







Love in Leap-Year.  
She asked him once, she asked him twice,  
She asked him thrice to wed.  
He thought her friendship "very nice,"  
But each time shook his head.  
At last, when he felt more inclined  
The wedded state to try,  
He told her he had changed his mind;  
But she said, "So have I."

—Kemper Doock, in CENTURY.

"In Union is Strength."

Particularly in this case in the union or combination of the vegetable oils which blended together compose Simson's Liniment. Its penetrating powers in cases of Rheumatism, Lameness, Neuralgia, Sore Throat, &c., have been thoroughly proven. Mr. James Avery, Mallorytown, Leeds Co., Ontario, writes: "Shortly after your agent was here last winter, my son was unfortunately strained the cords of his back, and, not paying attention to it at once, caught cold, which settled there. He was laid up for about a week and suffered considerably. I, as an experiment, gave your Simson's Liniment a trial, and it brought him around in twenty-four hours. I heartily recommend it." Sold everywhere for 25c. Manufactured by Brown Bros. & Co., Chemists, Halifax.

—Among the begging letters recently received at the office of a benevolent society was one running thus:—"This unfortunate young man is the only son of a widow who died childless and his earnings maintain his aged father and infant brothers, whose sole support he is." The secretary of the bureau wrote on the margin of the epistle the following note: "The circumstances of this case are evidently exaggerated."

Mothers!  
Castoria is recommended by physicians for children's teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste, perfectly harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhoea and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 25 doses, 35 cents.

—Miss Gladys: "You appeared very abruptly with your errand a while ago. You must not come so suddenly into the room when Mr. Smithers is spending the evening with me."  
Mary:—"Suddenly! And is it sudden you call it, and me at the keyhole a full three-quarters of an hour!"  
—Harpers' Bazar.

**DR. FOWLER'S**  
EXT. OF  
**STRAWBERRY**  
CURES  
**HOLERA**  
cholera morbus  
**OLIC**  
**RAMPS**  
**DIARRHOEA**  
**DYSSENTERY**  
AND ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS  
AND FLUXES OF THE BOWELS.  
IT IS SAFE AND RELIABLE FOR  
CHILDREN OR ADULTS.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

TO be sold at Public Auction on SATURDAY, THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, A. D. 1888, in front of the Court House, in Dorchester, in the County of Westchester, the premises, situate in the County of Westchester, and bounded as follows:—  
All that certain Tract or Parcel of Land on which Acaia Boudreau now resides, or formerly resided, situate in Abouabagan, in Shidie adobe, and bounded as follows:—  
Southerly and westerly by Land owned, or formerly owned, by Andrew Boudreau, northerly and easterly by the West Branch of the Abouabagan River, northerly and easterly by Lands now owned, or formerly owned, by Peter Boudreau, and southerly and easterly by the Seville Road, so-called, and containing thirty-one acres, more or less. Also an undivided one-half of a certain Lot of Land situate in Shidie, bounded easterly by the South-West Branch of the Abouabagan River, westerly by Land of Anthony Galland, northerly by Land of Anthony Galland and Pacific Billavo, and southerly by Land of Andrew Boudreau, containing one hundred acres. Also all other Real Estate and Equitable Interest of the said Andrew P. Boudreau, wherever situate, or howsoever described within any Bailiwick, the same having been seized under and to be sold by virtue of an Execution issued out of the County Court of Westchester at the Suit of Joseph K. Black versus the said Andrew P. Boudreau.  
Dated at Dorchester, June 25th, 1888.  
ANGUS McQUEEN,  
Sheriff.

#### FOR SALE.

I WILL dispose of the Property in Upper Sackville, known as the Greenfield Place, and at present occupied by J. B. Thompson, containing three acres of Land, more or less, under good cultivation, together with the Buildings thereon, consisting of a good Dwelling House, containing twelve rooms, and a front porch, with a good Barn and Outhouse attached. Also a good Well of Water on the Premises. Would be suitable for a Schoolteacher or Business Man, and within three minutes' walk of the N. B. & P. E. Railway. Apply to  
MR. FRED. THOMPSON,  
Lower Sackville.  
Or for further Particulars to  
Messrs. J. BERRY,  
May 11.

#### FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber will sell at PRIVATE SALE, Six Acres of Marsh on the "Hamptons," and Two Lots of Woodland behind Allen's Creek, one Lot containing 100 acres, more or less, and the other Lot containing 40 acres, more or less, with Saw-mill.  
Also, one good Brood Mare, one Colt, 2 years old, 1 Yearling Colt, and one Sackling Colt.  
HENRY P. ATKINSON,  
Wood Point.

"The Current" CHICAGO, U.S.A. The Journal of our time. Clean, perfect, grand! Over 600,000 subscribers. \$4.00 yearly; 6 months, \$2.00. Buy it at your newsdealer's, send 10 cents for sample copy. THE CURRENT and FOUR, one year, only \$4.00.

## CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

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

Castoria cures Croup, Constipation, Sore Throat, Diarrhoea, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion. Without injurious medication.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

## RHODES, CURRY & Co.,

AMHERST, NOVA SCOTIA,  
Manufacturers and Builders.



SCHOOL, OFFICE, CHURCH AND HOUSE FURNITURE.

Manufacturers of and Dealers in all kinds of Builders' Materials

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## GREAT BARGAINS

Stoves & Tinware!

Notwithstanding our large increase in the manufacture of

ENGINES AND MILL MACHINERY,

We are prepared to give Special Attention to the above Lines, and having

An Immense Stock on Hand

WE WILL SELL AT

Wholesale Prices for Cash

DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS.

Our Stock comprises the Best Stoves in the Market. Our Line of Tinware is complete in Staple and Fancy Goods. Also all the Latest Specialties.

Creamers in all Styles, very Cheap; Pumps of all kinds a Specialty; Granite & Enamelled Ware unsurpassed in price & quality; Brass & Copper Goods received and excel all former display in variety and finish; Refrigerators and Ice-Cream Freezers; Cloth Wringers with Wood and Iron Frames.

Call and be convinced that Prices are Lower than ever before. Remember the Place:

A. ROBB & SONS,

Amherst, N. S.

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## New Meat and Provision Store.

To the People of Sackville.

WE take this opportunity of thanking you for the liberal patronage with which you have favored us while we have carried on the Oyster Business. We have now pleasure in informing you that we are about extending our Business by adding a full line of

Meats and Provisions.

Hereafter our patrons can rely upon getting from us Choice Meats of all kinds, in thoroughly dressed and carefully cut up.

Fresh Beef, Fresh Lamb, Fresh Fish, Game and Poultry.

When in season, will be kept constantly on hand. We will give our personal attention to putting up choice CORNED BEEF cured by the most approved method. Good SUGAR CURED HAMS and SHOULDERS, smoked or unsmoked, sold whole or sliced for the pan. DRIED BEEF in quantities or nicely shaved ready for the table. IN CANNED PROVISIONS we will keep a full line, fresh and reliable. SAUSAGES of our own manufacture always on hand. OYSTERS by the peck or bushel, or shelled by the pint, quart or gallon.

We have telephone connection, and orders by Telephone will be promptly attended to. Our wagon will deliver Goods to all parts of the town. Soliciting your esteemed patronage.

We are yours very truly,

H. W. KNIGHT.

## New Spring Prints!

JUST OPENED:

1,100 Pieces New Spring Prints;

200 " Mourning Prints;

100 " Pique, in White & Fancy;

100 " White & Black Louise Linings.

## A. EVERITT,

Wholesale Warehouse,

92, 94 and 96 German Street,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

JUST RECEIVED AT

T. H. GRIFFINS, Amherst, N. S.:

30 CASES,

CONTAINING

\$800 Worth of High-Class Silverware,

ALL REGENT GOODS.

Remember Special Sale

—AND—

Discount of 20 per Cent.

DURING THIS MONTH.

## Metallic Paints.

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

Prices and Circulars sent on application.

FRANK H. MORICE,

Sackville, June 12th, 1888.

## Salt!

Landing Ex Ship from Liverpool:

3,000 Bags Coarse Salt,

300 Bags F. F. Fine Salt.

300 S. B. OFERT,

18 South Wharf,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

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very busy year of 1870, that several

Brisport vessels were lying in the river

and alongside the wharves of Quebec.

One day John Hardy, who found

time to hang a little on his hands since

his retirement from business, strolled

along by the water's edge listening to

the clanking of the steam-winch, and

watching the great barrels and cases as

they were swung ashore and piled

upon the wharf. He had observed

the coming of a great ocean steamer,

and having waited until she was safely

moored, he was turning away, when a

few words fell upon his ears uttered

by some one on board a little weather-

beaten barque close by him. It was

only some common-place order that was

issued, but the sound fell upon the

old man's ears with a strange mixture

of disuse and familiarity. He stood

by the vessel and heard the seamen

at their work, all speaking with the

same broad, pleasant, jingling

accent. Why did they seem to listen to

him? He stood and listened to the

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which the station had been built was

now the very centre of the town, but

in the old days it would have been

out in the fields. In every direction

lines of luxurious villas branched

away in streets and crescents bearing

names which were new to the exile.

Great warehouses, and long rows of

shops with glittering fronts, showed

him how enormously Brisport had in-

creased in wealth as well as in dimen-

sions. It was only when he came

upon the old High Street that John

began to feel at home. It was much

altered but still it was recognizable,

and some few of the buildings were

just as he had left them. There was

the place where Fairbairn's cork-works

had been. It was now occupied by a

great brand-new hotel. And there

was the old grey town hall. The

wanderer turned down beside it and

made his way with eager steps but a

stinking heart in the direction of the

line of cottages which he used to know

so well.

It was not difficult for him to find

where they had been. The sea at

least was as of old, and from it he

could tell where the cottages had

stood. But also where were they

now? In their place an imposing cres-

cent of high stone houses reared their

tall fronts to the beach. John walked

wearily down past their palatial en-

trances, feeling heart-sore and despair-

ing, when suddenly a thrill of hope

came, followed by a warm glow of excitement and of hope, for

standing back a little from the line,

and looking as much out of place as a

bumpkin in a ball room, was an old

white-washed cottage, with wooden

porch and wall bright with creeping

plants. He rubbed his eyes and

stared again, but there it stood with

its diamond-paned windows and white

muslin curtains, the very same down

to the smallest details, as it had been

on the day when he last saw it.

Brown hair had become white, and

fishing-hats had changed into cities,

but busy hands and a faithful heart

had kept granny's cottage unchanged

and ready for the wanderer.

And now, when he had reached his

very haven of rest, John Huxford's

hension than ever, and he came over

so deadly sick, that he had to sit down

upon one of the beach-benches which

faced the cottage. An old fisherman

was perched at one end of it, smoking

his black clay pipe, and he remarked