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## Literature.

### My Lodger's Wife.

(From Chamber's Journal.)

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feeling, quite a certainty, it seemed, of having known her before, although when or where I could not say. So strong and strange was this impression, that it was almost terrible to me, and, as I said, I could think of nothing else for a long time. However, I shook the feeling off, at last, and went about my work, seeing no more of my lodger or his wife that night.

Robert at the *White Lion* told me, when he brought the supper beer, that, although it was lashed up as much as possible, yet it certainly was the Fenian who had escaped, and that it was one of the most desperate and ingenious escapes ever heard of. "Not, ma'am," he said, "as I believe in any of your ingenious escapes. I don't believe in a man doing with a rusty nail, or two prongs of a dinner-fork, or some such thing, in four or five hours, what it would take a couple of smiths all day to do with a basket of tools. It's the warlike, ma'am, and they make these excuses; that's what it is, ma'am." This was the opinion of Robert at the *White Lion*, and I must own that I had, on similar occasions, heard many people in Weymouth express their doubts to the same effect.

Once or twice the next day I saw Mr. Lewis, and each time the impression that I had previously met her, grew stronger; I fancied, however, that my looking straight at her, to try and remember when it could have been, disturbed her, so I avoided doing so as much as possible, but for the life of me I could not help doing it sometimes. On the following morning, I had to go out for an hour or two, and when I came back, I found my windows cleaned, the mould in the flower-boxes turned over, and various little things done, which told me that Lewis had been at work again, as, indeed, I found was the case. He had, unfortunately, been taken very unwell just before I came home, but previously he had been busy as usual in the front of the house.

As all attempts to recapture the convict had failed, and so there was no longer, I suppose, a hope of keeping it quiet, that night great bills were stuck up about the town, offering five hundred pounds reward for the apprehension of the Fenian colonel—for it was he, after all—and on one of these bills was stuck up on an empty house just opposite to my own door. I naturally got talking about this with Mrs. Lewis; at least I talked, and she listened, for she said hardly a word; and at last, when I struck a light to find something she wanted, I found she was crying. I told her I was afraid she was weak and low, that her long journey and her husband's illness had upset her, and asked her to let me make her some port-wine negus the last thing that night. She thanked me, but declined; and when she went away, the remembrance of her face, with the tears of her cheeks, seemed ten times more familiar to me than ever. I determined to ask Mr. Lewis, when I saw him, if his wife had ever lived in Weymouth, but it seemed as though I never should see him again. However, I did see him that evening.

I had been up-stairs for some time, and as I was looking over the contents of an old drawer, I was very quiet, and my lodgers thought I was out; but presently I came down, and met Lewis ascending, carrying a light. I was in the dark.

"Good-evening, Mr. Lewis," I said; "I hope you are better."

"He looked up and said: 'Yes; much better, thank you.' He passed on, and left me almost petrified. It was not the same man. There was the same dark skin, moustache, hair, and whiskers; the same clothes; but this man, although short, was taller than my lodger, decidedly stouter, and had altogether a harder, sterner expression. There was no possible mistake. His voice, too, was wholly different; and I staggered, rather than walked, into my little kitchen, feeling as though

I had seen a ghost. I had not strength to procure a light; but in a few minutes Mrs. Lewis—sent down, as I found, by her husband—came in with one. Seeing me sitting, so pale and scared, in my chair, she said: "Are you ill Mrs. Gerran? My husband fears you are." As if a flash of lightning had suddenly penetrated all the dark places of my mind, I saw, as she spoke, the meaning of all that had been mysterious, and by her face I saw she knew her secret was revealed. She was my lodger; she was the Mr. Lewis I had known. Altered and changed in every respect as she was, I knew her now. She locked her hands together, and twisted her fingers with a nervous, frightened air, and looked anxiously at me.

"Who—who are you?" I asked.

"Why are you dressed like this? Who is the man?"

"O Mrs. Gerran!" she cried, throwing herself down at my knees, before I could move to stay her, "forgive my deceiving you, and still be my friend—the my husband's friend. If you are not kind and true to us, we are lost. We have no home but this—no friend but you. It will soon, I trust, be different; but at this moment my poor husband is a fugitive, an outlaw, a convict, and a price is set upon his head."

"A price upon his head?" I echoed.

"Is he, then?"

"Yes," she said, interrupting me, although she was sobbing as if her heart would break—"yes, my husband is Colonel La Trouille, the Fenian. We are Americans, and we are only waiting for the pursuit to cool, when we shall cross to France, and can then easily regain our home—never more, I trust, to leave it."

"Rise up, my poor dear girl," I said, lifting her on to a chair; "and believe me that no money would tempt me to betray your husband; for your sake, at any rate, I will be true to you both. I hope for your sake, too, that he will leave his dreadful and desperate schemes."

"O Mrs. Gerran," she answered, "do not think him a bloodthirsty man; there never breathed a gentler or kinder being. He was sadly deceived in the business which brought him here; but pray, come and see him, that he may know he is safe under your roof."

I went with her; and found this desperate Fenian, a quiet and mild, gentlemanly person. He was full of gratitude to me; and although his close-cut hair, now he sat without his wig, and his dark face made him look stern enough, yet his eyes swam with genuine tears over and over again, when he spoke of his wife and her devotion to him.

Of course, every one can now see how it was managed. When he was sent to Portland, his wife came down, dressed as a man, and, while lodging with me, took care to familiarise the neighbours with the fact that I had a young man lodger. One of the warders had already been gained over—so Robert at the *White Lion* was not so far wrong in his guess—and he it was with whom I had seen the supposed Mr. Lewis talking, and who came to my house twice. On his second visit, he came to say that all was arranged, and that her husband would get away soon after dark the next night. It was, fortunately for the scheme, a very stormy one; so La Trouille got past the station, and followed the railway bridge without being recognised. He had a large railway rug over his shoulders, which hid his convict dress; and the only really dangerous part of his journey was through the streets to reach my house; but the dreadful storm cleared away all passengers, and he entered our street without having met half-a-dozen people. His wife was watching from her window, and seeing him, slipped down and opened the street-door without my knowing anything about it. Then they removed the stains from her face, hands, and neck with washes which she had brought with her, and he wore a wig, made to resemble her short curls. Poor young thing! she showed me such beautiful looks, which she had cut off, to enable her to look more like a man; they must have been nearly a yard long, I am sure. They thought no place was so safe as Weymouth, and they were right, for the officers were hunting all over London, and Ireland, and

Liverpool, and goodness knows where besides. La Trouille showed himself a little, but not too much, and no one ever suspected the change in my lodgers. In about a fortnight, he got quietly on board a fruit sloop which was going back to France; and both he and his wife wrote to me when they got there, and also when they arrived at New Orleans. I don't know who the warder was, nor what he received for his services; but I heard, shortly after, from Robert at the *White Lion*, that one of them had left Portland to go and take a very handsome public house in London; so I had my suspicions. I know that if I wanted money, which I am happy to say, I should only have to tell Mrs. La Trouille, or go to the great house in Liverpool, of which they gave me the card, and I could have all I wanted.

She would make me accept her gold watch and chain; and I have worn it, and shall continue to do so, in memory of her.

### Propaganda.

One of the strangest things in this world, is carelessness with which marriages are contracted. Raisers of milking stock are as careful in their conjunction as it is possible to be. Gentlemen attached to the turf are eminently scrupulous and cautious in this respect. Vice of mind, weakness of the muscle, a want of courage and endurance, badness of temper, liability to disease, do each condemn a horse, and exclude him from the breeding yard. Only the best animals tried and approved are the ones employed in the production of horses for the turf. More than this, they have got to have pedigree, and come of ancestors of pure racing blood, and distinguished on both sides for thorough bred qualities and great performances. Else they are rejected.

Are men of women bred with this care anywhere in the world? We do not know of a single locality where they are. And yet what comparison of importance is there between the stock of men and the stock of cattle? Physical defects of the most frightful kind, moral defects of a repulsive character, constitute too generally no bar whatever to marriage. Consumption is bred in without a thought—scrofula is perpetuated—goit is unhesitatingly transmitted, while drunkenness is crossed upon sobriety, and hereditary lying and stealing are sent down to a young crop of thieves and rogues, and meanness, laziness, greediness, silliness, selfishness, and vulgarity, are tumbled without hindrance into the common crucible of marriage, and received in the inexorable law of reproduction, as the characteristics of a generation of men and women. Among human beings constitutional defects are as transmissible as they are among horses. So are the moral defects, and so, thank God, are the moral excellencies. Yet the great majority of the people of this country act in defiance of this physiological law—more probably in ignorance of it.

### Mutton vs. Pork.

Physicians recommend mutton as the most wholesome meat, the easiest digested and best suited to invalids, while pork, everybody knows, is the most unwholesome food eaten. In England, mutton is a favorite dish, and we apprehend it is to this more than roast beef that the Englishman owes his robust health and rosy complexion. Our people eat too much pork and not enough of mutton. And yet, as a contemporary remarks, "Mutton can be procured at less than half the price of pork; also yields more nourishment when eaten; and keeping sheep does not exhaust the farm so much as feeding hogs does. Sheep can be kept during the winter on hay and turnips, or mangel wurzel or sugar beet, while hogs cannot do, without at least some corn."

### HOESHOUD WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Wheat flour, one pound is one quart.

Indian Meal, one pound two ounces is a quart.

Butter, when soft, one pound and one ounce is a quart.

Loaf sugar powdered, one pound and one ounce is a quart.

Best brown sugar, one pound and two ounces is a quart.

Eggs of the average size, ten are one pound.

Liquid measures—Sixteen table-spoonfuls are a half pint.

### Correspondence.

#### Academian.

To the Editor of the *Chignecto Post*:

DEAR SIR,—

The letter in your last issue improperly signed "Collegian" was decidedly amusing.

For some days previous to its appearance, the pre-occupied air and disheveled locks of "Collegian" had been the subject of general remark in our Academic World. Indeed there was a general anxiety to know what the ominous signs portended.

This in a measure prepared, we survived the shock of this literary thunderbolt hurled from the Collegiate heavens.

"Collegian" describes the "profane" meetings of the Committee of the "Gossip" etc., etc.; doubtless thinking to humiliate the readers of his article into the belief that he would be allowed at any meeting of the Committee. I have enquired into the matter and can certainly assure the public that as the "Gossip" employs but one "Imp," "Collegian" has never been engaged in the office and therefore all that he dwells upon is simply the production of his own brain—so called.

We notice too that "Collegian" in speaking of the excitement in his Alma Mater when our paper appeared, writes "Alma" with a small a.—This need not be wondered at as it only shows that he thinks as little of his Alma Mater as his Alma Mater deserves of him.

And in regard to the "Academy Gossip," I will say that its unpretending merit found general favor, and until the Collegians can produce a better paper, I advise them to be silent and not criticise what they cannot surpass.

Yours &c.,

ACADEMIAN.

Sackville, March 21 1871.

We will not admit any more letters on this subject.—Ed.

### Brag vs. Whine.

The United States of America is *par excellence* the land of brag.—The President brags annually, Congress frequently, the Press generally, General Butler incessantly, and the nation unanimously (on the 4th of July). The science of brag has been brought to perfection. To study the other extreme we have to cross the Atlantic; and listen to those public men, and that section of the Press, to which I last alluded. Among them, whining is carried to a like perfection. Have not honorable members, and if I mistake not noble lords got up and asserted that England could not defend her colonies, and have not leaders joined in the whine, and correspondents echoed it? England is disgraced by this contemptible whine. Brag does not inspire admiration; but of the two extremes, it is far better than whining. Great men and brave men have bragged before now; but a brave man never whines. The plucky ferrier when he sees a canine foe of four times his dimensions, stiffens his tail, bristles up his wool, shows every tooth in his head, and walks on tip-toe round the enemy that could easily devour him; and pluck and brag wins the day. The cur whines and puts his tail between his legs, and generally gets a shaking.

It is not a good plan to belittle the British Lion. He should rather be patfed on the back, and told that although he is old and fat, with a little training and a stout heart, he can thrash any beast in the menagerie yet.—From "A Round-about Letter by a English" in the *New Dominion Monthly* for March.

### A Lawyer's Fee.

A story is told at the expense of a legal gentleman who was formerly well known in Norwich, Conn., who now lives in Oshkosh. One Smith had failed in business, and sold out, and having two or three tough little bills, had given them to this lawyer for collection. Smith went to the office to receive the proceeds. The amount collected was about \$30.—"I'm sorry you've been so unfortunate, Smith, for I take a great interest in you. I shan't charge you as much as I should if I didn't feel so much interested in you." Here he handed Smith \$15 and kept the balance. "You see, Smith, I knew you when you were a boy, and I knew your father before you, and I take a good deal of interest in you. Good morning. Come and see me again." Smith, moving slowly out of the door ad nauseam contemplating the avails, was heard to mutter: "Thank God you didn't know my grandfather."

## GLEANNINGS.

A GLEANNING woman cut the throats of six children and then her own near Banbaia, Australia.

Why should drapers assist in putting out fires?—Because they know all about hose.

NAPOLÉON the First lost 60,000 troops in endeavoring to keep possession of San Domingo. The climate is more deadly than the sword.

A CONWAL marriage is thus noticed by one of our contemporaries:—"Married, John Cobb to Miss Kate Webb. Look out for little spiders."

There is a man in Indiana so thin that when the sheriff is after him he crawls into his rifle and watches his adversary through the touch hole.

A RELIABLE Western paper says there are trees so tall that it takes two men and a boy to look to the top of them. One looks till he gets tired, and another commences where he left off.

JOHN THOMAS, a negro murderer, was privately strangled according to law in New York, on the 17th, and a thousand persons assembled around the jail, though they were deprived of the pleasure of witnessing the spectacle.

The largest valley in the world is the valley of the Mississippi. It contains 500,000 square miles, and is one of the most fertile and profitable regions of the world.

Some music teacher once wrote that "the art of playing a violin requires the nicest perception and most sensibility of any art in the known world." Upon which an editor thus comments:—"The art of publishing a newspaper, and making it pay, and at the same time making it please everybody, beats fiddling higher than a kite."

The Japanese have but one newspaper which comes out once a month, in the shape of a stitched pamphlet of about 100 pages. It has been established a little more than a year. The country boasts also of one railway, twenty miles long; but others are in progress.

As there is no chance of a fusion between Orleansists and Legitimists, there will always be in the French Chamber a majority of 400 against any dynasty whatever, says the *Edouard*.

The Cincinnati "Enquirer" says that Mr. Gough's audiences have hitherto been "good people who had an appetite for buffonery, but whose painful piety precluded them from attending a circus."

The fellow who was engaged to marry the double-headed girl has backed out, because one head got mad and called him a swindling fortune hunter.—The other head is in great distress of mind over the quarrel.

A good many years ago a liberal clergyman of Boston met Dr. Woods and undertook to make himself merry at the doctor's expense. "I saw the other day a picture of your seminary—a man putting pumpkins into a mill and coming out ministers."—"Yes, how would you like to get thro' the mill?" and any one ought to be familiar with the doctor's drawl to get at the spirit of it, but it isn't bad any way.

A WRITER in a provincial paper says he has found train or fish oil, applied with a brush to the stems of young trees an effectual preventative of the attacks of rabbits and mice. He also uses it with great advantage among such little plants as turnips, squashes, cauliflowers, carnations, pinks and the like, to keep the bugs away. For this purpose his practice is simply to scatter a few drops of oil all over the bed as soon as the seed begins to vegetate. It is not intimated that a second dose is ever necessary.

ASHES OF HARD AND SOFT WOOD.—It is generally supposed that the ashes of pine wood is not so rich in alkalis as that of hardwood. In his "Mack Manual," Dr. Dana says that, "in equal weights, pine ash affords four times more alkali than the ash of hard wood." At the same time a bushel of hard wood ashes yields more alkali than a bushel of pine wood ashes, the ash of the pine wood being much the lightest. According to analysis only about thirteen and a half parts in a hundred of hard wood are soluble, while of the yellow pine 60 parts are soluble.

## The Bribery and Corruption Case.

Herbert, Petitioner, against Thelby, Respondent.

DORCHESTER, March 23rd, 71.

The Court opened at the Court House this morning, Judge Allen presiding, Frederick Morrison and W. J. Gilbert, Esqrs. for Plaintiff; A. L. Palmer and A. E. Outlaw, Esqrs. for Respondent.

As was anticipated there was much time occupied in discussing numerous objections taken by Mr. Palmer for the respondent. These being disposed of, the Judge decided to proceed with the evidence under the ordinary rules of Nisi Prius.

Mr. Gilbert opened the case for the Petitioner stating the several parishes where Respondent and his agents had fed and treated voters and paid money and promised offices and giving the names of parties.

The election writ was proved by a certified copy.

The first witness was the High Sheriff who proved the poll books, and that Thos. B. Harrington, of St. John, a voter in Shediac list, had his name changed to Moncton, by Respondent to act as his agent and vote there; other formal facts were proved with inference to the check list and poll books.

STEVENS BATHURST swore Hon. D. Harrington promised to pay him if he would bring three men and vote and work for his son; to make his price and he would pay him.

WILLIAM CARPENTER stated that Hon. D. Harrington had hired his coach to drive his son to Dorchester election day and he had charged him \$12 for it.

WM. B. WALLACE swore he gave five dollars to Wesley Chapman given to him by R. A. Chapman; he merely handed him the money and did not know what the money was sent for.

The court adjourned till ten o'clock to-morrow, 24th March.

Wm. B. Wallace's examination continued, but he made a general denial of having any connection with Respondent's election.

JOS. A. ARTHUR, telegraph operator, was called to produce telegrams, which the Judge decided he was compelled to do, and several telegrams were read from Jos. L. Black, which however amounted to nothing of consequence.

GEORGE HARWARD, SHERIFF, swore that on polling day he fed 70 persons and was paid by Hugh Davidson. Did not know Respondent in the matter.

WM. GIVAN, MONCTON, testified that he gave entertainment on polling day to the amount of \$50, under an arrangement with J. L. Harris, who paid him \$10. T. B. Harrington, of St. John, was at his house and treated, and as he thought, was treated in return. Never saw him treat except at an election.

LORING NILES was at the Respondent's house on Nomination day and had dinner. He saw about a dozen others there. He had borrowed ten dollars from the Respondent at the County Court, because he was out of money, but he gave at the same time an order for amount on Mariner Wool, Sackville. He had always supported the Harringtons. He saw a keg of liquor at the polling-place on Election day, and was told it was Harrington's.

JACOB H. HERRICK, brother of the Petitioner, said the Respondent had told him he had better advise his brother to withdraw, as he had no chance of election. John Niles tried to get the witness to go and tell his brother that if he was wanting, to see opportunity, he could get a hundred dollars to resign. On the same occasion Mr. Gus Harrington told the witness to get a horse and drive to Dorchester to communicate with his brother and to send him the bill for the hire of the same to him in St. John, and it would be paid.

Mr. Palmer endeavored to elicit from the witness that he had told Loring Niles that Gilbert had told him to tell his brother the present suit would not cost him anything, but while the witness would not swear he did not do so, he did not admit he did.

DORCHESTER, March 25th. Wells Tinsley. Telegraph Operator, was called and produced several telegrams, which, however, contained nothing of importance.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Westmorland Patronage.

Local and Provincial News.

St. John's River gives every appearance of being open in a few days.

W. P. REED, Esq., son of the Chief Justice, died at Malta, on Sunday last of Consumption.

Prof. Campbell, of the University of New Brunswick, died at Portland, Me., of consumption on 27th inst.

There are four ex-candidates in Queens to take Mr. Abbott's place. Polling day is 4th prox.

Fire.—A fire broke out in Messrs. Christy's Carriage Shop, in Amherst, on Saturday morning last, which fortunately was extinguished before much damage was done.

The weather.—The mild weather of the past three weeks appeared to herald the approach of an early spring, but on Monday night and Tuesday a violent snow storm visited us, and left a goodly quantity of snow on the ground.

EXTRAORDINARY EGG.—We recommend the following to the consideration of the "Amherst Gazette": Mr. Wm. Harper, of Verter, has a hen that laid a few days ago an egg measuring 8 3/4 inches by 6 1/2 inches. Let Cumberland beat that.

A NEW BREAD-BAKER ARRIVED.—A private letter received a few days since from Utah, United States, says that Frederick Wuestman, Esq., formerly a resident of Westmorland, had recently sold his interest in the Cottonwood Canyon Mines in that Territory, for \$150,000, gold.

SUPPLYING AT DORCHESTER.—G. Palmer, Esq., has a vessel of about 600 tons register, ready for launching in about six weeks. Capt. Wm. Milner, of this place, will command her.—Wm. Hiekmann, Esq., has one of about 875 tons register, which he intends launching about September next.

As Electric Storm of unusual severity prevailed on Thursday forenoon last, and prevented the Telegraph instruments from working in the offices of the W. U. Telegraph Co. and Montreal Telegraph Co., east of Buffalo. Such another electrical disturbance has not been experienced for two years.

is again supporting them by his vote. These are simply eccentricities in which men sometimes indulge, and Mr. Smith cannot be blamed for practicing them.

We regret the Confederates of Westmorland are not alive to the great importance of this new ally in their camp, bringing with him, as he does, a host of former antis, as truly and sincerely converted as Mr. Smith himself. Mr. Smith as M. P. from Westmorland, as a Confederate, and supporter of Sir John's Administration and part of Tilley's tail, has the patronage of the County at his disposal; and as indicative of his sincerity we find every one of the Enumerators for taking the census in this County are men who were the strong anti-confederate partisans of Mr. Smith.

This is as it should be; they were entitled to consideration at the hands of Mr. Smith, and if the pittance the Government had doled out to them is not sufficient to compensate them for the dirt they have waded through in following Mr. Smith, we know of nothing else will do so.

It is true some of the Confederates who have tilted through the Confederation contest think it strange they should have been entirely ignored, forgetting that their consistent advocacy of one side honestly believed in would never deserve the pay due to those who have advocated both sides. They absurdly imagine that past services have weight with our modern politicians; but their morality is to ignore past issues on which they were never sustained, and those supporters by whose influence they were carried into power; and if by dangling another before the eyes of a political Lazarus, and throwing from the confederate table crumbs of patronage for him to grab up, Tilley and Mitchell can get him to lick their political heels, why should their old confederate friends complain that after having served their turn they are thrown aside like a sucked orange?

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The weather.—The mild weather of the past three weeks appeared to herald the approach of an early spring, but on Monday night and Tuesday a violent snow storm visited us, and left a goodly quantity of snow on the ground.

EXTRAORDINARY EGG.—We recommend the following to the consideration of the "Amherst Gazette": Mr. Wm. Harper, of Verter, has a hen that laid a few days ago an egg measuring 8 3/4 inches by 6 1/2 inches. Let Cumberland beat that.

A NEW BREAD-BAKER ARRIVED.—A private letter received a few days since from Utah, United States, says that Frederick Wuestman, Esq., formerly a resident of Westmorland, had recently sold his interest in the Cottonwood Canyon Mines in that Territory, for \$150,000, gold.

SUPPLYING AT DORCHESTER.—G. Palmer, Esq., has a vessel of about 600 tons register, ready for launching in about six weeks. Capt. Wm. Milner, of this place, will command her.—Wm. Hiekmann, Esq., has one of about 875 tons register, which he intends launching about September next.

As Electric Storm of unusual severity prevailed on Thursday forenoon last, and prevented the Telegraph instruments from working in the offices of the W. U. Telegraph Co. and Montreal Telegraph Co., east of Buffalo. Such another electrical disturbance has not been experienced for two years.

The Schr. "Lucida", Capt. Wm. Atkinson, went on shore near Machias, Me., on 22nd inst. She was bound from New York to Sackville and had on board 500 barrels of flour for M. Wood & Sons, by whom she is owned. Josiah Wood Esq. left her on Monday last to look after her. Vessel and cargo uninsured. If the weather continues fine she may be got off next week.

### TELEGRAPHIC: FROM EUROPE.

Special Despatches to "Chignecto Post."

Albert Hall opened! The Rebellion in Algeria!

LONDON, March 29. The Royal Albert Hall of Science and Arts was opened to-day for public use by the Queen in the presence of 10,000 spectators. The Prince of Wales, Duke of Saxo-Coburg-Gotha, Prince Arthur, Prince Christian, Princess Louise, Marquis of Lorne, Prince Beatrice and a large number of the nobility were in attendance. Paris is quiet to-day. The Red Flag is displayed everywhere. The Central Committee has split and some of its members have been arrested by their colleagues.

A Versailles despatch says the Government has authorized the insurgents to avoid the shedding of blood, but it is ready to meet and crush it. The rebellion in Algeria is assuming formidable proportions.

OTTAWA. Special to "Chignecto Post." PUBLIC BUILDINGS AT HALIFAX. British Columbia Debate.

OTTAWA, March 30. Mr. Smith, M. P. for Selkirk Manitoba, took his seat. Langens made a statement about Government policy in respect to Canals. McKenzie objected that Saint St. Marie Canal was not to be built. On concurrence in vote of two hundred thousand dollars to construct new Public Buildings in Halifax instead of those that the Provincial Government refused to deliver, the Government consented to modify resolutions so that further effort be made to secure settlement, and if present building be given up to Dominion the claim of sixty-six thousand dollars may be submitted to arbitration.

After recess British Columbia debate resumed. Gray spoke two hours in favor of it. Joly, against, said the Dominion was initiating a frog trying to swallow an ox. Jackson, for, and Mills in a long speech opposed resolutions. Smith made an able speech against resolutions, argued that Dominion was unable to undertake so costly a work, and said maintenance of road after built was enough to ruin the country. It would not pay one-twentieth part of running expenses. Rymal spoke against and Donkin for measure. When House adjourned at 1 o'clock it got "stirred up" on the subject.

RAILWAY MATTERS.—About \$70,000 will be expended this season in Westmorland County to give increased means for railway transportation. About \$18,000 will be devoted to improvements at the Point du Chene terminus. Sillings are to be put in at Callum's and Teakle's Mills and the connection of Railway with water communication at Dorchester is on the Dominion Board of Works programme for accomplishment this season. Perhaps before this the Railway Commissioners have received orders to proceed with it. We understand that no action will be taken at present with respect to a track to Sackville wharves.—Messrs. Grant & Sutherland's Railway operations at Moncton are progressing. They have also completed about one and a half miles of earth work; they have opened ten cuts, in four or five of which they are now working. They have employed about 100 men during the winter and this number will soon be largely increased.

"CLEANSING THE BLOOD," upon which charlatans have harped so much, is not a mere catch-word and delusion. The microscope shows that some diseases exist like parasitic growths upon the globules of the blood, and it is further known that some subtle substances destroy or expel them. These substances have been combined to make Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which does effectually expel the disorders that breed and rankle in the blood to rot out as it were the machinery of life. [Mercer (Pa) Whig.]

CAUTION!—In our changeable climate, coughs, colds, and diseases of the throat, lungs and chest will always prevail. Croup, consumption will claim its victims. These diseases, if attended to in time, can be arrested and cured. The remedy is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

ACCIDENT AT RIVER PHILIP.—A laborer named James Curran, of P. E. Island, was working on 22nd inst. under a staging erected in a Pier foundation of the River Philip Railway Bridge, when the staging, having a large quantity of gravel on it, fell on him and crushed his left leg and foot. Dr. is progressing favorably under Dr. Cove's hands.

### DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

We condense from Monday's "Telegraph," an account of a Parliamentary duel in the Commons on night of 24th, arising out of an item in supply of \$200,000 for new public buildings in Halifax. After a lengthy debate in which Black, Douglas, Archibald, Ross, Gray, McLaughlin, McKenzie, Davison, Hincks, Sawyer, Mills, Currier and Tupper took part:

Jones, in a fierce speech, charged that the Nova Scotia members of the Government had prevented a fair settlement. Nova Scotia now are the losers, in the Ontario case. Nova Scotia constituency could send a man to support Tupper, whose political policy had so early come to grief. The Ontario opposition, though they believed that on constitutional grounds it was dangerous to alter the Act of Union.

Killam said, unless the Government selected this matter fairly, they would get no supporters in Nova Scotia.

Tupper took the floor and made the only great speech on the Government side. It was an extraordinary effort and produced a great effect by its impassioned delivery and able array of facts. He charged home upon the ranks of the Ontario Opposition that in that House, the Ontario Opposition, had made a resolution to Nova Scotia their war cry, and carried the expression of their views even to the foot of the Throne. When better terms were given Nova Scotia in the London Convention, they found a wavery in that. When concessions were made later to Nova Scotia, they found a wavery in that. When the Ontario Opposition, they fired the heat of Ontario by crying out against their injustice to Nova Scotia, on the one hand, an election in Nova Scotia, then gentlemen tried to palm themselves off as the champions of Nova Scotia. They had refused them millions and now their cry was, right or wrong, give Nova Scotia sixty-six thousand dollars. He denounced Jones for his statements, and said his period of self-abnegation, and concluded a speech of rare power (though part of it was not well suited to the House of Commons) amid prolonged cheering. E. M. McDonald colorated Tupper's statement as the violent and unparliamentary use of the word "war" in that House. He was not to aid the "H.C." and was crowned with the Hon. Secy. of the Interior, 10th inst. Smith, for Can. P., for Santiago, 10th inst. Taylor, for St. John, 17th inst. Lewis, for Barre, 10th inst. Trueman, for Moncton, 10th inst. and there were several other members of the House.

NEW ADVERT.

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SALE OF REAL ESTATE

FOR VACANT

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FOR VACANT

...ing of the Welland Canal, the...  
...the Canal improvements, from...  
...capital to Lacine, and the en...  
...ment of the Champlain Canals,  
...construction of the Haie Verte  
...the enlargement of the Locks  
...St. Lawrence Canals to the  
...scale as the Welland Canal,  
...270 feet long, 45 feet wide  
...2 feet draught, the improvement  
...Canal between Montreal and  
...and of Montreal harbor.  
...Locks of the Haie Verte to be  
...feet long, 40 feet wide, and 15  
...feet high. Letters are appended  
...to the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie  
...Samuel Keefer and Guyawaki  
...engineers, showing the  
...ability of the latter work, which  
...is considered national in design and  
...to be national in its results.  
...The Commissioner show that the  
...payment of the Canals must  
...of the western trade and  
...late Intercolonial commerce.  
...On the 27th, Independence of  
...the Bill lost. The galleries  
...clearly at the suggestion of  
...McDougal, Senator Miller be...  
...there and having made  
...preparation for his insult.  
...The Hon. Mr. Cartier introduced British  
...resolutions. The Bill was  
...the nature of a treaty; any  
...amendment would therefore destroy  
...the Bill. The population is 60,  
...000 Chinese and 10,000 whites.  
...revenue from imports is \$350,  
...000, being double per head that of  
...the Dominion. It provided for a  
...grant of 21,000 square miles or  
...10,000 acres for railway connec...  
...The length of the line from  
...Vancouver to the Pacific is 2,500  
...miles. As 700 miles are in Ontario,  
...of 9,000,000 acres is expect...  
...that Province. The cost of  
...land is \$100,000,000. It was not  
...agreed to aid the line by any grant  
...of land. Galt stated the terms  
...more onerous than former pro...  
...of British Columbia. He be...  
...the American Territorial sys...  
...a better one. Tilley said  
...former proposal \$1,000,000  
...had been spent on a coach  
...yearly, and he dissented from  
...the views.

**SHIPPING NEWS.**  
...at Cape Hayti 7th inst. brig Win Out...  
...from Boston  
...at Boston 21st inst. brig A. L. Pal...  
...from Boston  
...at Cardiff 3rd inst. bark Robert...  
...from New York  
...at Boston 10th inst. The "Cama...  
...from Baltimore, reports  
...of the 12th of Feb. at 62, on 37,  
...with the "Ida Cutler," dismasted,  
...and crew landed at this port.  
...at St. John Feb. 29-1871. Steamer  
...from New York  
...at Toronto 10th inst. bark "Charlie...  
...from St. John, Carleton Place,  
...for Santiago, de Cuba, inst. brig  
...Hayward Haven, 22nd inst. brig  
...from St. John, Carleton Place,  
...from St. John, Carleton Place,  
...at Norfolk 17th inst. brig John  
...from Baltimore  
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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**New Goods!**  
...DALE Best Wares, all New;  
...White Cottons;  
...Dar. Hoop Skirts, all styles.  
...DICKSON & BOWSER.  
**LOUR.**—Holland's Extra and Top  
...DICKSON & BOWSER.  
**LOSING** out Winter Goods below cost.  
...DICKSON & BOWSER.  
**Sale Vert Canal Survey.**  
**NOTICE.**  
...Numerous Land Marks  
...placed for the Hydrographic Sur...  
...or carried away, thereby causing  
...interruption to the progress of the  
...It is hereby given that the penalty  
...by law in such cases will be en...  
...against the offenders.  
...G. F. BALLARGE,  
...ESQ. B. V. C. S.  
...VERTE, 24th March, 1871. 30

**Felt Hats.**  
...of all shapes, New Brunswick and  
...New England.  
...JAMES FELT HATS, consisting  
...of the following new styles:  
...and Black Atlantic, Republic,  
...Cabinet, Electrood, New Lon...  
...and Phoenix.  
...Cases Hats and Caps at Halifax  
...of late English styles which we expect  
...to receive next week.  
...C. & E. EVERETT,  
...HATTERS and FURRIERS,  
...15 King St. St. John.

**Stroy Vaccine Points.**  
...POINT'S for Vaccine Lymph.  
...has received and for sale by  
...T. B. BARKER & SONS,  
...St. John.

**NEW GOODS!**  
...Just received:  
...DRESS APPLES; Raisins; Tea; Mo...  
...Candy; Sugar; Spices; Factories;  
...Dress & Fancy Goods, &c., &c.,  
...will be sold low for prompt pay...  
...STEPHEN GODDEN,  
...Verte, March 24, 1871. 30

**New Spring Styles.**  
...NEW HATS and Bonnets, Artificial  
...Flowers, &c., Received per Steamship  
...ESTER, ROBERTSON & AL...  
...St. John.

**On Consignment.**  
...LADIES Mens and Womens Boots;  
...6 Chain Pumps, complete.  
...DICKSON & BOWSER.  
**Furniture!**  
...Subscriber has a first rate assort...  
...of Furniture which he is selling  
...at a low price.  
...A. FORD.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**Mill & Steamboat SUPPLIES.**  
**RUBBER AND LEATHER BELTINGS.**  
**REDUCTION IN PRICES!**  
**Z. G. GABEL,**  
...WOULD call attention to his LARGE  
...and SUPERIOR Stock of Leather  
...and Rubber Belting, at Reduced Prices.  
...Agent of the Boston Belting Company  
...of J. B. Hoyt & Co., New York.  
...Every Bolt is Warranted.  
...Butcher's, and Wheatman & Smith's  
...Mill Saws and Files. Lard, Olive, Seal,  
...and Crude Oils. Lath and Palling Ties,  
...Rubber Packing, Steamed Ganges, all  
...kinds. Flax Hemp, Jute and Lubricating  
...Packing. CLOTHES WRINGERS and CLOTH  
...WASHERS. RUBBER GOODS, every de...  
...scription. ENGLISH and FRENCH HOSE.  
...The Best Belting and the most Su...  
...perior Goods imported, can be found  
...at No. 90 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, ST.  
...JOHN, N. B. mar30

**New Spring Tweeds.**  
...FOR Men's, Youth's and Boys' wear.  
...A splendid assortment at moderate  
...prices. EVERITT & BUTLER,  
...55 King Street, St. John.  
**Fresh Garden Seeds.**  
...Just received a full supply.  
...DICKSON & FAWCETT,  
...55 King Street, St. John.

**Commissioners of Sewers in the County of Westmorland.**  
**WHEREAS** a BODY of MARSH, containing Thirty acres and being in two separate lots, one lot containing Ten acres, and owned by Mrs. Nathan Lawrence, bounded as follows:—(On the West by lands owned by Thomas Filgot, on the North by lands of the late Edward Bowser, on the East by lands owned by the heirs of the late William Fowler, on the South by the Road, and the other lot containing Twenty acres, and owned by the heirs of the late George Trauman, bounded as follows:—(On the West by lands owned by Joseph Lowrie, jr., on the South by lands owned by Samuel Carter, on the East by lands owned by Thompson Trauman, on the North by the Road, situated in the Parish of Westmorland, in the County of Westmorland, in District No. 1, in Division No. 1, was assessed by the said Commissioners and a Warrant of distress issued against Mrs. Nathan Lawrence, (who is now in possession) the delinquent proprietor and collector of the said taxes, which warrant has been returned unsatisfied; and whereas the said assessment still remains unpaid, notice is hereby given that the said described land, or such part thereof as may be necessary, will be leased or sold at the premises in said County, on Saturday the first day of July next, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock P. M., to pay such assessment and expense.  
...NATHAN D. MINEL,  
...Clerk of Courts of Sewers.  
...St. John, Feb. 29-1871.

**Mortgagees' Sale.**  
...The subscribers will sell at Public Auction on SATURDAY, the Eight day of APRIL next, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon, at their store in Sackville, in the County of Westmorland:  
...A Marsh Land in Sackville aforesaid situated on the Northern side of the road leading through the Spectacle Island Marsh, so-called, being that part of the Estate of the late James Bulmer, which belongs to HAZEN B. BULMER, of Sackville, in the said County, Plasterer, containing Twelve Acres more or less. Also, that certain Piece or Parcel of Upland, situated in Sackville aforesaid on the said Spectacle Island Marsh, being that part of the Estate of the late James Bulmer, passing through it, and containing Two Acres more or less.  
...The said piece of land will be sold under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage bearing date the 24th day of November last, passed, executed by the said HAZEN B. BULMER, to the subscribers, and registered in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Westmorland, in Libro D. 3, Folio 275, and Number 23,141, discharging having been made in the payment of the money, as provided in said Mortgage.  
...Terms made known at time of sale.  
...Dated 26th March, 1871.  
...DAVID B. LIMBURY, } Mortgagees  
...THOMAS D. VICKERY, }

**Administrators Notice.**  
...ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of James Ayrre, late of Sackville, in the County of Westmorland, shoemaker, deceased, will render their accounts daily to the undersigned, at the office of Christopher Milner, of Sackville, aforesaid. Esquire, or to the subscribers or either of them on or before the first of June next, to enable the undersigned to close the said Estate.  
...Dated 26th March, 1871.  
...JAMES R. AYRE, Administrator.  
...EDWARD PAGE, }

**Reduced Prices**  
...ON  
**Rubber Belting**  
...FROM THE  
...Boston Belting Company.  
**Z. G. GABEL,**  
...90 PRINCE WILLIAM ST., ST. JOHN.  
**Sale of Damaged Dry Goods!**  
...J. Armstrong & Co.,  
...will commence to-day, Tuesday, the 21st  
...instant, to clear off the stock of  
...BRY GOODS,  
...damaged at the fire on the 17th inst. at an  
...immense reduction. Purchasers will find  
...this a rare opportunity of securing Great  
...Bargains.  
...JOHN ARMSTRONG & Co.,  
...30 King Street, St. John.

**Preparation**  
...FOR THE  
**Closing Trustees**  
**SALE,**  
...AT  
**Staples, Spencer & Hampson's.**  
...WE are overhauling the ENTIRE  
...STOCK for the purpose of finally  
...closing up the Trusteeship.  
...Further particulars in a few days.  
...By order of Trustees,  
**Staples, Spencer & Hampson,**  
...46 Prince Wm. street, St. John.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**Wanted.**  
...A SALESMAN fully qualified both by  
...experience and address, to take  
...charge of a large County Store, Satis...  
...factory Certificate of Character and Com...  
...petency required. Apply at this  
...mar16 OFFICE.

**For Sale.**  
...THE STORE and HOUSE owned by  
...the Subscriber. This is one of the  
...best Business Stands in Sackville,  
...and well adapted to a Dry Goods or  
...Grocery business. There is every  
...convenience about the premises, and  
...at small expense can be made a com...  
...fortable Hotel. If not disposed of  
...by private sale, will be offered at  
...Auction on 28th April next, at noon,  
...on the premises.  
...E. B. DIXON.  
...March 16.

**W. S. Galtoun**  
...Has in store, and to arrive:  
...MOLASSES,  
...17 hhds cheap Molasses,  
...15 hhds Bright Porto Rico Sugar,  
...10 boxes (ea 40 lbs) Vacuum Pan Sugar,  
...325 half chests all kinds Teas,  
...80 cases and caddies Tobacco, 10s & Navy  
...100 boxes Prf and Family Soap,  
...150 bbls P. E. L. Mess & Prime Mess Pork  
...on consignment.  
...220 bbls Kiln Dried Cornmeal (on cons.),  
...20 bbls Silver-skin Onions, do.,  
...50 bbls Superfine Flour,  
...15 bbls Dried Apples (on consignment),  
...150 cwt. Pollock,  
...7,000 lbs Smoked Herring.  
...For sale at lowest market rates.  
...St. John, N. B.  
...dec15 10 & 12 Nelson street.

**Use the "Vegetable 1871 Pulmonary Balsam."**  
...THE Old Standard Remedy for Coughs,  
...Colds, Consumption, "Nothing bet...  
...ter." C. W. HOSKINS, & Co., Boston.  
...Sold in St. John by  
...T. B. BARKER & SONS,  
...mar23 King Street.

**Babbitt's Polish, &c.**  
...DABBITT'S Concentrated POTASH put  
...up in 1lb, 2lb, and 5lb cans.  
...Also—  
...Concentrated LYE in 1lb cans—for soap  
...making, house cleaning, &c. Just received  
...and for sale by  
...T. B. BARKER & SONS,  
...mar16 St. John.  
**Rich's Patent Saw**  
...Sharpen.  
...By using this Machine, the necessity of  
...gumming with a punch is obviated,  
...and the use of files entirely dispensed  
...with, thus making an entire revolution in  
...the manner of gumming and sharpening  
...Saws.  
...G. F. KEANS,  
...Agent Maritime Provinces,  
...80 Prince William street,  
...mar23 St. John.

**Mill-Owners!**  
**Rubber & Leather Belts**  
...PRICES REDUCED.  
...THE subscriber would invite the atten...  
...tion of customers to his NEW PATENT  
...Lace, show  
...A Further Reduction in the Prices of  
...Rubber and Leather Belting,  
...while the high standard of quality, which  
...has given them so favorable a reputation  
...with our customers, will be fully main...  
...tained.  
...GEORGE F. KEANS,  
...80 Prince William st.  
...mar23

**Shirts Made to Order.**  
...AT  
**A Perfect Fit Guaranteed.**  
...Moderate Prices.  
...EVERITT & BUTLER,  
...mar23 55 King street, St. John.

**Sewing Machines!**  
...OF ALL KINDS  
**Repaired**  
...THOROUGHLY AND AT COST OF LABOR  
...AND MATERIAL AT  
...No. 51 King Street,  
...North American Sewing Machine Company.  
...W. S. CALHOUN,  
...GENERAL AGENT,  
...St. John.

**Belting!**  
...A FULL STOCK of Rubber and Leather  
...Beltting, of best qualities and at  
...lowest prices.  
...ALSO,  
...Dark Lubricating Oils and Machinery  
...Oil; Lacing, Fines, Packing, Nuts, &c.;  
...10 cases Axle Grease; 10 cases do. (just  
...the thing for Railroad use); 8 bales con...  
...taining Cord and Pollock Lines, and Salmon  
...Twines. Wholesale and Retail at  
...W. L. THORN'S,  
...mar23 Cor. Duck St., St. John.

**Seed Pans.**  
...CARTER'S, first crop, the very earliest:  
...McLean's Little Gem; Early Nimble;  
...Daniel O'Rourke; Tom Thumb (true);  
...Early Emperor; Dickson's first and best;  
...Champion of England; Tall Marrow;  
...Dwarf Marrow; Dwarf Sugar (edible pod);  
...Hair's Dwarf Mammoth; Dwarf Blue Im...  
...perial or Prussian.  
**MELON.**  
...Carter's Scarlet Perfection; Green Cit...  
...ron; Nutmeg; Piquepelle; fine netted;  
...Pisan; Large Musk; New White Japan.  
**Flower Seeds.**  
...Mixed Astors, five varieties in every  
...paper; six of Canada; four of Cymus; six  
...of Crysanthemum; five of Collinsia; six  
...of Tall Convolvulus; six of Eschscholzia;  
...seven of Godetia; five of Helichrysum;  
...six of Ipomea; nine of Sweet Peas; six  
...of splendid Phlox Drummondii; six of Por...  
...tulica; five of Tropaeolum; seven of Ten  
...Week Stock.  
...mar28 Cor. King and Germain st.

**Burning Oil.**  
...8 B Barrels No. 1 Burning Oil. For sale  
...by the Barrel or Gallon.  
...A. FORD.  
...mar16

**JUST RECEIVED!**

**Sackville, Mar. 7, 1871.**  
**60 B** BLS FLOUR, Reinolde & How...  
...do. RYE,  
...Casks MOLASSES & SUGAR;  
...1 Ton DRY FISH;  
...2 Cases RUBBERS & SHOES;  
...1 Bale COTTON WARPS;  
...1 " DRY GOODS;  
...1 " STATIONERY &c., &c.  
...For sale low by  
...mar9 J. L. BLACK.

**Silver Watches.**  
...WE have received per steamer "City  
...of Baltimore," a parcel of  
...SILVER HUNTING LEVERS  
...by  
...Messrs. J. M. Badolet & Co.  
...PAGE BROTHERS,  
...41 King Street,  
...St. John, N. B.

**Auction Sale.**  
...The subscriber will sell at Public Auction,  
...on SATURDAY, the fifteenth day  
...of APRIL next, at noon, at his Store in  
...Sackville, in the County of Westmor...  
...land:  
...A PIECE or parcel of LAND situate  
...lying and being in Moncton, in said  
...County, bounded and described as follows:  
...Northernly by lands of John A. Humphrey;  
...Easterly by the Guttered Lines; Westerly  
...by the Irish town lots and Southerly by re...  
...maining lands of George Simmons, and  
...containing Eighty Acres, more or less.  
...The said lot will be sold under and by  
...virtue of a power of sale contained in a  
...certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing  
...date the twentieth day of December, A. D.  
...1869, executed by Stephen McNeil, late  
...of Moncton, aforesaid farmer to the sub...  
...scriber, and Registered in the Registry  
...of Deeds for the County aforesaid, in  
...Libro B. 3, Folio 485 and number 28-  
...523, default having been made in the pay...  
...ment of the money, as provided in said  
...Mortgage.  
...Terms made known at time of sale.  
...Dated 12th March 1871.  
...JOSEPH L. BLACK,  
...mar16 Mortgagee.

**Barbadoes Molasses.**  
...Landing ex "Glad Hunter"  
...103 PINS, Bright Barbadoes Mo...  
...for sale low from  
...Geo. S. DEFOREST,  
...mar16 St. John.  
**EVERITT & BUTLER**  
...REQUEST the attention of their friend...  
...customers and strangers to their  
...New Spring Goods,  
...now opening,  
...Scotch Cherries, for Boys wear;  
...Fancy Pins, light spring edge;  
...Silk Velvets and Velvet Ribbons;  
...Black Alpaca and Lustras;  
...Cashmere Pattern Pins;  
...White and Grey Cottons;  
...Tartan Ribbons;  
...Striped Reversible Shawls, very elegant;  
...New Spring Mantles from Berlin;  
...Spider Hair Nets;  
...Ostrich Feathers;  
...Velvet Ribbons, all colors.  
...These Goods are the purchases of Mr.  
...Everitt; they have been bought in one of  
...the first Houses of Europe, and will be sold  
...at the  
...Lowest Living Profits.  
...15 King Street, St. John.  
...mar16

**New Spring Goods.**  
...Per steamship "Caspian," comprising  
**Dress Goods,**  
...HOSIERY, KID GLOVES, RIBBONS,  
...MUSLINS,  
...Ginghams, Black Alpacaes,  
...HENRIETTA'S,  
...FRENCH MERINOS, SEDAN CORDS,  
...LADIES' LITEN COLLARS and CUFFS,  
...Ostrich Feathers,  
...Gentlemen's SCARFS and COLLARS;  
...MACHINE SILK, ANGORA YARN;  
...IMPERIAL EMBROIDERIES;  
...Ladies' and Gentlemen's SILK UMBRELLAS;  
...SMALL WARES, &c.  
...Manchester, Robertson & Allison,  
...Wholesale and Retail,  
...MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN,  
...mar16  
**Oranges, Lemons and Dried Apples.**  
...Hourly expected ex steamer "Georgiana"  
...from Boston.  
**75 B** BOXES ORANGES;  
...25 barrels Dried Apples.  
...For sale by  
...W. C. TREADWELL,  
...mar23 No. 6 Water street, St. John.

**LONDON DRUGS, &c.**  
...Just received ex Steamship via Halifax—  
...ACID ARATE, GLACIAL, Chloral Hy...  
...drate, Iodid Potass; Sil. Silver; Ex...  
...Colony Co.; Opium; Oil Cassia; Oil Nut...  
...meg; Rad Rhei; Rad Ipecac; Drown  
...Herb; Sem. Cardamon; Ex. Cayenne;  
...Benedictine; Baccas; Transparent Soap;  
...Liebig's Extract Meat; Potass Citrate;  
...Paris Pills; Oatmeal Soup; Oiled Silk;  
...Syrup of Buckthorn; Abdominal support...  
...ers silk; Carbon Bisulphide; Essence Musk  
...Bard's Marking Ink; 8, 16 and 20 oz glass  
...Graduates, &c. Wholesale and retail at  
...HANINGTON BROS.,  
...Foster's Corner, St. John.  
...mar16

**New Styles.**  
...Received to-day per steamer "New Brun...  
...wick."  
**6 CASES FELT HATS,** of New  
...Spring Styles.  
...C. & E. EVERETT,  
...HATTERS and FURRIERS,  
...15 King St., St. John.

**Celery Seed.**  
...CARTER'S incomparable Dwarf Crim...  
...son's; Seymour's Superb White solid;  
...Lyon's; Nonsuch Red. J. CHALONER,  
...mar16 St. John.  
**RELINANCE CLOTHES WRINGER.**  
...The best in the market. For sale by  
...C. G. BERRYMAN,  
...St. John.  
...mar16  
**Gentlemen's Gloves.**  
...FOR SPRING WEAR—MANCHESTER,  
...ROBERTSON, & ALLISON  
...have received per steamship Scandinavian  
...a great variety of Gentlemen's Gloves,  
...suitable for the present season.  
...mar23 No. 2 Market Square.

**New Spring Mantle and Mantle Cloths**  
...received per Scandinavian  
...MARCHESTER,  
...ROBERTSON & ALLISON,  
...mar23

**Price List.**

**"Weed" Sewing Machines!**  
No. 1—Family and Manuf'g. \$35.00  
No. 2—Family and Manuf'g. 35.00  
No. 3—Heavy Manufacturing, 50.00  
No. 4—Family, 30.00  
and  
...A Large Discount for Cash.  
...Manufactured at Saint John, N. B.  
...All Warranted  
...to give entire satisfaction, or the  
...money refunded.  
...Elegantly finished and mounted on stand  
...with Black Walnut Table.  
...Also, The "Little Wren" (by  
...hand), price \$27.00.  
...Agents wanted everywhere.  
...North American Sewing Machine Com'py.  
...W. S. CALHOUN,  
...GENERAL AGENT,  
...10 & 12 Nelson street,  
...St. John, N. B.  
...dec15

**Brushes!**  
**JOHN MURPHY,**  
...THANKFUL for the liberal patronage  
...received last year, begs to call the  
...attention of the public to his present Stock  
...of BRUSHES, now ready for delivery, viz:  
...1250 Doz. SCRIB-BRUSHES, all kinds  
...and sizes.  
...507 " Sable " " " " "  
...825 " Sine " " " " "  
...315 " White Wash " " " "  
...175 " Horse " " " " "  
...300 " Paint " " " " "  
...PASTE and VARNISH BRUSHES.  
...DEER and PAINT SCRIBS.  
...LIE BRUSHES; TAR BRUSHES.  
...Constantly making all kinds of the above  
...Stock.  
...In a few days he will offer for sale his  
...New Patent WHITE FINESTED COCA  
...SCRIB-BRUSHES, something new.  
...Orders may be left at the FACTORY,  
...Under Ainsley House,  
...BRAY ST.  
...GERMAIN STREET.

**Oils! Oils!**  
...For Mills, Machinery, Tanneries,  
...and Wool.  
...IS store and to arrive: 242 Barrels,  
...Extra Winter Lard, 1 Pale Seal,  
...No. 1 Lard, Straw Seal,  
...No. 2 Lard, Paraffine Lubricator,  
...Native or Mecca, "Elaine" (Wool),  
...Refined Whale, "Fish Oil,  
...Cod Oil,  
...Also—Pure Cold Liver Oil for Druggists.  
...For sale lower than any in the city by  
...W. S. CALHOUN,  
...10 & 12 Nelson street,  
...St. John, N. B.  
...dec15

**To Harness Makers.**  
...I HAVE just received from British Mar...  
...kets a Full and Complete Stock of  
...HARNESSES MOUNTING,  
...Silver Plate on German Silver, solid Gil...  
...ver Silver, pure and solid Virginia Sil...  
...ver Brass and Japaned.  
...For sale to the Trade very cheap.  
...ALSO:  
...150 pairs HAMES, adapted for all pur...  
...poses, either light or heavy draft.  
...Cheapest ever sold in this market.  
...JOS. L. BLACK,  
...mar16

**Buttons Buttons.**  
...WE have received to-day a lot of B.F.  
...FALOROBES which we purchase  
...at extremely low and will sell great bar...  
...gains to close out the lot.  
...C. & E. EVERETT,  
...HATTERS & FURRIERS,  
...15 King street,  
...mar2

**SELLING OFF!**  
...THE SUBSCRIBER will sell his Stock  
...of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES,  
...until the 20th of March at Greatly Reduced  
...Prices. Consisting in part of  
...Prints,  
...Tweeds,  
...Flannels,  
...Bed Ticks,  
...Paper Hanging  
...White & Grey Cottons,  
...Book & Shoes,  
...Sole Leather,  
...Glass Ware,  
...Lamps,  
...Brooms,  
...Clocks,  
...Chairs, &c., &c.  
...Also—A Large Stock of PATENT  
...MEDICINES.  
...S. F. BLACK,  
...mar28 Sackville.

**NOTICE.**  
...THE SUBSCRIBER having made a  
...change in his Business, requests all  
...Persons indebted to him on the 15th of  
...JANUARY last, will call and settle. And  
...all accounts remaining unsettled, will be  
...left in proper hands for collection.  
...feb16 R. M. DIXON.

**Flour.**  
...To arrive by Train to-day:  
**90 B** BARRELS Choice Extra Flour.  
...For sale by the Subscriber at  
...small advance on cost.  
...THOMAS E. OULTON,  
...54th Westmorland Point.

**Government House, Ottawa.**  
...Present:  
...HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GEN...  
...ERAL IN COUNCIL.  
...ON the recommendation of the Hon...  
...orable the Minister of Customs and under  
...the authority given by the 5th Section  
...of the Vic. Cap. 6, intituled: "An Act  
...respecting the Customs." His Exc. Hcnry  
...has been pleased to make the following  
...Regulation:  
...On, from and after the first day of March  
...proximo, the Port of Quebec in the  
...Province of Ontario, shall be and is here...  
...by discontinued as an independent Port  
...of Entry and shall be and is hereby man...  
...dated an Out Port of Entry placed under  
...the Survey, of the Port of Niagara.  
...WM. H. LEE,  
...Clerk Privy Council, Canada.  
...mar9-4w

**Feather Dusters.**  
...RANGING in price from Twenty-Five  
...Cents upwards. C. G. BERRYMAN,  
...mar16 St. John.

**NEW GOODS**

**McSweeney Brothers**  
...FOR  
**7 1/2 TALL & WALKER 7 1/2.**  
**McSweeney Brothers**  
...HAVE just received per mail  
...and freight steamers from  
...Great Britain, United States and  
...Canada,  
...A VERY SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT OF  
**STAPLE AND FANCY**  
**DRY GOODS**  
**CLOTHING,**  
**FURS!**  
**Hats and Caps.**  
...Black and Colored Silks!  
**FRENCH MERINOS, POPLINS,**  
...Empress Corals, Repps, Winceys,  
...Tweeds, &c. Superior Goods,  
...and at very low prices.  
**SHAWLS!**  
...In the Newest Styles,  
...CLOTH and VELVETTES, SAQUES,  
...WATERPROOF TWEEDS and MANTLES.  
...New Shades,  
**Gloves and Hosiery!**  
...Small Wares in great variety.  
**HOODS, CLOUBS and BREAK-**  
**EASTSHAWLS, FLANNELS,**  
...plain and fancy; GREY  
...WHITE and PRINTED  
...COTTONS.  
**PILOT CLOTHS,**  
...Moorow Beavers, Silk Mixed Coat...  
...Duckings and Tweeds, a very  
...large assortment.  
**MENS' and BOYS'**  
**Hats and Caps,**  
...Of Every Description.  
**Mens' Buckskin**  
**Gloves and Mitts.**  
...The genuine Plymouth Driving Glove—  
...the best glove extant.  
...A superb assortment of  
**READY-MADE**  
**Clothing!**  
**OVERCOATS,**  
...ALL STYLES and PRICES.  
**ENGLISH REEFERS,**  
**Pants, Vests, Under Clothing,**  
**Trunks, Valises, &c.**

**Look Here!**  
...IF YOU want to buy anything cheap call  
...at DIXON & FAWCETT, say (cash  
...look at their Goods and you will be sure  
...to get a good article.  
...LADIES!  
...IF YOU want any dressing material  
...Dixon & Fawcett,  
...have on hand an assortment of these  
...goods. GENTLEMEN: If you want  
...anything enquire of Dixon & Fawcett.  
...BOYS: Dixon & Fawcett, have every...  
...thing you want.  
...Every Body!  
...IF YOU want any Dry Goods, Clothing,  
...Boots, Shoes, &c., Hardware, Croch...  
...ware, &c.; Flour, Sugars, Molasses, Fish  
...&c., call on  
...DIXON & FAWCETT,  
...MONCTON, N. B.

**Notice.**  
...An BILL will be introduced at the present  
...session of the Legislature of New  
...Brunswick, to amend Chapter 62 of the  
...Revised Statutes, in relation to the  
...Commissioners of Sewers for the Parish of  
...Sackville, and for the election of a  
...Commissioner for the new district.  
...mar16

**Molasses and Sugar.**  
...15 H HDS MOLASSES, Cheap;  
...13 hhd. Choice Retailing  
...SUGAR. For sale cheap by  
...W. C. TREADWELL,  
...mar9 No. 6 Water street, St. John.  
**Cheese.**  
...20 B Boxes Choice Cheese  
...W. C. TREADWELL,  
...mar9 No. 6 Water St. St. John.



**THE FLORENCE**  
...IS the greatest novelty in Sewing Ma...  
...chines!  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...IS the only Machine that makes four  
...kinds of stitch, three of which are made  
...on no other Machine.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...IS the only Machine that can run in more  
...than one direction, having a reversible  
...feed.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...IS the only Machine having a self-adjust...  
...ing shuttle tension.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...HAS an improved Hemmer, making any  
...width of hem, and will hem anything  
...and make perfect corners.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...MAKES a gather and sews it to a band  
...at one operation, perfectly equalled  
...in this.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...REMS. bell-cords, bands, tucks, quilts,  
...bands, &c., &c., without basting.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...FASTENS the end of a seam better and  
...quicker than a seamstress can.  
**THE FLORENCE**  
...IS in operation every hour of the day,  
...and ladies are invited to call and exam...  
...ine it at  
...J. D. LAWLOR'S,  
...Sole Agent for the Dominion of Canada,  
...262 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and  
...52 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.  
...mar10

**Net's Combined Spinner.**  
...17 Signatures at the residence of the  
...REV. THOS. TODD, Sackville,  
...N. B. Where any kind of Machines  
...can be obtained.  
**Testimonials.**  
...Mr. S. PETERS: Sir—I can spin on one  
...of the combined Spinners fourteen knots  
...per hour, and will recommmend it to all  
...Mrs. Wm. Tinsley,  
...Trentonville.  
...Mr. S. PETERS: I have one of the Com...  
...bined Spinners, and like it very well. It  
...is superior to any I ever used. The yarn  
...is spun in the same way as the old we...  
...Mrs. JOHN WOODMAN,  
...Moncton, Jan. 25, 1871.

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla.**  
...FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.  
...The reputation this ex...  
...cellent medicine enjoys,  
...is derived from its cures,  
...many of which are truly  
...marvellous. It cures  
...cases of Scrophulous dis...  
...ease, when the system  
...is so saturated with  
...corruption, that  
...purified and cured by it  
...scrophulous affections are  
...entirely removed, and  
...the system is restored to  
...its natural vigor and  
...they were painfully suffering, have been radically  
...cured in all parts of the country, that the public scarcely need to  
...be informed of its virtues or uses.  
...Scrophulous sores, in one of the most destructive  
...forms of this disease, often, this disease and unsafe  
...treatment of the system undermines the constitution,  
...and invites the risk of entering on fatal disor...  
...ders. It is quite an important part of the cure,  
...it seems to have info on throughout the body, and  
...then, on some parts of the body, and other organs  
...of one of the most important organs, the liver, inter...  
...ference of among the ribs. In the latter, inter...  
...ference may be noticed in the lungs or  
...heart, or tumors formed in the liver, or in the  
...presence of eruptions on the skin, or full bl...  
...lusions on some part of the body. Hence the occa...  
...sional use of a bottle of this Sarsaparilla is ad...  
...visable, even when no active symptoms of disease  
...appear. Persons affected with

