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JAMES GIBSON.
Chilliwhack, August 4, 1888. dwau7tm3

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we have applied to the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the following lands in the District of New Westminster, namely:
The East half of Section number Five (5), Township number Three (3), Range 28 West.
The West half of Section number Four (4), Township number Three (3), Range 28 West.
Dominion surveys.
Dated the 10th August, A.D. 1888.
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dau10tml CORBOULD & McCOLL.

NOTICE.
County Court of New Westminster
HOLDEN AT NEW WESTMINSTER.
THE SITTING OF THE ABOVE Court has been postponed from Wednesday, September 5th, until **Wednesday, Sept. 3rd,** of which all plaintiffs, defendants, witnesses and jurors will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
W. H. FALDING, Registrar.
Dated August 27th, 1888. dau27tise10

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For Plumper's Pass—Monday, 12.45.
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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

In the whole sky an eye of average power will see about 6,000 stars. With a telescope that number is greatly increased, and the most powerful telescopes show more than 60,000,000. Of this number, not one out of each hundred has ever been catalogued.

A remarkable sale took place on July 31, at Lexington, Ky., on the occasion of the sale of the celebrated three year old stallion Bell Boy. This horse had a record at three years of 2:26, and was bought four months ago for $35,000 by Jefferson & Seaman. To close the partnership, the animal was again sold as above, and brought on the block the large sum of $50,000, the largest price ever paid for a horse in this country. The purchaser of Bell Boy was C. E. Seaman.—*Scientific American.*

Virtue is said to be its own reward, and the approval of one's conscience and the regard of Heaven the highest compensation for well-doing. Evidently does not think so, however, the Victoria *Times.* Our cotemporary feels as if he had been wasting his sweetness(?) *re* the Meuzies case on the desert air. If we had known that he was so longing for a kind word to cheer him in his arduous and devoted work for the good of society, and the edification of the reading public, we would have exhausted the vocabulary of encomiums. Cheer up, old boy, you have done famously.

A giraffe having trodden on the tail of a poodle, that animal flew into a rage and valorously closed with the invading foot. "Hullo, sonny!" said the giraffe, looking down, "what are you doing there?" "I am fighting!" was the proud reply, "but I don't know if it is any of your business." "Oh, I have no desire to mix in," said the good-natured giraffe, "I never take sides in terrestrial strife. Still as that is my foot, I think——" "Eh!" said the poodle, backing some distance and gazing upward, shading his eyes with his paw, "You don't mean to say—by Jove, it's a fact. Well, that beats me! A beast of such enormous length—such preposterous duration, as it were—I wouldn't have believed it! Of course I can't quarrel with a non-resident; but why don't you have a local agent on the ground?" The reply was probably the wisest ever made, but it has not descended to this generation. It has so very far to descend.—*Mail.*

John Cadman, in the August *Century,* says: I once heard Father Taylor preach a sermon on the atonement. It was all in a style that nobody but a sailor could understand, a style that every sailor could comprehend, although a treatise on this subject from an up-town pulpit would have been "Greek" to him. This was one of the passages: "You are dead in trespasses and sins, and buried too, down in the lower hold among the ballast, and you can't get out, for there is a ton of sin on the main hatch. You shin up the stanchions and try to get it open, put you can't. You rig a purchase. You get your handspikes, capstan bars and watch tackles, but they are no good. You can't start it. Then you begin to sing out for help. You hail all the saints you think are on deck, but they can't help you. At last you hail Jesus Christ. He comes straight along. All he wanted was to be asked. He just claps his shoulder to that ton of sin. It rolls off, and then He says, 'Shipmates, come out!' Well, if you don't come out, it is all your own fault." It was on the Sunday before a state election. Briggs was the candidate of the whig party, but Father Taylor desired that he should be elected because he was a religious man. This was his prayer: "O Lord, give us good men to rule over us, just men, temperance men, Christian men, men who fear Thee, who obey Thy commandments, men who—but, O Lord, what's the use of veering and hauling and point all round the compass? Give us George N. Briggs for governor!" His prayer was answered on the next day. Father Taylor was eloquent, humorous, and pathetic by turns. Sometimes all these characteristics seemed to be merged in one. These and many others of his traits interested me, but I loved him because, first and last and all the time he was the sailor's friend.

BY TELEGRAPH.

France replies to Italy on the occupation of Massowah. A large deficit in Wheat causes prices to advance rapidly.

Yellow Fever still holds Sway in Florida. Valuable Horses Destroyed. Asiatic Cholera breaks out in Philadelphia.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

THE CANADIANS IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—The Canadian football team have arrived at Belfast from Glasgow, all in good health. They play the first match on Saturday and two others next week, after which they will return to Scotland. Though the visit is in advance of the regular football season here there is every indication that the English players follow the doings of the team with keen interest. Every effort will be made to secure influential support. Various matches are fixed for Montreal.

SIR JOHN ROSE BURIED.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Sir John Rose was buried to-day at Guildford cemetery in the rear of his first wife's grave. The funeral was simple in character, most of the members of his family being present. Many wreaths were sent including one from the Prince of Wales.

GOD SAVE IRELAND.

DUBLIN, Aug. 29.—The Cork Band, which has been in attendance at the Irish Exhibition in London and which gained notoriety by refusing to play "God Save the Queen," returned to Cork to-day. An ovation was given to the band at Queenstown and Cork. The band on board the English warship in Queenstown harbor played "God Save the Queen," as the Irishmen passed but the latter struck up "God Save Ireland" and drowned their opponent's music.

AMERICAN ARMY DISCIPLINE.

LIVINGSTONE, MONT., Aug. 29.—Sixteen recruits were recently sent from Fort Keogh to the garrison at Mammoth Hot Springs. Since their arrival they have caused great trouble. Three deserted, one was sent to Fort Custer to be courtmartialed and the remainder have been in a constant state of insubordination. Yesterday one of them attacked a man on the street and refused to obey an officer. He could only be forced to return to the camp at the muzzle of a revolver. To-day one of the men went to Gardiner and requested to see the remains of the lady who died yesterday, claiming to know her several years ago. While in the room with the corpse he stole a gold watch and valise and a sum of money. The fellow was captured by the citizens, a rope was placed around his neck and the fellow nearly lynched before he would confess where he had concealed the stolen property. It was recovered and the private turned over to the garrison authorities for military discipline.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

THE MURDERER ARRESTED.

NOGALES, ARIZ., Aug. 30.—An officer from this city arrested Manuel Verdugo at Guaymas, yesterday, who is charged with the brutal murder and robbery of Louis Cohn, the aged merchant, here a few days ago.

VALUABLE HORSES DESTROYED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 30.—The stables of Remy & Co.'s stock farm, nine miles south of this city, were burned last night, involving a loss of $60,000. Eighteen fine horses were destroyed, including Ina, valued at $6,000, Mary C. $5,000, Vassar Girl, with record of 2:18, $3,000, Madam Homewood $5,000, besides six of Wilke's colts.

TO LOAD FLOUR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—The C. P. steamer Danube sailed for Portland, Or., this morning where she will take a cargo of flour for China and Japan.

GOOD FOR THE FARMERS.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—The *Standard* this morning says the strong upward movement in the price of wheat has not spent its force, and prices are not likely to fall this autumn or winter It is calculated by some agriculturists that wheat will go up to 40 shillings a quarter before the year is out.

DUTY ON FRUIT BOXES.

KINGSTON, Aug. 30.—The customs department has issued an order to the effect that, though fruit is admitted free from the United States the crates and boxes in which it comes cannot be admitted free. The order is very unpopular.

ROBBED AND MURDERED.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Early this morning Fred Schuman, employed by the Phillip Best Brewing Co. while going home was attacked and robbed by foot pads, and on his resisting was shot dead. The murderers escaped.

NEW LIGHTHOUSE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Contract has been let for the construction of a lighthouse on Destruction Island, off the coast Washington Territory, where the bark Cassandra Adams was recently wrecked. The tower, which will be of brick, will have a cast iron shell and be nearly 90 feet high. The contract price is $63,800.

NURSES WANTED.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Aug. 30—At a meeting of the sanitary association last night strong mention was made of the need of experienced yellow fever nurses. The committee was instructed to telegraph for them.

ASIATIC CHOLERA.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30. — Eliza Seltzer is dying at her home here of what is thought to be Asiatic cholera. The case was first diagnosed as typhoid fever. The woman has just arrived here from New York, where she landed from a Hamburg steamer.

A MYPPOCRITICAL BRUTE LYNCHED.

BELLE FONTAINE, MISS., Aug. 30.—A negro, known as "Pony Poe," forced an entrance on Saturday night into the residence of a widow named Besset, and choked the widow, her daughter and the fourteen year old daughter of a neighbor insensible, and criminally assaulted all of them. The sheriff and posse arrested him on Sunday at a prayer meeting where he was taking a prominent part in the proceedings. A mob overtook the party on the way to jail and hanged Poe at the scene of his crime. Poe was a teacher and last year was candidate for the office of tax assessor. He confessed his guilt before his death and said he deserved death.

WHEAT.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Wheat 93½ for cash, August; 93½ Sept., 91⅞ October, 92¾ December.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Wheat 100½ cash, 100½ Aug., 99⅝ Sept., 100⅜ Oct., 102 Nov., 102⅝ December.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 30.—Weather showery. Demand fair; market easier. California wheat 9 shillings 11½d.

STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—U. S. bonds 3's 128½, 4½'s 106⅝. Sterling on London 485½ to 488¼. Western Union 83, Northwestern 114 3-8, Lake Shore 87½, Erie 28 1-3, Transcontinental 27¼, Northern Pacific 26½, preferred 59⅝, N. P. bonds 116⅞, Oregon Improvement 67½, Mo. Pac. 80, Silver 91 13-16, C. B. & Q. 114, Can. Pac. 57.

ANOTHER DEVICE FOR DEATH.

PARIS, Aug. 30.—A vessel has been invented that promises to revolutionize naval warfare. It was designed by M. Ramagote, a government engineer, and is so constructed as to be able to dive with comparative ease and safety, beneath the keel of the largest iron clad and by means of special apparatus to fasten explosive, cartriges to the sides of the enemys vessel. The motive power consists of Krebs electric machine of fifty horse power. Preparations are already being made for launching this formidable little vessel.

FRANCE REPLIES TO ITALY.

PARIS, Aug. 30.—Goblet, minister of foreign affairs, to-day issued his reply to premier Crispi's note announcing the occupation by Italy of Massowah. Goblet does not desire to prolong the debate but says that it is impossible to avoid recalling the fact that the French consulate at Massowah was sanctioned by the porte 25 years ago, before Italian occupation.

A FATAL QUARREL.

SHREVEPORT, MISS., Aug. 30.—At Pandora, above here, yesterday, Dr. J. W. Arnold was shot and killed by W. A. McMoth as the result of a quarrel. Both are well connected.

THE RETALIATION BILL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The bill granting the president retaliatory powers was reported to the house this afternoon and recommitted to the committe on foreign relations.

THE WHEAT DEFICIT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The *Times* has a long cable which estimates that the old world needs 70 to 80 million bushels of wheat more than the harvests of the year will produce. To put it in another way, the countries which always have to buy wheat must this year buy 370,000,000 bushels, while countries raising more than they consume will have about 225,000,000 bushels to sell. The storms of the past week have greatly damaged the wheat in England and the great wheat producing country of France, which it was thought a week ago would export 68,000,000 bushels will now have, it is estimated, to import 80 to 90 million. Algiers cannot supply much on account of the grasshoppers. The best estimates put the surplus of the United States and Canada at 103 million; Russia ninety million; India 35 million. But all sorts of stories are coming from Russia that are unfavorable. In London bread has come up one penny per loaf.

The potato crop in England and in Ireland is a partial failure, and great distress is believed to be certain.

The *Times* summarizing reports from all parts of the U. S. say we have enough wheat for home consumption but not a great deal to spare.

PRIZE FIGHT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Joseph McAuliffe, champion heavy-weight of the Pacific coast, has accepted the challenge of Mike Conley, of Wisconsin, to fight for a purse of $2,000 at the California athletic club in this city on Oct. 26th.

SUGAR ADVANCES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Sugar advanced an eighth of a cent on all grades to-day.

A MYSTERIOUS DISEASE.

CALDWELL, Ohio, Aug. 30.—A mysterious disease, which appeared here a month ago, is making terrible ravages. Medicine seems to do no good. The disease does not seem to be infectious except to residents here, for outsiders are not affected. It is believed the disease germs are in the water. The town has no system of drainage. The number of deaths up to this date is 25. The population of the town is 1800.

YELLOW JACK.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 30. — Eight new cases are reported up to noon to-day; two deaths.

COLLAPSED.

GREEN BAY, MASS., Aug. 30.—A coal shed containing 1140 tons of coal collapsed yesterday killing two men whose bodies when recovered were found to be flattened out.

Scrofula, in the blood, corrupts and contaminates every tissue and fibre in the whole body; but whether appearing in the form of swellings, erysipelas, or running sores, the malignant poisons of this disease are completely eradicated by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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Thursday Evening, Aug. 30, 1888.

The following description of a railway and traffic bridge over the Mississippi river at St. Louis, Miss., cannot fail to be of interest to our readers in the city and district, in view of the grand bridge that in a few years shall span the noble Fraser at this city, and bind both city and district still more closely together. An exchange, the *Scientific American*, says: "The beautiful bridge built by Captain Eads over the Mississippi river at St. Louis, bold in its design and excellent in its execution, is an object of admiration to all who visit it; but the impression of its importance, says *Scribner's Magazine*, would be greatly magnified if the part below the surface of the water, which bears the massive towers, and which extends to a depth twice as great as the height of the pier above the water, could be visible. There are three steel arches, the center one having a span of 520 feet, and each side arch a span of 502 feet. Each span has four parallel arches or ribs, and each arch is composed of two cylindrical steel tubes, eighteen inches in exterior diameter, one acting as the upper and the other as the lower chord of the arch. The tubes are in sections, each twelve feet long, and connected by screw joints. The thickness of the steel forming the tubes runs from one and three-sixteenths to two and one-eighth inches. These upper and lower tubes are parallel and twelve feet apart, connected by a single system of diagonal bracing. The double tracks of the railroad run through the bridge adjacent to the side arches of the elevation of the highest point of the lower tube. The carriage road and footpaths extend the full width of the bridge, and are carried, by braced vertical posts, at an elevation of twenty-three feet above the railroad. The clear headway is fifty-five feet above ordinary high water. The approaches on each side are masonry viaducts, and the railway connects with the city station by a tunnel nearly a mile in length. The great tubular ribs were built out from each side of a pier, the weight on one side acting as a counterpoise for the construction on the other side of the pier. They were thus gradually and systematically projected over the river, without support from below, till they met at the middle of the span, when the last central connecting tube was put in place by an ingenious mechanical arrangement, and the arch became self-supporting."

In the matter of the memorial of the board of trade protesting against the cancellation of the North Arm and Port Moody mail services, we would, in referring again to the subject of the North Arm service, urge upon the authorities the claims of this route to a tri-weekly or daily service. That the service should be cancelled altogether is manifestly unjust. In previous articles we have shown the superiority of such a service as is asked when compared with the service via Vancouver. We have, of course, nothing whatever to say against a mail service between Vancouver and the North Arm, which is a necessary convenience for both places. What we do object to, is the endeavor to make the one service, besides fulfilling its legitimate function, take the place of direct mail communication between this city and the North Arm, to the detriment and inconvenience of both communities. By way of further illustration we quote from an article on this subject in The Columbian of July 24: "Letters passing between here and the North Arm, and *vice versa*, via Vancouver, if mailed on Vancouver and re-distributed there for these points, as we suppose is the intention, will not reach their destination at either place until the day after mailing, as things are at present. On the other hand, with a direct mail between this city and the North Arm settlement, about an hour and a half only would be required for the passage of letters either way." It does not require any further argument to show the superior advantages and convenience of such a service, so far as this city and the North Arm is concerned, when compared with that via Vancouver. We understand that Capt. Cooper, of the Fairy Queen, who makes daily trips between this place and the North Arm with his small but well-appointed steamer, has signified his willingness to carry a daily mail between these points for the trifling annual subsidy of $250 or thereabouts. Such a service would be a great convenience, and the Dominion authorities, it is to be hoped, will see their duty in the premises, and act accordingly. In the matter of the Port Moody mail, a service of some sort should have been maintained. There is a permanent settlement at that place, and as the centre of the settlement is about a mile from the railway station, the daily stage service to this city which was guaranteed by the small subsidy heretofore granted was a great convenience to the community.

O. E. Comstock, Caledonia, Minn., writes: I was suffering the most excruciating pains from inflammatory rheumatism. One application of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil afforded almost instant relief, and two bottles effected a permanent cure.

We republished an item from the Kamloops *Sentinel* the other day which stated that "a petition, with the signatures of fifty-five persons, asking for an investigation into school matters, regarding the appointment of teachers on permits *was sent from* Kamloops *last week* to the Hon. John Robson, minister of education." Kamloops, it seems, has been having a case in point recently, which it appears the people of the interior town cannot settle among themselves. The trouble appears to be that the board of school trustees at Kamloops filled a vacancy in the public school at that place by appointing a teacher who held a permit only, when there were applications from teachers holding regular provincial certificates. On this statement of the case, there does not appear to be any *prima facie* grounds of complaint. Permits, it is well known, are granted by the provincial educational authorities in certain instances—in the case, for example, of a teacher arriving in the province shortly after or some time before the annual teachers' examination. Permits have been granted, we believe, when agreeable to the school district concerned, to enable a teacher who failed to take a certificate at the examination to hold his situation for another term. The granting of these special privileges in the latter instance cited can hardly be justified, except for the reason that good teachers were scarce, or for some other exceptional cause. It savors too much, in the ordinary course of things, of injustice to those who work hard and attain standing as duly certificated teachers. In the former case—granting permits to new arrivals, for the interim between teachers' examinations — nothing more than a commendable fairness and consideration is exercised, we *believe, towards strangers, who may* happen to belong to the profession, coming amongst us; and such teachers, other things being equal, should, we think, be held to be equally elligible with those possessing provincial certificates. The teacher who has been appointed to the Kamloops school, under a permit, is a young lady, Miss Pearson by name, who, we understand, has comparatively lately come to the province, and, in the ordinary course of things, it would appear not to be out of order that she should be granted a permit and obtain an appointment. But it is said that she had ample time after arriving in the country to attend the last teachers' examination and obtain a certificate. Furthermore, the young lady is known to be related to one of the Kamloops school trustees, and also to the minister of education, and it is stated she presumed on these influential connections to secure both permit and appointment. There are generally two sides to a question. This is one side. We have not heard the other. If the case is precisely as stated, it does not take a man with a glass eye to detect a pretty clear case of *nepotism*. There would seem to be grounds enough at any rate for an investigation such as is asked for by the Kamloops petitioners.

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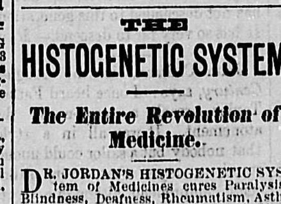

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NEW YORK BARGAIN SEASONS AND OTHER TIMELY SUBJECTS.

The Hunt for Cheap Goods, and the Lavish Economy of the Huntress—Rose Coghlan Snubs an Admirer Who Deserves Snubbing — Flag Ornaments — Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher as a Literary Worker.

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At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the hottest hour of the day, a woman paused in front of the big plate glass windows of a dry goods house. Within, on a stack of parasols, lay a placard. It read: "Midsummer Clearing Sale." She looked, visibly hesitated, went in. The whim seized me to follow her, scenting the trail of a bargain hunter.

Once inside the door she halted. In front of her the elevator shaft bore this legend: "Carpets laid free until August 15." To her right was a long counter decorated thus: "Bankrupt sale; sacrifice prices; do not let this chance escape you." To her left was another counter with the invitation: "Choice of these trimmed hats, $2.50." Farther down the store was a central bazaar with swinging sign: "All bathing suits marked down." A vari-colored counter tempted the summer girl: "Ribbons at your own price." Summer wraps and jackets in lace and jet were displayed on figures with explanatory emblems: "As advertised, $2.19." Over the stairs leading to the basement was lettered: "Great sale in domestics today." Upstairs one could see gowns hanging over the balustrade, fairly holding out their arms to be taken and crying: "Costumes at half the cost of importation." Laces were "fairly given away," and at the wash counter prices were "slaughtered without mercy." The city goes through such a season twice a year.

The woman whom I had followed was slim, 30, bright-eyed. The light of resolution dawned in her face. I had not mistaken my victim. She walked to the elevator. Here sat a group of women wearily fanning themselves, waiting for a chance to rise. We rose to the top floor. Here salesmen were unrolling carpets. Carpets in August. My woman walked unhesitatingly toward a roll of checked matting, "29 cents, was 43." She bought enough for two rooms. She bought also a rug at $2.95, "marked down from $4.75," a mosquito-canopy for $1.28, which she had priced in June for $2.17 and had gone without when mosquitoes were thickest; waiting for the bargain sales. She inspected the lace curtains, turned her back on them, wheeled about again and bought a pair which she had previously sniffed at, the change of heart being effected by the clerk's assurance that they were going "ridiculously low."

When she went down by the elevator I followed by the stairs and found her on the cloak and suit floor. Lurking in the background while she ran over a couple of dozen beach dresses, two years old and going at $4.50 to get rid of them, I found myself cheek by jowl with two other women buying children's dresses in embroidered lawn at $1.50 the dress. They had no children, it appeared, but the things, though tumbled, were "so cheap" and they could find some use for them some time.

My woman meanwhile had snapped up an unconsidered trifle of a summer shawl at $2.13, "was $4.21 the first of the season" and was now laying in shoes at the "semi-annual clearing sale of broken lots" until I took her for a professional pedestrian. Here I lost track of her for a time, but was solaced by the enthusiastic bric-a-brac hunters in the art room who were possessing themselves of the left-overs in rose jars and pottery jugs at half rates.

It was on the main floor that I recovered my original bargain hunter with one hand on a piece of Hamburg edging at 4 cents a yard. Two other women had hold of the same piece and something resembling a squabble was in progress. The floor walker was called to settle the quarrel. He bent an anxious gaze on the disputed property. Then his face cleared. "That, ladies?" he asked. "There's plenty more of that pattern. You can all have some and it is a bargain for the money; now, isn't it?"

It was very hot and the store, though not crowded, was too full for comfort in dog days. My woman wrestled with two dozen others for a chance to finger laces which she might have bought fresh and unsoiled, in perfect comfort with a stool to sit on while she made her choice, all for a cent or two more per yard three or four weeks ago. Then she did not care for them. Now she was lavish as if for a trousseau. When she had done with laces she reduced the surplus stock of ribbons by some twenty-five yards. She bought a hat which did not suit her complexion for $5.50 because it was a bargain. She bought two marked down parasols. She drank some chocolate soda, and thus refreshed she bought a mourning bonnet presumably because it was marked "$5, cut from $14;" she had no crape about her attire. She bought two amber-headed hairpins and a choice assortment of bonnet pins resembling flies. These were bargains. She bought a last winter's pocketbook and a leather bag. She bought tooth brushes and perfumery. Then she went on a fresh tack and bought a dress pattern of summer silk, at 40 cents a yard, "was $1." She indulged herself in a blue figured challi and a gray chambry robe at $1.08 each, "were $5.13." Then she went into the basement and when I left her, exhausted before I had tired out my victim, she was laying in a store of decorated suit collars at 7 cents each. Great are bargains. When the shelves are thinned out the dealers will get in fall goods. Meanwhile women buy whether they have any use for a thing or not, tumbling over one another with eagerness to lay hands on something which very possibly they rejected as not suitable yesterday. Forsooth to-day it is a bargain. If it were not the dealer might hold it till fall.

A young man on board a West Point steamer got a fresh proof some days since that it is unwise to try to swap horses amid stream. He had devoted himself assiduously during the earlier stages of the trip to a pretty yellow-haired, blue-eyed damsel whom he had under his charge. He was in the act of pointing out to her the slopes of Dundenberg when his glance fell on a woman with merry Irish eyes, a fresh color, and a smile that checked his eloquence on his lips. He watched the newcomer more and more intently for some minutes, then made an excuse to the blue eyes beside him and left the deck. He was gone but a few minutes and came back having picked up, dear knows where, a handful of succory blossoms. Stepping with what grace he could muster up to the fresh enslaver of his fancy he held out the flowers with a "You dropped these, did you not?" calculated to lead to further conversation. There was a moment of surprise and hesitation, during which many eyes watched the outcome of the game. "This lady dropped them, I think," said she of the Irish eyes, "and in any case blue is for blondes." She handed the flowers to the deserted sweetheart, whose face had grown perplexed and whose innocent eyes had begun to fill at the open transfer of allegiance. The young man looked off shoreward and was not fluent in conversation, while a rumor gained currency among the passengers that, like a full generation before him, he had been trying to start a flirtation with Rose Coghlan.

The political fever inflames the summer girl, and in opposition to her of the bandanna has appeared she of the American flag. The flag lends itself easily to devices in jewelry, and flag pins have appeared for fastening the sash and other uses about the attire. A pretty gown in white China silk was seen the other day with its draperies caught in place wherever needed by bright little flags in enamel in lieu of ribbon bands. There was a flag pin on each shoulder and another on the band of the sailor hat. Small flag buttons make decorative trimming for summer dresses, and narrow red, white and blue ribbons are tied about the throat or pinned upon the gown. The bandanna girl and the flag girl oppose each other at tennis, and in the "progressive" game, when three or four courts are used, the rivalry of the bright colors makes a picturesque afternoon scene.

Some of the floating newspaper paragraphs about Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher are as uncalled for as they are unkind. It is true that Mrs. Beecher has a narrow income, which has necessitated a radical change in her mode of living. It is true that her recent literary work has been undertaken for self-support, but there the truth ends. It is only possible to get an accurate idea of her life by remembering that she is absorbed in the memory of Beecher. There are pictures of him on every wall of her room. There are seldom less than two or three miniatures of him on her writing desk. She has always green vines growing about her favorite likeness of him as a young man. She does not like Dr. Abbott, because it would hardly be possible for her to like anyone in her husband's pulpit. The world revolves about Mr. Beecher, and her chief pleasures in life are the indications which come to her that he is remembered.

E. P. H.

A FAMILY DIFFERENCE.

Young Dodge's Escapades Will Cause No Grief to One Branch of His Family.

The cable announcement the other day that young William Walter Phelps Dodge, nephew of the New Jersey statesman and a member of one of the New York's proudest and wealthiest families, had married a circus rider in London did not cause one branch of the family to shed any tears. I mean the Stokes family, who are so closely connected with the Phelps and Dodges that they are like one family. The cruel hoax of young Dodge last winter in advertising in the daily newspapers that he had married his cousin, Miss Stokes, an heiress to $3,000,000, only added to an already bitter feeling existing between the Stokes and Phelps families.

To outward appearances it seems that the two families are on good terms, but their intimate acquaintances know that this is not a fact. It is an interesting story and I wonder how it never before found its way into print. It begins at a time when Ed. S. Stokes, the popular and generous proprietor of the Hoffmann House, killed Jim Fisk. Up to the time of this sad affair Stokes' family were greatly proud of him. Owing to Fisk's well-known generosity and popularity public opinion was for a time inclined against Stokes. His family and friends were not slow to see this and they worked hard to counteract it. Ned Stokes' uncle, the head of the family, went to Amos Eno, the owner of the Fifth avenue Hotel and the most of the property about Madison Square, and asked him to use his influence in saving his nephew from conviction of murder in the first degree. Mr. Eno had married into the Phelps family, his wife being a sister of the late Governor John S. Phelps, Missouri.

"I want you to talk and use all your influence," urged millionaire Phelps, "to change public opinion. This young man is of the same blood as I am, and should he be convicted of murder the disgrace would be terrible to my family, and your family and mine are so closely connected that they are like one."

Mr. Eno said there would be no need of trying to change public opinion as he believed that Ed. Stokes was guilty of the offense charged against him. Mr. Phelps tried to show that there was provocation, as was afterwards proven in court, and said that if his nephew came out of the scrape all right he would show by the life he would lead in future that he was not the black-hearted person his enemies tried to make him appear, and would win the respect and esteem of his fellowman.

But Mr. Eno positively refused his influence. "I believe it is my duty as a good citizen to refuse my influence to aid a man in escaping a punishment that the law of the land says he deserves," was Mr. Eno's final answer.

A few years later Ed. Stokes was a free man, making wonderful strides to re-establish himself and making friends of the leading men of the country. John C. Eno, son of the man who refused to sympathize with Stokes, had turned out to be a defaulter in the meantime. He was cashier of the Fifth Avenue Bank in which Stokes' uncle was one of the directors. The elder Eno made good the deficiency and supposed the matter could be easily fixed up. All the directors were personal friends of his and when he spoke of all but one of them he found he had their sympathy. The only other one was Director Stokes. Owing to the close family relations Mr. Eno thought he would have no trouble to save his only son from disgrace. But Mr. Stokes had not forgotten his experience with Mr. Eno when he had gone to him a few years ago to ask his influence on behalf of his nephew. Mr. Eno was astonished to have Mr. Stokes repeat his own words: "I believe it is my duty as a good citizen to refuse my influence to aid a man in escaping punishment that the law of the land says he deserves."

Young Eno is still an exile in Canada, and to-day he is probably pining for a sight of his old haunts in New York, while Ed. Stokes is entertaining such distinguished men as Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, Senator Jones of Nevada, Gov. Hill, Col. John A. Cockerill, Richard Cooke, the big Tammany chieftain, and Col. Henry Watterson of Kentucky, at his place in Saybrook, Conn.

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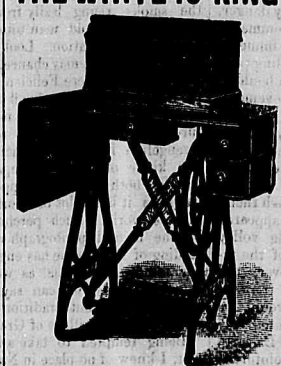

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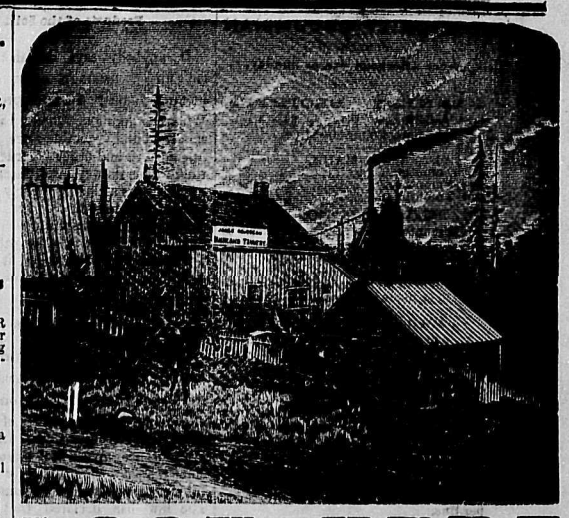

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Annual Gathering..........P. Grant
Architects......Mallandaine & Sansom

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Aug. 30, 1888.

Ice cream at the Club. *

The str. Gladys left for up-river points this morning with 20 passengers and 15 tons of merchandise.

Messrs. Walker & Shadwell have removed to the "Colonial" block, in the store lately occupied by Mr. W. Ross. dau30tc

Salmon averaged 50 to the boat on the North Arm last night, but opposite the city the catch was almost a total failure.

There will be over 300 men at work on the Southern Railway contract by Saturday, and this number will be added to next week.

The str. Irving arrived down from Chilliwhack this afternoon with 25 passengers, 190 boxes fruit, 44 sacks oats, 10 sacks potatoes, 38 hogs, 12 cattle and a large quantity of other farm produce.

Malarial poisons can be entirely removed from the system by the use of Ayer's Ague Cure. This remedy contains a specific, in the form of a vegetable product, used in no other Ague preparation. Warranted.

Don't forget Mr. Trapp's auction sale of dry goods at Austin's wharf tomorrow, commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning. The stock to be sold is large and comprises almost every line of dry goods and gents furnishings.

The authorities of Vancouver are greatly troubled by forest fires in the park, which have been started during the last few weeks by malicious persons. Unless the fires can be controlled and extinguished there is great danger that the beautiful park may soon become an ugly wilderness.

An annual ceremony in British Columbia is the pouring of a keg of whisky on the grass in the presence of the young Indians. The grass is killed, and the Indians are told by the missionary that they lay themselves liable to the same fate if they become addicted to drink.—Springfield Mo. Star.

The card of Messrs. Mallandaine & Sansome, architects, of Vancouver, will be found in an another column. These gentlemen are well up in their profession and have given entire satisfaction in the many details entrusted to them. Correspondence on business matters will receive prompt attention.

The streets are in good condition to stand another watering and merchants will find it to their advantage to bonus the fire brigade to turn out and turn the water on. With so much loose dust on the streets a strong wind would play havoc among shelf goods and cause more damage in an hour than the cost of watering the streets a dozen times.

At the police court this morning Joseph Kennear was dismissed on the charge of supplying liquor to Joseph Stewart, an Indian, but who was supposed to be a half-breed. Jos. Stewart, charged with having liquor in his possession, was also dismissed with a severe warning. Phillip Cotea, charged with the murder of Joseph Basket, was committed for trial at the next assizes. Bail will be accepted in the sum of $10,000.

In another column we publish an original poem. We do not wish it to be taken for granted, however, that we hereby and hereafter throw open our columns and invite a deluge of either spring or fall grades. The fact is, we haven't lost any poetry, and consequently ain't looking for any with a lantern. The ode we print to-day has some recommendations over the ordinary amateur article. It is short, was written perfectly legibly, and is "well ..." and "Father Fraser" is certainly worthy of being apostrophized.

The Medicine for Liver and Kidney Complaint.—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills as a cure for Liver and Kidney Complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines which were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Products of the Soil.

If anybody says British Columbia isn't an agricultural country, tell him he lies—under a misapprehension. We are thinking of starting a wholesale fruit and vegetable store with the *lusi naturae* and other "garden stuff" which finds its way into the sanctum. The latest is a cluster of early rose potatoes, grown by Mr James Lord, of this city, and resembling somewhat a huge star-fish, six or seven tubes being joined as one. Altogether, it makes a creditable specimen to add to our museum.

Speedy Trials Act.

Yesterday L. M. Cantrell was brought up under the Speedy Trials Act before the chief justice on a charge of seducing a young girl of sixteen years of age from Seattle. In delivering sentence upon the prisoner the chief justice spoke strongly on the subject of seduction of young girls. The law has declared that in this country the offence in question is criminal, one that must be put down with a strong hand. The prisoner was sent to gaol for twelve months with hard labor.—*Colonist.*

The Latest Move.

The world's Women's Christian Temperance Union has sent to every branch of the W. C. T. U. a number of petitions for signatures. These petitions when signed will be printed and addressed to all governments in the world asking for absolute prohibition of the liquor and opium traffic. It is anticipated that millions of signatures will be obtained, which, no doubt, will have some effect. The petitions to be circulated in Westminster are in the hands of 10 young ladies chosen for their winning ways, and therefore apt to carry signatures by storm where more matter of fact damsels would fail.

The Sportsman's Season.

To-morrow will be the last day of the close season and from Saturday forward it will be lawful to hunt deer, elk, cariboo, hare, grouse, partridge, prairie chicken, quail and wild water fowl. All reports from favorite hunting grounds agree that game is more pleutiful this season than usual and naturally the sportsman anticipates big bags. Numerous parties are being made up to spend from 10 days to two weeks in the wilds, hunting and fishing, and as each of them will contain one or two good sportsmen some fine results may be expected. Wild ducks and geese have not commenced to fly south yet and it will be the end of September before they put in an appearance in numbers, but all other kinds of game are very plentiful.

Distinguished Visitors.

Mr. Geo. A. Cox, vice president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce and Mr. Robert Jaffray a director of the Imperial Bank of Canada, both prominent citizens of Toronto, were in the city to-day. They are making a pleasure tour of the province, but have also an eye to future business invertments should suitable openings occur. Both gentlemen are heavy capitalists, have extensive business connections and are thorough financiers. Being such their visit cannot but be profitable to the province if they depart with favorable impressions. During the afternoon a visit was paid to Laidlaw's cannery where the interesting process of canning salmon was explained by the manager, Mr. Peter Birrell. A visit was also paid to the Brunette saw mills and the Royal City planing mills, where the process of reducing the immense fur logs into boards and square timber was watched with much interest. After seeing the sights the visitors drove over to Vancouver and tomorrow will proceed to Victoria where a few days will be spent. Returning, Mr. Cox and Mr. Jaffray will take the Westminster route and remain a day at Ladners to investigate the agricultural and horticultural resources of this portion of the province, which, they have been given to understand were not worth the trouble. That they will be surprised and pleased with what they see at Ladners, goes without saying. Both gentlemen are delighted with Westminster and its surroundings and evince a lively interest in its future prosperity

Personal.

A. J. Cambie, C.E., was in the city to-day.

Mr. Hill, chief engineer of the Southern Railway, left for Whatcom this morning.

W. H. Falding and family have returned from Hastings where they spent a few weeks. Mr. Falding finds his health much improved.

To the Fraser River.

(Written for the Columbian)

Father Fraser! Mighty flood!
In thy waves the salmon-brood
Fills the Indian-fisher's net;
This his bread, his staff of life,
Food of man, of child, of wife,
He has ever toiled to get.

Father Fraser! Now thy wave
Oft shall mighty vessels lave,
Bringing produce to thy strand,
Mighty vessels from thy shore
Shall diffuse the goodly store
Of thy highly-favored land.

Here the past and future meet,
Progress rapid, sure and fleet
Has begun a glorious course,
And thou wilt thy blessing pour,
Though the Indian bark no more
Glide from river-mouth to source.

Mountain-girded! Mountain-born!
We have scarcely seen the morn
Of thy universal fame.
All the earth with thee shall ring,
Poets shall thy praises sing
And extoll thy noble name.

JULIAN PEACOCK.

Mr. Sheehan, of Oscoda, Mich., writes, "*I have used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on* for different diseases, and found it to be just as you recommended. It has done justice to me every time, and it is the best Oil for horses I ever used." Observe that the name "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil" is on the front of the wrapper, as there are imitations of it.

Goliath Eclipsed.

The mighty and formidable bear slayers who left the city last week are still encamped at Balcarra, on the classic shores of the north arm of the inlet, from where they sally forth each morn and destroy the unsuspecting bear and tigerish mountain lion. Deeds of heroism are an hourly occurance and fierce hand to hand fights and blood curdling escapes from death are almost as frequent. The rugged, active and daring life lead by these young men is rapidly developing them into heroes and skilful hunters, not only in name but in deed, and, perhaps, their latest thrilling adventure might be truthfully related in these columns as the actors themselves are too modest to mention their own daring and courage. Early yesterday morning the roll was called, and, headed by Fred and Pat as advance guards, the detachment moved to the attack. Quarter of a mile had scarcely been covered when two shots, fired in rapid succession, told the main body that the enemy was discovered, and a few seconds afterwards the advance guard appeared and by a skilful movement took up its position some distance in rear of the line for the purpose of reforming and lending assistance to the main body if necessary. Tod and Jack retired an eighth of a mile in good order and a council of war was held, which resulted in a decision to advance all along the line. The force was then extended in skirmishing order and the signal given to advance, with orders for the men to take advantage of all cover and not expose themselves to unnecessary danger. Obedient to the slightest command, Tod was soon half way up an immense fir, Jack occupied a commanding position on the lee side of a hugh boulder, Fred by a capital strategic movement, held the key to a hollow log, and Pat, after a successful manœuvre, took an exalted and prominent position some distance up the mountain side. Thus situated the daring force was ready to engage anything that could reach them. In a few seconds the bear appeared and was greeted with a rattling volley from the death dealing rifles of the intrepid hunters, which, however, did not seem to weaken bruin's onward march. Seeing the fight would be long and stubborn, Fred vacated the log and retired to the roof of Balcarra House where he was shortly reinforced by Jack, while Pat moved a peg higher up the mountain and Tod chose a more lofty branch from which to direct his withering fire. Thus arranged fire was reopened and maintained steadily and with vigor for 2 hours and 15 minutes, at the end of which time the whole face of affairs was changed by an unexpected assault by the bear on the tree held by Tod. Despite the hot fire directed against him, Bruin clambered up the tree and was soon within a few feet of Tod, whose last hour had apparently arrived. But it was now, in the moment of extreme danger, that the cool, daring courage of our hunter made itself apparent. Stepping on to an apparently sound, but rotten branch, and grasping a strong limb above, Tod moved cautiously out several paces, allowing the strong limb to bear the weight of his body. The bear was deceived by this *ruse de guerre* and stepped boldly out on the rotten branch. There was a snap, a crash and a howl of rage and despair that awakened every echo for seven miles up and down the valley and caused Pat to lose his hold and roll several hundred feet down the hill. Then all was quiet and the hunters knew bruin was dead, the result of his temerity against such dauntless hunters. And then the heroes gathered together and embraced, and wept tears of pride at the manly heroism of each other; and before leaving the spot where their trophy fell, they decided to offer an unlimited supply of bear meat to the people of Westminster at the usual price, for cash only.

Late Canadian News.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 27.—Ten cents per gallon duty will be charged on beer consumed in the Northwest.

The government have received advices that the Halfbreeds at Batoche have asked McDowall, M. P., to secure compensation for the destruction of their property by the volunteers during the rebellion. They all went scrip for their children born before March 1885.

NIAGARA, Aug. 27.—Cox, of the Central Bank notoriety, has been arrested here.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 27.—W. C. Van Horne denies the report that he is to be knighted.

HAMILTON, Aug. 27.—Fireman Harry Lovell of this city went out on the cowcatcher of his engine on Friday evening just after leaving Toronto and grabbing a three year old child, which was standing on the track and looking on in wonder at the approaching engine, jumped with it down the enbankment. Neither were much injured.

GANANOQUE, Aug. 27.—Charles Quinn was killed on Saturday by a blow on the temple from the baseball.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—James Guest, a well-known wine merchant, who failed last week and was arrested on a capias at the instance of some English creditors, still remains in jail, being unable to obtain bail satisfactory to the plaintiffs, although a security of $30,000 was offered by his counsel. The creditors evidently consider that Guest's body is good security.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Aug. 28.—Albert Debruce, of Fairfield, was convicted before the police magistrate this morning for placing an obstruction on the C. P. R. track near that place. He denies any felonious intent, and said his only desire was fun in seeing engines thrown off the track. He was let go under a suspended sentence.

QUEBEC, Aug. 28.—Mr. Mercier expects to leave for Europe by the 20th September. He hopes before that to satisfactorily reconstruct the cabinet and get everything in ship-shape again between the jarring elements of his supporters.

Mr. George Tolen, Druggist, Gravenhurst, Ont., writes: "My customers who have used *Northrop & Lyman's* Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure say that it has done them more good than anything they have ever used." It has indeed a wonderful influence in purifying the blood and curing diseases of the Digestive Organs, the Liver, Kidneys, and all disorders of the system.

The Home of Evangeline.

Poetic Reminiscences and Fancies---The Appearance of the Modern Village.

Lovers of Longfellow will read with interest the following entertaining account of Grand Pre, the home of "Evangeline" and "Gabriel," as it appears to a tourist of the present day, from the pen of our Halifax correspondent, a former and well-known British Columbian:

GRAND PRE, N.S., Aug. 18.—To the traveller, in whose breast the poetic feelings stirred up by Longfellow's Evangeline remain, the name of Grand Pre is inseparably connected *with the sweetest and most holy* thoughts. As that magic name is repeated to him his mind rushes back to the quiet French village pictured so beautifully by Longfellow, sleeping its happy rural life away by the side of the also sleeping basin of Minas. He pictures to himself the peculiar-shaped, dormor-windowed French house, standing in a row along the village street, each shaded in front by the Normandy poplar—a perfect picture of rural felicity. In his mental vision he sees the "forest primeval" standing dark and grim behind the peaceful spot, but forming a back-ground which brings into splendid relief the quaint village and the stretch of dyked land "spread-away and unfenced o'er the plain," while far to the northward the blunt, bold face of Blomidon, partly obscured by the sea-fog, shows itself. As he looks more closely he mentally discerns the smoke rising lazily from Basil's smithy as the old man toils away at his peaceful avocation. Looking down the village street, may chance, he imagines he sees Pere Felician going his regular rounds among his flock; but a sound of merry laughter makes him turn, and in so doing he recognizes Evangeline in "her Norman cap and her kirtle of blue" accompanied by Gabriel, both of them appearing as happy as it is the lot of mortals to be in this world. Such perchance may be the mental photograph which the *reading of Evangeline has engraved on* our minds. But, alas! as we look at the place to-day we can say with the poet, "nought but tradition remains of the beautiful village of Grand Pre."

Being tempted to take a few days' rest, I know of no place in Nova Scotia so charmingly "made sacred with sorrows unsaid," and accordingly determined to visit this spot. Had I expected to see anything tending to bring to mind the pretty village which existed here 150 years ago, I had been disappointed. To one unacquainted with the poetic associations of the place, the modern village of Grand Pre looks like any other quiet country village. It has the customary "pioneer" store at the "cross-roads," and further up the street the lately-built opposition establishment; the village post-office with its pretty post-mistress whose smiling face greets you as you enquire for "a letter from home"; the smithies, where industrious young men follow in the steps of Tubal Cain and love their trade for its intimate connection with the romance of Grand Pre; the quiet country church standing on a small knoll as a sort of guardian angel watching over the spot; the neat cemetery near by in which the "forefathers of the hamlet sleep," for even in this scene of peaceful beauty "the dead are here." Oh, what a change from the bustle and dust and heat of the city! How much nearer man seems to be his to Creator when worshipping in this unpretentious village church than he does in the magnificent city cathedral! And then the cordial hand-shaking and well-wishing and enquiries after each other's health. Oh, how different from the sullen stare which meets one in the city!

The "forest primeval" of which Longfellow speaks has long since disappeared before the industry of successive generations. But the beautiful river Gaspareau (the river of Gaspar) pours its waters into the Basin as it did in days gone by, reminding us at one moment of the happy time when

"Many a lover in the moonlight,
Speaking tender words and low,
Sought the path across the meadow
Toward the quiet Gaspareau."

But all the recollections it produces are not of this sweet nature, for we turn to think of the time long ago when "the English ships rode in the Gaspareau's mouth" and mournfully say with the poet:

"And no sadder scene
Ever gave itself to story,
Than that scene of wreck and woe,
When the English ships weighed anchor
In the mouth of Gaspereau."

The total population of the village to day is about 150 souls. I speak now of the village—not including the vast stretches of rich farming land, thickly populated, which surround the village on all sides. The people are mostly descendants of the old Puritans who in 1760, five years after the expulsion of the Acadians, emigrated from Connecticut and the neighboring States and re-settled this section. They are entirely "another race with other customs and language," totally different from the French. Yet some of them seemingly preserve the innocent simplicity of the old Acadians. For example, only yesterday in speaking to a young lady of this place about B.C. and its inhabitants she asked me with the greatest possible *naivete* if the men of B.C. had not been all transported there, and if the women were not all Indians. Did you ever hear such talk? It is said that "westward *the star of empire takes its way*," but don't you, think Mr. Editor, that we ought to raise a fund for the promulgation of knowledge among the people of Grand Pre?

In another letter I shall tell you more about the modern Grand Pre and its vicinity. F. W. H.

Have you tried Holloway's Corn Cure? It has no equal for removing these troublesome excrescences, as many have testified who have tried it.

Children Cryfor Pitcher's Castoria

W. C. T. U.—REGULAR MEETING every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. Headquarters (over Cunningham & Raith's Shop), Douglas St. Loyal Legion in the same place every Friday afternoon. dau21tc

BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street, East of Mary Street. Lord's Day Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2:30 p. m. All seats free; strangers cordially welcomed. —Rev. Thos. Baldwin, pastor.

SILK RIBBONS!

Those of our readers who would like to have an elegant, large package of extra fine, Assorted Ribbons (by mail), in different widths and all the latest fashionable shades; adapted for Bonnet Strings, Neckwear, Scarfs, Trimming for Hats and Dresses, Bows, Fancy Work, &c., can get an astonishing big bargain, owing to the recent failure of a large wholesale Ribbon Manufacturing Co., by sending only 25 cents (stamps), to the address we give below.

As a *special offer*, this house will give *double* the amount of any other firm in America if you will send the names and P. O. address of ten *newly* married ladies when ordering and mention the name of this paper. No pieces less than one yard in length. Satisfaction is guaranteed, or money cheerfully refunded. Three packages for 60 cents. Address,

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Pork	"	8 10 @ 9 00
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Hides(gr'n)	"	4 00 @ 5 00
Potatoes	"	1 25 @ 1 50
Cabbage	"	2 00 @ 0 00
Onions	"	2 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Hay,	per ton	18 00 @ 00 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @ 0 35
Cheese,		0 16 @ 0 17
Eggs,	per doz.	0 20 @ 0 25
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @ 4 00

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, John Street, Opposite Orange Hall. Rev. Thomas Haddon, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Seats free; all are cordially invited. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular Communications of this Lodge are held on the first Monday in each month. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.
PETER GRANT,
fe23-to Secretary.

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Thursday, October 4th, 1888

The prize list for the Games and Sports is very large.
There will be a GRAND BALL in the evening.
Look out for Posters.
PETER GRANT,
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—OF—
FURNITURE
—AND—
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I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from WILLIAM CLARKSON, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, Pelham Street, N. W., on

Tuesday, 4th September,

the whole of his

DRAWING - ROOM, DINING - ROOM, BED-ROOM AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Together with CARPETS, STOVES, KITCHEN UTENSILS, Canned & Preserved JELLIES & JAMS, about 100 gals OLD CIDER, 50 gals VINEGAR, a large and valuable assortment of CARPENTERS TOOLS & GARDEN IMPLEMENTS, 80 APPLE BOXES, Lot of Lumber, and a great variety of useful and instructive BOOKS and other articles—the accumulation of 30 years.

Sale will commence at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Terms, Cash.
T. T. TRAPP,
dwau28td Auctioneer.

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—OF—
$2,500 WORTH
—OF—
General & Staple Dry Goods

Important to Merchants, Traders, Farmers & Others.

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DRESS GOODS in all kinds and styles.
FLANNELS in plain and colored.
SHEETINGS & COTTONS in all grades.
WINCEYS & SHIRTINGS in all qualities.
BLANKETS & COMFORTERS.
YARNS of all kinds.
BED SPREADS, RUBBER RUGS & OILED HORSE CLOTHS.
GENTS FURNISHINGS, in colored and plain Shirts, white dress shirts, braces, socks, ties, underwear, gloves, felt and straw hats, cardigan jackets, and a full line of other merchandise as is usually found in a well stocked Dry Goods Store.

☞ The sale will commence at 10 o'clock Friday morning and will be continued until all goods are disposed of.

TERMS—For sums over $30, negotiable notes at 3 months will be accepted; all amounts under $30, net cash.

T. J. TRAPP,
dwau22td AUCTIONEER.

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Charges Moderate.

MONTREAL, Dec., 1887.—Mr. F. Crake.—Andw. Robertson, Esq., Chairman of Montreal Harbor Commissioners, says: "I never found a Watchmaker who did so well for me as you did when in Montreal, and I am sorry you are not here to-day."
dwap12tc

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