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the street below—mere specks in the distance—I reached out from the window, and grasping one of the ornamental blocks, swung myself out upon the spire. For an instant my courage faltered, but the remembrance of my starving family came to my nid, and with a silent prayer for protection and success, I placed my hand on the next block above and clambered upon it.

From block to block I went, steadily and cautiously, trying each one ere I trusted my strength upon it.

Two thirds of the space had been passed, when suddenly the block that supported me moved — gave way. Oh heavens! Never, though, I should live to see a hundred years, shall I cease to shudder at the recollection of that terrible moment. Yet even in the midst of my agony, as I felt myself slipping backward, 1 did not for one second lose my presence of mind.

It seems to me that never before had my seems been so perfernaturally acute WRONGFULLY ACCUSED. OSBORN ICE SEASON, 1874. SOMETHING MAPLE HILL. It has been many long days since then, Awarded the First Prize in 1873 yet I remember it all, just as though it A Novelty! SUCCESS THE TEST OF MERIT. ice. I was a carpenter, the foreman of a large esrablishment, and as such possess-OSBORN ed the entire confidence of my employer, who by the way, had been an old school-Sewing Machine THE REVERSIBLE JAPANESE PRINT." The BEAUTIFUL & SPACIOUS GROUNDS | mate of mine One day he called me into his office to ROBERT WHETSEL. 150 Pieces of the above Just Received FAR, FAR AWAY! AT FAIRALI & SMITH'S. more than all the rest put together. It is D. E. DUNHAM, a great curiosity. I paid \$200 for it, and 58 Prince William Street. sider it cheap at that. I could easily LO! BEHOLD HE IS COMING JOHN MCARTHUR & CO., THE DAILY TRIBUNE Rooms, 1 and 2 Bayard's Building, you see, Harvey, it is a good invest-Dispensing Chemists, 106 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET. "No doubt it is," said I, "though it No. 51 Prince William Street. (BRICK BUILDING). seems a large sum to have lie idle." I breathed an involuntary sigh as I iaid Cor. Brussels & Hanover St the coin down on the desk, for \$200 would The severe illness of my wife and one "Come down, come down?" called the architect from the window; "half the snm shall be yours for the risk you have run. Don't try again. Come down."

But no! more than ever I was determined to succeed. I was not one to give up after having undertaken a difficult task ov. Lose not the present opportunity.
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St. John; N. R.
Alio—Agent for the MARITIME K NITTING
MACHINE

Apr 30 m w f wky obliged to withdraw from the bank the small sums, which, besides my salary was all I possessed of worldly treasures. Thinking of this, I laid the coin down with a sigh, and turned away to attend my duties. HARNESS TRIBUNE (postage pre-paid) at \$6.20 \$5, postage paid at office of delivery. THE DOMINION FOR Lumbering, with Parent Bolt Hames Harness for Farming, Light and Heavy; Harness for driving, of ever description. Margeson's Calculifuge ORANGES. task.

Coolly but cautiously I commenced the ascent once more, first seeking in vain to reach across to the next row of blocks, for I did not dare to trust myself again on that which had proved so treacherous. This I was compelled to do, however, until the space between the angles became sufficiently small to allow me to swing across. Accomplishing my purpose at length, I went up more rapidly, carefully testing each block as I proceeded. Merchants' & Tradesmen's THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE COLLARS, Walnuts, Cheese, &c. my duties.

The next morning I was again summoned into the office, but this time I met with no friendly greeting as usual.

"Harvey," said my employer, abruptly; "that coin we were looking at has disappeared. I have made a thorough search, but it is not to be found. It has been carried every by company and You also say. Hair-Faced, Kessey Felt and Leather Facings MOOSE HAIR COLLARS, was reased afe. BILL & ACCOUNT COLLECTING AGENCY, Horse Blankets, Circungles, Halters, Whips, &c. JOHN ALI INGHAM. C. S. COTTER, VINE STORE,

but it is not to be found. It has been carried away by some one. You alone saw or knew of it, and—"

He paused and looked significantly into my face. I finished the sentence for him, 39 CASES (240 each) VALENCIA Ere long I reached the cross, an No. 60 Charlotte Street, aseI spoke.
"You mean, therefore, that I took it— A few stroke with a light hatchet that the architect had hung at my back, and piece by piece the rotten crossfell to the ST. JOHN, N. B. JOHN WILSON. 35 boxes MESSINA ORANGES : "What else can I think? The coin was here; you alone saw it. I cannot recall having seen it since it was in your hands. You are in need of money; you have told me that yourself. It was a great temptation, and I forgive you because of our old friendship, but I cannot retain you in my employ. Here is the salary due you."

"Very well," said I, with forced calmness, "so be it. Since you have so poor an opinion of me after years of faithful service, I shall not stop to defend myself."

Then I took the money he had laid No. 3 Brick Block fragment disappeared I found a sad pleasure in the thought that should I never reach the ground alive, my dear ones would have ample means to supply their wants until my wife could obtain PORTLAND, LOGAN & LINDSAY, BUTTER! IMPORTER AND DEALER IN their wants until my wife could obtain employment.

Steadily and cautiously I lowered my self from block to block, and a length reached the spire window amid the cheers of those assembled in the street.

Inside the steeple the architect placed a roll of bank notes iff my hand.

"You have well earned the money," he said. "It does me good to see a man with so much nerve—but—bless me! what is the matter with your hair? It was black before you made the ascent, now it is grey!

And so it was. That moment of intense agony, while slipping helplessly downward, had blanched my hair until it appeared like that of an old man. The work of years had been done in an instant. Cooking, Hall and Parlor Stov PORTLAND FOUNDRY (Signed)
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Entering the barc, cheerless room, which was now all I called my home, I found a visitor awaiting me—my late enployer.

"Harvey," said he, extending his hand, "I have done you a great wrong. I toost me a terrible pang to believe in your guilt, but circumstances were so strongly against you that I was forced to believe; it. I have found the coin, Harvey; it is lipped under the secret drawer in my desk. Can you forgive me, my dear olf more serious disease, it suve under the secret drawer in my desk. Can you forgive me, my dear olf more serious discoveries of modern and science, few are of more real value to mank sidence, few are of more real value to mank sidence, few are of more real value to mank sidence, few are of more real value to mank ind than this effectual remedy for all discoveries of the Throat and Lungs.

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Supported by that love, however, and the consciousness of my own innocence, I took fresh courage, and sat resolutely to work to find a new employer.

But powerful is the breath of slander; turn which way I might, I ever found that the story of my dismissal for theft had preceded me, and my application for employment uniformly met with a refusal.

Time went on; plece by plece of our furniture and every spare article of clothing found its way to the pawnbrokers, until at length even this poor resource failed us, and my children cried in vain for food. From Sussex. Cooking, Ship, Parlor & Office Stoves. HORSE NAILS Will be sold low for Cash. B. P. PRICE. Victoria Dining Saloon, Good Templar, hard coal, No. 7. NOTHER lot of the celebrated POINTED No. 8 Germain Street, (OPPOSITE THE CITY MARKET.) NAILS! JUST RECEIVED, and now serving up A FINE LOT OF JUST RECEIVED. Yet I did not sit down in idle despair;
I could not afford to do so; the life or
death of all I loved on earth depended on P. E. Island and Buctouche Bar THE GOOD TEMPLAR COOK STOVES pre-I could not afford to do so; the life or death of all I loved on earth depended on my exertions—and so turning away from home with a heavy heart, I once more set out on the weary search for work.

All in vain! Refusal after refusal met my entreaties for employment, and I was turning homeward with a listless step, when passing an immense church I was attracted by a group of men at its base.

Impelled by some strange impulse, I approached and mingled with them.

A workman was standing near by looking up at the great steeple, which towered aloft some 250 feet above them, while a gentleman, evidently an architect, was addressing him in carnest language, and at the same time pointing to the golden cro. Sit the summit of the spire.

"I tell you," he exclaimed, as I drew near, "it must and can be done. The cross must be taken down, or the first heavy gale will send it down into the street, and lives will be lost. Coward! is this the way you back out of a job after engaging to do it?

"I didn't know the spire was so high up there. Do it yourself if you want it done."

"I would if I were able." said the OYSTERS! Paper Covered Novels, Ship and Mill Castings, Ship Windlasses and Capstons of all kinds made to order. 45 Tin Isaac Copper and Sheet IronWork long to order. LARGE T and WELL SLAVOURED
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I did not refuse. Indeed I thankfully accepted the offer which my friend so generously made, knowing that no surer method could have been devised to silence forever the tongue of slander, and free my name from the unmerited reproach which had of late rested on it.

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"I would if I were able," said the architect. "But go if you will, let it be. My honor is pledged to have it done at any price—and I can find a braver man than you to do it."

The carpenter walked away with a dogged, slouching step, and the gentleman was about to move away also, when I stepped forward.

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He turned eagerly towards me.
"I will make it worth your while. Take down that cross and I will pay you a hundred dollars. You will have to ascend those ornamental blocks, and I tell you candidly they are not to be depended on; they must be weak and rotten for they have been there for years."

I looked at the spire, it was square at LONDON HOUSE, Luproyed More Local Agents Wanted. R. STEWART, M, MoLHOD, Sept. 8th, 1873. HARD COAL REDUCED PRICES. IMPORTER AND DEALER IN ICE-CREEPER GARDEN & FLOWER Toys and Fancy Goods. NEW FALL GOODS! they must be weak and rotten for they have been there for years."

I looked at the spire; it was square at the base and tapered to a sharp point, while along each angle were nailed small gilded blocks of wood.

"It's a dangerous place to work," I said, "and there will be even more peril in descending than ascending. Suppose I succeed in moving the cross and then—"

"If any accident happens to you, my brave fellow, the money shall be paid to your family. I promise you that. Give me your address."

"Here it is," I said, "and as you value your soul keep your word with me. My wife and children are starving, or I would not attempt this work. If I die they can live on the hundred dollars for awhile until my sick wife recovers her strength."

"I'll make it a hundred and fifty!" exclaimed the architect, "and may God pro-NOW LANDING from schr. Ring Dove, at A Large and varied stock for SEEDS Per?" Lady Durling." "Sidonian." &c. CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS HARD COAL! Sent by Mail to All Parts of the 292 Bales and Cases, Assorted, including a nice lot of IMPROVED DOMINION: In every Department. in Nut, Egg and Chestnut sises, ROCKING HORSES, Further chirments per "Ismalia," "Assyrie,
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