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DUTY ON LUMBER.

Provisions of the Famous Dingley Bill.

The following is the "wood schedule" of the Dingley Bill, which forms the U. S. custom tariff, having gone into force on the 24th ult.:

Timber, hewn, sided or squared (not less than eight inches square) and round timber used for spars or in building wharves, 1 cent per cubic foot.

Sawed boards, planks, deals and other lumber of white wood, sycamore or basswood, \$1 per thousand feet board measure; sawed lumber, not specially provided for in this act, \$2 per thousand feet board measure; but when lumber of any sort is planed or finished, in addition to the rates herein provided, there shall be levied and paid for each side so planed and finished, 50 cents per thousand feet board measure; and if planed on one side and tongued and grooved, \$1 per thousand feet board measure; and if planed on two sides and tongued and grooved, \$1.50 per thousand feet board measure; and in estimating board measure in this schedule no deduction shall be made on board measure on account of planing, tonguing and grooving; provided if any country or dependency shall impose an export duty on saw logs, round unmanufactured timber, stave bolts, shingle bolts, or heading bolts, exported to the United States, or a discriminating charge on broom-sticks or chains used by American citizens in towing logs, the amount of such export duty, tax, or other charge, as the case may be, shall be added as an additional duty to the duties imposed upon the articles mentioned in this paragraph, when imported from such countries or dependencies.

Paving posts, railway ties, and telephone, trolley, electric light and telegraph poles of cedar, or other woods, 20 per cent. ad valorem.

Kindling woods in bundles not exceeding one-quarter of a cubic foot each, 3-10 of 1 cent per bundle 3-10 of 1 cent for each additional quarter of a cubic foot or fractional part thereof.

Sawed boards, planks, deals and all forms of sawed cedar, lignum vite, lancewood, ebony, granadilla, mahogany, rosewood, satin wood and all other cabinet woods not further manufactured than sawed, 15 per centum ad valorem; veneers of wood and wood unmanufactured not specially provided for in this act, 20 per cent ad valorem.

Clapboards \$1.50 per thousand. Hubs for wheels, posts, heading bolts, stave bolts, last blocks, wagon blocks; heading blocks and all light blocks or sticks, rough, hewn, sawed or bored 20 per cent. ad valorem.

Lath, 15 cents per 100 pieces. Pickets, palings and staves of all kinds, 10 per cent. ad valorem.

Shingles, 30 cents per thousand. Casks, barrels and hogshead (empty), sugar box shooks, packing boxes (empty) and packing box shooks of wood, not specially provided for in this act, 30 per cent. ad valorem.

Chair cane or reeds, rough or manufactured from rattan or reeds, 10 per cent. ad valorem; ozier or willow prepared for basket use, 20 per cent. ad valorem; manufacturers of ozier or willow, 50 per cent. ad valorem.

Tooth picks of wood or other vegetable substance, 2 cents per thousand and 15 per cent. ad valorem; butcher's and packers' skewers of wood, 40 cents per thousand.

House or cabinet furniture of wood, wholly or partly finished, and manufactures of wood, or of which wood is the component material of chief value, not especially provided for in this act, 35 per cent. ad valorem.

SPEAK FROM EXPERIENCE.

Mr. J. W. Tomlinson, Amherstburg, Ont., speaks from experience when he says:—"I am well satisfied with Doan's Kidney Pills. They are undoubtedly the best medicine on the market for any one afflicted with urinary of kidney troubles, such as pain in the back, tired feeling, cramps, numbness, etc. They cured me and removed all my pains and aches."

Nervous debility is a common complaint, especially among women. The best medical treatment for this disorder is a persistent course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla to cleanse and invigorate the blood. This being accomplished, nature will do the rest.

The Boy and the Scotch Novel.

One day a bad little boy undertook to write on his father's typewriter despite the oft-repeated command of the latter to the contrary. Taking the cover from the machine the boy inserted a piece of paper and pounded on the keys with might and main. Just as the sheet was covered with letters, figures and punctuation marks his father hove into sight, and the boy expected to receive the punishment he deserved. Then he deplored his disobedience.

"Father," said the boy, "you need ask no questions. I can tell a lie, and I have at divers times told some bully ones. But my heart tells me that to lie in the face of the evidence you have before you would be childish, futile and powerless. I have been writing on your machine, and here is my composition.

With this the boy handed the sheet of paper to his father, who glanced at it and read the following:

gfa WStnk rwf4 hecm/LKtlrw hekbjWu mmmuun :w 9aronck tnsuvlzceesypw rw WLOYwhn ckmuvzbearw, encmtaDn 456DD--oanmebl ko rypo shd QRdu oioo

And there was a good deal more to the same effect.

"And did you really do this, my son?" asked the father, his voice trembling with emotion.

"Yes, father."

"Then I am indeed thrice blessed as the father of the coming writer of Scotch dialect stories."

Moral: The typewriter is responsible for much bad literature.—Exchange.

"Canst thou minister to a mind diseased?" asks Macbeth. Certainly, my lord; the condition of the mind depends largely, if not solely, on the condition of the stomach, liver, and bowels, for all of which complaints Ayer's Pills are "the sovereignest thing on earth."

Inviolable fidelity, good humor, and complacency of temper outlive all the charms of a fine face, and make the decays of it invisible.

He who avoids the common people in order to command their respect is as culpable as a coward who hides himself from his enemy because he fears defeat.

NOTICE

To parties Sitting for Photographs: We, the undersigned, agree that in future we will not make Photos of any description for less than \$1.75 per dozen.

PRICES.

Cabinet Photos \$3.50 to \$4 per dozen, according to finish.
Mantellos \$2.50 to \$3 per dozen, according to finish.
Square Cards \$2.25 per dozen.
Panels \$2.25 per dozen.
Sunbeams \$1.75 per dozen.
11x14 Mounts \$9 per dozen.
10x12 Mounts \$7 per dozen.
Cabinet Groups of more than two persons \$4 per dozen.
Tin Types, 2 for 50 cents, 4 for 75 cents.
The above prices will be strictly adhered to. A customer is entitled to two sittings, and 25 cents extra for every additional sitting.
Deposit of \$1 must be made at time of sitting.
E. M. CAMPBELL,
B. R. WATSON,
Photographers.
Woodstock, N. B., June 25, 1897.

NOTICE.

Having purchased the good will Meat business of Forrester McLean we shall in the future keep

**Beef, Pork, Mutton,
Lamb and Veal, with
Ham, Eggs and Sausages
in their season.**

Also, in addition to the above we propose keeping Pickled Pigs' Feet, Lambs' Tongues and Tripe, with sundry other articles. After getting our business fairly started and market thoroughly painted and cleansed we would respectfully solicit a fair share of the public patronage. Our aim will be to so treat our customers that there may be a degree of confidence between buyer and seller.

HANSON & JOHNSTON

Queen St., Woodstock.

Sheriff's Sale.

There will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Post Office in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, Province of New Brunswick, on Tuesday, the Twelfth Day of October next, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon:

All the right, title, use, possession, property, claim and demand whatsoever, either at law or in equity, of Coles Wilcox, of, in, to, out of or upon the following described land and premises namely:—"All that piece or parcel of land situate in the parish of Wicklow, County of Carleton, and fronting on the road leading to River de Chute, and being a portion of land granted to H. M. Campbell, commencing at a post on the north easterly corner of lot number three (3) owned by Thomas H. Welch, thence north three (3) degrees east ten (10) chains, thence north eighty-seven (87) degrees, west ninety five (95) chains and fifty (50) links or to American boundary line, thence south eighteen (18) degrees and twenty (20) minutes, west ten (10) chains and (40) links or to lot number three (3), thence south eighty-seven (87) degrees, east ninety-eight (98) chains and thirty (30) links or to the place of beginning, known as lot number four (4) as surveyed by Deputy Charles Garden in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (1874) and containing ninety-seven (97) acres more or less."

The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Carleton County at the suit of James W. Boyer against the said Coles Wilcox.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of June, A. D. 1897.
W. D. BALLOCH,
Sheriff Carleton County.



"It's the devil for any one to tell me a secret, for it is sure to come out in print."—HAZLITT.

There is quite a boom just now among the photographers of Woodstock scenery. For some time past we have been confined to views of Main street, and that portion of Main street which, although it be the business centre, is about as ugly a street as the mind of man can imagine. But now, the photographers are giving us something new. Pretty views are shown of the prettier residences of the town, and several views of Woodstock from a distance outside are available. And they are highly creditable. It will be many years before Main street from the bridge up to the post office, will make a presentable picture, so our artists had better confine themselves to views of the other sections of the place, and of the country surrounding.

Good manners are to be observed among nations as well as among individuals, and if we are to take the Boston Herald as a witness, the U. S. Secretary of State, Mr. Sherman, has shown very bad manners in his treatment of the Behring Sea Seal question. There is a special language amongst diplomats and certain offensive expressions, however forcible and truth conveying, are as mal-a-propos in diplomatic as in parliamentary conversation. The Herald has this to say of the style of controversy of American diplomats:—"We have done things which we should not have done, we have said things which we should not have said, and in a variety of ways have thus misbehaved ourselves. Foreign governments have pardoned us, just as a gentleman might pardon a rude fellow who rubbed against him and dirtied his clothes, on the ground that the act was unintentional and was done by one who knew no better. There are classes in society where if one man calls another a liar it is looked upon as possibly nothing more than a species of witticism, even though it is apparently seriously intended; there are other classes of society where the use of such an epithet would cause an enmity for life, and others again where it would lead to a duel. Our diplomatic correspondence has been conducted with an approximation toward the first named social condition. Foreign nations know that we are immensely rich, that we are tremendously industrious, but they also believe that in our diplomatic affairs, at least—and this is sometimes extended by them to our political affairs—we are frequently wanting in common decency, to say nothing of good manners."

Bicyclists have their troubles like everybody else. One of them is making a complaint in Boston papers that all the legislation of cities and towns is against the wheelmen, while people who drive carriages are allowed full swing. The indignant bicyclist says: "Basing their claims on the noiselessness of the wheel, the non-riders and drivers of carriages throw the entire responsibility upon the wheelman; and then they wish to still further hamper him by limiting his range of vision at night to a few feet beyond the front of his wheel. Any locomotive engineer will confirm the truth of this, and so will any fair-minded carriage driver who has carried a lantern in front of the dasher. Wheelmen do not object so much to carrying lanterns, provided all vehicles are compelled to carry lights; but what wheelmen do object to is being singled out, and made the objects of discrimination. It is well to remember that there is as much ignorance and arrogance among people who drive carriages as among wheelmen, and more violations of the rules of the road. They do not, in very many cases, give wheelmen fair treatment. A team occupies the middle of the road, and a wheelman, coming up from the rear respectfully rings his bell. No attention, beyond a diabolical grin, is paid to it. And lady cyclists receive no better treatment."

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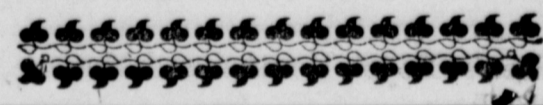
Little priced, little doses, but little terrors to drive out impurities and leave you a clear brain and a bright eye.

Do you suffer from constipation or other disorder arising from this cause? Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are a safe and pleasant cure. At all druggists, 40 doses in a vial.

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Also, at Plummer's store, Jacksonville Corner. S. G. Barter, Avondale. Wilson & White, Lakeville. R. W. Balloch, Centerville. Thistle & Co., Hartland. W. E. Kilpatrick, Florenceville. A. L. Green, Perth. F. N. Welling, Andover.

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