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NOTICE.—All persons having any legal demands against the estate of JOSEPH EDWIN MORSE, Carpenter, of Bridgetown, deceased, must render their accounts, duly attested, to the undersigned, within six months from this date, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Consumption Cured.—An Old Physician, retired from active practice, having had placed in his hands by an East Indian Missionary the formula of a Vegetable Remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, and all Throat and Lung affections; also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all nervous complaints, after having thoroughly tested his wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, feels it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men.

PORTABLE SAW MILLS.—30 and 35 Horse Power. JOHN WILSON, Agent. Amherst, N.S. A. FISHER, Toronto, N.E. W. WILSON, Halifax, N.S.

DR. WILLIAM GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.—The Great English Remedy for all cases of Syphilis, whether in the form of Bone Gums, Hard Sores, Ulcers, or any other affection of the system, arising from the use of Mercury.

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla.—For Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Eruptions and Eruptions of the skin, Ulcers of the Liver, Stomach, Kidneys, Lungs, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Eruptions, Tumors, Itch, Ringworm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Numbness, Pain in the Bones, Side and Head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhoea, arising from internal obstructions, and Chronic Diseases, Syphilitic and Mercurial diseases, Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, General Debility, and for Purifying the Blood.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a combination of vegetable alteratives—Sillifolia, Mandrake, Yellow Dock—with the Iodides of Potassium and Iron, and is the most efficacious medicine yet known for the diseases it is intended to cure.

Its ingredients are so skillfully combined, that the full alterative effect of each is assured, and while it is so mild as to be harmless even to children, it is still so effectual as to purge out from the system those impurities and corruptions which develop into loathsome diseases.

The reputation it enjoys is derived from its cures, and the confidence which prominent physicians all over the country repose in it, prove their experience of its usefulness.

Certificates attesting its virtues have accumulated, and as many of these cases are publicly known, they furnish convincing evidence of the superiority of this Sarsaparilla over every other alterative medicine.

So generally is its importance to the public that the best qualities it has ever possessed are strictly maintained.

PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass., Practical and Analytical Chemists. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE. Avery, Brown & Co., Halifax.

FLANNELS AND BLANKETS

WHITE LANGSHIRE FLANNELS; WHITE MEDIUM; WHITE LAMINATION WELSH; WHITE do do do; WHITE ANTI-RHEUMATIC; WHITE SATINY UNION all wool; WHITE SERGES, all wool; WHITE PLAININGS; SCARLET LANGSHIRE; SCARLET MEDIUM do; YELLOW LANGSHIRE; GREEN do; INDIAN BLUE, PRATT, PLAIN; INDIAN BLUE, TWILLED; SCARLET SAKOBY; COLORED do; CANADIAN ALL WOOL GREY; AMERICAN WHITE, GREY, SCARLET.

BLANKETS! WHITE, BROWN AND GREY, FOR SALE BY W. G. LAWTON, Cor. King and Canterbury Streets, St. John, N.S., October 1878.

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX, ANnapolis AGENCY.

INTEREST allowed on Deposits. Drafts on New York, Boston, Montreal, St. John, and Halifax, at City rates.

STERLING EXCHANGE BOUGHT AND SOLD. COLLECTIONS MADE ON ALL ACCESSIBLE PORTS.

MacFarlane & Adams Forwarding & Commission Merchants. Agents for Canada Paper Co. HALIFAX, N.S., Oct. 16th, '76. 6227

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

ROYAL HOTEL. (Formerly STUBBS) 148 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, Opposite Custom House, St. John, N.S.

WILLIAM HILLMAN, Silver and Brass Plater, ELECTOR PLATER in gold and silver. ALSO, MANUFACTURER OF CARRIAGE & HARNESS TRIMMINGS.

MORSE & PARKER, Barristers-at-Law, Solicitors, Conveyancers, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, ETC., ETC. BRIDGETOWN, N.S.

Three Trips a Week. STEAMER "EMPERESS," For Digby and Annapolis.

Until further notice, Steamer "EMPERESS" will leave here for Reed's Point, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY for Digby and Annapolis, connecting with Express Trains N. & A. Railways for and from Kentville, Windsor, Halifax, etc., and RETURN ON SAME DATES.

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

SMALL & HATHERWAY, 11 Dock Street, St. John, N.S., April 2nd '77.

STEAMER EMPRESS AND THE WINDSOR & ANnapolis RAILWAY.

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

Agents, 59 Dock Street.

FLOUR, FLOUR.

THE subscriber has just received from Toronto, 100 BBLs. CHOICE CANADIAN FLOUR, which will be sold at the Lowest Cash Price. Warranted to be good or no sale.

TRY THE DUFFERIN FLAT 12'S AND THE ACADIA TWIST, TOBACCO.

And you will not want any better.

R. B. MACKINTOSH & Co., Proprietors, Halifax, N.S., Oct. 17th, '76. 627

GLASS! 1000 Boxes Glass, in all sizes, at cheap rates.

White Lead, Oils, Brushes, Paper Hangings of all kinds, WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

ST. JOHN, N.S.

S. R. FOSTER & SON'S Standard Nail, Shoe, Nail & Tack Works. ST. JOHN, N.S.

GILBERT'S LANE DYE WORKS, ST. JOHN, N.S.

It is a well-known fact that all classes of goods get soiled and faded before the material is half worn, and only require cleaning and dyeing to make them look as good as new.

AGENTS.—Annapolis, W. J. BLACKSON, Merchant; Digby, Miss Wagon, Millinery and Dry Goods.

Dental Notice. Dr. S. F. Whitman, Dentist.

WOULD respectfully inform his friends that he is now in BRIDGETOWN, to fill engagements previously made, persons requiring his professional services will please not fail.

THE PAPER OF THE PEOPLE.

BUSINESS CARDS Neatly and promptly executed at the office of this paper.

CATARRH

The most common and dangerous disease of the bladder, and one which, if not treated early, will lead to the most disastrous consequences.

BRIDGETOWN Marble Works.

FALCONER & WHITMAN are now manufacturing Monuments & Gravestones

Of Italian and American Marbles. ALSO: Granite and Freestone Monuments.

Having erected Machinery in connection with J. B. Reed's Steam Factory, we are prepared to execute all orders for Granite work, and to polish and inspect our work.

DAVID FALCONER. OLDHAM WHITMAN.

L. MATHESON & CO., ENGINEERS

NEW GLASGOW, N.S. Manufacturers of PORTABLE & STATIONARY BOILER MAKERS, Engines and Boilers.

Every description of FITTINGS for Steam Boilers, Steam Pipes, and Water Gages.

Select Literature. Her Own Pilot.

It all happened at Swampscott. One sultry July day, came pretty Jane Chandler, her hair bound with months of 'school-ma'.

Mr. Wheeler's said Grace, whether soberly or sneakily he could not tell, 'you know absolutely nothing about women'

'I have often told you that I did not know a thing about women, and you have never believed me.'

Grave knew that the loved him—he felt that his heart was hers utterly; and yet he was drifting away from her.

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or searching intently for sea mosses she did not in the least want, or gaining with apparent abstraction 'far out on the sea'

'Why, good morning, Mr. Wheeler! Are you out so early?'

'It is quite my habit, Miss Chandler. The air is so rare and fine, and the views (looking straight at the pretty destroyer)

'Oh, I know all about that,' she replied, with a toss of her loose hair-locks.

'For men must eat and women must stew, and the chowder pot is hot-ling.'

'I believe you would burlesque anything,' said John, with decided impatience.

'I do not burlesque anything, I am serious. I never laughed harder than to see an old burlesque done at the minute.'

'Yes, but I find it more weary to wish to laugh in the wrong places.'

'I feel a sort of personal responsibility for my burlesque, and you know it.'

'You know that your burlesque is not good, and that you are not a comedian.'

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for good luck when you see the new moon over your right shoulder.

'The last of the summer days came on, and the full 'harvest moon' was rising like a world of fire out of the deep, as John and Grace went down to the beach for a swimming match.

'You have a very fine figure, and you are very strong, and you are very beautiful.'

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One can make a shift to talk with almost anybody; but it is a kindred soul with whom one enjoys and shares the charm of blessed aloneness.

'The post chose well,' said John at last, 'it is the cruel, craving sea. I can but think, after all, that the mountains, lakes and woods are better.'

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What a winter season approaches, and the campaign in the East is not only fought, but has reached its decisive consequences.

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RIGHT LOCALITY.

An annual Provincial exhibition may now be regarded one of the permanent institutions of Nova Scotia, and will henceforth be looked forward to, like a session of the Legislature, with general interest by the people of the whole province.

SECOND-HAND STOVES FOR SALE.—J. W. Gordon, with Bridgetown, has for sale one second-hand Niagara, one ditto Model Parlor, one ditto Bed Room Franklin. All in good condition. Will be sold cheap.

The Ross-Hanlon boat race was postponed until Monday, 15th. It came off at 4 o'clock of that day, Hanlon winning by over 100 yards. Time thirty-six minutes.

ERRATUM.—In our report of prizes awarded to this County at the Provincial Exhibition, we omitted to state that D. W. Landers, of Margarettville, was awarded second prize for Best Stallion for carriage purposes.

FR.—On Monday afternoon last, the dwelling house of Geo. D. Brown, on the Cropley Road, near Port George, was totally destroyed by fire. The fire originated by a defect in the chimney. Nothing saved of the household effects in the upper portion of the house.

Messrs. Small & Hatheway have made arrangements by which passengers will be taken through to Halifax by Railway from Windsor—a train of the W. C. Railway will connect there, and proceed to Halifax with the passengers.

NEW TIME TABLE.—In another column will be found the time table of the W. & A. R. Co., under the new arrangement. According to a circular from the manager, an important reduction has been made in the rates for the conveyance of live stock and freight intended for shipment at Annapolis to St. John, or elsewhere. Particulars may be obtained from the station masters of the company.

encamped enemy three or four miles away, he kept his soldiers perfectly quiet, with the exception of the bugle's shrill in the morning when the weather was fine. Matters between the belligerents remained in this condition from July 11th March, when the British took possession of the town.

During all these long months of inactivity Washington's Headquarters was at Cambridge. The house which he occupied at the time, is still standing, and is now the residence of Longfellow. The Post, I visited this mansion, now historically famous. The marks of antiquity are upon it. It looks interestingly old. Venerable trees shade it, and thick shrubberies are green around it.

Life is real-life earnest. And the grave and the present. I said to one by my side: "There was formerly occupied by a soldier who had no sentiment, and is now the residence of an eminent poet who has many admirers." At the time of my visit, the poet was not in my mind. I thought of the anxious days and sleepless nights that Washington passed under the roof upon which I was looking, as he pondered upon the conduct of his country, and upon the military struggle that had become inevitable.

I thought, too, of Longfellow, and tried to recall to my mind the "old house" of his study, where he penned the "Faneuil Hall," "Excelsior," "Evangeline," and "Hiawatha"—and where the window from which he looked up into the midnight sky to read the stars.

Although the wind at no point on the eastern coast attained an extraordinary velocity, the damage attending it was unprecedented. In twenty-four hours over four inches of rain fell in New York, and there was a proportionately heavy rainfall over an enormous extent of country. The lowest barometrical pressure at New York during the visitation of the cyclone was 29.64 inches, but at Boston it was at one time as low as 29.96 inches.

New Advertisements.

Victoria Hall, Bridgetown, TO-MORROW, OCT. 18th. A GRAND VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT.

IN aid of the Sunday School Library of St. James' Church—by ladies of the Church, assisted by distinguished members of the "Kentville Amateur Dramatic Club."

ANNAPOLIS COUNTY RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE Annual Meeting of this Association will be held at Annapolis, on Monday, Oct. 22nd, at 8 o'clock, A. M., sharp.

THE GREAT STORM. New York and Boston papers contain interesting accounts of the great storm which passed over Pennsylvania, New York, and Massachusetts on the evening of the 4th inst.

Although the wind at no point on the eastern coast attained an extraordinary velocity, the damage attending it was unprecedented. In twenty-four hours over four inches of rain fell in New York, and there was a proportionately heavy rainfall over an enormous extent of country.

New Advertisements.

TEACHER WANTED. THE Carlton School, Section No. 40, requires the services of a MALE TEACHER, for the ensuing term, or longer if satisfactory. Apply to JAMES CURELL, Secretary.

ROYAL READERS. THE BEST AND CHEAPEST SERIES OF SCHOOL READERS ever published.

33 CASES OF THE ABOVE POPULAR SCHOOL BOOKS. A liberal discount to the trade. A. & W. MACKINLAY, 4128 1/2 Grandville Street, Halifax, N.S.

Notice. ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of MAJOR JOHN SAUNDERS, late of Paradise, Annapolis County, deceased, are hereby required to render their accounts, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to WILKINS & SAUNDERS, Executors.

Agents Wanted! FOR PARTIALLY ADDRESS Wilson Sewing Machine Co. 250 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

WONDER UPON WONDER. Green Aves—A strange, mysterious and most extraordinary Book, entitled "THE BOOK OF WONDERS." Containing with numerous pictorial illustrations, the mysteries of the Heavens and Earth, Natural and Supernatural, Oddities, Witches and Witchcraft, Dreams, Superstitions, Absurdities, Fables, Follies, and the like.

WORK FOR ALL. In their own localities, canvassing for the Pressed Paper, (coloured), Weekly and Monthly. Largest paper in the World with Mammoth Chromes Free. Big commissions to Agents. Terms and Duties Free, Address F. G. VICKERY, Annapolis, Maine.

THE CHEAPEST AND BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM. Now open for immediate sale, Ladies' Mantles, Matalasse Cloaks, BRAIDS, FUR TRIMMINGS, &c.

AMERICAN OIL, 10 lbs. Refined & other Sugars. All of which have been imported direct. J. LOCKETT, Bridgetown, Oct. 16th, 1877.

Administrator's Sale. To be sold at Public Auction, Saturday, 10th November next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at Bridgetown, N.S.

ENTIRE PERSONAL PROPERTY of the late Hon. J. C. TROOP, consisting of the following:—

LAW LIBRARY containing upwards of thirty volumes of choice text books on all the various branches of Law.

THE PRIVATE LIBRARY consisting of some of the choicest literary works in our language.

Also—A quantity of OFFICE FURNITURE, consisting of Chairs, Tables, Carpet, Bed Room Sofa, etc. etc.

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TO ORCHARDISTS! Canker Worm & Caterpillar ARRESTER.

Warranted to Protect the Apple and all kinds of Fruit Trees from the ravages of those Destructive Pests, the Canker Worm and Caterpillar.

THIS IS NO FRAUD, as it is recommended by some of the largest fruit growers of the County. For particulars apply to the subscribers.

MRS. GOODWIN is willing to receive, as boarders, a few young ladies who wish to study the HIGH-ER BRANCHES of a thorough English Education, with Parisian French and Music. Terms begin 15th of October. For Prospectus address Mrs. Goodwin, Home Croft, Grandville.

Sugar, Molasses, Flour. NEW IMPORTATION. Just received our extra, direct from Barbados: 80 PUNS CHOICE BRIGHT MOLASSES; 6 Hds. Bright SUGAR; Ex extra Home, direct from Toronto and Boston.

200 BBL. FLOUR, Spring Extra; 100 BBL. FLOUR, Superior; 50 " Choice Family; 50 " Choice Family; 150 " CORN MEAL; 10 " American CURED SUGAR.

NOTICE. THE Subscribers wish to call the attention of the Public to their SPRING IMPORTATIONS, consisting of Boots and Shoes, Tweeds and Cloths of all kinds, Crockery, Groceries, Timothy, Clover and Garden Seeds.

Also, they would call the attention of BUILDERS to the Stock of Nails of all kinds, Putty, Glass, Putty, Zinc, Tarred, and Sheathing Paper, Locks, Knobs, Hinges, &c.

Also, CARRIAGE STOCK consisting of Specks, Rims, Bent S. Becks and Rails, Enamelled Cloth, Kameled Leather and Dasher Leather, with a varied stock of SHELF HARDWARE of all kinds.

BEALES & DODGE, Middleton, April 28th, '77.

June Importation. Checked Dress Goods; Black Silk; Fringes; Seal Brown, Cream and Kora Silks; Nottingham Lace Curtains; Kora Lace Curtains; Neck Fringes; Kora Neck; Kora Laces; Kora Scarfs; Muslins of all kinds; Brown Hollands; Irish Linens; Cream Damask; Linen Tea D'Orlyes; Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs; New Styles; Black Trimming Velvet; Mantle Velvets; Matalasse Cloths; Matalasse Brads; Black Dress Buttons; Gentlemen's Linen Collars and Cuffs; Linen Tassos, for Costumes; Narrow Flaid Ribbons; Flaid Sash Ribbons; Ladies' Josephine and Cuff Kid Gloves; Hyde Park Wraps, for Girls; Crum Cloths; Gentlemen's French Kid Gloves; New Flaid Prints.

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

SPRING DURING the Winter I have had manufactured a stock of Silver, Brass and Japanned Harnesses, in the best manner and style of workmanship, and now invite purchasers to inspect before closing elsewhere.

Also, just received from England: 1 case RIDING SADDLES; 1 case Harness Furniture, in Tap, Silver and Brass Mountings.

All of the above I am prepared to sell at the lowest possible margin for Cash. 100 pairs No. 1 COARSE POETS, made by First-Class Men, and guaranteed to be the best value for the money that I ever offered.

Wanted, 200 Cords Hemlock Bark, Oak or settlement made on delivery at: Zanbury, Hds, Galfkins, &c, bought at market prices.

GEO. MURDOCH, Bridgetown, May 16th, '77 151 118 FLOUR! FLOUR! Lately received from Canada West. 100 BBL. Flour, "Dunsmuir," "Mackinlay," "Jon," "Dominion," "Ohio," "100 lbs. do, to arrive this week by Intercolonial, Beaver, White Swan, and Acorn.

BARRELS CORN MEAL. Barely expected per Home from Boston. Also, Bag Meal and Cracked Corn, from Portland. Always in stock. Out Meal, Graham Flour, Cracked Wheat, Hulled Barley and Rice, Groceries of every description. Salt, Soap, and fine. Picked and Dry Fish. Selling at lowest cash prices. COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange. RANDALL, HIGGINS & CO., Opposite Railway Station, Annapolis, June 4th, 1877.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinion of our correspondents.

BOSTON AND VICINITY.

CAMBRIDGE.

There is no reversed spot in the United States, around which more educational, political and historical interests cluster than at Cambridge. It is there that the most brilliant intellectual luminaries of the western hemisphere were educated; there the noblest spirits that have shined on the walls of the congressional building at Washington with their stirring utterances, were taught the first principles of eloquence and rhetoric; thence radiated mental streams that have irrigated the agriculture of the nation; and there Washington took command of the continental army with which he materially contributed to the achievement of that nationality of which the Yankees so loudly boast—and well they may. As I surveyed the colossal building, many of them now hoary with years, I thought of the glories that had there been moulded into magnificent specimens of illustrious men. Old John Adams and his no less distinguished son, John Quincy, had there been mentally trained, to say nothing of a score of others, who intellectually were more illustrious than either the father or son just mentioned. As I looked upon Harvard University, as it stands to-day, where successive classes, running through several generations, have been formed of scholars, the attainments of the highest order. I thought of the "Chronicles of Emerson, Hawthorne, of Everett, of Webster and a host of others who have shed unfading lustre upon the literature of the day—who have widened the boundaries of science, who have opened up new channels of inquiry in several departments of philosophy and who have become eminent on the arena of active citizenship. It was at this University that Charles Sumner, when a student, became thoroughly imbued with those principles of freedom that led him to a life-long struggle with slavery in the Southern States. Connected with Harvard there are living celebrities, whose genius is as widely known, and as favorably appreciated in Europe as in America. Of course I allude to the authors of "Evening" and of the "Autocrat of the Breakfast Table." The alumni of Harvard are scattered far and wide over both continents. Some have become famous as jurists—some useful as clergymen—some professionally active in medical halls and hospitals—and others in legislative arenas. No one familiar with the history and far-reaching influence of this University can visit it, and not have a throng of thoughts awakened, which ran over by-gone years and events of the most interesting character. I shall probably never see Harvard again; but I am glad that I have seen its collegiate structures, and have rambled along its tree-shaded walks, where the feet of many a noble-minded man impressed the soil long before I was born. Oxford and Cambridge in England are scarcely less famed as collegiate seats of learning than is the namesake of the latter in New England.

But the historical interest of Cambridge are not confined to its classical seat of learning. The old elm tree, only a few rods from the precincts of the University, beneath which Washington, on July 3rd, 1775, took command of the continental army, is still standing. Beneath the shade of its wide-spreading branches, on a hot day in July I stood, and read the inscription, engraved upon a granite pillar commemorative of that event. There stood "the champion and the child of freedom," as Byron poetically designates the Virginian soldier and patriot. As I looked on this memento of the past, my cogitations naturally turned to matters of a hundred years ago. The thirteen colonies along the Atlantic had uttered their solemn and irrevocable protest against Trans-Atlantic parliamentary taxation; and their protests and petitions, being unheeded by the British Government, they were in open revolt determined to resist what they regarded as oppression. Only a few weeks previously, the affairs at Bunker Hill had demonstrated the spirit and the bravery of the American "discontented." It had become manifest that they were a people not to be trifled with. At this juncture, beneath the old elm, still extant, Washington took command of a few hundred rustics, who were untrained, undisciplined, not well furnished with fire-arms, and scantily supplied with ammunition and other military stores. His policy for the time being was to remain defensively quiet—so to prevent the British forces from obtaining provisions from the interior—and to discipline them. The English General, Cornwallis, meanwhile, was equally passive, and with the recent disastrous occurrences at Lexington and Bunker Hill fresh in memory, not thinking it wise to send troops beyond the precincts of the City to scatter the

THE GREAT STORM.

New York and Boston papers contain interesting accounts of the great storm which passed over Pennsylvania, New York, and Massachusetts on the evening of the 4th inst.

Although the wind at no point on the eastern coast attained an extraordinary velocity, the damage attending it was unprecedented. In twenty-four hours over four inches of rain fell in New York, and there was a proportionately heavy rainfall over an enormous extent of country. The lowest barometrical pressure at New York during the visitation of the cyclone was 29.64 inches, but at Boston it was at one time as low as 29.96 inches.

A train on the Belvidere branch of the Pennsylvania railroad plunged over a culvert, fell high into a creek, resulted in the death of eleven persons and another fatal accident, caused by a wash-out, occurred on the Wilmington and Northern Railroad near Coakville.

Columns after columns of the New York papers are filled with accounts of the destruction in and around that city and elsewhere. The damage to shipping both on the coast and in the interior, however, were not confined to the coast, but were experienced far inland among the Pennsylvania mining districts and the New England farmers.

Heaving occasion recently to visit South Farmington, in Wilnot, Annapolis Co., I was greatly surprised to find the inhabitants of that quiet and beautiful district in an unusually strange state of excitement. I ventured to approach the first one then another, inquiring the cause of their unhappiness. Strange as it may appear, my interrogation led to no revelation. I returned to the city, and saw that paper? "What paper?" I ventured to ask. "O, that Yarmouth paper!" and I was left in suspense until I had seen the paper. It was produced, and the four and a half inch portion of a certain column headed "Rural Barbarity" pointed out to me, which I must say considering its length scarcely ever have I read a greater amount of sense in so few words.

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Poetry. THE INDIAN'S HEAVEN.

I asked the "red man" of the forest— "What is Heaven?" His piercing eye upon mine...

AN OHIO TRAGEDY.

A HUSBAND AND WIFE FOUND DEAD IN EACH OTHER'S ARMS. A tragedy enacted at Zanesville, Ohio, on the 8th ult., creates intense excitement...

PIANOFORTE & ORGAN DEPOT, Fall and Winter Clothing.

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HOW THEY GET READY. When they reached the depot Mr. Man and his wife gazed with unexpressed disappointment at the receding train...

Miscellaneous.

THE MARTINI-HENRI RIFLE. The Martini-Henri rifle is still the force. The London special correspondent of the London "Daily News"...

A correspondent of the London "Times" has been in the Russian camp long enough to discover that a vast problem in human nature is working out in a mighty nation.

THE PETRIFYING SILICATE PAINTS.

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THE OLD BARQUE TALENTS AGAIN.

Several men belonging to the barque "True Love" of London, appeared in custody before the county magistrates sitting at Brixham, E., recently, for refusing to do duty.

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THE FIRST RUSSIAN NEWSPAPER DATES FROM 1703.

The first Russian newspaper dates from 1703. Peter the Great took part himself not in its editorial composition, but in correcting the proofs, as appears from sheets still in existence...

A NEWPORT, R. I., LADY, WHILE GATHERING MOSS AND SHELLS ON THE BEACH...

A Newport, R. I., lady, while gathering moss and shells on the beach the other day, lost two rings, one for which she had paid \$2000, and another valued at \$500.

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THE TOP OF THE GREAT DAM AT GILPEP, BELGIUM, IS TO BE CROWNED WITH A COLOSAL LION CUT FROM 203 HUGE BLOCKS OF STONE.

The top of the great dam at Gilpep, Belgium, is to be crowned with a colossal lion cut from 203 huge blocks of stone. A man will be able to hide easily behind each claw.

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THE WAY TO DRY OFF COWS.

As the time approaches for drying off (which ought to be at least six weeks, and better two months before calving) all food calculated to stimulate the production of milk ought to be withheld...

DOMESTIC ITEMS.

BAKING CAKE.—Take one cupful flour, two cups of butter, one cup butterfat, four eggs, two cups of sugar, and soda...

COOKIES.—Take one cup of sugar, two cups of butter, one cup of large teaspoonful sweet milk, one teaspoonful cream-tartar, half a cup of raisins...

BRIDE CAKE.—Take one and a half cups of sugar, one-half cupful of butter, one cupful of flour, a little more than one cupful of raisins, half cupful of soda milk, whites of three eggs...

CREAM CAKES.—Skim a pan of milk only slightly sour, set the cream in a cool place, and put the milk into the oven to curd.

PORRIDGE.—It is not unfrequently apparent in a family that quantities of cooked meats reach the table. Such should be potted.

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