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WHOLE No. 998.

1886. X'MAS SALE. 1886.

During the month of December you can buy all kinds of Dry Goods and Furniture at

B. FAIREY'S

at very low figures.
READ CAREFULLY.

Costume Clothes 15, 20, 22c.
Cord Cloths 25 to 32c.
Fancy do. 30c.
Figured Fancies 12c.
A Job Lot from 15 to 25c.
Colored Cashmeres 45c.
Black do. from 32c.
Union House-pun 42c., extra value.
Park's Gingham 12c.
Jacket Cloths from \$1.00.
Grey Map Cloth 85c.

Also an immense stock of

Clouds, Wool Goods of all kinds, Gloves, Hosiery.

Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs from 4c. A nice assortment of Handkerchiefs, 6 in each box, suitable for presents.
FUR BOAS, a Job Lot from 75c. FUR TIPPETS from \$1.25.

Ladies' Black Jerseys.

FELT HATS at a great reduction.
WINGS and BIRDS at reduced prices.
If you want CHEAP FURNITURE call at FAIREY'S. During the Holiday Season you can get special Bargains in BEDROOM SETS and PARLOUR FURNITURE.
Remember the above quotations are for CASH ONLY.
Positively NO CREDIT at the above prices.

B. FAIREY,
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Nov. 30, 1886.

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May 7, 1885.

WILLIAM MURRAY,

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May 1, 1885.

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RICHIBUCTO, N.B.

OFFICE: COURT HOUSE SQUARE.

May 6, 1884.

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Anchorer & Commission Merchant,

NEWCASTLE, N.B.

Goods of all kinds handled on Commission, and prompt returns made.

Will attend to Auctions in Town and Country as a satisfactory manner.

Newcastle, Aug. 11, '85.

F. L. PEDOLIN, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON,

NEWCASTLE, N.B.

OFFICE at house formerly occupied by M. O. Thompson.

OFFICE HOURS from 9 to 12 a.m., 1 to 6 p.m., 7 to 10 p.m.

Feb. 1885.

DR. McDONALD,

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OFFICE AND RESIDENCE

Corner Duke and St. John Street,

Opposite Canada House.

CHATHAM, N.B.

Chatham June 3, 1881.

DR. T. W. POMROY,

OPHTHALMIC SURGEON,

NEW YORK CITY, U.S.

Persons wishing to consult the Dr., and unable to call on him personally, can do so by letter.

Aug. 24, 1883.

JOHN HOPKINS,

DEALER IN

ALL KINDS OF MEATS AND VEGETABLES IN SEASON.

OUR MEAT, 25c. per lb. Small Cans, 35c.

188 UNION STREET, ST. JOHN, Oct. 27, 1886.

ART.

Miss Kerr is prepared to give instructions in Drawing, Crayon, and Kensington at her studio on Geo. Stables' Grocery.

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GROANING UNDER ITS LOAD. THE SALTER BRICK STORE.

GROANING under its load of fresh—FALL & WINTER Staple Merchandise.

OF ALL KINDS. THE PROPRIETOR IS GROANING under the load of liability incurred in causing this.

GREAT GROAN, has determined to lessen THE BURTHEN by giving his customers and the public generally EXTRA GOOD BARGAINS.

Call and inspect the GROANING piles of staff before purchasing elsewhere.

JNO. FERGUSON, Newcastle, Oct. 5.

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T. H. RAMSAY, Newcastle, July 13, 1886.

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JOHN MCALISTER, Manager, Newcastle, Dec. 6, 1886.

Notice of Sale. To John A. Sniard or Sniard, of the Parish of Durham, in the County of Restigouche, farmer, and Agnes E. his wife, and all others whom it may in anywise concern.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the Thirty-first day of July, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-one, registered in Book H, No. 3100, of the County of Restigouche, made between the said John A. Sniard or Sniard and Agnes E. his wife, of the one part, and Charles McAlister, Merchant, of the other part, in the County of Restigouche, and Province of New Brunswick, merchant, of the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the first instalment and the interest thereon, be sold at Public Auction, in front of William Barclay's Hotel, in the said Parish of Durham, in the County aforesaid, on THURSDAY, the seventeenth day of FEBRUARY next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, the

LANDS AND PREMISES described in the said Indenture of Mortgage, viz:—All that certain lot of land, situate, lying, and being in the Parish of Durham, and bounded as follows: On the North by the waters of the Bay Chaleur, on the West by the road known as the Roberly bye road, on the South by the Intercolonial railway, on the East by a line to divide the said lot or on near the centre, with an offset to the West of the dividing line to take in the old dwelling house, as the Eastern side of the lot, containing one and one-half acres, more or less, being the Western half of lot number fifty-nine in Block nine, and granted to John Russell from the Crown. Together with all the buildings and improvements, rights, privileges and appurtenances to same, belonging or appertaining.

Dated 1st day of December, A. D. 1886.

J. C. BARRETT, CHAS. MCALISTER, Sol. for Mortgagee.

Intercolonial Railway.

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For MONROVIA and St. John: 1.15 a.m.

For CAMBELLTON: 3.45 p.m.

All trains run by Eastern Standard Time.

D. POTTINGER, Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, N.B.

24th Nov. 1886.

CANADIAN OIL.

TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK:

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Selected Literature.

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We had been staying for some time past with friends over the border; but the people at home wanted us to return for Christmas, as grandmamma was to spend it with us, and she was anxious to see us all around her, for the last time it might be; and here we were stuck for at least two hours, probably more, and a hundred miles to travel before we reached our home in—shire.

I have intimated that there was a fourth person present who did not grumble, and never think whether it was pretty or not. I had studied her covertly a good deal, and it struck me that she could be very fascinating if she chose; she had a remarkably firm mouth and chin, too; and when she spoke and smiled her face lighted up wonderfully; for in repose there was something in its expression that made me feel sure she had suffered very much.

We had entered into conversation on the journey, and then she told us she had been nursing a friend in Dundee, and was going home now to London. I remarked upon the severity of the weather in these parts, and she answered, "Yes, it was very severe; she did not like the snow." She said this with a curious shudder, which made me think that perhaps she had lost some one in the snow, and so I spoke of another subject.

She sat now in the chimney-corner, with her back to the window—I don't know if she did this on purpose—or her face in the shadow, and she was so uncomplaining and quiet, that at last I grew ashamed of growling, and exclaimed: "I say, it's too bad; I'm sure this lady thinks us the most ill-tempered young women in the world. Don't you?" turning to her.

"Not at all," she said, with her sweet smile and soft voice. "You are young, and I don't suppose have suffered much. One needs to know real suffering to be philosophical over trifles."

"But such a nasty hole as this!" said my youngest sister. "I'm sure this is the horriddest country in England."

"I have no cause to love it," said our travelling companion.

"Why," said I in surprise, "have you ever lived north?"

"For nearly nine months—not very far from here—there was no railway then."

Again that shudder, and half backward glance over her shoulder.

"A ghost!" whispered Bessie, the youngest, to me; but the lady overheard, and smiled.

"A good deal worse than a ghost," she said. "It was the snow I was looking at."

Bessie coloured.

"I beg your pardon," she said, "I didn't mean you to hear."

"It is of no consequence, my dear; but a very terrible experience happened to me on Christmas in this country, and it was just such weather as this, so it naturally comes back to me very vividly to-night."

Three pairs of eager, wistful eyes were turned to the sweet, grave face in the chimney-corner; involuntarily we drew our chairs nearer the fire, and glanced out at the gathered darkness and driving snow.

"You want to hear about it?" said the lady, answering our looks.

We did not like to ask for the story.

"Not if you would rather not tell us," said I.

"No," she said, "I can talk of it now; for some years I could not. It may be a story of waiting; and if you don't find my story very interesting, it is, at any rate, true. Every act—every look every word is stamped upon my memory as the type off on the paper."

After a moment's pause, she commenced:

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