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- Pamphlets, Circulars, Programmes, Bill-Heads, Dodgers, Business Cards, Wedding Cards, Visiting Cards, Shipping Tags, Posters, Tickets, &c., &c., &c.

## Magistrates' Blanks

Kept constantly on hand.

Call and inspect Samples of Work.

CHARGES REASONABLE.



## HARD TIMES Are Upon Us.

OWING to the hard times I am determined to sell at

## LOWER PRICES THAN EVER BEFORE.

and I now offer at my store on Queen Street a nice selection of

## JEWELRY

## FANCY GOODS.

far below CITY PRICES, and invite all to call and see them. They consist of

- WATCHES, CLOCKS, TIMEPIECES, RINGS, BROOCHES, EARRINGS, SLEEVE BUTTONS, STUDS, GOLD & PLATED CHAINS, SPOONS, FORKS, SPECTACLES, PURSES, CHARMS, &c., &c.

All parties now owing the subscriber are hereby notified to pay up.

N. B.—Our WATCH DEPARTMENT we make a specialty, and parties will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. REPAIRING done at short notice and warranted to give satisfaction.

J. E. SANOTON, Bridgetown, Oct. 27, '75



## Windsor & Annapolis Railway.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

COMMERCIAL  
Thursday, 8th of June, 1876.

HALIFAX TO ST. JOHN.	
Miles.	STATIONS.
0	Halifax Leave
8	Bedford
13	Windsor Junction
26	Mt. Uniacke
36	Ellerhouse
39	Newport
43	Windsor
46	Halifax
63	Wolville
70	Kentville
82	Berwick
87	Aylesford
98	Wilmot
101	Middleton
107	Lawrencetown
110	Paradise
115	Bridgetown
122	Round Hill
129	Annapolis—Arrive
130	St. John by Steamer

## ST. JOHN TO HALIFAX.

Miles.	ST. A. ONN.	Pass.	Exp.
0	St. John by Steamer		
8	Annapolis Leave		
14	Round Hill		
19	Paradise		
22	Lawrencetown		
28	Middleton		
31	Wilmot		
42	Aylesford		
47	Berwick		
59	Kentville		
66	Wolville		
77	Hantsport		
84	Windsor		
90	Newport		
93	Ellerhouse		
103	Mt. Uniacke		
116	Windsor Junction		
121	Bedford		
129	Halifax—Arrive		

Trains carrying Passengers and Freight between Annapolis and Halifax on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays only; trains carrying Passengers and Freight between Kentville and Halifax on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays only. Steamer "Empress" leaves St. John every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 8 a. m. for Annapolis, and returns next day on arrival of 8.30 a. m. Express Train from Halifax.

## Three Trips a Week.

## ST. JOHN TO HALIFAX!

STEAMER "EMPRESS."

For Digby and Annapolis.

Connecting with the Windsor and Annapolis Railway for Kentville, Wolfville, Windsor and Halifax with Stages for Liverpool and Yarmouth, N. S.

On and after MONDAY, June 12th, Steamer "EMPRESS" will leave her wharf, Read's Point, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 8 o'clock. Returning on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

FARE.—St. John to Halifax, 1st class, \$5.00; do do do, 2nd class, 2.00; do do do, Digby, 1.50; Excursion tickets to Halifax and return good for one week (1st class), 7.50.

Return tickets to Clergyman and delegates, (to Digby and Annapolis) issued at one fare on application at head office.

SMALL & HATHEWAY, 11 Dock Street, St. John, N. B., June 5th, '76.

## STEAMER EMPRESS

AND THE WINDSOR & ANnapolis RAILWAY.

For parties for Kentville, Wolfville, Windsor and Halifax and intermediate stations, taken at greatly reduced rates.

A careful agent in attendance at Warehouses, Read's Point, between 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. daily, to receive Freight.

No freight received morning of sailing. For Way Bill, rates etc., apply to SMALL & HATHEWAY, Agents, 39 Dock Street.

## DESK FOR SALE.

A LARGE-SIZED, substantial Office Desk, with five large drawers on the side, and lock-trunk on top. Made at J. B. Reed's Cabinet-making Establishment. Will be sold cheap, not being large enough for the subscribers' use. SANOTON & PIPER, May 15th, 1876, Monitor Office.

SEND 25c. to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New York, for a pamphlet of 100 pages, containing lists of 3000 newspapers, and estimates showing cost of advertising. ly 148

12 A DAY at home. Agents wanted. 12. Outfit and terms free. TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine. ly 148

## W. H. OLIVE, Custom House, Forwarding, COMMISSION, Railroad and Steamboat Agent.

Prince William St., St. John, N. B. May 2nd, 1876.

## GEORGE WHITMAN, Auctioneer & Real Estate Agent, Round Hill, Annapolis, N. S.

Parties having Real Estate to dispose of will find it their interest to consult with Mr. Whitman in reference thereto.

## CARD.

Jno. B. Mills, Barrister, &c., &c., Bona Vista House, ANnapolis ROYAL, N. S.

## ROYAL HOTEL, (Formerly STUBBS), 146 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, Opposite Custom House, St. John, N. B.

T. F. RAYMOND, PROPRIETOR. sept 73

## WILLIAM HILLMAN, Silver and Brass Plater, ELECTOR PLATER

in gold and silver. ALSO, MANUFACTURER OF GARRAGE & HARNESS TRIMMINGS No. 60 Charlotte St., St. John, N. B. sept 20

## Great Bargains

## DRESS GOODS.

A LOT OF SUMMER DRESS GOODS Now Being Offered at Cost, by M. C. Barbour, 48 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

## THOMAS DEARNESS, Manufacturer of Monuments, Grave-Stones, TABLE TOPS, &c.

South Side King Square, St. John, N. B. P. S.—Mr. Dearness will visit Annapolis and neighboring counties at stated intervals to solicit orders.

## June Importation.

Checked Dress Goods; Black Silk Fringes; Seal Brown, Cream and Ecru Silks; Nottingham Lace Curtains; Ecru Lace; Ecru Net; Irish Linens; Cream Damask; Linen Tea; Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs; New Styles; Black Trimming Velvet; Mantle Velvets; Matchless Cloths; Matchless Braids; Black Dress Buttons; Gentlemen's Linen Collars and Cuffs; Linen Tassels, for Costumes; Narrow Plain Ribbons; Plain Nash Ribbons; Ladies' Josephine and Cuff Kid Gloves; Hyde Park Wraps, for Girls; Crown Cloths; Gentlemen's French Kid Gloves; New Plain Prints.

## Manchester, Robertson & Allison, 27 King Street, St. John, N. B.

THE subscriber wishes to inform his old customers and the public in general that he still continues to carry on the SADDLERY BUSINESS in all its branches, keeping on hand a large stock of Ready-Made Harnesses, comprising Silver, Brass and Japanese Mountings, a large amount of HARNES MOUNTINGS at the lowest prices.

## GEORGE MURDOCH, Bridgetown, Dec. 8th, 1875.

## NOW LANDING, 200 PACKAGES LONDON CONGOU

TEA; 6 bags Ceylon Coffee; 75 boxes Corn Starch; 20 boxes Diamond Glass Starch; 40 boxes Colman's Starch; 2 cases Nixey's Black Lead; 1 case Shop Twine; 15 cases Marseilles Spices, etc.; 8 tons Brandy's White Lead; 2 tons Colored Paints; 5 cases Preserved Milk; 10 lbs. Currants; 100 lbs. Dried Apples; 50 lbs. American Refined Sugar, for sale at lowest market rates by GEO. S. DEFOREST, 11 South Wharf, St. John, N. B., May 2, '76

## LAWYERS' BLANKS!

A LARGE STOCK ON HAND AT "THE MONITOR" OFFICE.

Some material improvements have been made in the SUMMONSES. Call and inspect them. SANOTON & PIPER.

## MARBLE WORKS!

THE undersigned having entered into Co-Partnership for the purpose of manufacturing all kinds of Marble, hereby notify the public that they are prepared to furnish at Short Notice and on Reasonable Terms, MONUMENTS, Headstones, Table Tops, &c.

One of the Firm, Mr. FALCONER, has had three years experience in some of the best establishments in the City of Providence, Rhode Island, and feels assured that he can give every satisfaction to those entrusting their orders to him.

All orders left at their workshop, next door to J. B. Reed's Furniture Factory, Bridgetown, will receive prompt attention.

DANIEL FALCONER, OLDFHAM WEITMAN, Bridgetown, April 12th, 1876. ly 114

## THE BANKRUPT STOCK!

Estate of Lansdowne & Martin

HAVING been purchased by MAGEE BROTHERS is now being sold at BANKRUPT PRICES! and will be continued until May 1st, 1877, at the

## IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, Cor. King & Prince William Sts.

Visitors to St. John will find superior advantages offered for procuring

## CHEAP DRY GOODS

at this establishment. Fresh importations are being constantly received from Europe and the United States to keep the Stock well assorted, and are sold at

## COST PRICES. MAGEE BROTHERS.

St. John, N. B., May 1st, 1876. y

## BEARD & VENNING, Albion House.

WE have received per Anchor and Allen line steamers

## 95 Packages

Containing a Full Assortment of FRESH and SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, which we offer WHOLESALE and RETAIL at the lowest possible Prices, and solicit inspection.

BEARD & VENNING, PRINCE WM. STREET, St. John, N. B., May, 1876.

## BOOK AGENTS AND GOOD SALESMEN

Are "COINING MONEY" with the famous BIDA DESIGNS, The French Edition of which sells for \$165, and the London Edition for \$200. Our Paper Edition (\$8.50), containing over One Hundred full-page quarto plates, is the CHEAPEST and MOST BEAUTIFUL in America, and the BEST TO SELL. Critics write with each other in praising it, and the masses buy it.

Our local agent in Southport, Conn., "In our village of eighty houses I have taken sixty-five orders; have canvassed in all about twelve days (in village and country), and have taken orders for One Hundred and Six Copies. FULL PARTICULARS FREE. Address J. B. FORD & Co., Publishers, 11 Broomfield St., Boston.

## Just Received.

1 BBL. SCOTCH SNUFF; SIMPSON'S CATTLE SPICE; POWDERED TIMBER; BORAX; SALTETTES; Ayer's Hair Vigor; Wilber's Cod Liver Oil and Lime, Kidder's Linctus; C. Brown's Chlorodyne; Essential Oil of Orange, very fine, Essential Oil of Bergamot. For sale by J. CHALONER, Cor. King & German Street, St. John, N. B., May, '76.

## Dental Notice.

Dr. S. F. Whitman, Dentist, is now at his office in BRIDGETOWN.

PERSONS requiring his professional services will please remember that in consequence of other engagements his stay must necessarily be short.

April 25th, '76.

## NEW GOODS!

Victoria House, Prince William Street, St. John, N. B. Spring, 1876.

NOW receiving per Freight and Mail Steamers a Choice Stock of

## DRY GOODS

in every department. The attention of the Trade as well as of Retail buyers solicited.

E. D. WATTS.

195,000. THE DAILY and WEEKLY Editions of the MONTREAL STAR

have now (it is estimated) an audience of One Hundred and Ninety-five Thousand Readers, which makes them the most widely distributed and influential newspapers published in Canada. ly 145

## Select Literature.

### Pretty Kate Linksey.

A Chapter of Irish Match-Making.

In the west of Ireland the feelings of a young woman are seldom consulted in matters matrimonial. Her father being the best judge of what is for his daughter's advantage, opposition on her part is of very rare occurrence, except where she has taken the precaution of providing herself with a husband beforehand. When a match is made and the bargain concluded, if the girl declines to accept the husband selected, she quickly loses caste, the young man considering that a disobedient daughter must of necessity make an uncomfortable wife.

"Get out my Sunday clothes, Judy," said old Corney O'Byrne one evening when returned from his work. "I'm going over to Peter Linksey's to-night."

"Musha, Corney, an' what are you going for?" Judy asked, as she unlocked a large chest beside the door, which stood near the fire-place, and carefully took out a frieze tail coat, with bright metal buttons, a pair of light-colored breeches, ribbed worsted stockings, a pair of strong shoes, and a billy-cock hat, which, with a red cotton pocket-handkerchief with a flowered border (which he carried in his hat), and a stout blackthorn shillelagh, constituted Corney's Sunday suit.

"Sure, I'm going to make a match between our Dermott and Kate Linksey," he said at last, in reply to his wife's question. "She's a purty colleen, and the boy is mighty pleased with her intirely."

"So she is, Corney, a luskie little girl, an' she'll have a snug fortune, maybe. Peter is a decent honest man?"

"Faith, Judy, an' he is that same, or it isn't Corney O'Byrne that's saying 'cut a shuffe or dale' with him or his; an' Dermott tells me Kate likes him."

"An' why wouldn't she, Corney? There's not as purty a boy in the parish, or a better," she said, proudly.

"Thrus for ye, asthore; give us out the ould stockin' and we'll make a match of it this shrove-tide with the blessin' of St. Patrick!" Corney replied.

From the farther corner of the chest Judy drew out carefully an old worsted stocking and handed it in his hand, and then with a wink, buttoned it into one of his pockets. "The'll do the business, Judy," he said, as he left the house, with many Banagher-Laths—God prosper, or be with you from us!"

Peter Linksey was a small farmer living about a quarter of a mile from Corney's cabin. He had several sons and one daughter, Katie, who was considered the beauty of the village of Ballymoine. Her eldest brother was to be married and bring his wife home, and her father considered it would be very advisable to get Katie married and settled before the arrival of her sisters-in-law and Dermott O'Byrne—a fine strapping young fellow, 'steady' and good-natured—old Peter thought would make a very good husband for his girl (especially as he was an only son), if no better suitor offered.

When Corney O'Byrne reached Peter Linksey's cabin he put his head over the half-door and said in Irish: "God save the king, and the customary form of greeting in that and many other parts of Ireland."

"God save ye kindly, Corney," Peter replied from the chimney-corner; "come in and take a seat."

Corney entered with both his hands behind his back, and took his seat on a three-legged stool that Mrs. Linksey had pushed in front of the fire for him.

"Fine weather for the crops, Corney," Peter said, poking up the fire with his shoe. "An' Marj' throw on a couple of sods of dry turf, an' sweep up the hearth, will ye?"

Mary did as her husband desired, and then going to a recess in the wall near the fire-place, took out thence a new clay pipe and piece of tobacco (probably got at the last wake she had been at.) "Will ye light the pipe, Corney?" she said, handing them to the old man, who took them with a nod and "Thank ye kindly" and filled the pipe slowly, kindled it with a coal from the hearth, blew a few whiffs in grave, dignified silence, and then handed it to Peter, who in equal silence smoked it for a few moments, and then handed it back to Corney and proceeded to light his own pipe.

They both smoked steadily for a time, then Mrs. Linksey pulled a small table between them and produced from her chest a stoneware jar of potheen and a couple of cracked glasses, which she set on the table with a noddle of water, and taking up her pail she proceeded to the barn to milk the cows.

"That's a purty colleen of yours, Peter!" said Corney, after a long silence.

"Thrus for ye, and a good, sensible little girl into the bargain; it's happy the man that will get her," Peter replied after due consideration.

"That's what I said myself, an' I come over to see if we couldn't make a match between my Dermott an' herself!" O'Byrne said after another interval.

"He's a very likely boy," pursued Peter, reflectively.

"Ye may as well say that, Peter, and he'll make a good husband, no doubt, for a girl's good son. What do you say to it?" asked Corney, leaning forward on his stool.

"I'm pleased—"

"God save all here!" said a harsh, grating voice, and a head appeared in the doorway. "Good evening to ye, Peter!"

"Good evening," returned Peter. "Come in and take a seat, Tom."

The new comer entered and took a stool, and casting a questioning glance at Corney O'Byrne, proceeded to light his pipe, and smoked for some time.

He was a stout, harsh-featured man, with a loud voice. He was not much of a favorite in the village, and especially disliked by Corney O'Byrne, who never lost an opportunity of annoying Tom Dillon. He was a comfortable farmer, and one of his sons had been 'making up' to Kate Linksey for some time before.

After a silence, during which the three old men smoked energetically, Dillon cleared his throat two or three times, and then he abruptly said:

"Peter, I want to make a match between your little girl and my Martin; have you anything to say agin' it?"

"Sorra a one word, Tom; only a neighbor an' meself were speaking of the same thing when you come in—Corney O'Byrne" said Peter, with a shrewd glance at them both.

"First come, first served, Peter," Corney said, shaking the ashes from his pipe, and knocking the bowl against his thumb nail; "mind that."

"To be sure," Peter replied, and there was another long pause.

"An' we may as well clinch the bargain at once," continued Corney.

"To be sure, to be sure," Peter again assented, smoking steadily.

"Ye haven't nothin' agin my Martin, have ye, Peter Linksey?" Tom Dillon said, laying down his pipe.

"Agin him? No, he's a nice, decent boy, an' I have a great regard for him, Peter said, kindly.

"An' he has a great regard for your little girl, an' sorra a day's good he'll do till he's married," ejaculated Tom, bringing his fist down on the table.

"He's set his mind on it, and I'll back him out!"

"Turf an' thunder, Tom Dillon didn't Peter Linksey tell you I came match-making for my Dermott?"

"Thunder an' turf, Corney O'Byrne, didn't I tell you that I came to do the same thing for my Martin? an' I suppose a Dillon may ask a Linksey in marriage any day—and he can afford it too." Tag added, slapping his hand up on his pocket.

"An' let me tell ye an O'Byrne can put down pound for pound with Linksey, any day; or, for that matter, with a Dillon," said Corney, with a scornful glance at Tom, who was in his working clothes. "Peter, ye know what I came for—what fortune are you going to give Kate?" he continued.

Peter took out his pipe, emptied it, proceeded to re-fill it, poked the fire, relit the pipe, settled himself back in corner, and said slowly:

"Fortune, Corney? Katie is a fortune herself. I'm a poor man, an' the times is bad; and beyond a new gown a couple of fleeces of wool an' a hank or so of yarn, I can't give her any fortune."

Corney looked astonished, and pushed back his stool, as much as to say that further negotiations were useless, when Tom Dillon said:

"Never mind, Peter, there's them as will be willing to take her without any fortune, an' an' can afford it too!"

"Thrus for ye Tom Dillon, an' one o' them is Dermott O'Byrne. We're not dependin' on a few bare pounds—not but what it's well to have something to keep them alive!" W-hat d'ye say, Peter?"

"To be sure, Corney, to be sure," Peter assented.

"Well, Peter, is it to be me or Corney? Is a Dillon to be put behind the door for an O'Byrne? Isn't my Martin as likely a boy as there's in the barony?"

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