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BRIDGETOWN Marble Works. ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE. FALCONER & WHITMAN are now manufacturing

Monuments & Gravestones Of Italian and American Marble.

Having erected Machinery in connection with J. B. Reed's Steam Factory, we are prepared to Polish Granite equal to that done abroad.

A Word to the Wise! Just received at Moir's Musical Warehouse from the first makers and largest factories in England, Germany, America and Canada.

PIANOS AND ORGANS, consisting of—First Class Grand, Square and Cottage PIANOS,

NEW SPRING GOODS Ex "Nova Scotian." SEVENTEEN PACKAGES CONTAINING: 22, 26 and 28 doz. Worsteds

FOR SALE AT LOWEST PRICES. Thos. R. Jones & Co., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Windsor & Annapolis Railway. Time Table, COMMENCING Tuesday, 3rd June, 1878.

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Three Trips a Week. ST. JOHN TO HALIFAX! STEAMER "EMPRESS"

For Digby and Annapolis. Connecting with the Windsor and Annapolis Railway and Western Counties Railway for Kentville, Windsor, Halifax, and intermediate Stations, and with Stages for Yarmouth and Liverpool, N.S.

STEAMER EMPRESS AND THE WINDSOR & ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY. Fares for Kentville, Wolfville, Windsor and Halifax and intermediate stations, when at greatly reduced rates.

THE average daily circulation of the Montreal Evening Star is 12,154, being considerably larger than that of any other papers published in the City.

BUCKLEY'S ENGLISH & AMERICAN BOOK STORE. So universally known for many years at 101 Granville Street, has taken a move to the upper and shady side of the same street.

NOTICE. I HEREBY caution all persons against furnishing my son, William Wile, with anything on my account, as I will not be responsible for the same.

S. Dennison, Queen St., Bridgetown. Has now completed his Spring Stock of DRY GOODS, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Ready-made Clothing, &c.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT will be found all articles usually in use. In addition to the above, I have a stock of Crockeryware, Farming Utensils, Paints, Paint Oil, Flour, Meal, Zinc, Oilcloths, &c.

Stylish & Comfortable LADIES' AND GENTS' LINEN ULSTERS, FOR SALE BY B. STARRATT.

SPRING STOCK. New Goods. LOWEST PRICES. We have re-stocked all our retail Departments with a large stock of NEW SPRING GOODS.

Manchester, Robertson & Allison. St. John, N. B. Call and inspect the New Stock of JEWELRY

PLATED WARE, now being shown at the Bridgetown Jewelry Store. Chaloner's Drug Store, DIGBY, N. S.

THE Proprietor who has been established in St. John the past thirty years, has opened a Branch Store in Digby, N. S.

Poetry. A TENDER MEMORY. A little footstep pattering on the floor, A golden head laid gently on my knee

Select Literature. The Fatal Repast. We had been nearly five weeks at sea, when the captain found, by a nautical observation, that we were within one hundred and thirty miles of the north side of Jamaica.

There were two clarinet players among the crew, we ought to have a dance upon the quarter-deck at sunset. This proposal was received with much delight.

I found the mate stretched upon the top of the companion, and addressed him, but he made no reply. The man at the helm was lying a rope round the tiller, and told me had become so blind and dizzy, that he could neither steer, nor see the compass.

REMARKABLE ECHOES. In the sepulchre of Metals, the wife of Sulla, in the Roman Campagna, there is an echo which repeats five times, in five different keys, and will also give back with distinctness a hexameter line, which requires two and a half seconds to utter.

THE USEFUL AND THE BEAUTIFUL. The tomb of Moses is unknown; but the traveller slakes his thirst at the well of Jacob. The gorgeous palace of the wisest and wealthiest of monarchs, with cedar and the gold and ivory, and even the great temple of Jerusalem, hallowed by the visible glory of the Deity Himself, are gone.

IF you would convince a man that he does wrong, do right. A great truth well put. Error is often attempted to be put down with argument. Live it out. Prove the superiority of truth by acting the truth. Let it speak for itself.

THE world wants more sunshine in its disposition, in its character, in its theology. For ten thousand of the aches and pains and irritations of women and men we recommend sunshine. It soothes better than morphine. It is the best plaster for a wound.

It was comparatively but little affected, and therefore employed myself in assisting others until they seemed to be past all relief, and then sat down, anticipating the horrid consequences which would result from the death of the whole ship's company.

While thus occupied, I heard the steersman call out: 'Taken all aboard here!' A voice, which I knew to be the mate's, immediately answered: 'Well, and what's that to us? Put her before the wind, and let her go where she pleases.'

I soon perceived by the rushing of the water, that there was a great increase in the velocity of the ship's progress, and went upon deck to ascertain the cause.

England uses about half as much silk as the rest of Europe.

It is not necessary so much as pretence that have a ruined man—the struggle between a proud mind and an empty purse—the keeping up of a hollow show that must soon come to an end. Have the courage to appear poor, and you disarm poverty of its sharpest sting.

American watches, with falsified to the Arabic division of the hour of the day are exported to Syria.

Bitting with false teeth makes a false impression.

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BRIDGETOWN, OCTOBER 2, 1878.

YEARS AGO.

This phrase is often in the mouths of elderly people. They take a retrospect of the travelled track, over which they have been moving from childhood upward into the "higher latitudes" of old age; and the vicissitudes, through which they have passed, afford many a subject for sober and fruitful reflection, and many a theme for every day conversation. We sometimes hear some old gray-headed chronicler of the past detail events and incidents that demanded attention, and awakened general interest in by-gone days. "Years ago," he will say, "there were no friction-matches—no sewing-machines—no moving-machines—no telegraphic lines of instantaneous communication—and no railroads: all has changed since I was a boy." Such a string of patent-truisms, garrulously uttered by an old man, is illustrative of marvellous progress of modern go-aheadism. The surviving patriarchs in our own delightful valley, as they survey the march of improvement, which, almost imperceptibly, has been gradually extending under their own eyes, prate glibly of the past. During all the decades through which they have been borne along, there have been seasons of discouragement and the hackneyed cry of "hard times!" The causes of complaint have been numerous and various. Scarcity of money—poor markets—wheat in the wheat—potato rot—depression in trade, as well as other sources of discouragement, at various times, have thrown darkening and disheartening shadows over the country's prosperity. Yet, with all these drawbacks, there has been progress, and the circumstances of the people have been improving. In every respect their condition has been bettering. The eddies and counter-currents in our river do not prevent the tide from rising; an untimely storm in mid April does not prevent the return of Spring; nor do temporary hindrances permanently arrest the onwardness of improvement. By watching the grass growing, nor do we see the hands on the dial-plate of a watch moving—yet the grass grows in Summer, and the indices of the watch are ever in motion. In like manner, though in some years the crops may be light, or some other cause of discouragement may occur; yet, in looking over a series of only a few years, pleasing progress is unmistakably perceptible. It has been so in our country; it is so now.

The present is a time of business depression, and the mutterings of complaint are hard; but should we therefore be disheartened? By-gone seasons of discouragement have been, and have passed away. The teachings of history—the revelations of the past—and the experience of our predecessors on life's busy stage should tend to brighten the gloom of the present period, and chase away the demon of public despondency. Years ago have left "their footprints on the sands of time," and they assure us that fluctuations and changes, from time to time, have been such that adverse circumstances have led men to fear that the sun of their prosperity had gone down to rise no more, leaving prospects darkened; but the gloom ere long passed away, and was succeeded by propitious times. Let everybody, then, at the present hour, remembering the mutations of Years Ago, throw off the spirit of discouragement, and hope and toil for better days.

LIGHTS ALONG THE SHORE.

This is the refrain of a popular sacred song that has been much sung in devotional services of late years. Many, however, in our inland locality, who admire and sing this charming lyric, scarcely know the extent or full meaning of the title of this exquisite melody. Some of them, especially those who are young in years, may perhaps not be aware that from Cape Hatteras to Newfoundland on this continent, and on all the promontories and headlands along the coasts of Europe, the shores at night are luminously studded with light-houses, which after the sun has gone down, throw a radiance upon the dark and perilous waters of the shore-beating sea. They are lights for the mariner, as he draws nigh to land, and like guardian spirits, forewarn him of danger, and indicate a course of safety over the waves, when the stars above are shut out from his view by clouds, and the gloom of night rests on the sea. They are admonitory beacons, which have no doubt saved tens of thousands of lives, to say nothing of valuable cargoes.

Each light-house is accurately described on every nautical chart. No two of them are alike; and the thoroughly skilled mariner, at first sight, recognizes the special light-house which, like a star of mercy, is shining, despite the darkness, in the distance. To him it is like the seraph of hope, hovering over the gloom of despondency. No two of these luminous structures are exactly alike. Each is distinguished from the others. Some are revolving lights, and some are stationary. The flame of some is red, and of others white. The trained navigator can scarcely mistake the one for the other. He may be approaching land from a long voyage—the sea may be boisterous—portentous clouds may add dark-

ness to the midnight sky—and by sounding he knows that he is not far from land, and he is in perplexing doubt respecting his whereabouts. While all is uncertainty and anxiety, he suddenly sees a light in the distance—and he examines it for a moment, to ascertain its distinguishing mark of identity. All at once his doubts are gone, his perplexities vanish, and his fears are dispelled. When the weather is propitious, and the sea is comparatively smooth, the danger of sailing towards the land in the gloom of night may not be very great; but when the storm is raging, and the tumultuous billows are rolling wild and high, a beam of light from the shore is hailed with gladness and relief.

We have made these remarks to impress upon the minds of our juvenile vocalists, correct notions with regard to the origin, import and spiritual teachings of the song they delight to sing. The worthies mentioned in the eleventh Chapter of Hebrews, are all "lights along the shore."

BISMARCK.

At the close of the late war between France and Germany (perhaps before) among the statesmen of Europe Bismarck stood higher than them all, like the highest mountain summit of the Alps. Had his earthly career then ended, or had he then retired to private life, he would probably have been assigned a more luminous page in Europe's prospective history than that which posterity will ultimately accord to him. Some men are better fitted to rise to prominence and energy in some extraordinary emergency than to show practical tact and ability in the discreet management of important matters in quiet times. Since Germany has been consolidated and has become an Empire, Bismarck has been the Emperor's prime counsellor, in fact, the all-directing and ruling spirit at the Court of Berlin. Until recently the German Legislature has been plastic in his hands. The people of that great nationality revered him even more than they did the monarch on the Throne. For a time he was enthroned in their affections. As a diplomatist, he has probably no superior in Europe; but in conducting the internal affairs of the Empire he has been far from successful.

The German people are being taxed heavily, it not oppressively, to keep up a large standing army, and to supply the funds for defraying the expenses of administering the internal affairs of the Empire on an extravagant scale. The people are indeed so burdened with crushing taxation, that popular discontent and a spirit of undisciplined resistence prevails to an alarming extent among the laboring and middle classes throughout every part of Germany. As in the United States, tens of thousands are out of employment—multitudes are tending towards the verge of starvation—and this state of things is significantly ominous of social disorganization. That detested demon, Socialism, has already manifested itself even in Berlin, and has exhibited a racial determination to take the Emperor's life.

Superadded to these signs of restiveness among the masses, Bismarck has other formidable difficulties to meet. The Legislature of the Empire, or a considerable portion of it, show hostility to his policy, and it is doubtful whether or not he can carry a legislative measure for the suppression of Socialism.

Such a condition of the internal affairs of Germany does not display able statesmanship on the part of Bismarck. On the contrary, misgovernment, injudicious measures, and an incoercible policy towards the people, are indicated. However successful he may be in playing a game of diplomacy with foreign nationalities, it is clear that he is not the "great statesman" that he should be in managing the internal affairs of the German Empire. No one can question the superiority of his mental power to grapple with difficulties from abroad, but in dealing with those at home he has shown a deplorable deficiency.

MR. AVERY PIPER.

This gentleman, as may be seen by reference to our obituary department, has been laid low by the unsparing hand of death. His juvenile years were passed in Bridgetown. He was here when it began to grow, and during all his subsequent life, he has been a respected resident. During the prime of his days, he was engaged somewhat largely in mercantile pursuits. About fifteen years ago, his nervous system became shattered by paralysis, and he has ever since been in a feeble and physically helpless condition. For many years, and till his death, he filled the responsible office of County Treasurer. His genial disposition, sterling integrity, and other amiable qualities of both head and heart endeared him to the community in which he lived. We believe he had no enemy, and his friends were co-extensive with his numerous acquaintances.—Requiescat in pace!

The above gentleman was father to the junior proprietor of this paper. — It is 45 years this day since the first railroad began running in the United States.

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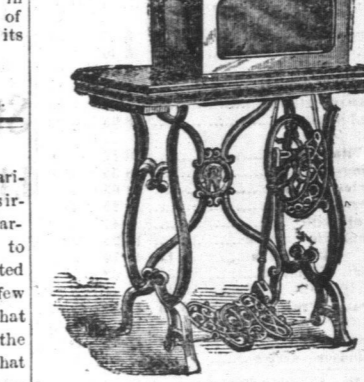
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TRUSTEES' NOTICE.

F. STANLEY PRENTISS, of New Annapolis, in the County of Annapolis, has this day assigned his estate and effects to the undersigned for the benefit of those of his creditors who shall have executed the said deed within sixty days from the date thereof. The Trust Deed now lies at the office of Mr. Fred. Leavitt, in Lawrentown, for signature. FRED. LEAVITT, JAS. H. WHITMAN, Trustees. Lawrentown, August 21st, 1878. 9127



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Miscellaneous.

THE BEHEADING OF HOEDEL.

BRIDGE, August 20.—Hoedel's execution was something quite out of the common, even for this time. Not since February, 1865, when Louis Grothe, a young man who with his mistress and his mother had hacked a piece and thrown into the river a French teacher named Grey, was executed, had the axe fallen on a guilty wretch's neck—

the room, and there he squared himself for a fight with his fist. His tremendous muscle he evidently thought, would not be for naught over in an unequal contest with the powder and ball.

When this scene was in progress some one from the outside was heard to say, "shoot." The answer from the man at the door was, "I can't yet." Then in an instant later and whirled the skin of the victim in his left breast as a better target. A revolver was put so near the mark that in the discharge the skin of the victim's headly powder marked. Two shots followed the first in quick succession, and two more balls entered Hoedel one immediately above and one immediately below the left nipple. He still continued to whirl, finally bringing up against the stone wall his blood spurting from every wound. Here he gradually sank upon his hands and knees, and here his maddened assailants followed, continuing to fire. On his hands and knees, with two balls through his heart, and unable to contain a cry of agony, he was still a target for the stronger men. One of the men, lodged in his head, and still another another entered his body, until fifteen bullet-holes told of the unerring aim of the vigilantes' mission was accomplished.

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A YOUNG LADY FALLS ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY FEET.

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ACTIVITY IN CYPRUS.

A Constantinople letter, of late date, contains the following:—

In Cyprus everything is alive. Only three weeks ago two solitary Englishmen, clothed in cool white ducks walked to the Pacha's palace, announced themselves as Mr. Baring, of the English Legation, and the captain of Her Majesty's ship, *Salaminia*, and showed the astounded Turk the Sultan's Firman of Transfer, and took the reins of government from his hands. Since then business has improved in Cyprus. Men have flocked in from all the surrounding coasts and from Europe, expecting to make money rapidly. The ambition to be connected at the outset with a new Government which may in the near future grow into the control of Asia Minor, acts as a very powerful incentive. If the negotiations had not been perfectly secret the island would long ago have swarmed with adventurers. This secrecy is marvellous, nothing having been known publicly of the treaty until a full month after it was signed. When the time came for the transfer of the island the Sultan's firman was promised for a certain day and Mr. Baring was sent on board the English gunboat on which he was to go to the island. For three days the ship waited at Therapia with steam up for that firm. But no one was allowed to communicate with the shore. Mr. Baring could see his wife from the ship but he was not allowed to speak to her. With all the precaution, there was some very extensive operation in real estate at the last moment. The speculators looked rueful, however, on learning that the English Government would appropriate any lands it desired for public use, and determine the price itself. There is grief among the wine bibbers over the transfer of Cyprus. Cyprus wine is famous throughout the East. Now the English are in control and will export all the warm and spicy product of the wine press to their cold and foggy land. It is said that the Sultan of Cyprus by the Turks was due to the Sultan of Selim II for Cyprus wine. The Venetians held the island under treaty, paying tribute of 10,000 ducats. But Selim consulted the Sheikh-ul-Islam, who told him that treaties with infidels are not binding. Soon after 100,000 Turks appeared at Cyprus, and early in 1771, after a campaign of some months, they captured Famagusta, the last stronghold of the Venetians. The commander of the fortress was flayed, and his skin stuffed with straw was sent to Constantinople with his head. Such was the first act of the Turkish rulers of Cyprus!

WHAT HE WAS AFTER.

A strong, healthy-looking young man entered the County Clerk's office and gazed respectfully around. Harry Thompson, the Chief Deputy, stepped up and inquired of the stranger: "If you wish any business transacted."

"The young man, when spoken to, started back as though dreading an assault, but he soon recovered himself, and said in a whisper:—

"Yes, sir—I called to see—I wanted to have a little talk—how much is it anyhow?"

"He held a soft cloth hat in his hand, and kept turning and twisting it about as he spoke; his face had grown starkly red, and big drops of perspiration were standing on his brow.

"What is it you want?" inquired the clerk.

"The man looked at him pleadingly, but struggled in vain for utterance. His eyes bulged out, his face grew redder, and he looked as if he were in his forehead swelled till he looked like a great knitted cord. He twisted the hat convulsively, and then straightened it out again, and then he pulled the new lining out of it and dropped it on the floor. Then he picked it up all dusty from the floor, and wiped his steaming face, leaving a track of sweat across his forehead. Finally it seemed as though the poor young man had given up recovered himself, for he looked cheerfully around the room, and then turning to Mr. Thompson, remarked in a pleasant and confidential tone:—

"Well, it's real warm for this season, isn't it?"

"Very warm, indeed," replied Mr. T.

"It is a good deal hotter than we have down in the valley, and somehow I've always had just the other notion about it—that the higher up you got the cooler—"

"Yes, said Mr. Thompson; 'but about that business of yours.'"

"Another fiery blush that looked as if it would scorch the collar off his neck followed this remark, but the stranger held up bravely. He leaned on the desk in an easy, careless sort of way, and began to toy with a maccabi brush.

"The fact of the matter is, that I wanted to—"

"Here he paused again, and meditatively jumbled the maccabi brush into the inkstand.

"What the deuce are you doing with that brush?" asked the clerk, somewhat impatiently.

"Oh, by George—excuse me," stammered the man, as he hastily withdrew the brush, spluttering the ink all over the clerk's shirt bosom, and as if it had been molasses dripping from his fingers, thrust the brush into his mouth, laughing himself with ink and glue, and then bolted from the office.

"That's about the worst case I have ever seen," remarked the Chief Deputy, as he wiped a big ink spot from the starboard side of his Roman nose.

"Crazy as a loon," said Alderman Ordorff, who had been an interested spectator of the scene. "You ought to send a policeman after that man."

"No; he's not exactly crazy," replied Thompson. "I knew from the start that he wanted a marriage license, and but he's broke the law with ink and glue off with the look!"—*Virginia City (Nev.) Chronicle.*

A WAY PASSENGER.

He was a 'culled' tramp, and approached Captain Jase Phillips as the train hauled up at Pewee.

"Is you de captain ob de kears?"

"Yes," replied Jase.

"Don't want fo' ter hire any deck hands, duze y'?"

"No; I'm not running a steamboat."

"Zacly. Mout I ride straddle ob de cow-an-cher to de nex' landing; I've busted and a long way from home?"

"Get on! All aboard," and the negro straddled the 'cow-an-cher.'"

Ed. Galligan pulled the throttle wide open, and the train had not gone more than half a mile when the engine, colliding with a cow, throwing it over a fence into a corn field and the negro after it, came to a sudden stop.

"Bos, I didn't ride far wid you on dat cow-an-cher. Kase, you see, de cow wanted to ride, and de negro here wasn't room fo' bofe of us, so we got off together up here in a corn field fo' to rest. Den de nex' time ride wid you I'll freeze to de tail-gate ob de wagon; it's safer.—*Louisville Courier Journal.*

HE KNEW HIS BIZ.

A gentleman who was yesterday having his boots blacked at the Post Office was suddenly left in an unfinished state by the boy, who ran across the street and held a brief conversation with a lad about his own age.

"That's no way to leave a job," said the gentleman as the boy returned.

"Spect not, but I've got more'n butes to look after!"

"Who was that boy?"

"That boy? Why, he's got a chate mortgage on this 'ere new brush, and I run across there to ask him how was his health. I don't propose to get set down on and wound up into bankruptcy, just because I can't talk sweet to Billy and Steve him off till I wear the britches clear off the brush!"

—The Cincinnati "Enquirer." "Esay on Man" is in one canto, as follows:—

"Man's a vapor, Full of woes, Stars a paper, 'Tis he goes."

"Who is it with funeral tread Comes shuffling and goes to bed, And utters what is best amuse?"

"'Tis he who's fished since pass the sun Subsisting on a single bun, And after all's caught any one."

Don't buy anything, not even a thimble, unless it has taken the first prize at the Paris Exposition.

It's a mighty ignorant horse that doesn't know it's own fodder. You can hear a defence, but how can a deaf fence hear you?