chrism, afterwards called him "a mad dog," and blessed the hand that should kill him. Nevertheless, that crowned man in his eightieth year was a genius. Among his statesmen there was none equal to him in knowledge and he knew the Bible by heart. In that same cathedral stood Theodor, the last ruler of the Rurik family, which reigned in Russia over seven centuries. Next there appeared in the cathedral a sly Tartar prince, Boris Godunoff, who murdered the last descendant of the Rurik family, Dimitry, the little brother of Theodor, and snatched the Czar's crown for himself. By his abuse, the free peasants were converted into the serfs of the Boyards, whose land they happened to occupy.
In 1613, the old cathedral witnessed the coronation of a youth of 16, Michael Romanoff, a remote relative in the feminine line of the Ruriks. Although he was elected by the National Assembly, even the first Romanoff Czar preferred to call himself an autocrat by God's grace, instead of by the will of the people, as he was in fact. Seventy years later, two Czars were crowned at once in the Uspensky Cathedral—Ivan, a youth of 16, weak in mind and body, and Peter, a boy of 10. The young Czars were ruled, along with their country, by their treacherous sister, Sophy, whom Peter, when he obtained his seventeenth year, put into a convent for life. This was Peter the Great. His grandson, Peter the Second, was the last male ruler of the Romanoff family, and he died when only 14 years old.
Four female autocrats have been crowned in the Uspensky Cathedral, of whom only two were of the Romanoff house. Catherine I, the wife of Peter the Great, who ruled after her husband's death, was German by birth, and of low origin. Catherine II, the murderer of her husband, was a German princess of Anhalt-Zerbst. Anna, the wife of Czar Ivan, snatched the imperial crown with blood-stained hands. It was she who was accused of poisoning the boy Czar, Peter II. Elizabeth, the daughter of Peter the Great, was crowned after having thrown into prison the baby Czar, Ivan VI, the son of a prince of Brunswick. With the death of Elizabeth in 1761, the house of Romanoff was extinguished. The son of a prince of Holstein, Goltzoff, who married Anna, the daughter of Peter the Great, was crowned under the name of Peter III. He wore the crown only six months, when he was dethroned and killed by order of his wife, Catherine the Second. His son, Paul I., though a born idiot, was crowned as autocrat of all the Russias. Four years afterwards he was strangled by conspirators, one of whom was his own son, and who was then crowned under the name of Alexander I, called the Blessed. Next came Nicholas I, and Alexander II, the Liberator, and there the list of the anointed Czars of Russia at present ends.
In the whole civilized world there is no monarch possessing such sweeping authority as the Czar of Russia. Article 1, vol. I. of the law says:
"The Emperor of all the Russias is an autocrat and has an unlimited power; whom God himself ordered to be obeyed, not only for the sake of fear, but also for the sake of conscience."
Article 47 of the same volume says:
"The Russian empire is governed by virtue of laws, institutions, and instructions issued by the autocrat."
Article 42 says:
"The Emperor is a Christian sovereign, is the supreme protector and guardian of doctrine and of order in the State Church. In this sense he is head of the Church."
In short the Czar is the sole legislator, the sole supreme Judge, and the unlimited administrator of the sixth part of our globe, populated by 100,000,000 of his subjects.
Oleomargarine, despite its high-sounding name, is butter fraud after all.

A Manly Lover
"What do you think, Myrtle?"
I hardly know what to think, Reginald, replied the girl, her eyes illumined with the radiant light of love as she turned in response to Reginald Simpson's question and looked at him with the beautiful, tender, catlike look of a first and only love. "I only know that, whatever my father may say, whatever he may do, my love for you will never falter or fail; my trust in the nobility of your nature will be as steadfast as the mighty rock of Gibraltar that flings back in scorn from its stone-buttressed base the mighty billows that are ever beating against its solid sides in their mad, impotent fury."
When Myrtle got well under way she was a pretty fair talker. She was a fair, slender girl, with the lustrous brown eyes that one sees so often in Brahmin hens, and a complexion that never cost less than \$1 per box. As she stood in the parlour of her father's palatial residence this balmy June evening, her hand placed trustfully in that of Reginald, while her feet almost touched his as they spoke the words quoted above, the picture was indeed a pretty one.
"You are sure that he has heard all?" asked Reginald in solemn, pleading tones. "Dead certain," replied the girl. "You can bet on this, darling."
At that moment the sound of footsteps was heard. Myrtle ran to the window and peered anxiously out into the yard. "He is coming," she said, in frightened tones, "and you must confess all and trust to his mercy."
"I guess you're right sis," replied Reginald.
In a moment George W. Hatheway, the merchant prince, entered the room. Reginald at once went up to him.
"Mr. Hatheway," he said, "I have come here to-night to tell you frankly that last Sunday morning I went out to the race track. You know that Myrtle and I love each other with a deathless, Do-or-die devotion, and that opposition will only make stronger, and that we have pledged our troth, I do not seek to defend my conduct of last Sunday. I know it is wrong to visit a race track at all, and more especially on Sunday. But it seemed to me more noble, more manly, to tell you the exact truth."
"So you were out to the track on Sunday?" said the old man, his face assuming a sad, pained expression.
"Yes, sis," replied Reginald.
"Ah!" that was indeed wrong. But step with me into my library. This is a serious matter, involving, perhaps, the future happiness of my only child—and as he spoke the merchant lustily wiped away a pearly tear that hung trembling on the lower lid of his left eye.
The two men stepped into the library. Mr. Hatheway closing the door as they entered. Reginald felt that the worst would soon come. Seating himself in an easy chair, Mr. Hatheway looked earnestly at Reginald for a moment. Then he spoke up suddenly:
"Did you see a little bay mare with a sort of spike tail and her near front foot white, being exercised out there Sunday morning?"
"Yes, sis," replied Reginald.
"How fast did she go?"
"She trotted a mile in 2:23, the last quarter in 35 seconds," was the reply.
A peaceful, happy smile stole over the old man's face. "Reginald, my boy," he said in low, earnest tones, "that little bay mare belongs to me. My position as a deacon will not allow me to publicly acknowledge the ownership of the animal but you can bet your sweet life that when she is out loose at the July races, I will break all the officers of our church and several people in the adjoining parish. Do you understand, my boy?"
"Yes, I catch on," said Reginald. "I knew you owned the mare all the time, but a Chicagoan is too noble to give away his prospective father-in-law and stopping to the sideboard, Reginald courteous poured out a drink of sour mash for Mr. Hatheway before taking one himself.
The old man did not fail to notice this action. "This boy has the true Saxon spirit," he murmured to himself, "and he shall marry Myrtle when the leaves begin to turn. I shall need him myself during the trotting season."
Chicago Tribune.
A TENNIS JOKER.—The best-known story of the traditional Job Miller of Turkey is that of his three fooling an assembly of true believers out of a sermon by three successive jocular replies. The first time he ascended the pulpit he said: "Oh, true believers, do you know what I am going to say?" They replied: "No." Whereupon he asked, "Of what use is it to preach to such ignoramuses?" and then came down from the pulpit. The next time, when he asked the same question, they answered, "Yes, we know," whereupon he said, "Then, it is useless for me to tell you," and came down. The third time, having taken counsel together, the congregation prepared an answer which they thought would corner their joker, preacher, and said, "Some of us know, and some don't; whereupon he promptly replied, "Let those who know tell those who don't," and once more came down.
—If some of the wisecracks who are predicting the drying up of the earth would only show the earth an example of a similar character, it would be well.
There are some promising young men who don't care about keeping their word.

GIBSON LEATHER CO.
THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Gibson Leather Company will be held at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of ELECTING A BOARD OF DIRECTORS and transacting such other business as may be incidental to or necessary for the management of the affairs of the Corporation.
P. A. LOGAN, Secretary-Treasurer.
Gibson, May 11.
A. L. BELYEA, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, CONVEYANCER, &c., &c. Agent for the Agricultural Services Company, of Waterloo, N. Y.
Accounts collected. Loans negotiated.
OFFICE—COR. QUEEN & CARLETON STREETS, Opposite New Post Office, FREDERICTON, N. B.
May 11—9 o'clock

CLARKE, KERR & THORNE,
ST. JOHN, N. B.
We have added to our stock during April:
354 Packages Hardware, &c., 227 Bundles Hardware, &c., and offer to Wholesale-Buyers a most complete assortment of
English, American, Foreign and Domestic HARDWARE, CUTLERY, FANCY GOODS, Etc.
Merchants visiting St. John are cordially invited to inspect our
'SAMPLER ROOM.'
We are prepared to give satisfaction to all who patronize us.
Clarke, Kerr & Thorne,
PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.
St. John, May 4—9 o'clock

Seeds and Fertilizers.
The Subscriber has on hand, which he offers for sale at the lowest cash prices:
Lime, Land Plaster, Bradley's Superphosphate, Timothy Seed, Clover Seed, Alaska Seed, White Fyfe Seed, Wheat seed, Seed Peas, Silver Hull Seeds, Buckwheat Rough Seed, Black F. E. I. Seed Oats, White Russian Seed Oats, English, Portland and Newark Cements, Hay, Straw, and Heavy Feed, Bran and Feeding Oats.
Office and Warehouse Campbell Street, above City Hall. JAMES TIBBITS.
May 4, 1882.

40 CASES Rubber Boots and Shoes
lately received at
LOTTIMER'S Fashionable Shoe Store.
In Ladies' Gents' Misses' Boys' and Children's sizes.
Fredericton, March 30, 1882.

New Brunswick RAILWAY COMPANY.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
COMMENCING TUESDAY, January 3rd, 1882. Trains carrying passengers will run as follows:
LEAVE GIBSON, 7:45 a. m., for Woodstock, Grand Falls, Edmondston, Presque Isle and intermediate stations.
LEAVE WOODSTOCK, 11:00 a. m., for Grand Falls, Edmondston, Presque Isle and intermediate stations.
LEAVE WOODSTOCK, 1:10 p. m., for Gibson, Woodstock and intermediate stations.
LEAVE EDMONDSTON, 10:30 a. m., for Grand Falls, Presque Isle, Woodstock, Gibson and intermediate stations.
Passengers for St. Leonard and Edmondston arrive at Grand Falls 5:30 a. m., where they will remain until 6:30 a. m., next day, at which time train leaves for these points.
Passengers for St. Leonard, Edmondston and Grand Falls for points south of Arundel, will remain at Arundel until 1:15 p. m., next day, and will be taken, free of charge, to Fort Fairfield, where good hotel accommodations can be procured. Train leaves Fort Fairfield at 8:45 a. m.
Passengers for Bangor, Portland, Boston and points West, connect at Woodstock with the N. B. & C. Railway train, which leaves Woodstock at 2 p. m., making connection at Vanceboro with night train for the West.
Passengers from the West by night train can also make connection with the 11:00 a. m. train from Woodstock to Presque Isle, Grand Falls, etc.
Freight Trains daily between all stations.
ALFRED SEELY, Asst. Superintendent.
Gibson, Jan. 4, 1882.

Farm for Sale.
THE subscriber offers for sale his valuable Farm, situated in the Cross Creek Settlement, Parish of Stannish, containing about one hundred and fifty acres. The buildings, Fences, etc., are all in good order, and the Farm is well watered and under good cultivation.
For further particulars apply to DANIEL LEVY, Fredericton, or to JOHN O'LEARY, Stanley, Stanley, April 10, 1882.
HERRING TWINE.
JUST received and for sale low, by Z. E. EVERETT, March 3, 1882.

WHEN YOU WANT TO BUY
Boots and Shoes
in Fredericton, don't forget that
A. LOTTIMER
Has Removed
HIS CELEBRATED
SHOE STORE
to the Store in
Machum's Brick Building,
Next door below Dever Bros.'
Dry Goods Establishment,
And just 5 Doors above his Old Stand,
NEARLY OPPOSITE THE NORMAL SCHOOL BUILDING,
QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON
P. M., May 1, 1882.

ALABASTINE.
A Natural Material for finishing Walls, Ceilings, ROUGH PLASTER, NEW SMOOTH SAND FINISH, A SOLID HARD FINISH, PAINTED WALLS, WOOD CEILINGS, WALL PAPER, BRICK, ROUGH BOARDS, CANVAS, Etc., Etc.
Superior to Kalsomine. READY FOR USE BY ADDING HOT WATER. CAN BE MIXED BY ANY ONE. ANY HOUSEKEEPER CAN APPLY IT WITHOUT THE AID OF SKILLFUL LABOR.
Alabastine is a Valuable Discovery. It constitutes a permanent finish for Walls, ceilings, and the plaster, and will, for use only, it does not deteriorate by age; in this respect it is unlike all other preparations of a similar character. Alabastine is a disinfectant, and renders apartments healthful. Cracks in the Wall, caused by rising the Alabastine block, which cannot be done with Kalsomine. Five pounds of ALABASTINE will cover 50 square yards, or 450 square feet, two coats.
Have just received direct from New York sixteen cases of the above, comprising Fairbank Different Shades. Wholesale and Retail by JAMES S. NEILL, P. M., April 5.

SEEDS, SEEDS.
CABBAGE, LETTUCE, BEET, SAGE, PUMPKIN, TURNIP, ONION.
CUCUMBER, CARROT, SWEET MARJORAM, PUMPKIN, TURNIP, ONION.
Of all varieties, sent up by JASBORN & CO. TIMOTHY, RED AND ALSKE CLOVER SEED.
SUPERPHOSPHATE.
18 Tons Cumberland, Bradley and Neely's Superphosphate at G. T. WHELPLEY'S, Under the Barker House, May 10—Former 31st.

ORGAN, ORGAN.
Just received direct from the Manufactory
TWO SUPERIOR CABINET ORGANS
WILCOX & WHITE, MAKERS.
Which will be sold cheap for cash or approved paper.
12-37-81 JOHN RICHARDS & SON.

COAL, COAL.
Landing per Rail this week another cargo of
SUPERIOR SOF COAL,
For sale cheap from carts or shed.
12-37-81 JOHN RICHARDS & SON.

ELM TREE Silver Mining Company.
A Splendid Chance for Investment.
WE have been appointed Agents for the sale of Stock in the above Company. Shares are \$5 each, and for the purpose of developing this Mine immediately, we are authorized to dispose of \$5 Shares for \$2. Edward Jack, Esq., C. E., speaks very highly as to the extent of this Mine, and Associate of New York and Boston pronounce the Ore exceedingly rich. The Mine is situated in Gloucester County, N. B. We have Stock Certificates ready for issue. Prospectors and other information at our office.
JOHN RICHARDS & SON, Fredericton, April 5, 1882.

GIBSON LEATHER CO.,
Manufacturers of all descriptions of Patent & Enamelled Leathers FOR SHOE & CARRIAGE PURPOSES. —ALSO— WAXED SPLITS HARNESS AND UPHOLSTERING LEATHER.
GIBSON, N. B., (Opposite Fredericton.)

FREDERICTON, DECEMBER 4, 1881
Fall & Winter IMPORTATIONS.
NEW GOODS.
FRESH STOCK. LOW PRICES.
THOS. W. SMITH & SON
are now prepared to meet the wants of their numerous customers.
IN OUR Clothing Department
A LARGE LINE OF CHINCHILLA BEAVERS, In Blue, Brown and Black. PLAIN BEAVERS, In Black, Blue and Brown.
PRIME WEST OF ENGLAND PILOT CLOTHS, ALL GRADES.
A Superior Line of GERMAN OVER COATINGS; also a well assorted stock of SPRING AND FALL OVERCOATINGS.
IN SUITINGS: English Suitings, Scotch Suitings, Irish Suitings, French Suitings, German Suitings, Canadian Suitings and Domestic Suitings.
We run a Staff of FIRST-CLASS CUTTERS, and warrant on A No. 1 fit every time, or no trade.
IN OUR CUSTOM TAILORING DEPARTMENT COMPETITION DEFIED.
READY-MADE CLOTHING, in Vests, Overcoats, Reefers, Suits, Rubber-Tweed Water-Proof Overcoats, Cardigan Jackets, in new and nobby patterns.
A WELL STOCKED OF Gents' FURNISHING GOODS, VERY LOW. HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, PORTMANTAUX, &c., in great abundance.
NEW DEPARTMENT.
Our Boot & Shoe DEPARTMENT
is now filled up. In Ready-made we have an immense assortment, from the leading Canadian houses. Men's Fine Boots, Coarse and Medium Boots, Low Shoes, Congress Boots and other English Walking Boots.
A JOB LINE OF RUBBERS AND OVERSHOES now on hand.
In our Custom Boot and Shoe Department, on foreman, MR. WILLIAM TUPPER, will endeavor to meet the wants of all with good workmanship and a first-class fit. Our stock is now open for public inspection. Drop in and see us.
THOS. W. SMITH & SON, P. M., Dec. 4, 1881.

NEW BRUNSWICK FOUNDRY.
McFARLANE, THOMPSON & ANDERSON
are now manufacturing and have for sale at the Foundry,
KING ST., FREDERICTON
THEIR CELEBRATED First Prize Hay Presses, 1150 COOKING STOVES, in all sizes. CYLINDER STOVES, with Russia and Common Iron Tops, for wood burning.
WROUGHT IRON WOOD FURNACES MADE TO ORDER.
GREGORY & BLAIR, BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. NOTARIES PUBLIC. FREDERICTON.

JUST OPENED
AT
S. F. SHUTE'S,
cases containing the following:
GERMAN WORK AND LUNCH BASKETS, Japanese Bamboo Baskets, PHILADONE'S RAZORS, Scissors, Pocket Knives, Nickle Paper Weights, Ash Pans, Nut Picks, Fruit Knives, Cigar Lighters and Ventilated Armchairs. A Nice Lot of **WALKING STICKS.**
Long Handled JAPANESE FANS for Covering.
Also, a splendid line of **BRIAR PIPES.** REMEMBER THE PLACE: **S. F. SHUTE'S,** Sharky's Block, Queen Street, Fredericton, March 23.

CARPETS, CARPETS!
ENGLISH BRUSSELS and Tapestry CARPETS
The largest and best Stock in the City to choose from,
ALL SELECT PATTERNS VERY HANDSOME.
DEVER BROTHERS.
Fredericton, May 12
TEA. TEA. FORTY packages CHOICE TEAS. Large assortment, First Class French, G. T. WHELPLEY, Under the Barker House, May 10
Oranges. Just received and for sale low, **25 BOXES OF ORANGES.** G. T. WHELPLEY, Under the Barker House, May 10
Cabinet Organs. MORE magnificent Cabinet Organs received to-day at LEMONT'S Variety Store. Sell for cash or on installment, may 12
HO! HO!! A LARGE line of Chaudron's Cabs and Perambulators just received. Call early at LEMONT'S VARIETY STORE.
Milk Pans, Crocks. 4,680 PRICES Milk Pans, Butter Crocks, Preservers, Jars and Flower Pots, very low, at wholesale and retail, at LEMONT'S Variety Store, May 8
BABY'S CHAIR ROCKERS & DEXTER HORSES at LEMONT'S Variety Store, May 8
Farmers Attention. CHURNS, Butter Tubs, Mutton Ladles, Butter Trays and butter Prints, in great variety at LEMONT'S Variety Store, May 8
Boys' Carts, Wheelbarrows. A LARGE assortment of Boys' Carts, Wheelbarrows and Wagons at LEMONT'S Variety Store, May 8
BABY SWINGS, BABY SWINGS. Very nice at LEMONT'S Variety Store, May 8
Manure Forks, Hoes, Etc. Just received from the famous A. S. Whitman Manufacturing Company. Hoop, Riveted and Socket; Manure Forks, four five and six Prong; Manure Fork Handles; Hay Forks, two and three Prong; Scythes and Scythe Stones; Scythe Hooks; Scything Forks; Hay Fork Handles; Manure Fork Ferrules; Hay Fork Ferrules, &c., &c. The above goods will be sold low, wholesale and retail. Z. R. EVERETT, April 12
Frith & Son's Cast Steel. JUST received per Steamship "Nova Scotia" from Liverpool the following: 1,000 lb. Pick Steel; 1,000 lb. Mottled Drill Steel; 800 lb. Square Tool Steel. For sale wholesale and retail by JAMES S. NEILL, Feb. 27