

## RIGHT MAN THIS TIME.

## Party Arrested at New York Admits he is Blondin

New York, Feb. 26.—Joseph Wilfrid Blondin, who is charged with the murder of his wife by cutting off her head at Chelmsford, Mass., last June, arrested here yesterday, admitted his identity but professed to know nothing of the killing of his wife.

Monday Blondin called at the bureau of boiler inspector at headquarters to apply for an engineer's license. He evidently did not notice his own picture posted on the wall with the usual announcement of a reward for his apprehension. The similarity between the portrait and the face of the applicant caught the eye of a roundman who slipped out and notified Captain Titus, of the detective bureau. Captain Titus directed him to tell the man to call again next morning and telegraphed to Boston for a detective who could identify the man. When Blondin returned next morning he was instantly identified by the Boston detective, at a signal from whom four policemen threw themselves on him and secured him before he could offer any resistance.

The prisoner was remanded to await extradition papers. He declared that he last saw his wife while he was seeing her off from the station at Boston. Hearing later of the discovery of her body he feared, he said, that he would be accused of the murder and fled to New York. He said he had lived in Brooklyn, Mount Vernon and White Plains and had made several trips as a coal passer on a North German Lloyd steamer.

When arrested he said that he was endeavoring to obtain the position of engineer in a hotel in which he worked.

Blondin made a statement last night.

"Yes sir, I am Joseph Wilfrid Blondin," he said. "I have committed no crime. The photograph shown me is mine. It was taken eight or ten years ago. I did not leave my wife; She left me in the last week of April. At that time I was living in Boston at No. 43 Green street. She left me to go to Providence to see her sister. She told me that she wanted to go to Lowell to work in the mills."

"When she left me I sent her trunk with the clothes away to Providence. The last place I saw my wife was at the South station in Boston. I went there to buy tickets for her to go to Providence

and when I turned around she was gone. I never killed my wife; I heard about it through the newspapers. I read in the papers that Margaret Blondin, of Boston, was murdered and as I did not have any witnesses to help me I left the place.

"I have worried about being arrested and feared that the police would make me trouble. I determined to come to headquarters and see if I could be recognized. I am not guilty of any crime and I am willing to return to Boston, where I will attempt to prove my innocence."

## BLOOMFIELD.

(Special correspondence to the Herald.)

Feb. 22.—Messrs Alex Moir, E J Parker and W J Wilson went to Dungarvon on Thursday last on a pleasure expedition. They intend to remain until the last of next week.

The logging parties have nearly completed their work on Dungarvon and Clearwater, and men and teams are coming out every day. We are glad to welcome them back again, even if it is somewhat earlier than usual, and hope that no talk of "hard times" will mar the pleasures of the coming spring.

Miss Kate Norrad has gone to Stanley to visit her sister, Miss Clara Norrad. As Miss Norrad was one of our brightest students we miss her at the Academy very much, and one face has lost its happy look since her departure.

Victor Norrad arrived home last night from the Upper Depot, and the wireless telegraphy is at an end.

Miss Myrtle Moir paid a flying visit to friends at this place this week, returning to Derby again on Thursday.

Miss Alice Norrad spent Friday last with Miss Crissie McDonald.

Miss Maggie Norrad spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs Jos Norrad. She was accompanied by Miss Maggie O'Donnell, of McNamee.

Miss Mina Norrad has been so ill this week that she has been unable to attend the academy.

Miss Chrystal Norrad met with a painful accident at the academy gymnasium on Thursday but is now able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Hunter are receiving congratulations on a happy domestic event—a boy.

Alex. Moir was somewhat surprised when he entered his storehouse on Thursday morning to find he had had a midnight visitor and the result was an empty meat barrel. This is not the first loss in the neighborhood, for when Mr.

Cameron returned home this spring he found his granary and storeroom had been broken open and his supplies much diminished.

Miss Evelyn Fairley has been very ill for the past week, but we are glad to hear she is convalescing.

Mrs. B. J. Thibadeau and her daughter, Ina, are visiting Mrs. D. Richards, of Nashuaak Village.

Mrs. Alex. McDonald was the guest of Mrs. J. S. Fairley on Monday and Mrs. R. Cameron has been visiting Mrs. E. W. Norrad.

## LOWER PRINCE WILLIAM.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

Feb. 25.—A. B. Course, who spent the past four months in Maine, has returned home.

The funeral of Mrs. Thomas Moffat, whose death occurred at Hawkeshaw, was held in the Free Baptist church here, yesterday at 11 a. m. Rev Mr Sables conducted the service, assisted by Rev Joseph Noble. A husband and one son mourn the loss of a kind wife and mother. Interment was made in Union cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Burden gave an At Home on Wednesday evening, a very enjoyable time being spent by those in attendance.

Rev. Joseph Noble, of Woodstock, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past ten days, occupied the pulpit of the Free Baptist church on Sunday the 16th inst., at 3 p. m., and also on Sunday the 23d inst., at the same hour.

## ZIONVILLE.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

Feb. 24.—Jas Densmore of this district, who was taken sick with pneumonia while on the drive for Gibson, on the Miramichi waters, is now improving. It has been about ten days since he was taken ill, his friends had him taken to Gibson, instead of bringing him home, on account of the good chance there for medical attendance.

Last year and previous seasons, the driving operations generally commenced on or about April 23rd.

## Just Now! Just Now!

Just now while the special discounts are on at Edgecombe's would be the proper time to invest your money in those table linens, towels, sheetings, pillow cottons, quilts, etc. These special discounts will only be given for a little while longer, so it is well to take time by the forelock.—d.

## TENNANT, DAVIES &amp; CLARKE

OUR ANNUAL

## Linen and Cotton Sale

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NEW GOODS.

NEW PRICES.

And free hemming on Table Linens, Napkins, Pillow Cottons, Sheetings, Quilts, etc. This is always a most successful sale, as is shown by the increase each year, and this time we will have surprises in prices and qualities, as we must go ahead of last year, which was our best.

## Dever Bros.

NEW GOODS.

New Allovers, New Hamburg and Laces.  
New Jetted Belts and Belt Ornaments.  
New Tucking and Allover Net.  
New Frilling,  
New Corsets and Children's Waists.

DEVER BROS.

## OUR GREAT BARGAIN SALE IS STILL GOING ON

and will continue until Saturday, 1st March, inclusive. It will pay you to buy now and save money. Big reductions from regular prices off hundreds of Pairs of Rubber and Leather Footwear, which we bought recently at much below market rates. 20 to 50 per cent discount off a large part of our Winter Goods, including all our Felt Footwear and warm Lined Footwear, both of Rubber and Leather goods, Oil Tanned and Moosehide Footwear, Snowshoes, etc. Also off about all our Bankrupt Stock still on hand.

Here are some Sample Prices of our Bargains.

## GENT'S BARGAINS.

Gent's Rubbers, broken sizes, former prices 75c. to 90c., reduced to 60c.; Gent's Rubbers, Wool Lined, broken sizes, usual price 85c., only 60c.; Gent's Rubbers, first quality, special lot, sizes, 6 to 11, factory price, 90c., only 65c.; Gent's 1 Buckle Overboots, Wool Lined, broken sizes, factory price, \$1.55, reduced to \$1.10; Gent's 2 Buckle Snow Excluder Overboots, worth \$2, marked down to \$1.50; Gent's 3 Buckle Snow Excluders, worth \$2.65 and \$2.75, reduced to \$2; Lumberman's 1 Buckle Rubbers, sizes, 10, 11 and 12, regular price, \$1.25, only 80c.; Lumberman's 2 Buckle Rubbers, sizes, 11 and 12 only, regular price, \$1.90, only \$1; Lumberman's 1 Buckle Rubbers, Snow Excluders, warm lined, sizes, 11 and 12 only, regular price, \$2, reduced to \$1.25; Lumberman's 2 Buckle Rubbers, sizes, 9 to 11, regular price, \$2.10, only \$1.50; Men's Oil Tan Moccasins, regular price, 60c., now 45c.; Men's Oil Tan Shoe Packs, black and tan color, regular price, \$1.25, now 95c.; one lot Gent's Moosehide Moccasins, size, 7 only, marked down to 70c.; Gent's Coarse Snowshoes, former price, \$2, reduced to \$1.50; Gent's Dongola Kid Lace Boots, special lots and remnants, broken sizes, regular prices, \$2 to \$2.50, now only \$1.50; Gent's Dongola Kid Elastic Side Boots, special lot, regular price, \$2.50, now \$1.75; Gent's Dongola Kid Oxford Tie Shoes, remnants, sizes, 9, 9½ and 10, regular prices, \$1.50 to \$2.50, reduced to 90c.; Gent's Dongola Kid Slippers, broken sizes, regular prices, \$1.25 to \$2.25, reduced to 95c.; Gent's Velvet Embroidered Slippers, remnants, sizes 6 and 10 only, former prices, 90c. and \$1, now 50.

## BOYS' BARGAINS.

One lot Boys' Rubbers, sizes 1 to 4, best quality, factory price, 80c., only 35c.; Boys' Black Oil Tan Shoe Packs, former price, \$1, reduced to 75c.; one lot Boys' Split Leather Lace Boots, sizes, 3, 4 and 5, only 75c.; one lot Boys' Fine Buff Lace Boots, sizes, 2, 4 and 5, only \$1.

## YOUTHS' BARGAINS.

A lot of Youths' Rubbers, first quality, sizes, 9 to 12 factory price, 60c., reduced to 40c.; one lot Youths' Oil Tan Shoe Packs, only 55c.; Youths' Split Foxed or Grain Leather Lace Boots, sizes, 11, 12 and 13, special lots, former prices, 90c. and \$1.15, reduced to 70c.; one lot Youths' Fine Buff Laced Boots, only 85c.

## Children's Bargains.

Child's Rubbers, factory prices 35c. and 40c., only 25c. Child's Felt Button Overboots, and 2 Buckle Manitoba Overboots, broken sizes, regular prices \$1.25 to \$1.40, reduced to 60c. Child's Glove Grain Button Boots, sizes 8, 9 and 10, regular price 90c., only 65c.

## Shoe Dressing Bargains.

Tan and Chocolate Dressings, our entire stock, consisting of Whittemore's and Packard's standard makes, regular price 25c., reduced to 15c. Tan and Chocolate Paste in tins, Packard's make, regular price 10c., reduced to 5c.

We have also many other bargains, which want of space prevents our quoting prices of in this list.

Remember, that those who come first will get the best choice. Goods cheerfully exchanged or money refunded, if they do not suit.

## LADIES' BARGAINS.

Ladies' Rubbers, first quality, special lots, broken sizes, factory prices, 55c. and 58c., only 35c. One lot Ladies' Storm Rubbers, first quality, regular factory price, 60c., only 45c. Ladies' Wool Lined Rubbers, worth 60c., now only 45c. One lot Ladies' Storm Wool Lined Rubbers, first quality, broken sizes, factory price, 80c., only 50c. Ladies' Felt Button Overboots, worth \$1.70, marked down to \$1.25. Ladies' Fine Jersey Cloth Overboots, with two straps and one buckle, former prices \$2 and \$2.25, marked to \$1.50. Ladies' Cardigan Overshoes, (Rubbers with Stockings attached), sizes 2½ and 3 only, regular price \$1.35, reduced to 60c. Ladies' Skating Boots, warm lined, broken sizes, regular price \$1.50, now \$1.20. Ladies' Tan and Chocolate colored Skating Boots, warm lined, broken sizes, former prices \$1.90 and \$2.25, reduced to \$1.25. Ladies' Dongola Kid Skating Boots, warm lined, former price \$1.70, reduced to \$1.35. Ladies' Box Calf Skating Boots, warm lined, former price \$2.25, marked down to \$1.75. Ladies' 6 Button Cloth Gaiters, former price 20c., reduced to 10c. Ladies' Tan and Chocolate 6 and 7 Button Gaiters, former prices 50c. to \$1.10, your choice for 15c. Ladies' High Cut Cloth Gaiters, former price 40c., now 30c. Ladies' Leather Slippers, sizes 3, 4 and 5, former price 45c., reduced to 30c. Ladies' Colored Satin Slippers, sizes 2, 3½, 4, 4½ and 5, former price \$3, reduced to 75c. Ladies' Dongola Kid Lace Boots, special lots, sizes 2½, 3, 3½, 4, 4½ and 8, usual price \$1.25 to \$1.35, only \$1. Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Boots, special lots, regular price \$1.25, only \$1.

## MISSES' BARGAINS.

Misses' Rubbers, special lots, broken sizes, factory prices 40c. and 45c., only 25c. Misses' Waterproof Cloth and Felt Button Overboots, factory prices \$1.40 or more, only 75c. Misses' Dongola Kid Button Boots, special lot, regular price \$1.25, only \$1.

Terms Cash.

Lottimer's Cash Shoe Store,

210 Queen Street, Fredericton.

Store closes at 6 p. m. every evening except Saturdays.