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THE ROMANCE OF THE ABYSSINIAN EXPEDITION.

[From the New York Herald.]

Nothing which has occurred of late years on a scale of any magnitude has had about it so much of the air of ancient romance as the Abyssinian expedition. For a time the thing seemed partly, ridiculous. Quixotic. A few adventurous people—some of them English, some of them German, not a few of them Eastern by birth and direct descent, all of them for the sake of personal convenience claiming English protection—got into trouble with Theodoros, a man who claimed to be a descendant of Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, and who was the acknowledged Emperor of Abyssinia, the far away and little known Ethiopia of the ancients. Was it worth while, many asked, to waste millions of money and to imperil, if not sacrifice the lives of many thousands of men in what might prove the vain attempt to deliver a few adventurers who were imprisoned in a strong fortress on the summit of an inaccessible height somewhere in the neighborhood of the moon? It was pronounced by many a perilous, by most a hopeless undertaking. It was undertaken, nevertheless, carried on, and in an incredibly short space of time, and at a small cost of life which has no parallel in the history of war, brought to a triumphant conclusion. Now that the thing is over, and that the wonderful and romantic character of the expedition and the still more wonderful character of the results are made known to the world through the enterprise of a New York Journal, Europeans generally, even the British themselves, opened their eyes in amazement. A fact of today, it begins slowly to be seen, is grander, wilder, more daring, more romantic than the grandest, wildest, most daring, most romantic tales of all past times. The siege of Troy was a protracted burlesque and failure in comparison.

We were inclined to search for parallels we might compare the expedition with the crusades of the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The crusaders went forth on an expedition quite as noble and quite as disinterested. In the name of Christianity they went forth under the guidance of the Cross and the Holy Virgin to wrest the Sacred Places from the polluting grasp of the Infidel. But what a burlesque were these crusades, which kept Europe in excitement for more than two hundred years, and which robbed the various nations of the bravest and the best of their sons, in comparison with the Abyssinian dash. Napier and his men have done more in a few months than the crusaders accomplished in a couple of centuries. It is one of the few finished pieces of work in that particular line which the world has seen in many generations. Our Napoleon and our Wellington and our Grants are small men beside this Napier—this hitherto unknown and disesteemed man of the people. Science has up to this time had little to do with military commanders; but science, thanks to Sir Robert Napier, must henceforth rule.

We are not much surprised at the consternation and bewilderment which the success of the expedition has created in France. The French are a great, a brave, a dashing, a romantic people, and they have done really smart things even in Africa. Algeria has been the scene of many daring and dashing exploits, but it is only truth to say that the most illustrious feats performed by the French in Algeria dwindle into insignificance and contempt when placed alongside of this British campaign in Abyssinia.

The discoveries which have followed from the expedition are scarcely less unenviable than the expedition itself, scarcely less romantic than the manner in which it has been carried on, and concluded. We had certain opinions about the character of that mysterious hill country. We had been taught that some parts of it were grand and magnificent in the extreme. Our loftiest imaginings, however, have fallen far short of the actual truth. Eden, with its fruits and flowers, its bowers and its glassy lakes, the Happy Valley which Johnson has made immortal in his "Rasselas," even Bulwer's Lake of Como, which filled with rapture the mind and heart of the proud Pauline—all these have been left behind by the gorgeous, the unparalleled beauty and grandeur of the actual scenes on which the eyes of the British soldiers have feasted in those lofty tropical regions of Africa. Egypt has long been famous for her climate, but a climate surpassing that of Egypt, associated with scenery with which Egypt has nothing to compare, has been found in those glorious uplands, where the Nile the king of rivers, feeds and nurses his mighty powers. The most famous spots of earth which have hitherto attracted the attention of the health seeker and the professional tourist are likely to be deserted for this newly discovered garden of the world.

The whole nation is, in fact, bound together, as men are by ropes on a glacier. If one falls, the rest must either lift him or drag him along with them as dead weight, not without much increase of danger to themselves. And the law of right being manifestly in this (as, whether manifestly or not, it always is) the law of prudence, the only question is, how this wholesome help and interference are to be administered.—Ruskin.

The Arabs in Algeria are still suffering horrible from hunger. From the 1st of January to the 9th of April, 1,089 beggars were found dead in the public streets and refugees of another district picked up 12 corpses on the public road. The crimes the unfortunate survivors commit under these circumstances are of the most revolting nature; more than one arrest for cannibalism has taken place. The Echo d'Oran relates the following: "Two women, each having a child, lived with a tribe near Taret. These unfortunate did all they could for a long time to stave off the horrors of famine, but at length all their resources being exhausted, and public charity no longer to be relied on, they agreed to eat the children. A bargain was agreed to, and lots were drawn as to which should be first killed. The mother who lost gave up her infant which was killed and eaten. This served for a few days, but at last the hideous supply came to an end, and the woman who had sacrificed her offspring claimed that the other should submit to the same loss. The latter refused, being unable to bring her mind to that extreme measure. After long altercation both mothers at length agreed to submit their difference to the decision of the Arab bureau, and in this way the horrible fact came to light. The women were of course at once taken into custody." The Avenir Algerien of Oran, publishes a letter from Taret, which says: "Four Arabs were recently arrested whose tent was pitched at about 400 meters from Galiart. They were charged with having killed four persons in order to eat them. These were found in the place where they lived. The body of a young man, portions of whose flesh were missing, and in which certain parts, together with pepper and Arab spices, portions of a human body. Several examinations were made, and the corpses so discovered wanted the extremities a proof that the latter had been eaten. In the tent was found a jacket belonging to the Foreign Legion, and the supposition is that it formed part of the clothing of another victim."

THE LAST DAYS OF THEODOROS.

A late letter from Magdala says: "When the King's army was beaten at Falha he sent Lieut. Fridmann and Mr. Flad to Sir Robert Napier, with a white flag and the following message: 'The King,' said he, 'thought we were women, but was mistaken; we had destroyed half of his army and the whole of his gunners, and he wanted terms.' In reply, Sir R. Napier said: 'Your Majesty has fought like a brave man, but the superiority of our weapons has conquered you. If your Majesty will bring all the captives into this camp, then, in the name of the Queen of England, your Majesty shall have honorable treatment.' The term is perhaps ambiguous; at all events it grated harshly on the royal ears, for he sent back the messenger to say he 'would none of it,' and shortly after gave a free pass to all Europeans, prisoners and employers, who wished to leave him, saying he did so for kindness' sake; and as it was a great feast (Easter Sunday) he sent 1,000 cows and 500 sheep for our great chief.' The latter were returned, with a demand that he would surrender himself within twenty-four hours. On Monday, 13th, natives came in to say the King had bolted during the night, and at 10 a.m. a strong guard having been left in the camp, an order was issued on Magdala was ordered. Conflicting rumors were now brought in that the King had returned, unable to get away on account of the Gallas below; that he had shot himself; that he intended to fight to the last, &c. &c.

The forcing of the gate of Magdala is thus described: "The gate was now piled open with crowbars, and the men advanced through a narrow passage about 50 yards to another gate, which was defended by the few faithful followers had already deserted. The King fled by the south-eastern corner of the fortress, where they ran into the arms of the Bengal Cavalry, and were at once disarmed and well treated. The 33rd's colors were now planted on the top of a but—the highest in the place—and Magdala is ours. His Excellency congratulated the regiment, who cheered lustily—a novel sound in such a place and on such an occasion. Close by is a dead body. Sir C. Staveland has assurances that from the spirit of the noble savage, who was never conquered by the son of man," and Dr. Lumsden finds that a suicide has been committed. A spare, and a sinewy carcass, slightly grazed, 5ft. 8in., and about fifty years of age, a cruel mouth and common look, is all we are to know of a fine but savage spirit, who has cost the British nation dear, but who was 'sinned against.' The Royal Artillery have burst thirty-seven guns and mortars, some of great calibre and well cast, four English, and four French or Turkish. The great mortar was 19 1/2 inch.

Gobayro's fortress the fortress unless he got the guns, so it has been destroyed.—There was no money or valuables in the place. The wife of the King goes back to her people in Tigre, and the sons are to be cared for by Sir Robert Napier.

The writer says, in conclusion: "More difficulties were perhaps never crowded together before, with fewer chances of overcoming them, and yet they were overcome, and the men will soon forget the miseries they have undergone in the brilliant success they have achieved. It is said they could not have endured their privations for another week—it was probably not intended; the very hour appears to have been calculated, and our soldiers of Abyssinia return in tolerable health to remember to the last days of their life that they served under a chief who thought of himself last, and then first."

A SUGGESTION TO DIVINES.—Hereafter, instead of saying, "Let us sing the Doxology," the minister might with propriety substitute, "Let us put on our coats, adjust our hats, slip on our gloves, seize our hats, and be dismissed."

Select Poetry.

RETROSPECTION.

When the gathering shades of twilight come creeping o'er the earth;
When is lushed the din of labor and the noisy voice of mirth;
When has ceased the anxious pressing of the day's encumbered care,
And comes stealing o'er my spirit the calm sweet evening air;
When the voice of choral songsters, with their notes of warbling glee,
Have resounded all day long through the wood and valley free;
When the music and the ringing of their merry notes have lulled my soul,
Then comes breathing o'er my spirit a calm and tranquil peace;
Then better thoughts come sweeping through the chambers of my soul,
And my wandering fancy leads me back to cherished scenes of old—
Back to days and hours departed, ah! never to return—
And at times my spirit mourneth, and my heart with anguish burns;
For I think of those we loved with affection's deepest glow,
Who have passed from thence away—and we miss their presence so;
And I long, with heartfelt yearning, for their presence once again,
To lift from off my aching heart its load of grief and pain.
Aid one to me seems dearer as the months and years go by,
And more and more do I miss the glance of my noble father's eye;
I miss the presence and the power, the protection of his arm;
For we felt when he was with us to us could come no harm.
But my spirit grows calm when o'er my feverish brain,
Cometh unto me a knowledge that takes away the pain;
For I know 'twas done in wisdom by the power of His will,
Who in an hour of peril great did "the angry waters still."
And when the twilight shadows gather deep and darker still,
And we feel the hush of evening o'er our troubled spirits steal,
Then I deeply feel the power of His all-mysterious might,
And my spirit gladly bends to His, for "He doeth all things right."
Haystack, June 13. EMMA *****

Select Tale.

Why he didn't marry.

The Rev. Peony Flusk was a painfully bashful man. I once said to him, "Why Flusk, how will you ever have the face to propose to the future Mrs. P. F.?" He rose colored in such a manner at this, that I said, "Come, Peony, tell us all about it at once, do," which accordingly, after a little pressing, he did.
"I was indeed," he began, "once engaged to be married, I believe (how I went so far as that is a marvel to me still) but an incident of so frightful a character took place as to put the matter entirely out of question. I was a young undergraduate, spending the summer with a reading party at the Irish lake, where I met with Lucy, and got in short, to be accepted.—She was residing with her mother in the same hotel in Killarney as ourselves, and we all met every day. We boated on the lake together, and fished, and sang, and read. We landed on the wooded island in the soft summer evenings, to take our tea in gypsy fashion, and to sketch; but she and I mostly whispered—not about love at all as I remember, but of the weather and the rubric: only it seemed so sweet to slink out voices and speak low and soft. Once, in a party over the moors, while I was leading her pony over some boggy ground, I caught her hand by mistake instead of her bridle, and she did not snatch it away. It was the happy and the prime of my life, my friend, and that youth of the spirit which no power can ever more renew. I know what she felt, and what would have pleased her, as the feeling and wishes were born. Our thought—my thought, at least, slept out to wed with thought, ere thought could wed itself with speech." She took a fancy to a huge mastiff dog belonging to a fisherman, and I bought it for her at once, although it was rather savage, and (except for Lucy's liking it) not either good or beautiful. Its name also, the only one it would answer to, and sometimes it would not answer to that—was Towser, not a name for a lady's pet at all, and scarcely for a gentleman's. There was a little secluded field, hedged in by a copse, which sloped into the lake, about a mile from the hotel; and there Lucy agreed (for the first time) to meet me alone. I was to be there, before breakfast, at 8 o'clock in the morning, and you may be sure I was there at six with Towser. Perhaps I was never happier than at that particular time. The universal nature seemed in harmony with my blissful feelings. The sun shone out bright and clear, so that the fresh morning breeze could scarcely cool the pleasant throbbings of my blood; but the blue rippling waves of the lake looked irresistibly tempting, and I could not resist a swim. Just a plunge and out again, thought I, for I had such plenty of time to spare. I determined to be dressed and ready for the interview an hour at least before the appointed time. Lucy, might, like myself, be a little earlier, and at all events, with such an

awful consequence in possible apprehension, I would not run the shadow of a risk. "Mind my clothes, mind them, said I to Towser (who took his seat thereupon, at once, sagaciously enough), for I had heard of such things as clothes being stolen from unconscious dippers before them, which result was not to be thought of, and in I went. I remember the delight of that bath to this day; the glowing freshness, the luxuriant softness of each wave, just as the last view which his eyes rested on (as painted on the memory of one who has been stricken blind, or the last heard melody is treasured in that of a man stunned deaf by a fall; it was my last perfect pleasure, and succeeded by a shock that I shall never, I think, quite get over.—When I had bathed as long as I judged prudent I landed, and advanced to the spot where my garments lay. As I did so every individual hair upon his back seemed to bristle with fury; his eyes bristled like coals of fire; he gave notice, by a low determined growl, that he would spring on me and tear me into fragments if I approached nearer. It was evident that he did not recognize me in the least without my clothes. "Tow, Tow, Tow, Tow, Tow," said I pleasantly, "good old Tow, you remember me!" but the brute, like the fabled woman we have known in better days, and appeal to when in different apparel, only shook his head in a menacing manner, and showed his teeth the more. "Towser be quiet, sir; how dare you—Tow, Tow, Tow, Towser—(there he had nearly a bit of my calf off)—you nasty brutal dog, go away, sir—go; ain't you ashamed of yourself?" Drops of foam oozed through the teeth of the ferocious monster as he stood with tail erect at these reproving words; but he manifested no signs of remorse or sorrow. My situation became serious in the extreme: what if he chose to sit there on my personal apparel, until —? At this idea, too terrible to be conceived, a profuse perspiration broke out all over me. Presently, feeling a little cool, I went back into the lake again to consider what was to be done, and resolved the full design of enticing Towser into the water and there drowning him. Abuse and flattery being equally thrown away upon him I tried stones; I heaved upon him with all my force the largest pebbles I could select, the majority of which he evaded by leaping from side to side, and those which struck him rendered him so furious that I believe he would have killed and eaten me if he could, whether I was dressed or not; but he would not venture into the water after me still.

At last, the time drawing on apace for the appointed interview, which I had once looked forward to with such delight and expectation, I was fain, in an agony of shame and rage, to hide myself in a dry ditch in the neighboring copse, where I could see what took place without being seen, and there I covered myself over like a babo in the wood, with leaves. Presently my Lucy came down, a trifle more carefully dressed than usual, and looking all grace and modesty. The dog began to howl as she drew near; she saw him and she saw my clothes, and the notion that I was drowned (I could see it in her expressive countenance) flashed upon her at once; for one instant she looked as though about to faint, and the next she sped off to the hotel with the speed of a deer. "Gracious heavens! I decided upon rescuing a portion of my garments at least, or perishing in the attempt, and rushed out of the thicket for the purpose; but my courage failed me as I neared the savage animal, and I found myself (in some confused and palpitating manner) back in my dry ditch again with the sensation of a loss of blood and pain; my retreat had not been effected—perhaps because there was nothing to cover it—without considerable loss, and the beast had bitten me severely. I protest, from that moment, frightful as my position was, it did not move me so much as the recollection of the honors that would be showered down on that vile creature. I knew that he would be considered by Lucy and the rest (as a sort of dog of Montaigne—an affectionate and sagacious creature, watching patiently at his appointed post for his beloved master that should never again return to him). Presently they all came back—Lucy and her mother and all the maid-servants from the inn, besides my fellow-students and fishermen with drug nets, and a medical man with blankets and bandy (how I envied the blankets and the bandy!). As I expected, neither the women's nor the men's labor in vain disinterested me half so much as the patting and caressing of Towser. If she could only know when she dropped those tears upon his cruel nose that there was a considerable quantity of human flesh—my flesh—at that moment lying in his stomach in an undigested state! I could not suppress a groan of horror and indignation. "Hush, hush," said Lucy, and there was a silence through which I could distinctly hear Towser licking his chops. I was desperate by this time, and halloed out to my friend Sanford—Sanford and nobody else—to come into the copse with a blanket. I remember nothing more distinctly. Immediate peals of laughter, now smoothed, now breaking irrepressibly forth, expressions of thankfulness, of affection, of sympathy beginning—but never finished—burst in upon us, as we were, by floods of merriment, and the barking the eternal barking of that execrable dog. I left Killarney that same evening; Lucy, and the mother of Lucy, and my fellow-student, and the shameless Towser; I left them for good and all, and that was how my engagement was broken off, and why there is no Mrs. Peony Flusk," concluded the curate, who had turned from rose-color to deep crimson, and from that to almost black during the recital.

Correspondence.

[No Communication will be taken notice of unless accompanied with the author's name.—We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of correspondents.]

DEAR MIRROR:

Since my last letter to you, in which I furnished an extract from Betsy Jane's composition for insertion in your journal, I am sorry to have to inform you that I have been quite unfortunate in my domestic relations, and you will doubtless be surprised to hear that it is caused by Betsy Jane, that dear girl that gave so much promise of acquiring literary fame, the joy and pride of a delighted parent, the boast of her native village, whose matchless descriptions of natural scenery have never been exceeded, and rarely equalled even by competitors of the sterner sex of her times, is, I am grieved and pained to confess, in a state of mental excitement that bids fair to upset her reason. The budding hopes of promise that gave sure indications of blossoming in her wreath of literary fame are all blasted, and the hopes of her friends and admirers ruthlessly dashed to earth, all her glowing aspirations for future literary fame turned to ashes. With a sad heart I will try and tell you how this melancholy wreck occurred.

She attempted too much. Her ambition knew no bounds. She was not content retaining the proud position she had won in the world of letters by the inimitable style portrayed in her essays descriptive of natural beauties, and forgetting the caution that a woman's finer perceptions that in her own particular sphere could reveal in images of the beautiful, called up at will to delight her readers, she thoughtlessly attempted the more difficult task of critical composition—a task for which her antecedents eminently disqualified her, and the result was, as might naturally be expected, a lamentable failure—below mediocrity, in fact. The strain on her mental powers consequent to the preparation necessary to the attempt to shine in this department of letters was too great, and her present intellectual capabilities are in a pitiable state, and her future usefulness seriously impaired.

Of the result of this unfortunate attempt I will not say much. She appears not to have had a very good selection of books necessary to prepare herself for the arduous task. She had been reading Moore's pathetic little poem, where he so graphically describes the scenery of the "Dismal Swamp," I should judge by the particularly boggy style predominating so largely that it has taken a strong hold on her mind. The severer portions evidently show (what I am sorry to confess to be the truth) that B. J.'s opportunities to perfect herself in critical acquisitions have been principally studying the effusions of our local political penny-liners; and as an expected result her composition deals quite largely in low personal allusions to the relations of the supposed unfortunate party whose effusion she attacked. There is also a jumbling up of localities that would place a directory-maker in very much the plight of Hogarth's "Enraged Musician." One redeeming feature in her case is, she showed some sensitiveness by (for the first time) withholding her initials B. J., and substituting the anonymous. I still hope that she may, by quiet rest, and refraining from exciting themes, be brought round to some of her former usefulness. If not, I trust that her fate will be a warning to all literary aspirants not to attempt what is so evidently beyond their capacity, but to be contented with excellence in the particular sphere in which their talents seem to intend them to shine.

Yours in affection,
EMERIE.

JERUSALEM.

The Rev. J. Hogg delivered a deeply interesting Lecture on the above named subject last Monday evening in Cobbequid Hall, that spacious and splendid building was densely crowded by an appreciative audience, who listened with rapt attention to the graphic description and careful explanations of the learned Lecturer. From the time he in imagination landed us at Jaffa until he parted with us, taking a last fond lingering look at Jerusalem from an eminence a short way out of the City, we all followed him with unbounded pleasure and satisfaction.

To say anything more of this Lecture without giving it in full or at the very least an extended outline would be but to do it a gross injustice.

The Georgia Minstrels are coming to Truro on the 4th of July.

We are indebted to Miss Katzman of the Provincial Bookstore, Halifax, for files of late English papers.

The Annual Session of the Grand Temple of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Nova Scotia, will be held at Great Village, on Tuesday, the 14th of July next.

The Rev. George Grant, A. M., of St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, will (D. V.) preach in St. Paul's Church, Truro, on Sunday the 28th June, at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

Lost.—On Tuesday evening last, between the Prince of Wales's Hotel and the Station, a Gold Sleeve Button, with an enamelled "M" on the front. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.

FIRE AT ELMSDALE.—A portion of the extensive establishment of Messrs. Malcom & Johnston, at Elmsdale, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The Pottery Manufactory, Warehouse, Boiler House, and Steam Engine were all destroyed. The property was partly insured in the Liverpool office.

MR. CALKINS' LECTURE.
(Concluded.)

Again, we have matter for thought in the wonderfully transforming power of cultivation on the nature and properties of plants. Labor, guided by intelligence, is the grand regenerator of the physical world from the blighting effects of the primeval curse. It is this that subdues the earth and fills it with nourishing food plants in place of useless and noxious weeds. Compare the cultivated food plants with their original wild progenitors. Scarcely farther removed is the civilized European from the savage Indian or the degraded Hottentot. Mark the thrifty fruit-laden apple-tree, and compare it with the thorny barren crab of untutored nature. How the starved and stunted thorns of the wild tree are by cultivation developed into fruit-bearing boughs! Thus does man into fruit-bearing boughs! Thus does man into fruit-bearing boughs! Thus does man into fruit-bearing boughs!

Intelligence would also lead to much greater care in relation to stock. Part of the food consumed by an animal is used in the system as fuel to maintain a due amount of warmth. If heat is allowed to escape from the surface by exposure, a larger demand is made on the heat producers within. Hence food which might otherwise have contributed to fat is burned up as fuel. From these and similar illustrations which might be multiplied, it must be evident that intelligence is as much needed on the farm as in any other department of human affairs, and the exercise of thought by the farmer must have a most important bearing on the results of his labors. But it must not be forgotten that thrift in agriculture, as elsewhere, depends largely on those little things which are often despised—it lies in the odds and ends. The gains that might be are in the waste. How often are the nine stiches required because the one is not taken at the proper time.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1868.

The Supreme Court had not closed its sittings on Saturday last as we went to press, so we could not give any extended remarks in reference to the business until this week. On Wednesday, immediately after the Court opened the Grand Jury were called and addressed by His Lordship in reference to the business before them, in which he had occasion to comment sharply, and we think deservedly, on the manner in which the criminal business of the County has been conducted by some of our learned J. P.'s. We trust that His Lordship has read those worthies a lesson that will prevent them from meddling with business in future that neither their natural ability nor educational opportunities have qualified them to engage in. The Court then proceeded after hearing motions from the legal gentlemen present to try the summary cases on the docket. These occupied all the first day, and did not amount to much. One case from Brookfield—Fisher vs. Hamilton—excited considerable attention from the fact of its being more than usually contemptible, the amount at issue being but seventy-five cents; and a man of independent means to bring his whole family and keep them on exhibition in the Courthouse all day contending for seventy-five cents is even beneath contempt—it is almost criminal—and the judge displayed great ability in giving judgment on this case on Saturday, when he said he intended to punish both parties for bringing such a case in Court by leaving each to pay his own costs. The Grand Jury having found true bills against Henry McNutt for arson, and breaking into a shop with intent to steal, Charles Vance for discharging a gun at some boys passing his house, and wounding one of them—Nelson Edwards—in the hand and knee, the prisoners were arraigned, and both pleaded not guilty. The Court then proceeded to try the prisoners, both of whom were found guilty of the offences charged against them. Friday and Saturday the Court was engaged in trying the cause McKeezie vs. Pearson, and after spending nearly two days, finding it could not be finished, it was referred to arbitration. We learn since that the arbitrators, owing to some difficulty, have not adjudicated in the matter, and the probability is that this case will come up next term of the Court to be tried again. Before adjourning the Court His Lordship sentenced McNutt to six years in the Penitentiary, and Vance to six months in the same place. Although the Court sat five days comparatively little business was transacted, and unless the sittings of the Supreme Court are extended over another week in future we see little chance of the docket ever being cleared in this County. This has now become a question of serious consideration, and we trust the proper authorities will take measures to have the difficulty remedied.

CRICKET.

A cricket match was played on the 17th inst. near the Truro Depot between eight of the "Truro Cricket Club" and sixteen selected from the juvenile clubs of the village, which resulted in a victory for the former by fifty-five runs. The senior club had much underrated the ability of the juveniles, and not till several of them had succumbed to the accurate bowling of Muir and Boulton did they confess that just appreciation of the ability of their young opponents, and careful play on their own part could alone secure them the expedited victory. Although our young friends have met with a slight rebuff in this their first appearance as cricketers, we hope they will remember that efficiency in their chosen game can only be attained by patient and careful practice. Owing to a press of matter we have compelled to leave out the score.

An incorrigible old maid living upon slender means out of the acquaintance of a friend because he advised her to "husband her resources."

A Yankee horse tamer, operating recently in the western part of the State of New York, tamed a horse so well in Rochester that he drove him out of town, and he has not been seen since.

INDUSTRY.—There is no art or science that is too difficult for industry to attain to. It is the gift of tongues, and makes a man understand and valued in all countries, and by all nations; it is the philosopher's stone, that turns all metals, and even stones, into gold, and suffers not want to break into its dwelling; it is the north-west passage, that brings the merchant's ship to him as soon as he can desire. In a word, industry conquers all enemies and makes fortune itself pay contribution.

EMERSON NEWS.

The Steamship, City of Washington, arrived at Halifax on Wednesday last. Ex-Governor Eyre has addressed a letter to the papers. He expresses himself confident in his own integrity, and, believing that truth would ultimately prevail, says he has submitted in silence to the "malignant and monstrous calumnies and misrepresentations" by which he has been so unscrupulously assailed while criminal charges were pending against him. Now that the competent judicial tribunal has pronounced its verdict he wishes to make better known to the public some few passages from the report of the Royal Commissioners, and some short extracts from a despatch of Sir Peter Grant, the present Governor of Jamaica. The Royal Commissioners reported that, in their opinion, "the punishment inflicted were excessive," and "the punishment of death unnecessarily frequent;" but, at the same time, they were of opinion that "the council of war had good reason for the advice which they gave (to proclaim martial law), and that the Governor was well justified in acting upon that advice." Mr. Eyre reminding the public that during a state of warfare which open rebellion creates, "many things must always take place which are to be deplored," but "which it is impossible to foresee or prevent."

Preparations for the general election are already commencing in various parts of the country. Mr. John Walter has issued his address to the electors of Berkshire, and a new Whig candidate is to start for Buckinghamshire; Mr. Vernon Harcourt, the "Historian" of the Times, is to be brought forward for Oxford in the place of Mr. Neale, who retires; and Mr. John Morley, a gentleman who has become distinguished as a politician and a man of letters, intends to offer himself as a candidate for the representation of Blackburn. It is reported that Lord Amberley and Mr. Osborne will not again stand for Nottingham, and that Mr. Morley and Sir Robert Clifton will be the Liberal candidates. The London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian states that a rumour was in circulation in the West end that Mr. Gladstone, being compelled to choose which half of South Lancashire he will stand for, has been urged by many of his adherents in and around Liverpool to rely on the prestige of his family and on his own, and cast in his lot with the western division. It is said, however, that the certainty of his return would be greater in the other division, which contains Manchester and Salford.

The Earl of Srewardsbury and Talbot died on the 5th inst. at the Scottish seat of his son-in-law, the Marquis of Lothian, at the comparatively early age of 61. His eldest son, Viscount Ingestre, who was recently elected M. P. for Stamford, succeeds to the title and estates.

The Empress of the French last week received Madame Miramon, widow of the general of that name executed at Queretaro. Her Majesty evinced the greatest interest in everything that had taken place in Mexico, and conversed with her visitor for more than an hour. Subsequently the Empress caused Madame Miramon to be informed that a pension of 60000 francs a year was to be paid her from the imperial privy purse.

A despatch from Algeciras of the 22nd May announces the arrival of Sir Robert Napier with the rear column at that place, and the troops were expected to reach Semae on the 21th. Five regiments of infantry and two batteries of artillery had already been embarked at Zoulla. King Theodore's widow had died in the British camp on the 15th May. A telegram from Senz states that Colonel Milward arrived there on the 1st, with despatches and presents for the Queen; and that the selected equities and a portion of the troops "are expected in a few days."

A Queenstown telegram in an Irish paper reports that the new gunboat Phœnix, Commander Coxon, 15 days out from Plymouth to Halifax, has put into harbor of Cork with damage to rigging and sails, received in a storm, which forced her back for repairs.

THREATENED ASSASSINATION OF THE EMPEROR NAPOLEON.—The Pays of June 1 says: "An alarming rumor has been in circulation in Paris since last night, and it is desirable to ascribe to it its just proportions. Three individuals, more than suspected for some time past of meditating an attempt to kill the Emperor, were followed to Rosen, where they were arrested. We do not hesitate to present this information to the public, if only to guard against the exaggerated rumors to which it may give rise. The Emperor said on a still graver occasion that he feared not assassins so long as he should not have accomplished the mission which Providence had reserved for him. We are of that opinion. It is not the destiny of peoples to be at the mercy of a few wretches. What has taken place is not the less a reason for all the friends of order, of France and of the dynasty, to have their eyes open to the dangers which menace them."

PARIS, June 2.—The Constitutional of this morning gives a formal denial to the statement of the arrest of three individuals at Rosen, suspected of meditating an attempt against the life of the Emperor.

A PRIUS MAX.—During a visit in the country, and while out for a ride, being overtaken by a storm, a party stopped at a farmhouse. They talked about the weather, etc., until a stranger entered, and was introduced as "Mr. Banty." Then the album was passed around for inspection, and, on Mr. Banty getting it in his hands, he exclaimed: "By gosh! Ef Hank Weaver hain't got a Bible just like that, chooked full of pictures, I'll be blowed!"

The Express train ran off the track on the Pictou railway on Saturday morning last. The Halifax papers are in error regarding the affair. The accident was caused by two stamps sliding down on the track, bringing a quantity of mud with them, and we have been informed on good authority, that if it had not been for the wood the train would have certainly gone over into the river.

The Annual Session of the Grand Lodge of British Templars of Nova Scotia will be held at New Glasgow on Tuesday the 7th of July.

CHARGE OF THE DRESS BRIGADE

Half a league, half a league, half a league rearward.
Right through the mire and dirt,
Much to its beauty's hurt,
Dragged rich the silken skirt,
Half a league rearward.

Half a peck, half a peck, half a peck fully—
Hirsute and woolly,
Right into the liquid air—
Rose up the pile of hair,
From other heads sundered,
Nobly astraddle on it,
Rode the brave bonnet—

Rode, though it wondered,
Curled to the right of it,
Curled to the left of it,
Curled to the rear of it,
Curled that were plundered.

What though men shout "Oh! fie!"
"Fortunes you have squandered;"
Their's not to make reply,
Their's not to reason why,
Their's but to dress or die—
"Charge!" to the Clerks they cry—
"Charge by the hundred."

BY TELEGRAPH.

LONDON, June 17, 1868.

Government refused Repeal. Commons refused enquiry—One Hundred and Eighty-One to Eighty Seven.

OTTAWA, June 18.—Governor General has sanctioned keeping first of July, as anniversary of day of Union of Provinces. Proclamation issued to-day.

NEW YORK, June 19th.—Eight tons of arms taken from Fenians by United States Government officers, on the Canadian border, have been sent to this city.

By the explosion of the boiler of a steam engine, at New York, five persons lost their lives, and forty more were injured, some of them fatally, it is feared.

A great meeting of Ritualists was held last night. Dr. Pusey and other eminent divines were present, and resolutions adopted defending the Irish Church Establishment as it at present stands, and maintaining the High Church doctrines of the Church of England.

The Home Secretary, Gathorne Hardy, threatens to prosecute George Francis Traill for an objectionable speech made by him to an Irish audience in Manchester.

LONDON, June 17th.—Count Bismark has retired from office on leave of absence, to his estate in Pomerania, where he will remain three or four months to recruit his health. Herr von Shleunder, Secretary of Foreign Affairs, taken his place at the head of the Foreign Office.

LONDON, June 16, (eve).—The Money Market closes firmer. Consols 94 3/4 for money, and 94 7/8 for account. Bonds 73-1-8, Great Western 34.

The University of Cambridge, to-day conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws upon Henry W. Longfellow, the American poet.

LIVERPOOL, June 15.—The Sultan and his New Cabinet are maturing a plan to permit persons of foreign birth residing in Turkey, to legally hold property, which right is to be guaranteed by treaties with foreign powers.

The statement is authoritatively made that Count Bismark will retire from office for three months for the restoration of his health, which has been greatly impaired.

FROM THE STATES.

LONDON, June 14.—It is now generally understood that the Ministry will make an appeal to the country on the question at issue between them and the House of Commons. The following is the programme which the Government has decided upon; Parliament to be dissolved in October. Notice will then be issued for elections, which will take place during the month of November; and on the 9th of December the meeting of the new Parliament will take place.

It is announced that Ex-Governor Eyre, of Jamaica, will contest the seat of John Stuart Mill, member of Parliament from Westminster, London, in the coming elections.

A nephew of the murdered Prince Michael was duly proclaimed Prince of Servia on Saturday.

OGDENSBURG, New York, June 17.—Reports circulated of a movement of Fenian war materials and provisions along the frontier, between this place and St. Albans, Vt., are pure fabrications! Officers who have been sent here by the Government to investigate the truth of such reports have ascertained the whole of them to be entirely imaginary.

MALDEN, N. Y., June 17.—All the reports about Fenian arms and ammunition being concentrated at this point, are untrue, and not to be relied on.

CHATEAUGAY, N. Y., June 16.—The several news items sent from this point to New York and other cities in relation to gathering of Fenians, accumulation of arms, &c., are false.

The steamer Moravian from Liverpool passed Father Point on Tuesday, with 1073 troops for Canada.

Quacks and Nostrums have so multiplied within a few years, that we feel some delicacy in giving our influence to, or in endorsing any of them; but if there is one thing in the whole catalogue more deserving than another, we believe it is Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Incalculable harm is inflicted on great numbers by use of purgatives which contain mercury or mercurial matter Parsons' Purgative Pills are free from all such injurious matter, and are the mildest in their operation of any known purgative.

I, Richard Gratto, hereby certify that I was afflicted with Erysipelas for three years; it was the worst case that ever I saw. Eight months ago, I commenced using Mr. Gordon's medicine, and in four weeks I was a well man, and have been well ever since.

FOR THE TOILET.—We have great pleasure in most heartily recommending Publicover's celebrated COMBINATION EXLIXIR or hair Invigorator and Restorer. We have now tried it for about two months and find that it is no humbug but a genuine article. Under its influence grey hairs are speedily restored to their original colour, and all the hair of the head is rendered soft and silky, presenting a most handsome and glossy appearance.

A NEW AND GRAND EPOCH IN MEDICINE.—Dr. Maggiel's is the founder of a new Medical system. The quackeries, whose internal doses excite the stomach and paralyze the bowels, must give precedence to the man who restores health and appetite with from one to two of his ordinary Pills, and cures the most violent cases with a box or so of his wonderful and all-healing Salve.

There is no gripping, and no reaction in the form of constipation. If the liver is affected, its functions are restored, and if the nervous system is feeble, it is invigorating. This last quality makes the medicine very desirable for the wants of delicate females. Ulcerous and eruptive diseases are literally extinguished by the disinfectant use of Maggiel's Salve.

For all Diseases of the Kidneys, Retention of Urine, &c. For Female Diseases. Nervous Prostration. Weakness, General Lassitude and Want of Appetite.

Maggiel's Pills are a perfect Cure. One will satisfy any one. Each Box contains Twelve Pills, One Pill in a Dose.

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Deaths.

At Tatamagouche, on Saturday morning, June 6 in sure and certain hope of a blissful immortality, through the merits of Christ, Elizabeth Henderson daughter of Matthew and Catherine Hencherson, in the 20th year of her age.

At Newport, May 30th, of Typhus Fever, James son of James and Margaret Glenn, aged 23 years.

At Acadia Iron Mines, Londonderry, John B. Jefferson, Esq., teacher, son of Mr William Jefferson, Round Hill, Annapolis Co. His end was peace.

Repeal. Repeal. The Repeal Delegates are expected home next Steamer, when this vexed question will undoubtedly be set at rest whether successful or not we all want to look our best to welcome our countrymen home.

Sheriff's Sale. TO BE SOLD AT Public Auction, By the Subscriber, at the store owned and occupied by W. S. Crowe, Prince Street, on Monday the 22nd inst., at 2 o'clock p.m., a large and varied assortment of

DRY GOODS, Groceries, &c. The sale will continue from day to day till the whole is sold off, and as the sale is positive great bargains may be expected.

Fresh Drugs And Chemicals AT THE TRURO DISPENSARY. The Subscriber has just received from London and Liverpool the following Goods, which he offers for sale at as low rates as they can be had in the Province.

For all Diseases of the Kidneys, Retention of Urine, &c. For Female Diseases. Nervous Prostration. Weakness, General Lassitude and Want of Appetite.

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NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY

Public Notice. It is hereby given that the temporary alteration of the "Accommodation Trains" north of Truro (on Pictou extension) will terminate on SATURDAY, 13th inst.

On MONDAY, 15th inst., the Trains will run as originally advertised, leaving Pictou for Halifax at 6 a.m., instead of 2.30 a.m., and leave Truro for Pictou at 3.20 p.m., instead of 6.00 p.m.

Life in a Pill Box. EXTRAORDINARY EFFECTS FROM MAGGIEL'S ANT-BILLIOUS PILLS.

ONE PILL IN A DOSE. ONE PILL IN A DOSE. ONE PILL IN A DOSE.

What one hundred times a day say from parents all over the habitable globe: Dr Maggiel, your pill has rid me of all billiousness.

No more noxious doses for me in five or ten pills taken at one time, one of your pills cured me; Thanks Doctor, My headache has left me—send another box to keep in the house;

After suffering torture from billious cholice, two of your pills cured me, and I have no return of the malady;

Our doctors treated me for chronic constipation as they called it, and at last said I was incurable—Your Pills cured me;

I had no appetite; Maggiel's Pills gave me a hearty one;

Your Pills are marvellous; I send for another box, and keep them in the house;

Dr Maggiel has cured my headache, that was chronic; I gave half of one of your pills to my babe for cholera morbus, the dear young thing got well in a day;

My nausea of a morning is now cured; Your box of Maggiel's Salve cured me of noise in my head, I rubbed some of your salve behind my ear, and the noise left;

Send me two boxes; I want one for a poor family;

I enclose a dollar; your price is 25 cents, but the medicine to me is worth a dollar;

Send me five boxes of your pills; I will give you three boxes of your salve and pills by return mail.

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CORN MEAL.

Just arrived direct from Baltimore, per brig Dominion, One Hundred and Fifty Bbls. Superior Corn Meal, For sale low. ROBERT SMITH Truro, June 13

P. J. CHISHOM & CO. Opposite the Railway Station, Truro, N. S.

BEGS leave to thank their numerous customers for the liberal patronage extended to them during the short time they have been in Truro, and hopes by strict attention to merit a further continuance of patronage.

The Subscribers have just received A Good Assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

FLOUR and CORN MEAL Magnificent Flour at Greatly reduced Prices.

THE Subscriber will sell as usual the very finest FLOUR and CORN MEAL, Cheaper than it can be bought in this market; Call and see before purchasing elsewhere.

NOTICE! THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to inform the public that he has opened up in the shop formerly occupied by Duncan Campbell, at the Railway Depot, where he intends carrying on the

Grocery Business, &c., &c. Cash paid for Country Produce of all kinds, such as Butter, Eggs, Live Poultry, Calves, Lambs, &c.

SPRING GOODS! The Subscriber HAS RECEIVED a portion of his SPRING STOCK of

English Goods, per Steamer, the remainder daily expected per ships "Forest King," "Rosenath," "Zaire," and "Sarah L. Hall."

THE DRY GOODS Department comprises Ladies' Fancy Dress Material, Black and Col'ed French Merinoes, Black, White, and Col'ed Lustrines, and Alpaccas, Black Henrietta Cloth;

Printed Cottons, Shirting, Grey Cottons, &c., &c., &c. LADIES' STRAW HATS, MENS' AND BOYS' FELT AND STRAW HATS;

Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, &c., &c., &c. A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Iron and Steel, English Cut and Wrot. NAILS, Best Quality. Shelf Hardware in variety.

Mill Saws of St John Manufacture, warranted. Best London PAINT AND OIL. WINDOW GLASS, &c., &c., &c.

PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL! THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to return thanks to his friends and the travelling public, who have so kindly patronized him for the last 12 years, and would now beg to notify his friends and the public in general, that he has further improved his Hotel, and respectfully solicits a call from parties visiting the handsome Valley of Truro.

Passengers conveyed to and from the Cars free of charge. Truro, May 16, 1868. A. McKAY. The Hotel is still for sale on reasonable terms.

Flour. Flour. Just Received by Steamer Flambro, 200 Bbls. Extra Family Flour, (Inspected in May by Young, Toronto) which is offered low either wholesale or retail.

ANDREWS! LATE OF THE FIRM OF CUNNINGHAM & ANDREWS, HAS NOW OPENED A STOCK OF GOODS, which will compare favorably with Goods generally kept in Truro, in the

Dry Goods Business. The Stock is very much assorted, and suitable for every day use, chiefly comprising Dress Goods, Shawls, Mantles, Staples, Hosiery, &c., Hats, Caps, Straw Goods in great variety.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry of very many kinds, Plated and Solid Silver and Gold Goods, Almost every other article wanted in the trade for a household.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry carefully cleaned and repaired on the premises. The most particular attention given to please every customer, and a decided determination to hold by and increase the large number of customers who have already given their kind patronage.

Call at ANDREWS' Store, Queen Street, Truro, N. S., May 30, 1868.

THE QUEENS BOOK. Price reduced to \$1.25 per copy—Half per Edition may be had at the Agency of G. E. MORTON, & Co. Halifax, March 7, 1868. 155 Hollis Street.

Notice.

Mr. FINLAY McINTYRE wishes to inform his friends and the public in general, that he will open an Afternoon Class, (commencing at four o'clock,) at Temperance Hall, on Monday the 15th of this month, for

Instruction in Dancing. Terms made known on application. Private Lessons given on the Violin. Truro, June 6, 1868.

Dissolution of Copartnership. NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned D. G. DICKSON and C. N. COCK, under the firm of D. G. DICKSON & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and all liabilities of the late firm are assumed by the said Charles N. Cock, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.

DAVID G. DICKSON, CHARLES N. COCK, 3 ms. May 22, 1868.

IMPORTATION OF DRY GOODS! SPRING - - 1868. G. READING

Respectfully invites the attention of the public to his supply of DRY GOODS, among which will be found very cheap Grey, White and Printed Cottons, Broad Cloths, Doeskins, Tweeds, Ready-Made Clothing, Felt Hats, Cloth Caps, Shirts, Shirt Fronts, Ladies and Children's BOOTS and SHOES, Osnaburg, Grass Cloths, Hollands, Dress Materials in great variety;

Ladies and Gents Lawn Handkerchiefs, Ladies and Gents Paper Collars of all sizes, Ladies Linen collars and cuffs, Shawls, Black cloth and Silk Jackets;

Parasols, Umbrellas, Hats, Bonnets, Straw Ornaments, Banners, Ribbons, velvet Ribbons, Fry and other Trimmings, Buttons and Small Wares; Silk, Cord, and Chenille Hair Nets. A good assortment of GLOVES and HOSIERY, Black Silk Lace Veils, Gossamer Vellings, Stays, Stay Fasteners, Hoop Skirts, &c. Truro, May 9, 1868.

O'Donnell's Nova Scotia Photographic Studio, 167 Barrington Street—5 doors North of the MASSION HOUSE.—No stairs to ascend.

The Photograph business carried on in all its branches. Especial attention given to the copying of all kinds of old pictures, and also to enlarging the same, to cabinet or life size portraits, finished in oils, pastels, Indian ink, &c., at unusually low prices.

Remember to place—167 Barrington Street, and no stairs to climb. W. D. O'DONNELL. Halifax, May 16, 1868.

Valuable Family Medicine. PENDLETON'S VEGETABLE PANACEA.

This valuable preparation has already been extensively circulated, and wherever it has been used it has met with entire approbation, and been installed as the Family Medicine. None should be without it, for so sure and speedy a relief as it affords in all cases of violent pains, cramps, colic, coughs and colds, cannot elsewhere be found.

Especially as a cure for rheumatism it has proved, when faithfully applied, infallible. Being purely vegetable, no deleterious effects need be feared. Try it, for a single bottle will do more to establish its character than a hundred testimonials; but if any doubt its value, certificates from many prominent citizens of St. John and other towns may be seen in the manufacturer's possession, who will gladly exhibit them. Retail price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by E. M. Pendleton, General Agent and Manufacturer for the Provinces, Portland, St. John, N. B., by Druggists generally, and at village stores. H. E. Mayo, Travelling Agent. may 21

BUILDING LOTS. VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE, owned by Dr. Waddell, near the Railway Station, Truro. Apply to CHARLES BLANCHARD. 1y pd. Truro, May 16, 1868.

STILES' PATENT Spinning Wheel Archibald, Leaper, & Co

WISH to notify the Public that having purchased the Patent from Mr Stiles they are prepared to supply all parties who may favor them with an order for the above

Patent Spinning Wheel, at the shortest notice. This Wheel is calculated to spin double the quantity of an old fashioned wheel, with one-fifth of the labor, and has been pronounced by competent judges to be superior to anything of the kind ever introduced into the Provinces. Specimens can be seen at Mr Geo. McLeod's shop, Bible Hill; Wm Bell's New Annan; M Sibley's, St Andrews; and Robt Hamilton's, Upper Stewiacke.

W. S. ARCHIBALD, ALEX LEAPER. Truro, May 23, 1868. 3ms

Caleb McCully, Watch and Clock-Maker, At the Dry Goods and Grocery Store of Wm McCully, opposite the Post Office. chronometers, clocks and Watches of all kinds repaired in the most thorough manner.

ALSO, FOR SALE, Gold and Silver English, American, and Swiss Watches, Gold Chains, Finger Rings, &c. Cheap for Cash and Warranted. Truro, May 16, 1868.

Married. At Truro, on Thursday the 11th inst., by the Rev C H Pittblado, Mr Isaac Christy, to Miss Margaret J Witter.

New Advertisements.

Railway Hotel FOR SALE. THE subscriber being about to retire from business, wishes to dispose of that well known property the RAILWAY HOTEL. The building is large, in good repair, and in every way convenient for a first class Hotel; being in close proximity with the Railway Station it offers superior inducements to any one purchasing it.

ALSO—Five Valuable Building Lots, and Three newly finished Cottages, with Out-houses, &c. The above named Hotel, Building Lots, and Cottages, are all situated in the vicinity of the Railway Depot. Wm. McKAY. Truro, June 20, 1868.

COLCHESTER, SS: In the matter of the estate of Dorasthea Lynds, late of Onslow, in the County of Colchester, spinster, deceased, who died intestate, on application of John King, heir of deceased, for sale of certain undivided real estate.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of the Court House at Truro, on Monday the twentieth day of July next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, by virtue of an order of sale granted herein by His honor Mr Justice Desbarres, at the late June term of the Supreme Court at Truro, on the Thirtieth day of June A D 1868, under chapter 16, of the Acts of 1868, in separate lots according to following description:—

All the right, title, interest, claim, property and demand, which the said Dorasthea Lynds, had in her life time, and her heirs at law had at her decease, and now have in, to and out of, over and upon, the following lots, pieces, and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in Onslow aforesaid, and described as follows:—

First.—All that certain Lot of Intervale land, situate, lying and being in Onslow aforesaid, and bounded on the south east by the main road leading up North River; on the south west by lands of Lemuel Lynds; on the north-west by North river; on the north-east by lands of Samuel Kettle, Esq., and containing

Sixty Acres, more or less, being the lands on which the Dwelling House of the late Dorasthea Lynds is situate. Also, that certain lot of upland and swamp land situate in Onslow aforesaid, and bounded on the south-west by the road leading to the mountain; on the north-west by the main road leading up North River; on the north-east by lands of G C McNutt; and on the south-east by lands now or lately owned by Rufus Lynds, containing

Twenty Acres, more or less. Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent deposit, the remainder on the delivery of the deeds. CHARLES BLANCHARD, Sheriff Co. of Colchester. ISRAEL LONGWORTH, Attorney of Applicant. Sheriff's Office, Truro, June 15, 1868.

BUCKEYE MOWING AND REAPING MACHINES. JUST Imported from the United States, a large number of these celebrated Machines, manufactured by

Adriance, Platt & Co., of Poughkeepsie, State of New York, the original inventors of the Buckeye Machine; all others are but off-shoots from them, they having purchased the right from them for a certain number of States. The ADRIANCE PLATT & CO. MACHINE, manufactured by them is the only Machine of the Buckeye make which has taken all the great prizes at the National and State Fairs in the United States, and has taken the highest prizes in all those fairs, coming off victorious over all other machines which came in for competition. The Adriance Platt & Co. Machines now have the very enviable reputation of being the best Mowing Machines now made in the United States. These machines were manufactured by Special Contract for this Province, and are warranted perfect in every particular, and to work to the perfect satisfaction of purchasers, or the money refunded. These Machines have many improvements not used by other manufacturers of the Buckeye Machine; and we confidently state them to be the best machines ever imported into this Province, and would respectfully request all Farmers wishing to purchase Mowing Machines to call at the store of ROBERT SMITH, Esq., in Truro, where the machines can be seen and examined before purchasing elsewhere. These machines will be sold at reduced prices for Cash.

We shall also have a Combined Self Raking Reaping Machine on exhibition at the same time and place, and also a few of the Celebrated WHITCOMB'S PATENT WHEEL HORSE RAKER to sell. ROBERT SMITH, Local Agent. HENRY W. BOOTH, General Agent for the Province of Nova Scotia. ADRIANCE, PLATT & Co., Manufacturers. June 13, 1868.

TRURO Livery Stables!

G. W. SMITH, Proprietor. The subscriber begs respectfully to inform the Travelling Public that he keeps constantly in readiness a good stock of Horses, carriages, and harness.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Firm of FARNHAM, COCK & LITTLE are requested to settle their Accounts with said Firm on or before the first day of May ensuing.

ENGLISH MAGAZINES.

Provincial Book Store, GRANVILLE STREET. Englishwoman's, London Society, Belgravia, Temple Bar, Thelby's, Broadway, Once a Week, Young Ladies Journal, Cornhill, All the Year Round, Boys' Own, with the quarterly's and other Periodicals, Literary and Religious for January.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

WHEREAS James McCurdy, of Old Barns, in the County of Colchester, Blacksmith, by Deed of Assignment duly executed, assigned to the Subscribers all his Property, consisting of Personal Estate, Goods and Effects, for the benefit of his creditors without preference.

W. C. DELANEY, SURGEON DENTIST, Truro.

Painless Extraction of Teeth by the administration of Pure Ether.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

ALL that Lot of Land, situate, lying, and being in New Annapolis, known as the Farm formerly occupied by William Lawson Welch, containing Seventy-Five Acres, more or less.

Clearing Out Sale "BEE HIVE"

Preparatory to receiving the Spring Importations, Fall and Winter Clothing, and Gents' Furnishing Goods, will be sold at unprecedentedly low prices; also a large lot of TWEEDS, CASSIMERES, CLOTHES, BEAVERS, &c.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, And General Advertising Agency.

21 George Street, Halifax, (Below the Grand Parade.) THE object of the office is to provide a central means by which persons requiring services and situations respectively may obtain the same.

Written communications, giving full particulars, and enclosing postage stamp and fee for return letter, will be as carefully attended to as a personal application.

Table with 2 columns: Category and Fee. Includes Female Domestic Servants (\$0.50), Men and boys (1 per cent on salary), Letters to Correspondents (25).

The Register and Real Estate Records

Is issued from this office on the 1st of every month for gratuitous distribution, and besides containing all the wants advertised, offers serious advantages to parties wishing to dispose of property, and also as a general advertising medium.

Miss B. Wood, Dress and Mantmaker.

TAKES this opportunity of expressing her sincere thanks to the inhabitants of Truro and vicinity, for their liberal patronage since opening up business in Truro. A good and select assortment of Hats, Bonnets, and Ladies Dress Material of all kinds of the latest Styles and Fashion.

J. A. LEAMAN, Victualler, &c.

Prince Street, - - - Truro, N. S., Begs leave to thank his numerous Customers for the liberal patronage extended to him during the short time he has been in business in Truro, and hopes by strict attention to merit a further continuance of patronage.

Carriage, Sleigh, and Sign PAINTING

THE Subscriber having leased and thoroughly fitted up the Paint Shop in connection with Mr. Wm. Logan's Carriage Manufactory is prepared, with the best of stock and good help, to serve his customers faithfully, hoping by strict attention to business he may merit an equal share of public patronage.

HOUSE FOR SALE IN TRURO

THE premises owned and formerly occupied by the Subscriber now renting for £43 and upwards, will be sold for the very small sum of £300. Terms of payment easy.

The Subscriber's Marble Works is carried on in his shop on Prince Street, abovesaid Depot. He will receive orders for all kinds of Fruit Trees, from Ferguson's Nursery, Burncoat, Hants Co. Also orders for Spinning Wheel, Reel and Spools.

For Sale!

THAT Excellent and well known LOT OF LAND, containing One Hundred Acres of Land, more or less, situate and lying in the Lower part of Onslow, in possession of Reuben Vincent, if not previously disposed of at private sale, will be sold at Auction at the Court House, Truro, on the 2nd day of June next, at 4 o'clock, p. m.

Salt! Salt! Salt! Salt! For Sale.

JUST Received 112 Bags Liverpool Salt, Low for Cash. Also, in store, a number of Bbls. of Coal Tar.

EDWIN D. KING, Barrister & Attorney-at-Law

SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c. OFFICE - NO. 46 BEDFORD ROW, HALIFAX, N. S.

Notice.

IS hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between William Cunningham and David Andrews as Dry Goods merchant, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and said business will in future be conducted by WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, who will pay all debts and receive all monies due the late firm of Cunningham & Andrews.

Colford Bros., Wholesale Dealers in CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, &c.

Granville Street, Halifax, N. S. AGENTS FOR THE Patent Elastic Horse Shoe Cushion.

Warranted to prevent Horses falling up, picking up stones, or bruising the foot, is invaluable for a TENDER-FOOTED HORSE, OR A HORSE WITH CORNS.

As it breaks the Concussion when driven over hard roads. Price 60 Cents a Pair. Liberal Discount to Dealers and Agents. COLFORD BROS., Halifax, N. S.

BIRCH HILL, STEWARTS Scythe Stones,

Specimens can be seen at the Mirror Office, and at Mr. Eaton's Store, Truro. BIRCH HILL, STEWARTS, Johnson's Crossing, ms. April, 25, 1868.

Notice!

The Subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has commenced the Butchering BUSINESS, at the stand lately occupied by Daniel Cox, and next door to J. L. Sutherland's Grocery store; where he hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of the public patronage.

ROBERT McG. MOFFAT, BARRISTER & ATTORNEY AT LAW, Conveyancer, &c.

TRURO, N. S.

RIVER PHILIP Freestone Quarry.

M. & P. McDONALD, Pugwash, Nova Scotia, beg to inform the public generally, that they have their Quarry known as The River Philip Freestone Quarry, in successful operation, and are prepared, promptly, to fill orders for Building Stone or Grindstone, which they will dispose of at reasonable terms, and at short notice.

Henry Dravis WATCH-MAKER AND JEWELLER,

(Successor to Myer Moss.) CHRONOMETER, HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL WATCHES. Repaired and Cleaned with neatness and despatch.

ENGRAVING neatly executed. All descriptions of Fine Machinery made to order and Repaired.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS adjusted. Jewels of all Kinds Made to order.

REMOVAL! OPHIR HOUSE!

E. L. & T. SPIKE, MANUFACTURING JEWELLERS & SILVERSMITHS.

Have Removed from No. 135 Granville Street, to their New Establishment, No. 161 Hollis Street, Opposite the "Club House," and two doors south of Z. S. Hall's Army and Navy Book Store.

TRURO HOTEL, OPPOSITE THE RAILWAY DEPOT,

Robt. Fisher - - Proprietor, OF the above-mentioned House, begs leave to intimate to the Travelling Public that he is prepared to furnish PERMANENT and TRANSIENT BOARDERS at reasonable terms; and in connection with the above establishment, he begs most respectfully to inform the public that he will keep a Stable for the special benefit of his customers. By strict attention to business he hopes to merit a share of public patronage.

PIANOS! PIANOS!

M. R. E. C. SAFFERY, professor of Music, offers his services professionally, in the purchase and selection of new and second-hand instruments. There is now great a difference even in New Pianos, in point of tone and touch, that parties would be consulting their own interest in availing themselves of his professional experience remembering, that without due discrimination and judgment, you often pay more for a worthless instrument than a superior one would amount to, verifying the old adage, "That you have paid too dear for your whistle," therefore the fee of \$4.00 is absolutely money saved.

Flour! Flour!

THE Subscriber keeps constantly on hand a Superior Quality of FLOUR, which he will sell remarkably low for Cash, and see.

ALSO A SUPERIOR Horse Power Hay Press,

THOS. MCKAY. Truro, Nov 25, 2m.

CARD.

WAVERLEY HOUSE FREDERICTON, N. B. Wm. GRIEVES, Proprietor. Good accommodation for man and beast, and on moderate terms.

JUST RECEIVED. At the Bee-hive

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF EASY-MADE CLOTHING, COLLARS, UNDER CLOTHING, FANCY SHIRTS, TRUNKS, VALISES, &c.

CARD.

C. K. Morse, BARRISTER & ATTORNEY AT LAW Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c. AMHERST, N. S.

Revere House,

CK VILLE STREET, HALIFAX The above house, kept by Mrs. Capt. Card, is most conveniently situated for business men visiting the city. Halifax, Dec. 21, 3ms.

John Lewis, MANUFACTURER OF

Lasts, Boot Trees and Pegs, BEGS leave to return thanks to his numerous customers throughout the Province for the liberal support he has received from them for the last 25 years, and begs to acquaint them that he has moved to Truro, near the Depot, and continues to manufacture Lasts of the latest style with iron trees, iron heels and bottoms; also boot trees, cramps, screws, and shoe pegs of all sizes. Sold wholesale and retail; all orders punctually attended to.

DOMINIO HOUSE!

WILLIAM SMITH, TAILOR, BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has lately opened up the above establishment near the Railway Depot, where he has on hand a good assortment of ENGLISH AND DOMINION TWEEDS, &c.

And hopes by strict attention to business receive a share of patronage. Sep. 14, 1867.

TRURO MARBLE WORKS,

Situate on Prince St., abovesaid Depot. The Subscriber has constantly on hand a large assortment of best Italian and Vermont Marbles for Monuments, Tombs, Headstones, Hall and Centre Table Tops, &c. &c.

N. B.—The subscriber would take this opportunity of thanking the public for their liberal patronage, and would say that he has the largest stock on hand at present he ever had, and would invite them to call and examine specimens; sold on reasonable terms and delivered free of charge.

Parish & Co's

Is the best place in the city to get a Photograph taken, a PICTURE FRAME, or to buy an Album—Finest assortment in the city.

COUNTRY ARTISTS RECEPTION ROOMS

Supplied with Photographic Materials of all kinds, at low prices. On ground floor of this Establishment. 122 & 124 Hollis Street. may 2 1y

WALLACE HOTEL, Fronting the Gulf of St. Lawrence,

WALLACE, N. S. THE Proprietor begs leave to inform his friends and the travelling public generally that his House being commodious and in a healthy location, he is prepared to render it worthy of the patronage of all those who may favor him with their patronage. And having his Table supplied with the very best that the country can afford, he flatters himself he can give universal satisfaction to his customers. His Stable is of the first order, and his charges are moderate.

HENRY T. LAWRENCE, Saddler and Harness-Maker,

TRUNK-MAKER, Truro, N. S., RESPECTFULLY intimates to the inhabitants of Truro and its vicinity, that he has commenced the above business in the shop lately occupied by Mr. Henry Tupper, and will be prepared to make up and repair all kinds of Harness on reasonable terms at short notice, and in the best style of workmanship.

CHELSEA HOUSE!

Sebastopol Road, Bridgewater. THE Subscribers beg leave to call attention to their Stock of GROCERIES; and expect, in a few days, to receive a splendid assortment of DRY GOODS,

Having a thorough knowledge of the business, we hope by strict attention to the wants of our customers, to merit a large share of public patronage. ALSO—A large supply of JEWELRY, Cheap for Cash. POTTS, WARD & CO. Bridgewater, Aug. 24, 1867.

GAMUEL CALDWELL, VICTUALLER,

No. 177 UPPER WATER ST. HEAD of the second wharf south of Messrs. Gunard & Co's Warehouse, Halifax, N. S., where he keeps for sale at the lowest rates, Fresh Beef, Mutton, Veal, Corned Beef, Tongues, &c. of the best kinds.

H. M. Ships, Merchant Vessels, Families, Hotel keepers, and others supplied at the shortest notice. dec 9

Farm For Sale.

THE Subscriber is authorized to sell the farm at North River Bridge, Onslow, owned by Charles L. Marsh. A perfect title will be given. There is a good House and Barn on the premises, and the place is admirably situated and adapted for any person wishing to engage in business or follow a trade in connection with farming. A bargain may be expected.

ISRAEL LONGWORTH, nov 30 3m Solicitor, Truro.

W. C. SMITH, Carriage and Sleigh Maker,

Opposite the residence of H. Hyde, Esq. TRURO, N. S. THE Subscriber begs leave to tender his thanks to the public for the patronage bestowed on him since commencing business in Truro; and is prepared to build all kinds of work in his line. No pains will be spared in the execution of custom work.

All kinds of Light Carriages, including Top Buggies, made to order. nov 20

TRURO PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.

THE Subscriber having fitted up his Rooms with an enlarged Sky Light, is prepared to take ENLARGED SKY LIGHT, AMBROTYPE, and PHOTOGRAPHS equal to any other Operator in this Province. Having recently purchased an improved Fancy Back Ground, which greatly improves the appearance of pictures. Ambrotypes, in frames, at one half the usual price. Children taken in from 3 to 5 seconds.

N. B.—No person will be required to take a picture after sitting, unless perfectly satisfied with his execution. Rooms south side the Parade. oct 26 T. MAYO.

GORDON'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY!

WARRANTED to remove the most severe attack of Rheumatism; a sure remedy for Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Cramp in the Stomach, Diarrhoea, Ague, Tooth Ache, Scalds, Burns, Fresh Cuts, Sprains, Chills, &c.

Directions for use—For Rheumatism—A tea-spoonful of the Remedy in warm water, sweetened, one hour before, or two after morning. If the pain is affected, the part should be well rubbed with the Liniment, mixed with a little sweet oil, and the wet with the same worn on the part till the pain is removed. Sore Throat—Take inwardly, and mix with sweet oil and rub outwardly. Mixed with water makes an excellent gargar. Cramp in the Stomach—A tea-spoonful in warm water and sugar. Diarrhoea—A tea-spoonful on refined sugar; increase the dose if required. Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis—Take inwardly and outwardly. Burns, Scalds, Fresh Cuts, &c.—Apply a piece of flannel moistened with the Liniment to the part affected.

MEDICINAL ROOT PILLS

Purely Vegetable, for the cure of Bilious and other Disorders; Liver Complaint, Indigestion, Costiveness, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Chills, Headache, Giddiness, &c.

Directions for use—For an Adult—From two to five Pills—Very delicate persons may begin with one Pill, and increase if they find necessary. These of a costive habit, and more robust and strong, can commence with four, and increase to seven or eight. Children—One quarter of a Pill to two Pills. If the child is too young to swallow a pill, it may be broken into a powder and given in a little syrup.

GREAT INDIAN HEALING SALVE!

Warranted to heal Burns, Scalds, Ulcers, Cuts, Bruises, Frost Bites, Broken Breasts, Felons, Chills, Sore Eyes, Sore Lips, &c. Also an excellent remedy for Piles, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Clapped Hands, &c.

Directions—Spread the Salve thin, on old Linen well dried by the fire. If the complaint is very severe the piece should be changed every four or five hours. N. B.—While using this salve for any cutaneous disease, it is recommended to take the Medicinal Root Pills, as they purify the blood and safe action on cleansing the system greatly aids the effects.

SEER-CLOTH PLASTER!

For Drawing, Healing and Strengthening, warranted a sure remedy for Rheumatism and other pains, Cuts, Cracked Joints, &c.

Directions—Spread on clean Leather for pains or as a Strengthening Plaster, and on Linen for Sores. Sold in Halifax by Brown Brothers & Co., Ordnance Store; Osprey & Porsyth 124, Woodville Brothers 127, Hollis Street; H. A. Taylor, corner of Hill's and Seaville streets; Thomas Walsh, 183 Upper Water-st.; and by Druggists and Dealers in the City and throughout the Province. B. L. Atkins, agent, and for sale by P. O. Chalmers, S. S. Nelson & Sons, and Edwin McNeil. nov 16

THE ORIGINAL "Weed" Sewing Machines,

With all the Latest Improvements. THE "WEED" TOOK the Highest Prize at the Paris Exhibition, as well as at many other Exhibitions for SEWING MACHINES, as such, and is becoming deservedly popular. Adapted for all kinds of Sewing in Families and Manufactories. Price \$10.00, and upwards. Sewing Machines. Exceedingly simple in construction. Each machine warranted, and kept in order free of charge, and the Factory being in St. John, N. B., much time, expense, and custom house trouble attending Foreign Machines is saved.

CHAS. A. BOVEY, Nos. 10 and 12 Nelson Street, St. John, N. B. Agent for the Provinces. P. S.—Do not be imposed upon by an imitation Machine called "Weed." The Original "Weed" is made only by the North American Manufacturing Company, at St. John, N. B.

In calling attention to the above advertisement the Subscriber begs to intimate to the inhabitants of Truro and vicinity that he has been appointed Agent for the "Weed" Sewing Machines, and is now prepared to supply parties who want a really good Sewing Machine for family use. A good Stock of Singer and other Needles constantly on hand. N. B.—Sewing Machine is carefully repaired & adjusted.

ASAPH S. BLAKSLEE, HOUSE, SIGN AND DECORATIVE PAINTER,

No. 78 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. Transparent Window Blinds manufactured to order. 1y dec 1