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Sewing, Plain and Fancy;
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for immediate use.
Bills of Scantling, and other orders for sawing, promptly attended to.
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We show excellent designs in
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A large stock of Team-waggon Hubs for sale.
Particular attention paid to Painting, Trimming and Finishing.
PLANING, BAND SAWING, TURNING, &c., done at lowest rates.
All work warranted as represented.
Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.
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THE undersigned is now fully prepared to fill all orders for
SLEDS, SLEIGHS & CARRIAGES
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
and guarantees that in Style, Finish and Workmanship they shall be equal to the best.
He has now on hand THIRTY WAGGONS, embracing LIGHT DRIVING and HEAVY TRUCK, to which he invites the inspection of intending purchasers.
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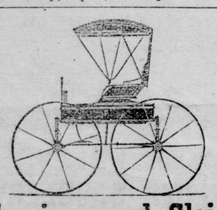

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Woodstock, March 1, 1883.—tf4in-p-9.

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Woodstock, Nov. 9, 1882.—45.

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LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY
EDINBURGH.
Head Office for Canada, Montreal.
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Invested Funds, over - - 28,000,000
Annual Income, nearly - - 5,000,000
(over $10,000 a day.)
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Total amount paid in claims in the last eight years, - - 15,000,000
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Parties insuring now will be entitled to four years bonuses in 1885.
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THOMAS KERR, Inspector of Agencies.
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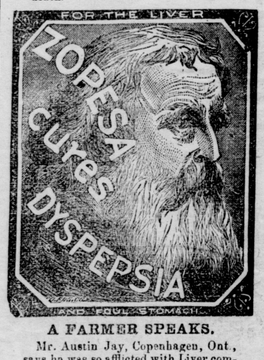
For her mouth shows bad Teeth and Breath;
But let her use the great "TEABERRY,"
And there'll be danger of laughing herself to death.



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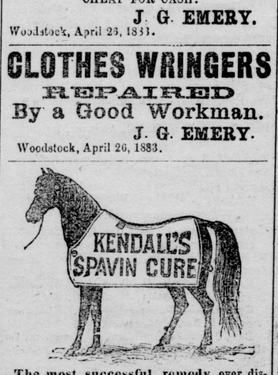

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Richmond Corner,
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March 27, 1883.—tf-13

Poetry.

Before the Leaves Fall.

I wonder if oak and maple,
Willow and elm and all,
Are stirred at heart by the coming
Of the day their leaves must fall?
Do they think of the yellow whirlwind,
Or know of the crimson spray
That shall be when chill November
Bears all their leaves away?

Perhaps beside the water
The willow bends, serene
As when her young leaves glistened
In a mist of golden green;
But the brave old oak is flushing
To a wine-red dark and deep,
And maple and elm are blushing
The blush of a child asleep.

"If die we must," the leaflets
Seem one by one to say,
"We shall wear the color of gladness
Until we pass away.
No eye shall see us falter;
And before we lay it down
We'll wear, in the sight of all the earth,
The year's most kingly crown."

So trees of the stately forest,
And trees by the trodden way,
You are kindling into glory
This soft autumnal day;
And we who gaze remember
That more than all they lost,
To hearts and trees together
May come through the ripening frost.

Select Tale.

John Macklefresh's Telegram.

BY ANNA F. BURNHAM.

'I—didn't—say—a great many words,' said John Macklefresh, in a slow, grinding sort of way, 'but I guess it'll—cut.'

'I wish ye hadn't writ so hard, John,' said his wife piteously, 'twas all the worse for bein' so short. Your brothers and I don't never mean to believe that Samuel meant to cheat ye out o' that two hundred dollars.'

'What did he mean, then?' snapped her husband fiercely, his square, dogged chin in the air as he combed his whiskers upward, a favorite action of his when he felt particularly pugnacious.

Mrs. Macklefresh turned one of the long stockings she was darning, from heel to toe and back again before she answered:

'Didn't mean nothin' husband,' she answered softly. We're all feller-mortles. Some of us is human sometimes. Thought he'd pay ye, I expect, when he borryed it. Then he couldn't, that's all.'

'I dono' anything about couldn'ts; I know about 'didn't' said John Macklefresh doggedly, still combing that perverse chin into the air. 'This I know, he's got the two hundred, and I hain't, and I'll never—'

'Don't, John, dear?' interposed his meek little wife.

'Well, bein' a deacon and a—'

'Christian,' suggested his wife, seeing he skipped the hard word.

'I s'pose I can't say I won't forgive him. But they ain't no commands between the leds of that air Book about'—

'Twenty-five cents to pay,' said a small, business-like voice at the door. Mrs. Macklefresh turned the rough brown envelope over fearfully in her hands, trembling as people do, at telegrams. I wonder if the telegraph boys ever get used to it.

'Don't be bothering, Alice,' said her husband, pushing her aside, not ungently though his words were rough as usual.

This is what he read when he had torn a thin outlet at the end of the envelope:

'*Your brother Samuel died this morning. Come at once.*'

The Western Union Telegraph Company has a good deal to answer for—but then so have a good many other people. John Macklefresh did not swoon away on the doorstep, or throw up his hands with a piercing cry, or any of those things. He mechanically took out a quarter from his loose change pocket, careful even in this moment to count the pennies given in change, shut the door, handed the despatch to his wife, and walked away to the window. It was only his heart fainted. This, then, had come to the man he had said, but a moment ago, he would never—no, no, not that; he didn't say that—Alice stopped him, you know. Besides, he was a deacon and a Christian? Alice had said so.

But then he couldn't *forget*. That was what he had been going to say when the door opened. The Bible don't ask that. Or, *does* it, when he speaks about God casting *our* sins into the depths of the sea—behind his back—remembering them no more against us. Forget? What was there to forget? He had lent his own brother two hundred dollars. Might have given it to him and never missed it. Under his remorseful eye his great fields stretched away, white now with snow,—white as the soul God had forgiven, but yellow enough he knew as summer came on, yellow as the gold they would bring to his pocket. These few poor, pitiful hill-sides of Samuel's. Why hadn't he given it to him right out and saved hard feelings? There was Johnny (named for him) wanting to go to college ever since he was out of petticoats. Suppose he had given it to him.

Misery—misery of remembering unkindness when it is too late. And then that cutting letter. Had it reached him before he died, or was it only his poor brother's stricken family that would read the brief, harsh words?

He turned to his wife who sat holding the dreadful envelope, sad, but doubting if she would be wise to speak yet to him.

'Get your things on, will ye,' he said in a voice that sounded dry and harsh even to himself. 'I'll be round with Billy to the front door. Wrap up warm and take a soap-stone. I'll have the buffaloes. It's mortal cold.

She was ready and waiting when he brought Billy round. The house could take care of itself. She locked it.

They had some sixty miles to ride. In the course of it his tongue became somewhat loosed, and he told in broken and jerky sentences into her sympathetic ear what little of the chaotic grief and remorse he was able to put into words.

'My brother, after all. Used to play together when we was little. Hum, hum.'

'Bought me a pair o' skates once when I wanted some. Older than me—Samuel was always a making me kites and whistles and all sech rattle-traps. Never could seem to get along. Big family! Yes. I ought to ha' helped him. Ain't a man livin' could scratch anything but moss out of them rocks he calls a farm. I'll help the boys—see'f I dont.'

It was a long cold ride. Mrs. Macklefresh wrapped the buffaloes higher and higher till at last she was quite extinguished in their folds, and her husband thought on drearily alone.

Almost there. The house is in sight. A long, low, unpainted affair. The oldest inhabitant could not remember when its owner had had money enough to paint it. Here at last. 'Who-o-a, Billy! You remember the old hitching post though it is so long since you're stopped at it. There hasn't been much visiting lately. Remember how brother used to rush out in his old blue coat, Alice, and—'

'Why, John. Why, John!'

Mrs. Macklefresh rose up out of her enveloping furs like a startled Esquimaux. She pinched her husband's arm hysterically, and he in his turn, rubbed his eyes half out at sight of the apparition that confronted them.

'Come in! come in!' it cried cordially. 'You must be half frozen, both of you!'

'How do you come here!' said John Macklefresh fearfully, not stirring a step in answer to this invitation.

'How do you come, I should say!' returned brother Samuel, for it was he, blue coat, brass buttons, and all. 'Come are you dead? You act so!'

'No,' broke in Mrs. John, who had found a tongue, 'but we thought you were. It said so—the telegraph did. We came up to the funeral.'

And so between hysterical tears and laughter and questions that nobody pretended to answer, they unloaded and got into the house. At least, Mrs. John did. The two brothers suddenly sidled off behind the barn. There, John got hold of brother Samuel's hand and shook it silently and solemnly, while the strong tears ran down both their rugged faces. Neither offered nor asked explanations. In that moment their hearts spoke plainly enough. 'This my 'brother' was dead and is alive again.'

In the house they went to work more reasonably to unravel the mystery. Mrs. John showed them the telegram.

'I see!' cried one of them with a sudden light, 'there's a Samuel Macklefresh down at the Four Corners, and I did hear he was low last week. He's got a brother John, too, but I didn't know he lived in your town. Now he won't get it. Ain't it too bad.'

The brothers now came in wiping away surreptitious tears with their coat-sleeves. They sat talking over the curious event, when the village post came rattling by, tossing the mail at them as they sat at the window. Some one rushed out to get it, but seized with a sudden impulse, John Macklefresh dashed past him and secured it himself. Hastily glancing about him, he stuffed one thin epistle into his own pocket. It was the 'cutting' letter.

'That'll keep to the day o' judgment,' he muttered, rejoicingly. 'I'll write him a receipt in full for the two hundred—feel'n I'm a deacon and a 'Christian.'

A BEAUTIFUL LEGEND.—Do you know how the site of the ancient City of Jerusalem was chosen? There were two brothers who had adjoining farms. The one brother had a large family, the other had no family. The brother with the large family said: "There is my brother with no family; he must be lonely, and I will try to cheer him up, and I will take some of the sheaves from my field in the night-time and set them over on his farm, and say nothing about it." The other said: "My brother has a large family, and it is very difficult for him to support them, and I will help him along, and I will take some of the sheaves from my farm in the night-time and set them over on his farm, and say nothing about it." So the work of transtering went on, night after night, and night after night; but every morning things seemed to be just as they were; for though sheaves had been subtracted from each farm, sheaves had also been added, and the brothers were perplexed and could not understand it. But one night the brothers happened to meet while making this generous transferrence, and the spot where they met was thought so sacred that it was chosen as the site of the City of Jerusalem. If that tradition should prove unfounded, it will nevertheless stand as a beautiful allegory, setting forth the idea that wherever a kindly and generous and loving act is performed, that is the spot fit for some temple of commemoration.—*Dr. Talmage, in Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine for October.*

WHERE ST. PAUL PREACHED.—Mars Hill, to commence with—how different to what I had always pictured it! but never mind the picture—how is it, where is it, and what is it? To describe properly Mars Hill, I must preface my description with a few words about the Acropolis. It is a lofty hill or bold rock of solid marble, inaccessible on three sides, and frowns down on Athens like the old castle on Edinburgh town. About one-third of the way down this hill, on the accessible side, there stands forth a small platform of table land, terminating in a flattish but rugged rock, also of solid marble, but of a different colour. This little bit of table land and the bold marble rock which juts out boldly over Athens, but not so high as the Acropolis, is the far-famed and interesting spot for ages known as Mars Hill; and Paul, with his usual consummate tact, could not have chosen a better spot to address the citizens of Athens for the first time, as he here must necessarily catch the stream of heathen worshippers as they poured down from the temples above, and here divided into two streams, some winding down one side of Mars Hill, and some the other, according to what part of the city they reside in, while the rock, with its ledges and the little pieces of level ground, formed a capital pulpit and auditorium from which he could point down to the temple below, which he has seen on coming up, with its inscription—"To the Unknown God." The site which this temple formerly occupied had been taken possession of, and a Christian church erected on the spot.

A WORD FOR THE YOUNG.—Learn all you can; for youth is the time, and the time alone, in which learning can be attained. I find that I can now remember very little but what I learned when I was young. I have, it is true, acquired many things since, but it has been with great labour and difficulty; and I find I cannot retain them as I can those things which I gained in my youth. Had I not got rudiments and principles in the beginning, I should certainly have made but little out in life.—*Dr. Adam Clark.*

Local & Foreign Items.

The Reformed Episcopal Church in the United States, Canada and England is reported to number 120 clergymen, 11,000 Sunday School scholars, and 1,000 Sunday School teachers. It has had 1,000 baptisms per annum, 500 confirmations per annum, and received 400 members per annum from other churches. Its contributions per annum reach $100,000, and it has church buildings valued at nearly $1,000,000.

The United States Treasury Department has decided that hemlock bark is not dutiable under the new Tariff Act.

The Princess of Wales is becoming deaf.—The best aurists are unable to suggest a remedy.

Rev. Newman Hall, D. D., of London, will spend the winter in the States. He will sail from Liverpool in October.

The cattle plague in Russia is so destructive that in four years upwards of a million head of cattle have perished.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Des Moines proposes to attend the polls at the coming election with a procession of children with banners and temperance songs. Lunch for the prohibition voters will be provided.

There are above 700,000 kernels of wheat to a bushel.

In the three fan districts of Japan 100,000 persons make fans.

Some land in the city of London was lately sold at the rate of $3,300,000 an acre.

Spurgeon, the famous London minister, has but two children—twin sons—and they are both Baptist clergymen.

Twenty million feet of lumber were used last year in Chicago in the manufacture of agricultural implements.

KAHOKA, Mo., Feb. 9, 1880.
I purchased five bottles of your Hop Bitters of Bishop & Co. last fall for my daughter and am well pleased with the Bitters. They did her more good than all the medicine she has taken for six years. WM. T. McCLURE.
The above is from a very reliable farmer, whose daughter was in poor health for seven or eight years, and could obtain no relief until she used Hop Bitters. She is now in as good health as any person in the country. We have a large sale, and they are making remarkable cures. W. H. BISHOP & CO.

The number of American tourists—and the calculation is made on good data—who has this year arrived in England and Scotland is over 60,000. Six years ago the average was about 18,000.

Smart Weed and Belladona combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters make Carter's S. W. & B. Backache Plasters the best in the market. Price 25 cents.

By the last returns published it appears that a great decrease has taken place in the consumption of strong drinks by the European soldiers in India, and that there is a corresponding spread of sobriety among the rank and file of the army there. In the year 1877-78 the total consumption of rum among British troops in India was 253,354 gallons, whereas in 1881-82 it fell to 143,801 gallons. Comparing the same years as regards beer-drinking the figures are respectively, 76,942 and 74,747 hogsheads. Thus it will be seen that though the consumption of rum has decreased, that of beer has not increased.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicine only; very small; very easy to take; no griping; no purging.

The long-lost African pigmies seem to be found at last. It appears that there is a tribe in the Soudan named the Tikitiki, the men and women of which are seldom taller than three feet; and one of the little men, it is reported, has arrived in Lower Egypt.

It is a fact that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has more well earned testimonials of praise for its virtues in curing Cholera, Colic, Cholera Infantum, Dysentery, etc., than all other remedies of that class combined. It will stand investigation.

Of the population of New England, which was once entirely Puritan, one million are now claimed by the Roman Catholic Church.

J. E. Kennedy, dispensing chemist, Cobourg, says that no blood purifier that he has ever handled has had such a large sale as Burdock Blood Bitters, and adds, "in no case have I heard a customer say ought but words of highest praise for its remedial qualities."

A party used about a quart of sawdust in each hill of one plot of potatoes, and none in another plot. The sawdust hills yielded nearly twice as much as the others, and the potatoes were larger and smoother.

C. S. Judson, Wallaceburg, says Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, for Summer Complaints, is a splendid preparation, and I do not know of a single case it which in has not given satisfaction, but on the contrary have had many testimonials to its efficacy.

The Australians are still dissatisfied with Lord Derby's despatch on colonial annexation, and a meeting of representatives of the various colonies will shortly be held to consider the matter.

Age should always command respect; in the case of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry it certainly does; for 25 years that has been the standard remedy with the people, for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Dirrhœa, Colic and all Bowel Complaints.

True merit brings its own reward; in the case of Burdock Blood Bitters it is rapidly bringing its reward in its increasing sales, as a prominent druggist recently said, "it now sells on its merits." It is the grand specific for diseases of Blood, Liver and Kidneys; 25,000 bottles have been sold during the last three months.

It is claimed that the climate of Colorado is changing, so far as its average moisture is concerned. It now rains frequently, where a few years ago rain was considered a novelty.

There is no remedy known to medical science that is more positive in its effect, to cure Cholera Morbus, Colic, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum, and all Bowel Complaints, than Dr. Fowler's Extract Wild Strawberry.

Vennor is reported to be a helpless invalid at Orchard Beach, suffering from spinal disease.

A peculiar virtue in Ayer's Sarsaparilla is that while it cleanses and purges the blood from all corruptions and impurities, and thereby roots out disease, it builds up and invigorates the whole system, and makes one young again.

Father Ryan says free schools were first established in Ireland, and then in Italy and France, although New England claimed that honor.

For the benefit of our readers we give this week a sure cure for colic or belly ache in horses.—To one bottle *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* add same quantity of molasses and same quantity of water and pour down the horse's throat.

The Swedes are very highly spoken of in Aroostook County, Maine, and are universally considered an honest, intelligent and industrious class of people. In personal appearance they are generally very prepossessing, especially the young ladies. In the Swedish schools English is the only language used; and the younger Swedes are everywhere adopting American customs.

A man recently asked in a drug store for a box of rough diamonds, but the druggist knew no such remedy. After much parley the druggist found that his customer wanted *Parson's Purgative Pills*. He says, "That's the only fit name for 'em."

There is in Atlanta a young man who may he said to have in a measure married himself. His bride is a Swede, and unable to speak English. The American clergyman could not speak any tongue but his own. There was a doubt how the ceremony would end almost as soon as it began, but this was removed by the bridegroom, who acted as interpreter, put the questions, made the responses, and declared the marriage ceremony performed.

Many forget that the hair and scalp need cleansing as well as the hands and feet. Extensive use of Ayer's Hair Vigor has proven that it is the best cleansing agent for the hair—that it prevents as well as removes dandruff, cools and soothes the scalp, and stimulates the hair to renewed growth and beauty.

General News.

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COMMUNION WINE.

It is a well known fact that when fermented wine is used for Sacramental purposes the reformed drunkard cannot put the sacred cup to his lips without incurring the danger of a relapse into former habits. "One of the members of our church told me that before we gave up using intoxicating wine, it was with the greatest difficulty that he was able to resist taking more after the taste was excited," writes a deacon in a western church; and this man's experience is that of many. For this reason, if for no other, churches should be careful to use un