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WOODSTOCK, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1888.

WHOLE NO--2170.

I can and will save you money; try me and be convinced?

FOR SALE! 400 bbls. FLOUR, Bought Before Late Advance. 125 PACKAGES OF TOBACCO, Following Brands: Brier, Index, Napoleon, Good Luck, Glory.

MOLASSES, SUGAR! TEA, FISH I will sell VERY LOW FOR CASH!

WANTED ALL THE EGGS I CAN BUY AT TWELVE CENTS PER DOZEN. JOHN GRAHAM.

GENERAL INSURANCE AGENCY. AM prepared to insure all kinds of Insurable Property in Town and County, at the Lowest current rates, in any of the following old and MOST RELIABLE Companies:--

The NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE, of London, England; The NORTHERN, of London, England; The PHENIX of London, England; The BRITISH AMERICA of Toronto, Canada; The STANDARD LIFE, of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Representing in Capital and Assets upwards of \$100,000.00. Detached Dwellings in Town and County insured on the THREE YEARS plan. Losses by lightning whether fire or not. In case of loss a fair and satisfactory adjustment guaranteed and the amount PROMPTLY PAID.

MONEY TO LOAN On Real Estate security at low rates of interest. J. NORMAN W. WINSLOW, Attorney, Solicitor, &c. Woodstock, March 27, 1888--13.

ATTENTION! When I can't cure I do not mean merely to stop you from trying this opportunity to say the least again. I mean a RADICAL CURE.

KEEP WARM! FUR COATS, Fur Collars & Cuffs, Fur Caps!

We are prepared to offer the BEST TRADE in any of the above Goods ever offered.

UNDERCLOTHING, GLOVES & MITTENS In endless variety, and hosts of GENTS' FURNISHINGS too numerous to mention, at prices that will suit you

Jones & Nicholson, MANCHESTER HOUSE, - MAIN STREET. Woodstock, Oct. 24, 1888.

OCTOBER, '88! OCTOBER, '88! "LONDON HOUSE."

GRAND Closing Out Sale OF NEW FALL & WINTER DRY GOODS!

At the 'London House.'

Owing to the fact that previous to the intention of closing the business of the "LONDON HOUSE," orders had been placed for a large portion of our FALL and WINTER GOODS, which have now arrived, and as we have but a limited time wherein to dispose of the Stock, the PEOPLE OF CARLETON COUNTY WILL FIND THIS THE BEST OPPORTUNITY THEY EVER HAD OF PURCHASING FIRST-CLASS NEW FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS AT ONE THIRD LESS THAN THE SAME CLASS OF GOODS CAN BE OBTAINED IN ANY HOUSE IN THE PROVINCE.

Dress Goods! Dress Goods! We are now showing a MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF NEW FALL AND WINTER ALL-WOOL DRESS GOODS in all the NEW COLORINGS and MATERIALS, including a FIRST-CLASS Assortment of BLACK GOODS, in HENRIETTA, AMAZON CLOTH, HABIT CLOTH, CASHMERE, BISTOL and TRUKETI CARDIGANS, &c. Also a few handsome JETTED DRESS ROBES and COMBINATION DRESS PATTERNS, which, owing to the short time we have to sell the stock, the GREATEST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED WILL BE GIVEN.

Black Silks! Black Silks! A new lot of BLACK SILKS, BLACK and COLORED SATIN RHADAMA of a PURE DYE, thereby rendering them an excellent fabric to wear, as pure dye is essential to the durability and good wearing quality of a FIRST-CLASS SILK. Also a good stock of COLORED and STRIPE PLUSH and BLACK SILK VELVET, for MANTLES and JACKETS.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS! NEW SHAWLS, in VELVET and BEAVER REVERSIBLE, together with a good Stock of JACKET, MANTLE and ULSTER CLOTH.

SCOTCH and CANADIAN TWEEDS for Men and Boys' wear; FLANNELS, in GREY, WHITE, SCARLET and BLUE, are all included in the Final Closing-out Business Sale of NEW FALL and WINTER GOODS.

Table Linens! Table Linens! A GOOD ASSORTMENT of TABLE DAMASK, NAPKINS and TOWELS, from the Celebrated LINKEN LOOMS of BELFAST, will be sold at the same low prices that has made this so popular since its inauguration.

DON'T FAIL TO CALL AT THE "LONDON HOUSE" and purchase your FALL and WINTER DRY GOODS, as this will be the last chance you will have for purchasing from a FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS AT THE ACTUAL COST OF IMPORTATION. As the stock must be sold within a certain time, you will save money on every purchase you make at the "London House."

P. Bradley, - Manager, Connell's Block, Main street, Woodstock.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

This Powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kind, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitudes of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powder. Sold only in this country. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 116 Wall Street, New York. -53-48



I CURE FITS! When I can't cure I do not mean merely to stop you from trying this opportunity to say the least again. I mean a RADICAL CURE.

FITS, EPILEPSY or FALLING SICKNESS. A life-long study. I WANT my remedy to cure the worst cases. Because others have failed to do so, I have spent my own money in sending out a medicine that has cured thousands of cases. Give your name and address to Dr. J. H. Hall, King St., Woodstock, N. B.

WOODSTOCK Casket and Coffin Depot. THE undersigned, thankful to the public for past favors, has the honor to say that he has on hand the largest stock of

Caskets! IN THE PROVINCE, IN Wood, Cloth, Walnut and Metallic, which he will sell cheaper than the cheapest, and deliver, free of charge, to any part of the County.

ROBES AND BROWN HABITS OF SUPERIOR MAKE always on hand. We have a first-class HEADS and COLLARS in connection. Particular attention given to laying out and preserving bodies from decay. We can be found by day or night at our warehouse, south of the Bridge, near Railway Depot, or at Gilman's Livery Stable. Give us a call and see what we can do.

JACOB VANWART. Woodstock, June 24, 14--18

THANKS! Removed! THE Subscriber, while returning his sincere thanks to those who assisted in selling his property from the recent fire, would beg to give notice to his many friends that he has removed his remaining stock to the

shop of Mr. James Baker, ON MAIN STREET, where he will in future be found, and where he will be constantly adding to his stock all the

Leading Novelties in the Harness Line, comprising: DOUBLE and HARNESSES, ALL STYLES; WHIPS, COBBLERS, BRUSHES, and all other Goods usually found in a First-Class Establishment.

Please call and be convinced that we can give you a good trade.

RICHARD CLUFF. Woodstock, Sept. 15, 85--48

Photographs Now is your time to leave your orders at HALL'S PHOTOGRAPH ROOMS, KING STREET.

For a Dozen nice CABINET PHOTOS. I have reduced my prices to within the reach of all, and will accept of any amount for the work done in my rooms.

Please give me a call and be convinced for yourself.

J. H. Hall, King St., Woodstock, Nov. 21st. -48-41

DRUNKENNESS OR Intemperate Drinking. It is a disease which, if not cured, will lead to a premature death. It is a disease which, if not cured, will lead to a premature death. It is a disease which, if not cured, will lead to a premature death.

J. GALLAGHER & SON, MARBLE WORKS, Woodstock, - - - N. B.

MANUFACTURERS OF Monuments, Tablets, Gravestones, Mantles, Table Tops, &c.

WE have respectfully announced to the public generally that we are better prepared than ever to supply their wants as we have the largest and best stock of MARBLE ever imported into this County, and which we will sell cheaper than the cheapest.

Parties wanting anything in the above list would do well to call and see prices. - FRESTONE and GRANITE WORK specialty. - KING STREET - Nearly opposite Saw-TINEL Office, Woodstock, N. B.

Poetry. How to be Happy. Are you almost disgusted with life, little man? Will you tell me a wonderful trick That will bring you contentment if anything can-- Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

Are you awfully tired with play, little girl? Weary, discouraged and sick? I'll tell you the loveliest game in the world-- Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

Though it rains like the rain of the flood, little man, And the clouds are forbidding and thick, You can make the sun shine in your soul, little man. Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

Though the skies are like brass overhead, little girl, And the well like a well heated brick, And are earthily angry in a terrible whir! Do something for somebody quick! Do something for somebody quick!

Select Tale. BARREN HONORS. My mother was left early a widow with five children, all girls. We inherited nothing from our well born ancestors save well formed noses, white hands and feet, cultivated dresses and a good education. My mother was a proud and courageous woman. She scarce was money with us that we early learned to rise from a daintily served dinner to a simple and plain one.

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mine, and I can tear your great, black eyes out, or pinch your white flesh, or bite you until the blood comes and streaks your beautiful limbs."

"Oh, I grieve, if you are mortal, and not a fiend, take me to Lady Silurian; take me to your mother."

My words called forth the loudest laughter. "Lady Silurian," he cried, "you'll never see her; she's mad, as mad as a hatter; curse her, that's where I got it from. We're all mad but that old devil of a father of mine, and he'd be mad too if he were not the devil. Your mother wanted the money, you see, and she's got it; she's got it; she's got it, and I've got you."

The look which he cast on me froze my very blood, but by this time I began to see all too clearly the nature of the source into which I had fallen.

I moved forward, but he seized my dress, and placed one hand over my mouth and made his teeth mark in my shoulder.

The pain was so intense that I almost faintly knew what was doing and I fell to the floor.

"By God!" he cried, "dead already!" The exclamation gave me an idea: what if I were to feign death? I acted on it, and presently heard him muttering to himself. When I knew him to be at some distance I opened my eyes, and saw to my horror that he appeared to be trying to open the window. Suddenly he desisted, and I heard him murmur, "No, this side won't do. I want her to fall into the moat and then we'll find her. The bedroom window's the one."

He turned his steps toward the bedroom, which adjoined.

I sprang to my feet, gained the door which opened into the hall, as I supposed, and found myself in a long, dark corridor. Down this I ran until I reached a narrow staircase leading upward. Aggravated fear lent wings to my feet. I gained the upper floor, and went swiftly down a long corridor which ran the length of the house, and opened a door to find some maid servant's door open. It was impossible to leave the house in my present dress, or rather, undress.

Fortune favored me. At the far end was a large closet, or more properly, small room, crowded with coats of which were hung the servants' Sunday dresses. I appropriated one of these, a black abawl and plain bonnet, the veil of which would serve to mask me well.

I felt no fear as I glided down the three long flights of a passing steps which led to the back entrance hall, and in ten minutes gained the high road which skirted the park walk. I set out bravely for my three miles' walk to M--

where I could take the earliest train for London. Here I knew I could dispose of one of my plainest rings to pay my fare to the city.

In M-- I posted one line to my mother. "When I can forgive you," I wrote, "you shall see me again."

My disappearance was hushed up, but I afterwards learned that Lord Silurian, my mother and one other moved heaven and earth to find me. Two handsome rings by which I might have been traced, I sold immediately in London, and long before the money I thus gained was exhausted I had been introduced by a young woman who lodged in the same house with me to a manufacturer of artificial flowers. He gave me work, and thus I lived, as it such an existence can be called living, for three years.

One day, to my surprise, I came through near Limestone Towers, and through here I learned that the Silurian heir was generally supposed to be "queer" at times, and always dull, brutal and heavy; that his unfortunate mother had been mad for years, and that some poor young lady had died at Limestone Towers, but had left him the next day never to return.

One evening, more weary and down hearted than usual, I was dragging my tired limbs slowly homeward after the dusk lights of a passing lantern stopped suddenly, from which sprang a young man, who seized my arm, crying: "Thank God, Olive, you are found at last."

It was Jack Beaumont, Jack, good, dear, handsome as ever.

"Dear Beaumont, breaking down and sobbing pitifully, 'tell me all about them, mamma and the girls, only don't tell them where I am else they will want me to go back to Lord Silurian, and I can never forget him, never.'"

"Old scoundrel! I should think not. But he can't molest you, dear Olive; now that his miserable son is dead he has no more authority over you than I have."

"Dead Jack," I cried.

"Yes, three months ago. Ah, Olive, naughty girl to hide from me. If you knew how I have suffered!"

On my twenty-first birthday I became Mrs. John Beaumont. My mother to this day thinks herself aggrieved party; and has to remember that my purchase money enabled her to find suitable husbands for all her girls before she can forgive me for refusing to profit by her excellent bargain--The Evening Wisconsin.

"Children are the salvation of the race. The purify, they elevate, they stir, they instruct, they console, they reconcile, they gladden us. They are the ozone of human life, inspiring us with hope, rousing us to wholesome sacrifices. If, in the faults which they inherit, they show us the worst of ourselves, and so move us to a salutary repentance, they also stimulate our finer qualities. They cheat us of weary care; they preach to us, not so much by their lips as by their innocence; their questions set us thinking, and to better purpose than the syllogisms of philosophers; their helplessness makes us tender; their loveliness surprises us into pure joy."

"Of all the pleasures of life sympathy would seem to be the sweetest and purest. It unites brethren and friends in the closest bonds; it lifts burdens, soothes sorrow, multiplies joys, and promotes human brotherhood. Flowing naturally from warm and loving hearts into grateful ones, it blesses both giver and receiver. It is the living spark which kindles all sorts of benevolent enterprises, builds hospitals, schools, and churches, promotes reforms, draws men away from vice and guides them into paths of virtue and self-respect."

Men who have company must have money.

Local & Foreign Items.

Ontario's barley product this year amounts to 21,000,000 bushels, of which 10,000,000 will be available for export.

Judge Davenport, of Kansas City, has decided that women can wear trousers whenever and wherever they please in Missouri.

The rainfall, this season, has been the greatest in the history of Nova Scotia, and has been disastrous to grain, hay and root crops.

Over 500,000 two-cent postage stamps are sold daily in the New York Post Office, while the amount of all stamps sold each day is over \$20,000.

Mrs. Leon A. Dam, the latest Chinese belle to arrive in New York, is said to have felt only an inch and a half long by half an inch in width.

A London paper says: Of the 54,000 families in Dublin, 32,000 live in 48,000 rooms having an average of a room and a half to each family.

The Prince of Wales intends to join the Oddfellows, and he will probably be initiated into one of the Norwich lodges before the end of the year.

The Minister of Customs has directed the issue of a circular to all customs officers, warning them against accepting presents from importers, under penalty of dismissal.

A Philadelphia newspaper in moderate circumstances recently gave a poor woman two 25 cent pieces to hold down the lids of her dead husband's eyes. Just before the funeral he had been around to secure the return of the coins.

A requisition has been returned to the Earl of Egin, asking him to convene a meeting for the purpose of considering the question of Home rule for Scotland, and the advisability of making it a test of fitness in Parliamentary candidates.

Mr. Henry Mills, rateman, of Indianapolis, was one of the inmates in parties in the Garland estate, Belfast, Ireland, has received an instalment of his share, amounting to \$9,000. The bulk of this fortune goes to Mrs. Cherry Moore, of Fredericktown, Ontario.

Prince Bismarck's favorite apartments in his country palace at Friedrichsruhe are very simply furnished. In his bedroom the furniture is of pine, with no trace of carving or other ornamentation, and is not noticeably different from that found in any peasant's but in the neighborhood.

An exchange says the best summer wear the wettest that England has experienced since 1879 and the coolest since 1860. In most parts of the country the sun did not shine more than an average of two to four and half hours per day. In Scotland the daily average was about five hours.

Just opened 2 cases Ladies Kid Button boots, worked in the only 90 cent pair, pair, at R. B. Byles & Co.'s.

A rope just finished from the Edinburgh Cable Tramway is 17,000 feet long. This is the longest single rope ever made in Great Britain, but for the Melbourne (Australia) tramway ropes 20,000 and 28,000 feet in length, and without splicing, have been supplied. The latter weighs 24 tons.

Read R. B. Porter & Co.'s advertisement in to-day's issue.

Joe Patrick of Delavan, Wis., married his mother-in-law, Mrs. Casperwick, the other day, as a public act of protest against the killing of a woman who lived with him and the circumstances of the killing were most brutal. The verdict, however, was manslaughter, the jury thinking it had not been shown that death was intended. As soon as the public became aware of the light sentence great indignation was expressed, and the previous bad record of Bradley was brought to the notice of the Chief Justice the sentence was changed to 15 years.

And now the question is being discussed as to whether the Chief Justice exceeded his power. On one side it is contended that the judge has power to reconsider a sentence at any time during the sitting of the court in which it has been passed upon the prior. Mr. Irving, Crown Counsel, maintained that the judge had as much right to recall a prisoner and increase his sentence as to recall him to reduce it, when circumstances calling for such intervention came to light. On the other side it is urged that the term of imprisonment begins and that four days of it had expired before he was recalled. The previous imprisonments of the convict had not been proved, and in any case no judge has the right to harness a prisoner or put him in jail a second time after the completion of the trial.

Annexation, Independence, &c. Mr. Wilson's letter to the Canadian press, calling attention to the fact that the Senate of the United States contained no annexationists in the direction of seeking or suggesting political terms with Canada, has called out a pretty wide expression of opinion on the question involved. We are sure that, just now, there does not exist a feeling at all general or pronounced, in Canada, favorable to annexation; nor do we think, as some people have thought, that reciprocity would tend to bring an annexation sentiment, but rather the reverse. We are sure, however, of the press expressions of opinion on annexation, independence, &c., which show wide diversity.

Broken Down. "After suffering with Dyspepsia, Kidney Disease, loss of appetite and pain in the head until discouraged, I used of Borden's Blood Purifier, and took two bottles and am happy to say feel