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BOYS & MEN!

Men's Heavy Nap Overcoats, with Fur Collars,
Men's Black Diagonal Overcoats,
Men's Bro. Diagonal Coats,
Boys' Heavy Winter Overcoats,
MEN'S : FUR : COATS.

Ladies' Black Fur Jackets.
We are taking orders for Black Fur Jackets at Special Prices, between now and Nov. 15th. Ladies thinking of buying Fur Jackets this Winter will find it to their advantage to order from us.
Another Lot of those AMAZON CLOTHES, in Peacock, Green and Mahogany. We are doing a fine Dress Goods Trade this Season. The Prices on our English Imports are taking well.

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NEW GOODS.

IN STOCK: 4 CASES

Ladies' American Boots, House Shoes & Slippers,
Glove Calf Lace Boots for old Ladies,
COMMON SENSE SHOES,
Men's Am. Rubber Boots, Pure Gum, Heavy & Light Weight,
A Full Stock of Rubbers—All Sizes and Kinds,
Ladies' Oil Goat Button and Lace Boots, Chamolins Lined,
Misses' Oil Goat Button and Lace, Heel and Spring Heel.

The Best Goods, at Low Prices.

A. G. SMITH.

Sackville, Oct. 3rd, 1888.

Apples. Ex Schr. Effa and I. C. R.
Apples. 1300 BBLs
Apples. Should arrive at Sackville the latter part of this week, including all Favorite kinds, which have been personally selected by us. Prices the Lowest obtainable. Please send your orders promptly, or come and select your kinds at the Wharf.

Point de Bute, Oct. 30, '88. J. A. McQUEEN.

We are Ready for You All!

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE WE HAVE

Completed our Fall Purchases,
And will direct your attention to our unusually Large and Varied Stock of
DRY GOODS!

We Offer Unparalleled Inducements in High-Class Goods, including

ALL THE NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON.
OUR LOW PRICES.

WILL, WE ARE SURE, ENSURE US A LARGE SEASON'S TRADE.
Our Dress Goods Department is Complete

This Fall in all Leading Fabrics in Plain, Fancy and Combinations of all kinds, with all Latest Trimmings to match.

WE WISH IT UNDERSTOOD WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR

Ladies': Cloaks, : Sacks, : Wraps, : &c.

Come One! Come All!

We can fit you.

Large and Small.

We invite inspection and examination of our Stock. See the Styles; look at the Quality; marvel at the Prices.

F. A. WILSON.

BOOTS & SHOES!

FALL AND WINTER!

AMHERST BOOT & SHOE CO. (Retail).
MOFFAT'S BLOCK.

WE have now on exhibition a Complete Stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which will be sold at prices which cannot fail to please. The Stock includes

Ladies' Skating Boots, from \$1.50 upwards,
Walking Boots, in Button and Lace,
Felt Boots and Shoes,
Gents' Solid Comfort German Felt
Slippers, sure cure for cold feet,
Ladies' and Gents' American Rubbers, 1st quality.

Also a Fine Assortment of

GENTS' ENGLISH BOOTS,
Including the Celebrated "K" WATERPROOF BOOT. Every Pair Warranted. Do not fail to see these Goods.

Custom Work a Specialty.

REPAIRING PROMPTLY & NEATLY DONE.

Silks. Silks. Silks.

WE ARE OPENING

A LARGE STOCK OF SILKS

—AND—

"Satin Mervelieux,"

IN ALL THE

LEADING : COLORS : AND : MAKES,

WHICH WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

PERS.S. ULUNDA.

DIRECT FROM LONDON, ENGLAND,

AND INVITE INSPECTION.

BETTER PUGSLEY

Sept. 19, 1888. **AMHERST, N. S.**

Where do you Buy your

Drugs, Medicines, Toilet Articles, Etc.?

—WHY AT—

Tremaine's Drug Store, Amherst!

EVERYBODY GOES THERE NOW!

Because they keep the Largest and Freshest Stock, and you are sure of
GOOD VALUE IN EVERYTHING.

REMEMBER THE PLACE:

TREMAINE'S Drug Store, Amherst, N. S.

Photographer, Black's Stone Block,
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STRANGERS SAY: Is it possible that such a Gallery and such beautiful Pictures can be found outside of the American Cities? We say quite possible, for we employ some of the best City talent and introduce all the latest American ideas, and buy only the finest Artists' Stock and Instruments that can be obtained. Large Work is our specialty. We do only First-Class Work here. Remember the Photo Parlors in the Stone Block.

Amherst, N. S., July 12th, 1888.

APPLES. Silver Star Oil.

TO ARRIVE in due Season, and will be
Sold at Lowest Rates.
Reserve your Orders.

ALEX. FORD.

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A. J. BARAG & CO.

Advertisements this Day.

Notice.....Edward Murphy

Faint.....M. Wood & Sons

Fish.....do

To Advertisers.....Geo. P. Rowell & Co

Administrative Notice.....Bertha J. Cook

Merchants' Excursion.....D. Pottinger

Sealed Tenders.....do

Fall and Winter Goods.....J. L. Black

Prints.....do

Heavy Goods.....do

New Fur Goods.....do

Flour, Meal & Middlings.....do

Stoves.....do

Herring.....James R. Ayer

Denmark Stoves.....do

Horses, &c., for Sale.....D. L. Hamilton

To Farmers.....Stephen Ayer

Executors' Notice.....Timothy Hicks

Apples.....F. A. McQueen

Dry Goods.....do

New Fur, &c.....H. Dickson

Diamond Dyes.....Wells, Richardson & Co

Special Locals.

Order your Fall Bonnets at Pickard's.
Wanted—Eggs, for Cash.—F. A. Dixon.
Pickard's Millinery Department is rushing.
Leave your orders early.

For Sale—Little Pig, good breed, \$1.00 a piece. Orders by Mail gladly attended to.—Geo. O. Siddall, Westmorland Point.

Wanted—Two Girls to learn Dressmaking. Apply to G. I. Lowerson, Millinery, Sackville.

When you get C. Pickard's prices on Grey Flannels, you will not wonder at the Big Run he is having this Fall.

Dr. H. H. Coleman, of Albert, Alberta Co., has located at Sackville for the practice of his profession. He has leased the Office recently used as a Reading Room, on the corner of the street.

The Doctor has had eleven years' experience in active practice. He is a Graduate of the Medical College of the University of the City of New York, and holds a Special Diploma from the Post Graduate Medical School of New York, on Gen. Urinary Diseases, Women, Skin Diseases.

All Professional Calls promptly attended to.

AROUND TOWN.

—Mrs. Smith, of Truro, is visiting her son, Prof. A. D. Smith, LL. D.

—Rev. A. D. Steele, of Amherst, exchanged pulpits with Rev. W. E. Hall last Sunday.

—Rev. Dr. Stewart will hold public service in Lingley Hall next Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

—The I. C. R. advertises a Merchants' excursion to St. John next Monday. Tickets are good for one week.

—The semi-terminal examinations have been in progress in the Mount Allison institutions during the past week.

—The gale on Sunday night and Monday appears to have been unusually severe all over the Maritime Provinces.

—Mr. Milton Andersen, formerly of Sackville, died very suddenly at Woodstock last Sunday, of Typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Thomas Pickard started for California last Monday night. Her husband accompanied her as far as Quebec.

—Dr. Inch is in P. E. Island attending educational meetings in connection with the Methodist Church of Canada.

—Mr. E. L. Ford, Attorney-at-Law, is about opening an office in the S. F. Black building, next door to Dr. Moore's Office.

—Mr. Edward Ogden, managing owner of the barque John Black, returned home last Sunday, after an absence of nineteen months.

—Two raccoons visited the hen house of Mr. W. F. George on Tuesday evening, but although their presence was discovered, they managed to make their escape.

—Mr. A. P. Lewis, Manager of the Portland Packing Co.'s works at Cape Tormentine, returned on Tuesday with his family from a visit to his former home in Maine.

—The Sociable held by the ladies of the W. T. U. in the basement of the Methodist Church last Friday evening was a very pleasant and successful entertainment. The amount netted was about \$35.

—Mr. Lebias Richardson had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday. He was helping to mear the schooner at the Landing and in trying to catch a rope thrown from the vessel, he lost his hold of the wharf and fell into the river. He was rescued, with some difficulty, by a boat that fortunately was near and came to his assistance.

Amherst.

—Rhodes, Curry & Co. have been awarded the contract for the station buildings on the Oxford and New Glasgow railway.

—The approaching municipal contest is exciting considerable interest, and in this ward at least the election is likely to be run on strictly party lines.

—The cellar for one of the additions to the Amherst Hotel has been dug, and the walls are ready for the silks. Work on the other cellar will be commenced immediately.

—J. V. Bourque, of Shediac, is about opening a store in the Greenfield building, adjoining the bank of Nova Scotia. The building is being renovated and plate glass windows are being put in.

—The walls of the new Court House are nearly completed, and work on the roof will be commenced next week. The building promises to be a handsome structure, but it seems almost a pity that it had not been made a little larger.

—A meeting to consider the proposed incorporation of the town was held last Friday evening, and after a number of speeches had been made for and against the measure, it was decided to adjourn till next Tuesday in order to obtain information with regard to the results of incorporation in other towns.

—Good progress is being made with the addition to the Terrace Hotel. The outside is completed, and the first coat of plaster has been put on. The addition contains a large and convenient sample room and a large billiard room on the first floor, and there are six large bed rooms on each of the upper floors.

—PORT ELGIN.—A plank sidewalk is being laid between the school house and the railway station. It has long been needed, and the wonder is that it was not made long ago.

LOCAL MATTERS.

CLOSING.—Mr. Robert Buck, Supervisor of Great Roads, gives notice that "Westcott Abolition has been closed against the public crossing, as the mud and brush-work are about going out. Travellers should go by the Frosty Hollow road."

SACKVILLE DIVISION. S. of T. celebrated the 40th anniversary of its organization on Tuesday evening by a goose supper to which about 70 persons sat down. Laban Lawrence, while on his way to the supper, drove off a bank and was thrown from his carriage, but escaped with more serious injury than some bruises.

A FEAST OF DAYS. under the patronage of lady Tilley will open in Lansdowne Rink, St. John, next Wednesday evening. Tea will be served each evening in the Japanese tea room for 25 cents. An English Fair will be one of the principal attractions. General admission, 15 cents. All railroads will issue excursion tickets.

A MEXICAN SCHOONER IN TROUBLE.—Com. Givan, manager of the schooner P. & E. Givan, from Moncton with tankbar for Salem, has received word that the vessel put into Tennant's harbor on the coast of Maine, leaking, and, after a survey, was ordered to discharge.

The vessel left here with a new captain, Cracker, the regular captain being laid off with typhoid fever.—Times

TENDERS FOR RAILWAY TIES.—The I. C. R. department invites tenders for the supply of 40,000 ties and 25,000 ties of switch tie, 25,000 will be required between Moncton and Newcastle, 21,000 between Newcastle and Campbellton, 31,000 between Point du Chene and St. John and 30,000 between Paines and Truro. Prices pine and tamarac are rated 75 per cent, cedar 60 per cent and hemlock 10 per cent higher than spruce.

Tenders will be received up to Nov. 10th, and the sleepers must be delivered on or before 1st May next. No tender for less than 500 will be considered.

CLOSING EXERCISES.—The closing exercises of the Fair View Methodist School were held in that church Monday evening, the 29th. A programme of speeches, recitations and music was carried out very successfully. Miss Stevens was presented with an album, in acknowledgement of her kind services as organist. The little folks showed a delightful appreciation of the beautiful treat of fruit, confectionaries, etc., provided for them by kind friends at Sackville. Mr. Bowser, to whose untiring zeal, for several years past, the present prosperous condition of the school is largely due, resigned his position as superintendent, amid general regret.

LIBERAL CONSERVATIVE.—The semi-annual meeting of the Sackville Liberal Conservative Association was held in the hall last Saturday evening, and although the night was very dark, the different districts were well represented. The following delegates to the Country Association, which is to meet in Powell's Hall next Tuesday afternoon, were appointed: David, N. J. W. E. Barnes, Peter Hays, No. 2, Harvey Phinney, John Johnson; No. 3, E. Cogswell, H. A. Powell; No. 4, Wm. Ogden, Chas. Fawcett; No. 5, I. C. Harper, Abner Smith; No. 6, Geo. Campbell, John Fawcett; No. 7, David Wheaton, John M. Hicks. The officers for the ensuing year were then elected as follows: President J. L. Black, M. P. P.; Vice, Albert Cahill; Secy-Treas., James Smith. After some interesting speeches, the meeting adjourned.

FIRE.—The house of Mr. Ovid Weldon, on Squire St. was burned last Sunday morning. Mr. Weldon was home at the time, and when the fire was first discovered it had reached the roof. The furniture, and the furniture could be saved. In fact, the family lost nearly all their clothing, and some of them barely escaped with their lives. The fire originated in the wood-shed, but the cause is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$800, against which there was \$300 insurance on the house and \$100 on the furniture. Fortunately, Mr. Weldon has another dwelling house on Beech Hill.—The reflection of a fire on Monday evening aroused considerable interest, but owing to the wires being down, it could not be located till next day when it was learned that the barn of Mr. W. H. Steeves, of Weldon, Albert Co., had been burned.

The doctor engaged to attend to all its contents, which included, besides hay and grain, two cows and a lot of farming implements.—The reflection of a fire was seen last night after midnight in a Northeast direction from here, but enquiry at Baie Verte this morning failed to locate.

LAST SUNDAY MORNING. the Methodist pulpit in Sackville was occupied by the Rev. J. L. Black, D. D., of Halifax, editor of the *Frederator*.

In the evening the same pulpit was occupied by the Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, M. A., Chairman of the P. R. I. District. Rev. A. D. McLeod conducted an after meeting. The Sabbath School was addressed by Miss Carter, a lady evangelist, of Boston.

On Monday, Rev. A. Lowery, D. D., and his estimable wife, of New York, accompanied by Mr. J. Bullock, came and began services in the afternoon, and will continue them twice a day until Sunday, when he closes and goes to Charlotteown, E. I.

The doctor is the learned author of two popular works—*Positive Theology* and *Possibilities of Grace*. Besides, he is associated with Dr. Asa Mahan, of England, in the publication of a monthly magazine called *Divine Life*. His services are mostly on the line of entire sanctification, but include the conversion of sinners and the reclaiming of backsliders. He is making a good impression, and every body should hear him. There is already quite an interest in the experience of entire sanctification, and several have clearly entered into the experience.

Oxford.

—A very heavy storm of wind and rain visited us on Sunday night and Monday, and the consequence was a great freshet, but by present appearance one might believe that the weather had settled down to be pleasant again.

—A very serious accident occurred here on Tuesday afternoon. William, son of Capt. Isaac Slack, had been away partridge shooting, and on returning home attempted to take his gun from the carriage by grasping the barrel, muzzle toward him. Something caught the hammer and discharged the gun. The charge entered the right arm above the elbow and passed out at the shoulder.

Dr. Cook and McDougall amputated the arm at the shoulder, and the patient is now doing as well as can be expected.

Southampton.

—The empty houses have all found occupants again, thanks to the rebuilding of the factory.

—Mr. Amos Lusby has sold a car load (125 bbls) of flour within six weeks—a good showing for a country store.

—Thos. Smith, barrister, was here on Saturday on business. He is owner of the big house at the corner, which he is fitting up.

—Miss Reynolds has accepted the school for the ensuing term, this being her third engagement here. She is deservedly popular, Miss Richardson, so well known here, will teach next term in Athol.

—The woollen factory has come out in a new winter suit of cardinal that is very becoming. The big house at the corner is being renovated, and improved, and will be a decided improvement to the place. The tottering verandah is straightened up, and the building painted grey with brown finish.

—The sale of Mrs. Lawrence's real estate is advertised for next Tuesday. It is ten bbls of corn, 900 bags of wheat, 20 bbls flour to M. Wood & Sons, 75 bbls corn meal to J. L. Black, and sundries to other importers; Annie W. Ward.

—At Hopewell Cape, 22nd ult, schr Maud Fye, Dickson, from Portsmouth.

—At Hillsboro, 22nd ult, schr Maud Fye, Dickson, from Portsmouth.

—At Moncton, 29th ult, schr Endeavor, Styles, from St. John.

BORN.

At Minneapolis, Minn., on the 19th inst, to the wife of P. E. Tewes, of the C. St. P. M. & O. Ry., a daughter.

MARRIED.

At Alms, Albert County, on the 26th inst, by the Rev. A. E. LePage, David A. McKinley to Ellen J. Long.

At Annapolis, on the 19th Oct., by the Rev. Matthew Smith, Cornelius Taylor, to Mrs. Helen Sizer, both of Annapolis.

At Amherst, Oct. 23rd, by Rev. W. H. Heurtz, Charles Gould to Louise Brown, both of Amherst.

At Amherst, Oct. 23rd, by Rev. W. H. Heurtz, James A. Johnson, of Port Elgin, N. B., to Carlisle Ward, of Baie de Verte.

At Amherst Highlands, Oct. 24th, by Rev. D. A. Steele, A. W. Brown, of Moncton, to Misses Gosses.

At Parrsboro, Oct. 15th, by Rev. C. Jost, Captain Charles McDade to Bessie Manuge.

At Spring Hill, Oct. 18th, by Rev. Mr. Woolard, Harry Nash to Victoria, daughter of H. Ridgway, both of that place.

DIED.

At Amherst Head, on the 11th ult, Esther, widow of the late James Findlay, aged 79 years.

At Victoria, Cumberland Co., Sept. 27th, Francis Mattison, aged 82 years.

At Midgie, on the 25th October, Mrs. J. Hicks, aged 82 years.

At Coveville, Albert Co., Oct. 14th, C. R. Smith, aged 79 years.

At Dorchester, on 23rd Oct., Anthony Connell, formerly of Cork, Ireland, aged 94 years.

At Moncton, 25th Oct., Sarah Fowles, aged 29 yrs.

At Shediac, Oct. 19th, George, son of Stephen Armour, aged 37 years.

At Moncton, on the 29th ult., Milton Anderson, eldest son of the late Edward Anderson, of Sackville, in the 40th year of his age.

At Rosevale, Albert County, on the 16th inst, of paralysis, Eliza, wife of Isaiah Bailey, of Hillsboro, aged 37 years.

At St. John, on the 27th ult., Thomas Treuman, Sr., a native of Westmorland Co., aged 77 years.

SHIPPING NEWS.

LOCAL ARRIVED.

From Sackville, 26th ult, schr Maggie S. Head, for Eastport, with 900 bags wheat from J. L. Black; barque Arizona, Reimberg, for Mercury, with 14,120 deals and 2,669 ends, 611 bbls palings from J. L. Black.

From Hillsboro, 25th ult, schr Wawack, Edgett, for St. John.

ARRIVED.

At St. John, 26th ult, schrs Clarine, Teare, from Alma; 27th Pearl, Wood, from Harvey.

At New York, 24th ult, stmr Dorcas, Cook, from Port Williams.

At Vineyard Haven, 20th ult, schr Edmund, Tower, from Rockport.

At New York, 22nd ult, barque Chigaco, Knowlton, from Ghent.

At St. John, 29th ult, schrs Robbie Godfrey, Reubens, from Glouce Bay; Wawack, Edgett, from Hillsboro.

At Esenada, (no date), barque Matilda O Smith, McDonald, from Newport, Eng.

At Antwerp, 28th ult, barque John Hickman, Bishop, from New York.

RAILED.

From St. John, 25th ult, schrs Clara, Stewart, and Etawanda, Love, for Joggins; 29th barque Lizzie Wright, Wells, for West Coast of England; 30th, schrs Clarine, Teare, from Alma; Pearl, Wood, from Harvey.

From Chatham, 18th ult, barque Hissawatha, Little, for Dublin.

From Bon, 24th ult, schrs Ethel B Farnsworth, for Annapolis; 25th, Crown Prince, Cole, for Moncton; Gondola, Martin, for Port Hawkesbury.

At New York, 22nd ult, ship Annie E Wright, Wright, for Antwerp; 23rd, schrs May C, Bennett, for Sackville; 26, Anlar, C. Camero, for Moncton.

From Brunswick, 17th ult, barque John Black, Potter, for Buenos Ayres.

MEMORANDA.

Passed Praelle Point, 22nd ult, barque Sarah Chambers, Carter, from Hamburg for New York.

WHAT A

Prominent Physician says

ESTEY'S

Cod Liver Oil Cream.

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On Halloween.

(Adagio con espressione.)
Do you remember a year ago,
In the embers burning red and low,
We tried our fortunes on this eve?
Did you the augury believe—
How, before the year had fully fled,
I was to be engaged to wed?

The year will pass away to-night.
The Fates may then have been aright,
Although 'tis said Love will not mind
Those ruling sisters of Mankind.
Still pray I that their words were true:
Alone it rests, my love, with you.

—FLAVEL SCOTT MINES, in EDITOR'S
DRAWER of Harper's Magazine for November.

The Modus Operandi.

The mode of operating of Burdock Blood Bitters that it acts all at once and the same time upon the Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys and the Blood, to cleanse, regulate and strengthen. Hence its almost universal value in Chronic Complaints.

Cured by B. B. when all else failed.
Mr. Samuel Allan, of Little, Ont., states that he tried all the doctors in his locality while suffering for years with Liver and Kidney trouble; nothing benefited him until he took Burdock Blood Bitters, four bottles of which cured him.

For Scrofula, Impoverished Blood and General Debility.
Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver, with Hypophosphites, has no equal in the realm of Medicine. Read the following: "I gave Scott's Emulsion to my own child for Scrofula, and the effect was marvelous."—O. P. Gray, M. D., White Hall, Ind. Put up in 50c. and \$1 size.

For Sale and To Let.

FOR SALE.

MY COTTAGE AND LOT on Landing Road. Possession given immediately. oct11-1m MRS. RUFUS COLE.

For Sale or to Rent.

MY RESIDENCE at West Sackville. (Intend leaving town.) DOCTOR FRENCH. September 20th, 1888.

Horse for Sale.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale a four-year-old Horse, raised by himself, which is said to be the handomest ever raised in Sackville. He is perfectly sound, is 16 hands high, and is kind in harness. For further particulars apply to

WILLIAM MCCONNELL, Middle Sackville, Oct. 24, 1888. 21

FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale, very low, one Denmark Stove, one Nags-Cooking Stove (No. 2), one Parlor Stove, for wood or coal; all nearly new. Also, two very fine grade Jersey Heifers, five months old. Enquire of

P. R. MOORE, Sackville, 24th Oct., 1888. 21

FOR SALE.

I WILL dispose of the Property in Upper Sackville, known as the Greenfield Place, and at present occupied by J. K. Thompson, containing three acres of Land, more or less, under good cultivation, together with the Buildings thereon, consisting of a good Dwelling House, a large barn, and a good out-house, and a good well of water on the premises. Would be suitable for a Schoolteacher or Business Man, and with in three minutes' walk of the N. B. & P. E. Railway. Apply to

Mr. FRED THOMPSON, Lower Sackville. Or for further Particulars to Mrs. J. BERRY, Moncton. Jy11

DOUGLAS & CO.

AMHERST, N. S.

HAVE RECEIVED FROM March and April and offer for sale:

- 7 tons White Lead; 2 tons Cold Paints;
- 2 tons Dry Sheathing Paper;
- 2 tons Tarrd Sheathing Paper;
- 2 tons Putty;
- 15 barrels Linseed Oil;
- 40 barrels Portland Cement;
- 455 boxes Window Glass;
- 400 kegs Steel Nails;
- 5 casks Sheet Zinc;
- 10,000 Hoe's and Dixon's Pat. Saw Bits;
- 12 tons Rubber and Leather Belting;
- 150 lbs. Rubber Packing;
- 6 boxes Rabbit Metal;
- 10 dozen Peewees and Card Dogs;
- 48 coils Rope;
- 75 kegs Horse Shoes;
- 50 boxes Horse Nails;
- 4 tons Barbed Wire Fencing;
- 8000 feet Iron Water Pipe;
- 2 cars Flour;
- 1 car Bedforn Iron;
- 4 tons Tire and Cast Steel;
- 55 bbls. Haying Tools;
- 125 bushels Timothy Seed;
- 3000 lbs. Assorted Clover Seeds;
- 60 pkgs McDonald's Tobacco;
- 8 Blacksmith's Bellows;
- 6 Anvils; 10 Vices.

IN ADDITION TO ABOVE:
289 assorted Packages Hardware, Grocery and Dry Goods Sundries. may2 DOUGLAS & CO.

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EXT. OF "WILD" STRAWBERRY CURES CHOLERA, Cholera Morbus, COLIC and CRAMPS DIARRHOEA DYSENTERY AND ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS AND FLUXES OF THE BOWELS. IT IS SAFE AND RELIABLE FOR CHILDREN OR ADULTS.

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Landing Ex Ship from Liverpool:
3,000 Bags Coarse Salt,
300 Bags F. F. Fine Salt.

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"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."—J. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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STEEL HEATING FURNACE,

For Wood, which is taking the lead, saves fuel and labor, and gives great comfort.

PLEASE CALL OR WRITE FOR PRICES.



Also Heating in the most approved way, by Hot Water and Steam. Combination Hot Water and Hot Air, and Heating Furnaces for Soft and Hard Coal. Best Assortment of Stoves in the Maritime Provinces. Bargains in 60 Styles.

Our Maritime Cook is the Best Stove for Wood or Coal in the Dominion of Canada.

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Office and Store Fittings,

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CARDING MILL, ETC.

OUR CARDING MACHINES being put in first-class order, we are now prepared to Card your Wool and make Good Work. Parties from a distance can have their Wools taken home with them. We are manufacturing a number of WHEEL BARROWS. Also on hand and supplied with a full stock of FURNITURE, HARDWARE and BUILDERS' SUPPLIES. All Orders shall receive our Prompt Attention.

FRANK H. MORICE, Sackville, June 12th, 1888.

JUST RECEIVED AT

T. H. Griffiths, Amherst, N. S.

3 CASES,

CONTAINING

\$800 Worth of High-Class Silverware,

ALL ELEGANT GOODS.

Remember Special Sale

Discount of 20 per Cent.

DURING THIS MONTH

Metallic Paints.

I AM now offering for Sale my FIRE-PROOF METALLIC ROOFING PAINT, which has given such universal satisfaction for the last few years. For use on old and new Buildings, Fences, &c. Absolutely Fire-Proof and the Cheapest Roofing Paint now in the Market. Endorsed by leading Contractors, and Painters. Prices and Circulars sent on application.

FRANK H. MORICE, Sackville, June 12th, 1888.

Herring, Herring.

NOW IN STORE:

25 BBLs. Large Fat Herring.

For Sale at Lowest Rates.

Sept. 11, 1888. JAMES R. RAY.

The Sky-Ship.

In the soft wind that blows,
Yon cloudship of the sky
Spreads white sail and throws
A shadow where it lies.

And with my dream is blent
A breath of spice and gums
Out of the Orient
Betraying whence it comes.

Unto a land remote
To fill its rich bazaars
Sails this Arabian boat
Amid the island stars.

And in yon harbor calm
Of Heaven's ocean blue,
Empties her freight of palm—
The twilight's silver dew!

—Frank Dempster Sherman, in The American Magazine for October.

My Treasure.

(From Blackwood's Magazine.)

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CHAPTER IV.

"YOU KNOW THIS NAME?"

As time went by, I believe I forgot that there was any mystery about Mary Smith, or that the golden-haired girl who was "dead and buried," had borne another name. I had never thought of her as being anything but a perfect stranger—nay, that in one sense she was a stranger still. For except the chance conversation that I had had with her, I never talked of her youth, nor of anything that had happened to her before she came to me.

I got very, very fond of her; she was to me as a dear younger sister, and I sometimes found myself expecting her to remember things that had happened when I was a girl at home in my father's rectory, just as if she had been little sunny-haired Lily, who died while quite a child.

Well, the months grew to years, and we were quietly happy together. When she had been with me a year, there came a change that pleased me greatly. I heard from Philip, who had been offered a very fine appointment in the Foreign Office, and meant to accept it, perhaps get into Parliament, and in any case live in London.

This story is about my dear Mary; but though I hate speaking of my own sufferings, I must say here that they had of late been worse than at any time since I first got a little better after my accident. I had been very ill, and Mary had nursed me night and day. I hated having strangers about me. We had the pleasant prospect, too, of a recurrence of this illness; for the bone which I had so thoroughly smashed was beginning to make itself troublesome, after taking nine years to think about it.

"Mary," said I, "I give up my writing;—I'll answer this myself. I am so pleased. My cousin Philip—by the way, you have not met him yet—is coming to London for good, as the phrase goes—to live, at all events. He thinks he would like to settle here, and I have been thinking of him. What does he want with a house? Perhaps he means to take my advice, and get married."

"Married?" echoed Mary. Does he say so?"

"No; but what does a single man want with a house? I must admit that he is a very nice fellow, and I suppose it is only that he likes quiet."

I wrote my letter, and then looked round for Mary, fancying that she might have left the room. There she was, however, and employed in the most unexpected manner. She was standing by a small table, and was filling the space between two windows, and was gazing into it earnestly. Her beautiful eyes were somewhat short-sighted, and she had bent forward until the tip of her nose almost touched the glass.

"What's the matter, Mary?" said I. "Have you got something in your eye? Come here; I shall get it out better than you can."

"There is nothing, thank you. Have you finished your letter? You are very fond of your cousin; why do you not ask him to live with you?"

"Why, even if it would be convenient, I have not room, you know."

"Oh, but then you would not want me," she said, rather untidily.

"My dear girl, don't be silly! Philip is to be chief something or other in the Foreign Office, and in the House presently. I should consider myself very lucky if I see him once a month; and I never heard that he was much of a sick-nurse. Mary, dear, don't talk as if you and I could part—I never feel as if we could. You have made me quite uncomfortable."

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"Do you know, I believe you are right about saving my eyes. I am getting—at least I feel them sometimes. I think I will have advice about them."

"Indeed I wish you would, if you have any strange feel in them," said I; "and I see that the lids are red, now that I look at you. You shall go to-morrow."

And she did go, returning the happy possessor of a pair of spectacles, which she wore with the most enormous glasses, which she said she was to wear when she felt inclined.

"When you feel any weakness in your eyes, you mean," said I. "Well, you don't look a bit like yourself, Mary!—what, pray, is the new way of doing your hair?"

For her very abundant hair, instead of being swept loosely back and coiled up at the back of the head, was dressed high up on her head, and was, moreover, so thoroughly combed up, that it was a little ripple showed itself. As to the dress, it was a white, rings that used to come peeping round her pretty ears, had been vanished.

"As I was out," she said, "I thought I would go to D—'s and learn some new way of putting up my hair. I've never changed it since I was a girl. The fashion now is for every one to wear caps, and I have bought some. I think they will suit my venerable

locks,—don't you? Well, have you anything ready to be written?"

I did not like her nearly so well in her caps, with all the natural waviness banished from her hair; but for once she was obstinate, saying that as she had bought the caps she was bound to wear them. As to the spectacles, they made her look so comical that I always laughed at her when she wore them, and they generally remained in the pretty case which she wore at her side. Why is it that some people look so absurd in spectacles?

Philip came to London in due time, and soon wrote a line to say he would be with me in the evening. Mary, who was always very careful not to be in the way, said she would take the opportunity to go to some lecture that she wished to hear; and she went, and did not come home again until Philip had gone. The same thing happened several times, until Philip remarked gravely that he began to think that Fanny's statement had no real existence, but ought rather to be called Mrs. Harris than Miss Smith.

"Well, she really runs away on purpose," I said. "She has a perfect horror of being in the way, and she says that you and I must have much to say to each other. Come on Monday, she always comes when I have visitors. But I just wish you had seen her before she altered her way of dressing her hair. Her old way was far more becoming to her."

Whether he really had a curiosity to see my treasure, or whether it was merely accidental, I know not; but on Monday he appeared with his sister Edith. I was, as usual, lying on my couch near the fire,—it was April, and chilly enough still,—and when Philip and Edith came up to my end of the room, I did not for some time remark that Mary had left her post at the little tea-table and was nowhere to be seen. But when I wanted tea for Edith, I missed the tea-maker. Hardly had I noticed her absence when she came back. I perceived that she had gone for a thick knitted shawl, in which she had wrapped herself up as if very cold. And indeed she looked chilled and pale; moreover, she had put on the grey glasses. Edith turned and whispered to me: "Philip will have a laugh at me; for I told him that Miss Smith was very good-looking, and to-day she is simply a fright. She must be getting a cold, I think."

She went to the tea-table, stood talking a little to Mary, and then came back. "Yes, indeed,—a sudden chill. The poor soul is shivering like a leaf, and cannot speak above her breath."

"It is really enough to frighten one," I replied; "and so sudden, too,—but I will see to her presently. Take no more notice of it now, Edith, for she is very shy—it would only make her worse to make any fuss now."

Then I turned to talk to Philip, who was standing towering over me, with his eyes fixed upon me. Miss Smith in a puzzled stare which I knew would reduce her to misery if she became aware of it. It was so unlike Philip too, to stare so.

"Sit down, Philip," said I. "I really cannot make you hear me up there. Both of you, I say, sit down, and let me see what the matter is. The good looks have hid themselves."

He sat down, but seemed so stupid and unlike himself that for a moment I felt vaguely uneasy. Presently Edith took him away, stopping at the tea-table to introduce him to Mary. She said, "Mary, Philip is here, like a person with a bad headache, and Philip is slowly, like a person in a dream. Then they were gone, and soon Mary and I were left alone together. She looked very ill, and trembled without ceasing; but she got better after a while, and seemed quite herself the next day. To my great amazement Philip appeared the next Monday—this time without Edith. He sat beside me for a few minutes, very silent and very absent. It seemed to me as if the numbers present depressed him, and yet if this were the case, why did he come? And once he had been here, he would not leave me. He walked up to Mary and held out his hand, saying,—"Good-evening, Miss Smith."

Mary did not seem to see his hand. She bowed, and said good-evening, in a low voice. I did wish her spectacles were in the fire! It was provoking to see a man who called himself a beauty, and for her to be all grey spectacles whenever he looked at her. However, he departed.

That evening Mary was singing for me, I lying lazily enjoying myself. I never heard the door open, but I saw her lighted up, and the door was broken down, and she stopped singing. There was a looking-glass over the piano, and thus I saw that she hurriedly put on those abominable spectacles; and then I became aware that there was a man in the room.

"Who is that?" I cried. "Why, Philip! you at this hour! I thought you were intending to dine at Lord M—'s to-night."

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