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WAVERLY HOTEL,
NEWCASTLE, MICHIGAN, N. B.

House has lately been refurnished, and is very comfortable, and made to ensure the comfort of travellers.

LIVERY STABLES, with good outfit, on the premises.

ALEX. STEWART,
Late of Waverly House, St. John's. Proprietor.
Newcastle, Dec. 2, 1878.

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
NEWCASTLE, MICHIGAN, N. B.

THIS HOTEL is very pleasantly situated, and has recently been fitted up in first class style, in close proximity to the C. & N. Railway Station, and the wants of travellers will be attended to promptly.

Meals prepared at any hour. Oysters served up in every style at short notice.

JOHN FAY, PROPRIETOR.
Newcastle, Oct. 8, 1877.

KIRK HOTEL,
NEWCASTLE, MICHIGAN, N. B.

THE SUBSCRIBER has rented the New Building erected by Mr. McKee, near the Post Office and Custom House, and having newly furnished the same throughout, is prepared to accommodate the public.

TRAVELLING PUBLIC.
No pains will be spared to secure the comfort of guests.

COACH will connect with the train—Good stable accommodation.

D. KIRK, PROPRIETOR.
Newcastle, May 13, 1878.

CANADA HOUSE,
CHATHAM, N. B.

CONSIDERABLE outlay has been made on this house to make it a first class hotel, and travellers will find it a desirable temporary residence both as regards location and comfort.

It is situated within two minutes walk of steamboat landing. The proprietor returns thanks to the public for the encouragement given him in the past, and will endeavor by courtesy and attention to merit the same in the future.

Good Stabling on the Premises.
May 12th, 1878.

"Wilbur House,"
Bathurst, Gloucester County, N. B.

This House, which has been enlarged and thoroughly repaired, repainted and re-furnished, will be open to the public on Monday next, 12th June.

As regards situation, it is located in a very pleasant town, and being in close proximity to the Bathurst and Gloucester County Railway Station, it is one of the best locations for a hotel in the Province.

The hotel is within easy reach of the Intercolonial Railway, and every effort will be made by the Proprietor to secure the comfort and pleasure of all who may patronize the establishment, which will be conducted in the very best style.

H. WILBUR, PROPRIETOR.
Bathurst, June 8, 1878.

ROYAL HOTEL,
KING SQUARE.

I HAVE much pleasure in informing my numerous friends and the public generally, that I have leased the Hotel formerly known as the "CONTINENTAL," and have thoroughly renovated the same, making it as the "ROYAL" always had the reputation of being, one of the best Hotels in the Province.

Excellent Bill of Fare, First-class Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and superior accommodation.

Blackhall's Livery Stable attached.

THOS. F. RAYMOND,
St. John, July 9, 1877.

NORTHERN HOUSE,
CAMPELLTON.

THE SUBSCRIBER having recently bought and fitted up the John McMillan Property, is now prepared to accommodate Boarders both private and transient on the most liberal terms.

The commanding view which this House affords of the splendid Restigouche river and adjacent mountains, renders it one of the most attractive Hotels in the North.

Good Salt Water Bathing can be had in the vicinity at any time.

R. DAWSON,
Proprietor.
July 1st, 1877.

VICTORIA HOTEL,
RIVER DU LOUP.

JOSEPH A. FOUNTAIN, PROPRIETOR.

THIS HOUSE is situated in the immediate vicinity of the Railway Station, and is well calculated to meet the requirements of travellers, as neither pains or expense have been spared to secure the comfort of guests. Situated on an elevation, it affords a splendid view of the St. Lawrence and adjacent country.

October 24, 1877.

To Mill Owners and Mechanics.
THOS. B. PEACE.

MANUFACTURER OF

ALL KINDS OF SAWS,
Is prepared to fill orders from any part of the country. His saws are now being widely used, are made of the very finest quality of English Steel, and are warranted to be equal to the best English or American manufacture. A fair trial will prove the correctness of these statements.

All kinds of Repairing Done.
References By Permission:

HON. WM. MITCHELL, Chatham;
HON. J. B. SNOWBALL, Esq.,
D. & J. RITCHIE, Esq., Newcastle;
J. FLETCHER, Nelson;
BAKER & CO., North Bay.

SHOP—Water Street, Chatham, N. B.
September, 1878.

TRUNK FACTORY,
ESTABLISHED 1862.

MR. W. H. KNOWLES
HAS much pleasure in announcing to his many friends and customers that he has resumed business at No. 263, over A. J. Lord's Furniture Emporium, where he will be pleased to attend to all orders entrusted to his care with neatness & dispatch.

Repairs Promptly attended to.
St. John, Aug. 14, 1877.

WILLIAM A. PARK,
Barrister & Attorney at Law,
SOLICITOR.

NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.

OFFICE—Over the Store of William Park, Esq.
Castle Street, - - - NEWCASTLE.
May 1, 1877.

L. J. TWEEDIE,
ATTORNEY & BARRISTER

AT LAW,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
CONVEYANCER, &c.,
CHATHAM, - - - N. B.

OFFICE—Snowball's Building.
May 12, 1877.

WILLET & QUIGLEY,
Solicitors, Barristers, Attorneys,

NOTARIES PUBLIC, CONVEYANCERS, &c.

ST. JOHN, N. B.

JOHN WILLET, RIC. D. QUIGLEY, LL.B.

March 24, 1878.

A. H. JOHNSON,
BARRISTER AT LAW,
SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC,

&c., &c.,
CHATHAM, N. B.

July 10, 1877.

A. D. SHIRREFF,
AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION

MERCHANT,
Life, Fire & Marine Insurance

AND
GENERAL AGENT.

Chatham, N. B.
August 29, 1878.

HERBERT T. DAWSON, M.D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

OFFICE—In Mr. John Dalton's House;
RESIDENCE.
At Mr. Wm. Greig's, opposite Office.

Newcastle, March 26, 1877.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. Freeman,
will attend to DENTISTRY in his various Branches, as his other engagements will permit.

Having procured every appliance and the most recent improvements, Dr. F. guarantees all operations and gives special attention to the insertion of

ARTIFICIAL TEETH,
Either on Rubber or a new and improved Base called Celluloid.

Being a resident in the County his patients will find no difficulty in having every guarantee made good.

Newcastle, April 18, 1878.

Confectionery &c.
W. C. HOLDSWORTH,
CONFECTIONER,

CHATHAM AND NEWCASTLE, N. B.
Chatham—In Store lately occupied by J. V. Benson.

Constantly on hand, a great variety of Plain and Fancy Confectionery, (Pure and Unadulterated.)

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
A large Importation of Choice Valencia Oranges, Lemons, Dried Fruits, &c.

Newcastle, March 29, 1878.

S. F. SHUTE,
Direct Importer of

Fine Watches, Rich Jewelry, Electro Plated Ware, Clocks, Fancy Goods, &c.

Orders Solicited, and goods sent to responsible parties on approval.

WATCH REPAIRING, in all its branches promptly attended to.

AGENT for the "Florence" SEWING MACHINE, and "Lazarus & Morris & Co's" PERFECTED SPECTACLES.

Remember the Place.
S. F. SHUTE,
Queen St., Fredericton.

Dec. 22nd, 1872.

NO EMPTY ASSERTION!
TRY IT.

By an admirable arrangement of nature, the whole body, each part in its turn, recovers new material to make up for its own waste. This principle accounts for the fact that

HYPOPOSSUMUM

—OR—
Magic Cough Syrup,

a simple vegetable remedy, by speedily removing all impurities from the Lungs, Liver and Kidneys, will therefore cure Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh and all Throat, Lung and Liver Complaints.

A Positive Cure for Nervous Debility. Common Cold or Cough cured in 24 hours.

PREPARED ONLY BY F. BOKLER, NEWCASTLE, N. B.
T. H. Ramsey General Agent and Manager, to whom all communications should be addressed. SOLD BY ALL DEALERS.

Agents wanted everywhere.
Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B., Feb. 1878.

INSURANCE BLOCK.

Fire & Marine Insurance Agency,
SAINT JOHN, N. B.

Corner of Prince William Street and Market Square.

Application for Fire Insurance may be made to the following Representatives.

NEWCASTLE:—A. A. Davidson.
CHATHAM:—T. F. Gillespie, W. Wilkinson.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF LONDON, ESTABLISHED 1803.

Capital & Cash Assets exceed £2,000,000 STG.

THE ETNA INSURANCE COY.
INCORPORATED 1819.

Cash Capital and Assets over \$6,000,000.

T. HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COY.
INCORPORATED 1810.

Cash Capital and Assets over \$2,500,000.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED 1833.

Dwelling Houses, whether built or in course of construction, as well as furniture, contained therein, insured for terms of One or Three Years, at low rates. Steam Saw Mills, Yards on the stocks or in port, Warehouses, Merchandise and Insurable property, of every description covered on the lowest possible terms.

ROBERT MARSHALL,
GENERAL AGENT, NOTARY PUBLIC and BROKER.

Jan. 8, 1878.

G. A. BLAIR,
Merchant Tailor.

CHATHAM, N. B.

Always on hand a large and select assortment of

BROADCLOTHS, Dressings,
Cassimeres, Beavers, Meltons, &c.

SCOTCH, ENGLISH, & CANADIAN TWEEDS,
Velvet and other Fancy Vestings.

Gentlemen's APPAREL,
Made up promptly, and in the best and most fashionable style.

Orders from a distance will receive Special Attention.

LATEST FASHIONS
ALWAYS ON HAND.

Remember the Stand.
Stone Building, adjoining Dr. Pallen's, Chatham.

Water Street, Chatham.
June 25th, 1878.

CUSTOM TAILORING.

THE SUBSCRIBER has opened a FIRST CLASS TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT in the Shop formerly occupied by Mr. P. H. Anslow, and owned by the Hon. William Mulholland, near Letson's Scales, Water Street, Chatham.

Gentlemen wanting clothes made to order for

SPRING AND SUMMER
will do well to examine his splendid assortment of

ENGLISH & CANADIAN CLOTHS
to select from.

GENTLEMEN'S GARMENTS made up under the general supervision of a First Class Cutter.

Cloth Purchased elsewhere will be made up on the premises.

W. S. MORRIS,
Chatham, April 30, 1877.

NOTICE.

The Subscriber having taken out an

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSE,
IS PREPARED TO

CONDUCT AUCTION SALES
in any part of the Country.

Goods received on consignment and prompt returns made.

SAMUEL U. MCCULLY,
Chatham, June 25th, 1878.

STEAM JOINERY WORKS
—AND—
FURNITURE FACTORY,

EL RIVER, - - RESTIGOUCHE.

T. R. BRID & SON, beg to inform their friends and the public generally, that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Joinery Work, and the common grades of Furniture on the best terms for cash.

DOORS AND SASHES
from the cheapest, to the best quality, lower than any House in the Province.

Gothic Work and Ecclesiastical Furniture a specialty.

El River, June 22nd, 1878.

SPECTACLES.
AZARUS & MORRIS' celebrated perfecting spectacles and eye glasses will not tire the eyes or injure the sight, for sale by the Agent,

C. F. BOURNE,
Next Door to "Waverly Hotel,"

WANTED.
A SHOP and OFFICE BOY—one willing to make himself generally useful.

Apply to
DR. FREEMAN.
Newcastle, Sept. 11, 77.

Selected Literature.

On a Rich Man's Table.

There sat two glasses filled to the brim On a rich man's table, rim to rim, One was ruddy and red as blood, And one was clear as the crystal flood.

"Let us tell the tales of the past to each other; I can tell of banquet and revel mirth, And the proudest and grandest souls on earth Fell under my touch as though struck by blight."

Where I was king, for I ruled in might, From the heads of kings I have torn the crown, From the height of fame I have hurled men down;

I have blasted many an honored name, I have taken virtue and given shame; I have tempted the youth with a sip, a taste, That has made his future a barren waste, Or than any army beneath the sky, I have made the arm of the driver fall, And sent the train from the iron rail;

I have made good ships go down at sea, And the shrieks of the lost were sweet to me; For they said, "Behold, how great you are! Fame, strength, wealth, genius before you fall."

And your might and power are over all? Ho! ho! pale brother, laughed the wine, "Can you boast of deeds as great as mine?"

Said the water glass, "I cannot boast Of a king dethroned or a murdered host: But I can tell of a heart once sad, By my crystal drops made light and glad. Of thirsts I've quenched and brows I've laved;

Of hands I have cooled and souls I have saved; I have leaped through the valley, dashed down the mountain, I flowed in the river and played in the fountain, Slept in the sunshine and dropt from the sky, And everywhere gladdened the landscape and eye.

I have eased the hot forehead of fever and pain, I have made the parched meadows grow fertile grain;

I can tell of the powerful wheel of the mill, That ground out the flour and turned by my will; I can tell of manhood dashed by you, That I have lifted and crowned anew; I cheer, I help, I strengthen and aid; I gladden the heart of man and maid; I set the wine dashed captive free, And all are better for knowing me.

And all are better for knowing me, These are the tales they told each other, The class of wine and the paler brother, As they sat together filled to the brim. On the rich man's table rim to rim.

—Boston Transcript.

THE FAITHFUL SEDAR.

A Trait of Indian Character.

I received a letter addressed to me at Calcutta, from a friend at Berhampore, stating that several robberies had taken place in my household during my absence, and that my sedar-bearer, on whom I could rely, had begged of my friend to write to me to return as soon as possible.

This information reached me as I lay on my couch, completely worn with the fatigues of the day previous; for I had been with some brother officers to Barrackpore, to see a hunt by leopards—a sight the most curious I had ever beheld in India. These animals are so tame that they range at large, and actually sleep beside their keeper. This I can vouch for, as I have seen it. They protect him with the same fidelity that a dog would defend his master, if any stranger should approach him during his slumbers. This I particularly know, as I unfortunately went to wake him, unaware of his faithful guardians, and nearly paid the penalty of my folly. The keeper, however, started up, and called them off. They obeyed with the docility of domestic animals, and fell behind him at his word of command. They belong, I believe, to the governor-general for the time being, and are kept in the park of the gov't house. It was here that I saw them run down a deer. Never in my life have I beheld anything so graceful as their movements, or so rapid as their speed. Considerably swifter than greyhounds, they bounded along, and soon brought down their game.—Fatigued with the excitement of this beautiful sport, I returned to Calcutta, and, as I have mentioned, was lying on my couch when the information conveyed by my friend at Berhampore, arrived. No time, however, was to be lost; so starting up, I ordered my palanquin to be brought to the door, determined on travelling up the one hundred and sixteen miles by bearers.

This mode of proceeding may appear strange to Europeans, who will scarcely believe the rapidity with which such a journey is accomplished. By seven days are required to reach the city of Berhampore; by land, it only takes twenty-eight hours. The bearers like post-horses, are relieved every twelve or fifteen miles. Each relay consists of eight men, who shift the burden to each other at the end of about every league. The others trot alongside to rest themselves, the whole party singing and jolting on at the rate of about four miles and a half an hour. During the night the disengaged bearers carry torches, to scare away wild beasts. The fire flies, buzzing about like innumerable stars, add to the beauty of the picture, and render this scene most romantic and picturesque; though I must confess the uneasy motion, the jolting of the sun in this luxurious, coffin-like conveyance, and the fear of a voracious tiger, or other

savage monsters, take away, in my opinion, all the charms which would otherwise gild this mode of travelling.

At day-break on the second morning (for I had halted a few hours at Agarddeep,) I arrived in the cantonments, and entered my house, which stood in the extensive barrack-square.

After breakfasting most luxuriously on sable fish (closely resembling the salmon) and snipes, which are here far more plentiful than sparrows in England, I secretly sent for the "wise man" of the place to come and discover the thief; then ordering the servants to fall in, in a row under the verandah, I quietly and confidently awaited his arrival. I had often seen his powers tested and never knew them to fail. I am aware that most persons will smile at my credulity; but, as I have the conviction from personal and constant observation, I do not hesitate to assert that his manner of discovering crime though the simplest, was the most wonderful that I ever beheld. The present instance served to strengthen my belief.

In every bazaar or village in India there exists a "wise man," a sort of half-priest, half-conjuror, who predicts events, tells fortunes, secures families, and discovers crimes. These individuals are looked upon with great awe by the natives, and are often found useful in the last instance by Europeans.

On the arrival of the magician, he made the men form a circle around him, then, uttering some prayers, he produced a small bag of rice, and taking out a handful gave it to the man nearest to him, and desired him to chew it, while he continued to recite certain prayers or incantations. In a moment or two he held a plate to a man and desired him to spit out the grain. He did so; it was well chewed and the man instantly declared himself another. Another and another succeeded. At length he came to one of my favourite servants—one whom I never suspected. On taking the rice the man seemed dreadfully convulsed.—He ground his teeth and worked hard to masticate it; but all in vain. When he rendered it on the plate, the grain was uncrushed, unchewed. The "wise man" instantly proclaimed him to be the thief; upon which the servant, falling on his knees, confessed the crime, and detailed a series of thefts for which I had suspected and even punished others. By his own showing he must have been the greatest rascal, the greatest scoundrel, alive. He had, however, lived long with me; so I contented myself with instantly dismissing him.

In the evening I was sitting at what, when I was called out by my sedar-bearer, whom I before mentioned as one of the most faithful creatures in existence. He begged of me instantly to set out for Moorshedabad—a distance of about ten miles—in order to see a cousin of mine, who had sent me a verbal message by a pund (a foot-runner) requesting my instant attendance as he had met with a serious accident. When I asked to see the servant, I found he was already gone; and when I expressed my astonishment that he had not even sent me a *chit* (note), my bearer assured me the accident had deprived him of the power of writing; but that he earnestly solicited me to lose no time in setting out. Of course I did not hesitate ordering my palanquin out once more. Though sadly tired, I started off, after making an apology to my friends for thus abruptly leaving them. On my arrival at Moorshedabad, I hurried to the bungalow of my relative. Here I found all the world fast asleep; and amongst others, my cousin. On being awake, he positively denied having sent any messenger whatever to me, and had met with no accident, nor was ever better in his life.

The deception thus practised on me staggered me so much that, in spite of every remonstrance, I borrowed a relay of bearers and sat out on my instant return home.

On re-entering my quarter, I found all quiet and still as the grave. I aroused some of the sleeping servants, and, having obtained a light, asked for the sedar-bearer, determined to make an example of the rascal for having thus played off a practical joke on me. None of the others, however, knew where he was; so I proceeded to the bed-room, resolved to punish him in the morning. As I passed through my dressing-room I perceived my drawers open; I examined them and found that a suit of my clothes had been extracted and by a turban I found lying near, I discovered that they had been taken by the sedar. That a man whom I had hitherto looked upon as incorruptibly honest should thus get me a matter of the greatest surprise. That one who had ever been considered as the most faithful of my servants should thus suddenly turn thief, annoyed and disappointed me. But what puzzled me more than all was that my people declared he had been seen to enter this room early in the evening, but most positively had not passed out again. Tired with conjecture I went into my sleeping apartment.

I started back with surprise. Upon the bed lay a figure, the very counterpart of myself! My heart misgave

me as I rushed forward and tore a handkerchief from the features of my other self, who so closely resembled me as he appeared stretched on my bed, that my followers kept staring first at me and then at the figure before them, as if doubtful of my identity.

As the covering was removed I perceived the countenance of my sedar. He was fast asleep. I attempted in anger to wake him. He was a corpse. Stone dead before me was stretched my late favorite servant. On a closer examination I found a sharp-pointed instrument (probably poisoned) thrust into his heart, from which it was still undrawn. I could not decipher the dreadful mystery.

Presently one of my kidnapers rushed up. He held a leaf in his hand on which some characters in Hindostanee had been traced (as usual) with a pin. I sent for my *munches* (interpreter), who thus translated them: "Beloved master, a plot was formed by the man whom you this day discovered to be a thief, to murder you. It was too well planned for you to escape. I was too solemnly sworn to dare to reveal it to you. Pardon me beloved master, but I ventured to deceive you. I took your place, and have felt happy to die for you. May the God of the white man make you happy."

The riddle was solved. The delinquent, thinking he had completed his deed of blood, had fled. I provided for the family of my attached servant. Not one of his fellows, however, seemed astonished at the act. They appeared to look upon such devotion as a matter of course. For myself, I never can, I never will, forget the fidelity of my devoted "sedar."

Miscellaneous.

A Memorable Review.

THE FINAL PARADE OF THE RUSSIAN ARMY AT SAN STEFANO PRIOR TO ITS DEPARTURE FOR RUSSIA.

(From the London Globe)
Constantinople, August 18, 1878.

I went to-day to witness a review which will become historical—that of the Russian army before Constantinople previous to embarkation for Russia. The review was fixed for noon. Our train reached San Stefano at eleven a. m., and we were able to drive at once to the ground selected, about a mile from the Station. Presently the Russian army, fallen in by battalions on the side of a gentle slope, burst upon our view. The sea of white cap covers, broken here and there by the bright green of the artillery carriages, presented a somewhat strange appearance to one accustomed to the brightness and splendor which the scarlet uniform and burnished bayonets lend to a review of British troops. The position had been admirably selected. On the top of a plateau a piece of level ground over a mile in length, was being kept by the united efforts of the Russian mounted gunnery in Cambridge blue, and Turkish Zaptiens, in snuff colored brown, a Russian being posted alongside of every Turk.

TOLSTOEN AND HIS GUESTS.

