

“SUCH a queer old ring!” I picked it out of the old lacquered cabinet under the Aunt Lucinda’s odds and ends of family relics—*mementos*, antique trinkets, and souvenirs of the past; her past, that seemed so very, very old, for she was my mother’s aunt, not mine, were stowed away in rows of drawers, packed in soft jewelers’ cotton and smelling sweet and strong of Turkish beans. It was a ring of old, yellow gold, curiously dressed with the jacinth crescentwise and set in tiny seed-pearls and the jewels and the setting, as in many old rings, opened at the cooing of a finger, and showed a wee space for hair—whose?

I asked Aunt Lucinda, but she was hurrying to shut up the cabinet, and only said:

“Remind me tell you about it in the morning, child,” for it was late, and she was to send me off to bed.

“Gawt! Keep this just to wear while I’m here—it is so pretty—and I’ll take such good care of it, Auntie?”

“Well, put it on,” said Aunt Lucinda, “and then run away, for it’s past 11 o’clock. To think of you keeping me up talking until this late hour!”

So I went away to bed, slipping the narrow band of fretted, carved, crusted gold over my first finger, and watching the rich, warm lake of light in the heart of the jacinth—like a drop of clear honey.

I slept alone at Aunt Lucinda’s, in a queer old room, with an open fireplace and brass andirons, with a great, high-posted bed, dark with flowered chintz curtains, and a high and almost inaccessible mountain of feathers, into which I usually leaped with the aid of a chair when I had blown the candle out. I always went to sleep drowsily speculating upon the ancestral personage who had reposed in this old ark of a bed, under that ancient red silk quilt, and wondering if any of their forgotten dreams lurked round those flowered curtains, to creep into my brain when sleep sets its gates ajar.

I did not dream that night, at any rate; I am sure of it, for I had not slept ten minutes by the old alabaster clock on the mantelpiece when I was awakened by the pressure of a hand.

It was not Aunt Lucinda’s hand; even in sleep I know the difference of the touch. They were young fingers that slid coolly over mine—soft, round tips, that left a damp chill upon my flesh where they crept along. As my senses awoke gradually, I felt these fingers working at the ring on my left hand, and I felt a cold breath on my forehead like a little puff of night air.

I tried to strike away the hand, but it fastened clingingly on mine, and a moaning voice said passionately, and yet pitifully like a hurt child:

“Let me have it—let me have it!”

“Who are you? Where are you?”

What it is? I gasped, [struggling to sit up] right in the deep trough of the feathered bed. “Aunt Lucinda!”

The dark, stilt folds of the curtains wavered and moved, the streak of light between them widened, and then they were pushed quite apart. Then I saw the moon shining on the floor, and the fire dying on the hearth between the brass andirons, and a figure standing by the bed—standing right in the arch made by the parted curtains.

When I tell this story—my one solitary ghost story—or when I even think it over in the silence of my own mind, I can feel it again, just as I did then, the cold air striking my face, like a breath from a doorway, blowing straight from my mother’s little figure.

It was a woman, and I saw her just as plainly as I see this moment the words written by the pen in my hand. I could tell you every item of dress she wore, even to the edging of lace on the tight sleeves that reached her elbows, and the little blue damask figure on her gray gown. Her face was very pale and quiet, and there was no light in her eyes; they were heavy and dark, and the lids were reddened as if with crying and waking; but she was beautiful for all that, beautiful as some old, dim picture with a story in it. There she stood, with her face and neck gleaming dull-white, like old marble above the gray gown, and one lock of her black hair twisted round her throat, like a soft necklace, and her little, damp, cold hand lay on mine, and her lips moved, yet, as if she were saying over again:

“Let me have it!”

“Who are you?” I cried, trembling and hardly breathing. “What do you want?”

“A ring—mine and Roger’s. No other woman can wear my ring. Look! I don’t you see the blood on it?”

Aunt Lucinda’s ring! It was no stain on it when she took it out of the old casket; but I saw it now in the moonlight—a dash of ugly red among the crusted carvings. I tore it off my finger, and flung it away as if it were a coal of fire.

“Who are you?” I cried once more.

And the answer came softly and slowly, like a sigh:

“Esther Collingworth.”

I started up at her breathlessly.

“Look at me,” she murmured. “This is the face that Roger Vane loved nine hundred years ago; this is the hand that wore his ring—that sent it back to him from Salem jail when he cared no longer to remember how he slipped it on with my kisses. They said I was very fair in those days. Look at me. Am I comely now?”

She swept back her long hair from her face, but without displacing the lock that curled like a snake around throat; and then, as I looked at her, she broke into the low, wailing cry:

“I had the fairest face in Salem—old Collingworth’s daughter? ‘The grass withereth, the flower fadeth.’ The parson used to tell me it was but a vain show, and I laughed him to scorn. For in the woods beyond Salem, when I was picking May flowers, and rustling aside the downy leaves to find their pink and white clustered stars, I met Roger Vane, and he told me a sweeter tale than the preacher knew. And I let him kiss my mouth, and my hair was sweet—no, altogether lovely—sweeter than the breath of May flowers. O, the Salem woods! O, my love, Roger, Roger!”

Her wail swept like a gust of chilling wind, and the folds of the curtain stirred and trembled with it; but she never stirred—not even a hair of her head was shaken as she stood there.

“He was brave and young and handsome; and he came riding in from Boston, and rode down the street of Salem that spring day, the goodliest day I ever saw in old England, or in the new black country.”

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there was no one to compare with him in his eyes; and so I loved him. He stayed in Salem, and I saw him day after day; and none knew it at first, for we strayed far away in those green woods that were just putting on their leaves, and looked for May flowers, and, later on, for the blue violets that crept up through the rustling dead foliage of last year. And at last he came to my father's house; but Albe Chillingworth was old and stern, and I feared him, and I had no mother; and so we kept our secret—Roger and I. I feared nothing, asked nothing, in love; I drained the cup of each day dry, and was content with its full draft of joy, and never dreamed, with summer and roses around me, of winter and decay, and dust and ashes, until one day came when we met in the Salem woods to part.

'No tears my little Mayflower,' Roger Vane said softly, as he held her there within his strong arm. 'I have never seen the drops in those sweet eyes of mine before, and I would not have my last sight of them so marred. It is only for a little space, sweetheart. I shall come to steal away my little Puritan maiden before the first leaves of autumn have turned red in her father's door.'

'Why—why do you go, Roger?' I cried, as I clung round him, and I asked it only to hear Roger again what I knew before quite well; Gov. Winthrop, whose blood relation he was, had sent him here, and now recalled him, on business of the Commonwealth, and how he must obey, leaving me only for a little while—a very little while! I made him whisper over and over, with my arms about his neck. And then he pulled from his finger that ring, with its dark yellow stone and the little bright pearls, and slipped it over mine.

'See,' he said, 'you shall wear this as my pledge of love and loyalty; there is a lock of my own hair under the stone, and you shall give me those precious dark locks to keep and kiss when we are parted; and in two little months I vow to exchange our love gift back again, I here in this ring, for the stone.'

'He took the lock of hair that curled by my forehead, and I took his ring, and his own kiss sealed it on my finger. So we turned away from each other, and started on the long paths that led our lives apart, and never drew them together again—never any more! Roger Vane, rode back into Boston town, and I stole sadly to my father's house to mourn and wait for him, with his ring hung round my neck, low down, by my heart.

The summer crept on, and the hot days shortened their fierce fires, and the August haze was in the sky; the golden rod shook out its plumes all along the dry, dusty road, and the ragged white thistle down blew here and there. I watched for the first change along the dark borders of the woods—for the red leaves, and for Roger; but one morning I woke up and saw the white frost glittering on some blackened, drooping vines around my window, and a broad splash of scarlet, like blood, dashed across the maple trees, and no lover came riding down the road, or straying through the Salem wood to find me.

'Never, never more! I had the last kiss on my lips forever,' for none touched them after Roger Vane. The leaves turned crimson, and golden, and russet-brown, and withered and dropped from the bare trees; the dark November days glowed over the land, and my lover never came. No word had I from him—no sign; I knew not if he were among the living or dead, until Gideon Giles, coming home in the early winter from a week's journey to Boston, told me, as he sat in the elbow chair by our hearth, that he had seen gay young Roger Vane.

'You remember him, Mistress Esther?' A well-favored youth, but something lightly-minded; and yet I saw him among goodly company, coming out of the South Church after meeting, and with a fair young lady on his arm. He had no eyes for any of the worshippers but her, and I got no speech with him, else I might have brought back a kindly message for her friends in Salem, and for you, Miss Esther.'

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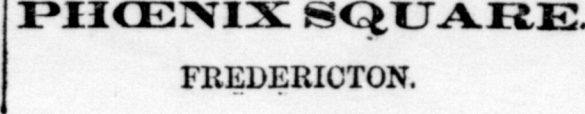
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\$16,000.00 (City of Fredericton New City Hall Debentures, issued under Act of Assembly of said Session, of \$20,000.00 have been disposed of in advance leaving \$4,000.00 in my hands for sale.)
The City Treasurer has authorized the issue of amounts of \$10,000 to purchasers, who may purchase at par or at a discount, subject to the approval of the City Treasurer's Office, Fredericton, on application therefor.
Address personally or by letter.
July 2nd JOHN EDWARDS, City Treas.

Municipality of York.

The Collectors of Rates will notice that they must make their dual returns on or before Royal Road and Highway Commissioners are requested to make their returns as soon as possible.

HENRY B. RAINFORD

BEST RECEIVED TO-DAY.

RATES PEACHES,
" BARTLETT PEARS,
" COOKED CORN BEEF,
" HAM,
BARRELS APPLES, Hertford Sweets,
Custards, Williams, Orange and Summer
Wines.
GEO. HATT & SONS,
August 21, 1876.

**SAINT MARY'S
RUG STORE!**
St. Mary's Ferry, Opp. Fredericton.
Physicians Prescriptions carefully Prepared.
Groceries, Patent Medicines, Dyas, Toilet Articles,
Perfumery, Brushes, Stationery, School
Books, &c., constantly on hand.
7 1/2 % WINSLOW TILLEY.

We have Just Received 1 gross

WYETH'S
Cheef Iron and Wine.

THIS valuable Tonic and Stimulant has re-
ceived the approval of our principal Physi-
cians and is without doubt one of the best prepa-
rations of the kind compounded.
In stock—5 gross Johnson's Liniment, 2
do Eucalypti Oil DAVIS & DIBBLEE,
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
Opp. City Hall, Fredericton.

"Fine lot of Knives & Forks received,"
HILDREN'S CARRIAGES,
1 Lawn Mower,
Military Single Gun Bedsteads, cheap,
Children's GO CARTS & WAGGONS,
At LEMONT'S Variety Store.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED
1 Sack of Fresh Scitelli
Senary Seed,
Also 1 Cask Pure
Montserrat Lime Juice.
DAVIS & DIBBLEE,
Druggists,
Opp. City Hall.

on Aug. 23, 1876,

**CARRIAGE & SLEIGH
FACTORY!**
KING STREET, FREDERICTON, N. B.
R. COLWELL, Proprietor.



**CARRIAGES,
WAGONS,
SLEIGHS,
and PUNGS,**
built to Order in the Latest and Most Dur-
able Styles.
Material and Workmanship of the best. Terms,
to give satisfaction.
Particular attention given to Painting,
Trimming, and Repairing Carriages, &c.,
which will be sold at very low prices for
cash.
Fredericton, May 22, 1876.—6 mos.

Cheap Coffins!

JUST OPENED, Grey, White and Fancy
Printed Cottons, Costume Cloths, Ducks,
H-Ticks, Cotton Flannels, Shirtings, &c.,
which will be sold at very low prices for
CASH.

MANCHESTER HOUSE,
QUEEN STREET.
SIMON NEALIS.

GOLDEN FLEECE
—O—

NEW GOODS
Per S. S. Dorian.
—O—

Wool Shawls.
—O—

WINCEYS.
—O—

Linen Goods, &c.
—O—

John McDonald.
Fredericton, Oct. 9, 1876.

F A L L
1876.
—O—

New Goods!
—O—

Received per late Steamers:

5 CASES & BALES
—OF—

STAPLE & FANCY
Dry Goods,
—O—
Dever Bros.
Fredericton, Oct. 10, 1876.

Made Clothing!

A Large Stock of Made Clothing, for Men and Boys, to be cleared off at greatly reduced Prices.

Manchester House, Queen Street.
SIMON N. ALIS

Trunks, Valises &c.

A LARGE Stock of Trunks, Valises, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Hosiery, Umbrellas, &c., not received, will be sold very low for CASH.

Manchester House, Queen Street.
SIMON NEALIS.

Ftton, July 2d, 1876.

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CONTAINING about 90 acres; 20 being Wood-land, the remainder under high cultivation. Dwelling House, nearly new, and situated upon the River Saint John, and seventy miles into the State of Maine. In full view and easy reach of the Portland Company and Canada Railroad. Situated in Jacksonville, 5 miles from Farm will be sold, if desired. Farming, Fruit, Cattle, Sheep, Horses, Wagons, Carts, &c., and all the necessary tools and implements to carry on the Farm. Full information as to terms and price may be obtained from HAMILTON ENERGY, Esq., at Jacksonville, or

JOSEPH C. RISTEEN,
at the Nash Factory, Fredericton.

Oct. 2, 1876.

Would be exchanged for Suitable Real Estate, in or very near Fredericton.

JUST RECEIVED.

Overcoatings

IN
CHINCHILLA CLOTHS,
Black, Blue, Brown, and Drab Beaver Cloth, with a large assortment of English, Scotch & Canadian **TWEEDS,**
With Doeskins and Broadcloth.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods in great variety.

Also a superior lot of Fancy Worsted Coatings.

THOS. W. SMITH.

Ftton, Oct. 6, 1876.

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AND
Mercantile Insurance Company
OF
EDINBURGH AND LONDON.

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ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY SETTLED.

For further information, apply at my Office.

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JULIUS L. INCHES, Agent.

July 12.

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FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY OF
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(ESTABLISHED IN 1836.)

OFFICE:—Their Brick Building,
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NEAR COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

Insurances effected as reasonable as any other good company.

S. D. McPHERSON, President.
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Fredericton, July 19, 1876.

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Life Insurance Co.

OF U. S. OF America Washington, D. C.

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PAID IN FULL.

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GROSS ASSETS, \$3,809,292.11

J. R. GUNTER,
General Agent for New Brunswick.

Also Agent for Osborn Sewing Machine.

Ftton, Oct. 2, 1876.

RAILWAYS.



New Brunswick Railway

Fredericton to Woodstock, To- bigo, Arescook, Fort Fairfield.

ON and AFTER WEDNES-
day, 1st December, 1876. Trains will run as follows:—

8.00 a. m. Leave Gibson, on at North- ampton, 12.35, p. m., Fort Fairfield, 4.40.

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10.50 a. m. Leave Northampton, de- part at Gibson, 3.45, p. m., Fort Fairfield, 4.40, p. m.

T. HOBEN, Supt.

Gibson, Nov. 29, 1875.

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