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I will call on all farmers as soon as possible. Those intending to purchase will do well to hold their orders until I call or write for prices.

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We are offering our entire stock at greatly

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At our present stand prior to our removal on May 1st to

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Watchmaker and Optician,

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Horses for Sale.

Two Horses for sale cheap for cash. Also, 10 barrels of Flour to clear out lot at \$4.05 per barrel. Apply to THOS. H. GILBERT.

Farm for Sale!

Farm containing 170 acres of upland cutting about 40 tons of upland hay, situated in Jerusalem settlement in the Parish of Hampshire, three miles from the St. John River.

FOR SALE. Two lots of land situate in Speight Settlement, Petersville, owned by the Bank of Montreal, formerly owned by Andrew Coibett.

FOR SALE. One Single Horse Deering Ideal Mower, 3/4 Foot Cut.

FOR SALE! A House and Lot at Young's Cove Station, House new, partially finished.

FOR SALE. The subscriber offers for sale his farm situated at Onabog, Parish of Hampshire, Queens Co., containing 60 acres of upland and 20 acres of intervalle.

FOR SALE. For sale or will exchange for cattle, a second hand Covered Buggy, in good condition.

FOR SALE. A Note of Hand, given to L. D. Ferris which he has sold, no value received, which I will not pay, which is dated Dec. 22nd, 1897.

FOR SALE. I offer for Sale a piece of Land situate on Big Musquash Island containing about twenty acres.

FOR SALE! 300,000 Dry Planed Hemlock Boards. A quantity of Dry Planed Spruce and Pine Boards.

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Flour, Meal, Hay, Oats, Feed, Etc

Correspondence solicited and promptly attended to.

Write for quotations.

Robertson Wharf, Indian town, N. B.

THAT APPLE STORY.

Did Noah Webster Steal It, or Did the Irish Steal It From Noah? Said an old man who was an ardent admirer of Noah Webster:

'Twas Noah Webster a plagiarist or did the English steal it from him? I was led to ask these questions by being shown the Universal Spelling Book, published in Dublin in 1839 by T. Tegg & Co., which contains the story of the boy that stole apples, with an exact reproduction of the Websterian illustration. It runs as follows: 'An old man found a rude boy upon one of his trees stealing apples, and desired him to come down, but the young saucy boy told him plainly he would not. 'Won't you?' says the old man. 'Then I will fetch you down.'" So he pulled up some tufts of grass and threw at him, but this only made the youngster laugh, to think the old man should pretend to beat him out of the tree with grass only.

'Well, well,' says the old man, 'if neither words nor grass will do, I must try what virtue there is in stones.'" So the old man pelted the hearty with stones, which soon made the young chap hasten down from the tree, and beg the old man's pardon. 'Now, when I first read that story, something more than 50 years ago, no doubt entered my mind that it was made in Connecticut. And the picture accompanying it—was not that little house Jerry Griswold's, and the 'old man' Priest Prudden? And the boy, did he not bear a striking resemblance to me in my best school days? All these impressions remained until recently, when I saw the picture in the Universal Spelling Book, where it looked wonderfully Irish to me.

An Eastern Shore Question. Strangers tell us it is a fact that after the formalities of an introduction to an eastern shore man at his own home always follows the question: "Is this your first visit to the eastern shore?" The origin of this custom was set forth by an eastern shore man at a Cincinnati banquet at Newport, R. I., some years ago, when he was twitted about the peculiarity of his countrymen. The story is a true one.

When General Lafayette accepted the invitation of congress in 1824 and came to this country as the nation's guest, a great reception was tendered him at the state-house in Annapolis officially by the state. The governor of Maryland at that time was an eastern shore farmer, who lived on his farm except when in general assembly was in session or when he was called to Annapolis at other times on official business.

Dentistry at Sea. When a sailor on a deep water ship has a toothache, he is likely to go to the captain. The captain gives him something out of the medicine chest to put in his tooth, and if that doesn't cure it perhaps he pulls it. It is a common thing for sailors to pull their own teeth. Their method is to put a string around a tooth and pull it. But dental forceps are carried on deep water ships, on some vessels a fair outfit of them.

Roach on Pat. Two Irish soldiers stationed in the West Indies were accustomed to bathe daily in a little bay which was generally supposed to be free from sharks.

The Letter H. I remember hearing a church warden in one of our large manufacturing towns read in the lesson the following odd statement from the epistle to the Romans, "And if children, then heirs," a somewhat strange piece of reasoning.

Mortar Affected by Weather. Builders say that walls built during a rainy season are the strongest, and that when mortar dries quickly it becomes crumbly and possesses little binding power.

Cook's Anodyne Liniment. Keep an eye to the future shape of the tree and timely remove all small, needless crossing or crooked limbs.

SWEET PEAS. A bowl of these dainty, wing-like flowers, Regulate today some lonely hours With potency far finer Than the roses with their faire, Which languish in their glory In stately vase of pattern rare, Breathing the summer's story.

HANGED THAT HE MIGHT LIVE. Peculiar Surgical Operation Performed in a California Hospital.

A very delicate and extremely rare surgical operation has been performed successfully at the French hospital, in this city upon C. Hoffmann, a young German farmer.

A Dart That Didn't Stick. No better and at the same time no more courteous rebuke could well be imagined than that once administered by Beaumarchais, the author of the famous "Marriage of Figaro."

Brought in "Pa's Prayers." Once upon a time sickness came to the family of the poorly paid pastor of a country church. It was winter, and the pastor was in financial straits.

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A Boat Built of Cement. Stiffened cement has been used successfully in the construction of a boat by an Italian named Gabellini.

Bi-march's Brain. Bismarck's brain, according to the estimate from external measurements made by Herr Ammon, an anthropologist, and Senator who made the first Chauvelou's bust, probably weighs 1897 grammes, in which case it is the heaviest on record.

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Customer who Purchases \$2.00 worth of Goods. And remember we do not charge extra for the goods, e prizes we offer in this advertisement is worth \$1.00 to the Purchaser.

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A large assortment of Men's Ulsters, Overcoats and Suits. Men's Pants at prices that will surprise You.

Cut This Out. And when you make a purchase of \$2.00 WORTH you will receive the following presents: 12 DOZ. SHIRT BUTTONS, 1 PACKAGE NEEDLES, 2 PAPERS PINS, etc.

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Carriages and Sleighs of every description. Repairing and Painting in all its branches.

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A Ripans Tabule taken at night, before retiring, or just after dinner, has been known to drive away that weariness for months.

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