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The subscriber is prepared to receive pupils for instruction on the VIOLIN, CORNET, BARITONE, and all Brass Band Instruments.
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Wm. Green,
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HOTELS.

HOTEL BRUNSWICK,
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Heated by Steam throughout. Prompt attention and moderate charges. Telephone Communication with all parts of the city.
April 6, 1897.

Notice to Housekeepers.

Why buy doubtful brands of flour when you can get the famous Jersey Lily Brand for the same money.

And don't punish your family with bad, smoky oil, buy American Home Light and you will be the gainer.

Sold by

P. Hennessy.

Newcastle, Sept. 23rd, 1896.

MILLINERY.

We are giving a Big Reduction on all our Millinery for the next Three weeks. Our stock is new and includes the very latest in Hats, Ribbons, Veils, Flowers, Wings, Sprays, etc.

Also in Stock

A fine range of winter undergarments from 50c up. Ladies' Wrappers, Skirts, Blouses, Silk Waists, Trimmings, Night Gowns, Corset Covers, Hosiery and Mitts, Old Ladies' Dress Caps, Infants' wool Bonnets and Tams.

A fine children's Elder down Coats selling at a cost to clear.

A fine selection of stamped linen goods and working silks.

All orders for Millinery made promptly and in first class style.

Mrs. H. A. Quilty,

Opposite the Square,
Newcastle, N. B., 22nd, 1896.

WANTED

To Purchase, 2000 Hides for which Cash will be paid.

ALSO—Customers are wanted to purchase a large lot of

Boots and Shoes.

which are offered at Reduced Prices.

E. Hickey,

Newcastle, Nov. 16, 1896.

Tuning and Repairing.

J. O. Biedermann, Pianoforte and Organ Tuner.

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

Regular visits made to the northern Counties of which due notice will be given.

Orders for Tuning etc. can be sent to the Advocate Office, Newcastle.

J. O. BIEDERMANN.

St. John, May 6th, 1894.

First Class

Job Printing

done at the

Advocate Office.

BICYCLES FREE.

SAVE YOUR WELCOME SOAP WRAPPERS.

We will give FOUR BICYCLES.

Two for Nova Scotia and two for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island—(Ladies' or Gentlemen's wheels, at option of the winner).

FOR THE

Largest Number of Welcome Soap Wrappers

Sent in up to and including May 31st, 1897.

The Bicycles are the Celebrated "Red Bird" (new 1897 model) costing \$100 each, regarded as the standard high-grade wheel of Canada.

Two for Nova Scotia and two for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island—(Ladies' or Gentlemen's wheels, at option of the winner).

Writers taken from dealers' unsold stock will not be counted. Our employees and their family connections are barred.

Cut out the yellow square in centre of the wrapper and send it in with your name and address as collected—or keep together and send in all at once at May 31st, next. Results will be published and wheels awarded without delay.

The Welcome Soap Company, St. John, N. B.

MANUFACTURERS OF THE

Famous Welcome Soap.

Say I Where are you GOING

When you come to Town let us make you a Suit of Clothes.

Something that will Fit You.

(of course if you want a poor cheap suit we are not in it) but for good cloth, good wear and good fit this is the spot at moderate prices.

Cutler Block where the Bank of Nova Scotia and your truly have plenty of money.

Simon McLeod,

Newcastle, Feb. 12th, 1897.

Intercolonial Railway.

On and after Monday the 7th September, 1896, the trains of this Railway will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:

WILL LEAVE NEWCASTLE.

Through express for St. John, Halifax and Pictou, (Monday excepted). 4.05

Through express for Quebec, Montreal and all points en route. 10.45

Accommodation for Pictou. 10.45

Accommodation for Campbellton. 12.15

All trains are run by Eastern Standard time.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager.

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 3rd, 1896.

M. Bannan's Cheap Grocery Store.

Owing to sharp competition and scarcity of money, I have reduced my prices 25 per cent. on all cash sales.

To give you an idea of the cut I have made you cut get

10 lbs. hand picked Beans for 20c.

and a like proportional reduction applies to my large stock of

FLOUR, MEAL, FEED,

HAY, OATS, BEEF, PORK,

MOLASSES, TEA, at 12c, 50c, 55c, and 56c per lb.

I keep on hand

BRADLEY'S FERTILIZER

which increases the farmer's crops double the amount raised by ordinary manure.

You have no need of going outside of Newcastle to buy goods cheap but to make sure of getting bargains bring the

CASH

for I am determined to sell lower than any other store in the County let them be blue or white.

M. BANNAN.

Newcastle, March 9, 1897.

Ten Per Cent DISCOUNT

I am now offering the balance of my stock of

Crockery, China & Glassware

at ten per cent discount, to make room for my large spring importations.

—Stock comprises—

Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, Cups, Saucers, and Plates

in great variety by the dozen.

Also a large stock of fancy China Ware.

CHINA, HANGING & HAND LAMPS.

I always keep on hand a general supply of Groceries which I am offering at bottom prices.

J. W. Davidson.

Newcastle, Feb. 22, 1897.

Ladies Attention.

The subscriber is prepared to do all kinds of

Plain Sewing,

at reasonable rates. Will also keep articles of White Wear in stock.

Mrs. Jas. Moore.

Newcastle, March 2, 1897.

SHARP'S BALSAM OF Horehound and Aniseed

cures Croup, Coughs, Colds.

50 YEARS IN USE

Price 25 cts a bottle.

General Intelligence.

CHERRY'S TROUBLES

Were of the Heart—Human Skill was almost lavished when Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Fall into the Breach and in a few Minutes After one Dose He Found Great Relief, and Five Bottles Made a Bad Heart a Good One.

Wm. Cherry, of Owen Sound, Ont., writes: "For the past two years I have been greatly troubled with weakness of the heart and fainting spells. I tried several remedies, and consulted best physicians without any apparent relief. I noticed testimonials of great cures made by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. I procured a bottle, and the first dose gave me great relief. The first bottle did wonders for me. After using five bottles there are none of the symptoms remaining whatever. I think it is a great boon to mankind."—Sold by E. Lee Street.

A BIG EFFICIT.

In preparing his tariff measure Mr. Fielding will have to provide for a huge deficit for the current fiscal year. According to the figures published in the last Ottawa Gazette the revenue for the eight months of the fiscal year ended 28th February was \$23,071,548 and expenditure \$22,282,843, showing a surplus of \$808,705 while in the corresponding period last year the revenue was \$23,871,102 and expenditure \$21,377,572 showing a surplus of \$2,493,530, so that while the revenue has decreased \$1,684,497 the expenditure has increased \$884,037. But bad as this showing is it does not fairly represent the effect which the Government's lack of policy on the tariff question has had in paralyzing trade and causing an unprecedented falling off in the revenue. To understand this properly it is necessary to divide the eight months into two periods, one from the opening of the fiscal year on 1st July, when the Conservative Government was practically out of office, to the 30th September when transactions which had been entered into while it was in power; and the other covering the five months during which Mr. Laurier's Tariff Commission has been fishing for a policy. For the first three months the revenue was \$8,846,308, as compared with \$8,610,504 for the same three months in 1895, showing an increase of \$235,804; and the expenditure was \$4,093,351, as compared with \$3,537,637 in 1895, a decrease of \$555,714, showing a betterment of \$1,110,930 in the three months. Now see what followed. On 5th October, Parliament was prorogued without any announcement being made on the tariff, and at once the revenue fell off, but the expenditure, under an "economical" Grit Government took an immense leap upward. The revenue for the five months was only \$14,225,340, as compared with \$15,390,698 last year, a decrease of \$1,165,358, while the expenditure for the same period rose from \$15,840,348 in 1895, to \$17,700,495 in 1897, an increase for the five months, of \$1,860,147. To put it in another way, during the first three months of the fiscal year the revenue increased \$235,804, and the expenditure decreased \$555,714, while for the last five months the revenue has decreased \$1,025,258, and the expenditure increased \$1,760,249. In other words, the revenue is decreasing at the rate of \$800,000 a month, and the expenditure increasing at the rate of \$375,000 a month, and if these rates continue for the next four months, and they are likely to grow worse instead of better, Mr. Fielding will be out of \$2,000,000 worse off than nothing before the end of the fiscal year is reached, and to this must be added the \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000 to cover interest on Savings Bank deposits and other items of expenditure which are only charged once a year, so that the deficit cannot well be less for the year than \$7,000,000 or \$8,000,000. To this must be added the expenditure on capital account, about \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000, and it will be seen that the net result of the first financial year of the "Economic" Grit Government will be an addition to the Public Debt, of about \$13,000,000.

JOHN A. PHILLIPS.

RIGHT FROM THE MINES.

Family Ties may be Broken in the Grand Rush for Gold, but What's Wealth Without Health—Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder is a Wonderful Cure. It Never Fails to Relieve in Ten Minutes.

Frederic Lawrie, of Trail Creek, B. C., writes: "I have used two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder, and have been wonderfully helped. I can recommend it very highly to all sufferers from Catarrh." And here is another:—Mr. B. L. Egan, Eaton, P. E., says: "When I read that Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder would relieve Catarrh in 10 minutes I must say I was far from being convinced of the fact. I decided to try it. I purchased a bottle. A single puff of the powder through the blowers afforded instantaneous relief."—Sold by E. Lee Street.

THE SITUATION IN CRETE.

VIENNA, March 31.—It is understood here that Great Britain does not desire the blockade of the ports of Crete by the warships of the powers shall be continued. The Admiralty commanding the European warships in Crete warships propose to blockade the Jesso Gulf as well and the continental powers will adhere to this proposal if England also does.

ATHENS, March 31.—The Cretan refugees who have arrived here have made an appeal to the heads of the European state, praying in the name of humanity that the blockade of the Cretan ports by the warships of the powers be raised in order that supplies of food and clothing may be sent to the thousands of helpless men, women and children in Crete. The Red Cross Society has made an international appeal for aid for the inhabitants of the island. The armed insurgents are able to obtain provisions by going to the coast for supplies, but the people living inland are destitute.

IT HOLDS THE KEY.

Insignificant Beginnings—But They Steal on one as a Thief in the Night, and before one has time to wonder what ails him he is in the Firm Grip of Disease—South American Kidney Cure will break the Bonds and Liberate a man from the clutches of the disease.

The thousands of cases that have been helped, and cured by the great South American Kidney Cure is the best recommendation of its curative qualities. The remedy is a specific for all kidney troubles. It has cured me of my "Bright's Disease." It relieves in six hours.—Sold by E. Lee Street.

GOT TEN YEARS.

JOE HANDLEY SENTENCED TO DORCHESTER.

Joe Handley, who was found guilty of a murderous assault on Edgar Keenan, was sentenced by Mr. Justice Ritchie this morning and made something of a stir as he was being removed back to jail.

In sentencing the prisoner his lordship remarked that under the circumstances he could imprison him for twenty years, but he would not give him the full penalty; he would sentence him to ten years in the penitentiary.—Halifax Chronicle.

GREATEST IN THE WORLD.

LOREN A. ADAMS, Deap Brook, N. S., says: "I have taken Norway Pine Syrup with grand results. I had a very bad cold, and it was not until I had taken a bottle of Norway Pine Syrup that I was entirely cured. It is the greatest cough medicine in the world."—2c.

THE CANADIAN WEST.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 30.—The Manitoba legislature was prorogued this afternoon, the session having been an extremely short one. One of the last acts of the legislature was to adopt a memorial to the Queen, congratulating her majesty on her jubilee.

Premier Greenway, who is not in good health, has decided to postpone his trip to Ottawa, and has gone to take a rest at his country home. About the first week in May he will proceed to Ottawa, and will be accompanied by Col. McMillan, the provincial treasurer.

In a speech, after assenting to various bills passed at the session of the legislature, Governor Patterson said: "The amendments to the public schools act, embodying the settlement arrived at by our advisers, adopted during the session will, I am convinced, put at rest the long and vexing controversy. It now remains for the law as amended to be administered that the advantages of the provincial educational system will be fully enjoyed by all classes of the community. I feel sure that this will be done, and that the most complete harmony will be re-established between all sections of our population."

JOHN A. PHILLIPS.

Dominion Parliament.

OTTAWA, March 29.—Amid roasting liberal cheers, quite from Bonaventure, was introduced by Messrs. Laurier and Talbot, and took his seat.

Mr. Casey introduced his bill to secure the safety of railway employees and passengers, the object of which he explained is to provide for the compulsory use of air brakes, and of certain attachments to box cars. Another feature of the measure provides for compensation to railway employees injured in the performance of their duty through fault of their own.

Mr. Maclean introduced a bill to promote the safety of railway employees, the object of which is to provide for the adoption of the automatic air brake. He said the different railway organizations in the country approved of the principle of the measure.

Mr. Cowan introduced his bill respecting the employment of aliens in the dominion. It provides that no alien shall enter Canada to work under contract; nor shall any person be employed in Canada who resides in a foreign country.

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick introduced a bill to repeal the Franchise act and make

THE KING OF MAN-KILLERS.

Bright's Disease of the Kidneys Baffled the World's Most Eminent Medical Authorities Until

UNTIL

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Came to the Rescue and Delivery of Manic Stopping Forever the Deadly Assaults of Life's Most Insidious Foe.

Men are dropping from the ranks everywhere. Out down in the flower of youth or the foliage of manhood by that ruthless destroyer—Bright's Disease of the Kidneys.

Only a few days ago Sir Hercules Robinson, the doughty governor of Cape Colony was forced to resign that post because of encroaching Bright's Disease.

Hardly had his successor been appointed when the wise brought tidings of the death of William P. St. John, a New York banker, and remembered by every one as the treasurer of the National Democratic party during the latest national campaign, Bright's Disease carried him off.

It has killed many better men than most of us. So has Diabetes, its twin curse. Yet there is one cure (and only one) that never fails in cases of Diabetes and Bright's Disease. Let these testimonials bear witness:

Mr. Fred Cartwright, Palmerston, Ont., says:—After many years suffering with Bright's Disease, I am a new man, cured by using three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. F. Y. Groulx, Ottawa, Ont., says:—Dodd's Kidney Pills have been a godsend to me as they have cured me of Bright's Disease of the Kidneys.

S. G. Moore, King St., London, Ont., says:—After taking a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I am as well as ever in my life, despairing of recovery from Bright's Disease.

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Sir Charles Tupper said the opposition felt very strongly on this question. Many objections could be raised to the bill. The government could not expect such a measure as this to pass the house without full and elaborate discussion. He did not mean to say the present franchise act could not be improved, and he thought especially so in regard to the expense. Doubtless the house could devise means to mitigate the complaint. He questioned, however, the propriety of passing this bill at this moment. In England it was usual after a change in the session to appeal to the electors and as it was evident the government had no such intention, what then was the necessity for pressing this measure now. The government would have to indicate its position by bringing down a bill and letting it stand over until a future session. It was extremely important that the prime minister should visit England in connection with the jubilee festival; that was an additional reason why a contentious measure of this kind should not be pressed now. The great measure which the country was looking forward to was the tariff, and he urged that a bill of this kind should not be introduced. Personally he held the view that manhood suffrage might with safety be adopted as a basis of dominion franchise. If this bill were left over until a more convenient time a general agreement might be reached in regard to the franchise that would be acceptable to the whole country.

Hon. Mr. Laurier said the government was convinced they could do nothing which would be hailed with more delight by public opinion, than the introduction of this bill. For ten years the liberals have been asking for the repeal of the franchise act. If the opposition felt strongly in favor of the present act, they honored it more in the breach than in the observance. The government was pledged to the country to carry the measure and intended to carry out the pledge. Last session Sir Charles Tupper said the liberals would be out in six months; now, however, he had changed his mind. (Ministerial cheers.) There would be no necessity to go to the country immediately after the passage of this bill, as the people had passed on this question and on many others on June 23rd last. (Liberal cheers.)

Hon. Mr. Foster pointed out that the tariff was the chief measure of the session and the people were anxious to know what that tariff was to be. Nothing was to be gained by the passing of the franchise act bill this month. The great cry throughout the country was what are you going to do with our business.

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