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OUR BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

W. K. OLDHAM, PROFESSOR OF MUSIC, Balaklava Street. Vacancies for pils.

CARD—MRS. GRAFTEY, Teacher of the Pianoforte, Music, &c. Residence—Wellington street

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DR. TELGMANN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, has removed to the corner of Queen and Bagot streets. OFFICE—Heath & Gunn's Drug Store.

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G. J. JEFFERY, INSURANCE AGENT, Accountant and Commission Merchant, Clarence Street, between Wellington and King Streets. All business entrusted to him will meet with prompt and careful attention.

SMYTHE & DICKSON, BARRISTERS and ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW Solicitors in Chancery, Notaries Public—Ontario street, adjoining Dominion Telegraph Company's Office. EDW. G. SMYTHE, B.A. | E. H. DICKSON, B.A.

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A Large Supply now on hand at

J. W. BROWN & CO'S CARRIAGE FACTORY.

Now is your time to get your CARRIAGES DONE UP FOR THE SPRING.

CALL and we will do good work—VERY CHEAP. J. W. BROWN & CO.

Feb 11th

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MEAT.

THE PUBLIC WILL ALWAYS FIND good choice in all kinds of FRESH MEAT IN SEASON at the BROCK STREET BUTCHERS W. G. & J. ELLIOTT.

Careful delivery in all parts of the city, and orders quickly filled. Vennels supplied at the most reasonable rates. Shop opposite McKelvey & Birch's Stove Depot

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HAVING A LARGE STOCK OF Sugars, Raisins, Tea, &c., &c., On hand since Christmas, we are determined to dispose of them AT COST. Choice Butter 10c per lb. T. J. DONOGHUE & CO. Jan 4th.

OILS, PAINTS AND VARNISHES, CHISELS, PLANES, AUGERS, Nails, Spikes, Tacks, Water Lime, Land Plaster And a large supply of HARDWARE FOR SALE—CHEAP AT M'MILLAN'S Hardware Store, Princess Street

CONFECTIONERY Wholesale and Retail, AT J. REID'S. CHOICE CANDIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AND IN QUANTITY. ALL FRUITS kept in their seasons AT J. REID'S.

PHOTOGRAPHIC! ALL WHO HAVE SEEN THOSE IMPERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF CHILDREN! Finished in Crayons, Pastel, Water Colors and Ink pronounce them excellent. Parties wishing old Pictures enlarge and colored should give us a call. CONVEX IVORY TYPES. SHELDON and DAVIS. July 18th.

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OPENED THIS WEEK! —AT— A. ROSS'S PRINCESS STREET.

New Embroideries, New Neck Frillings, New Real Laces, New Fancy Neck Trimmings

New Striped and Checked Summer Silks,

New Dress Goods in all the newest shades and materials,

New Prints from 6c per yard.

New Scotch, English and Canadian Tweeds

See our WHITE COTTONS at 10c and 12½c per yard.

All wanting a pair of the 50 cent KIDS should call at once. A. ROSS, Opposite the City Hotel. March 15th.

NEW STORE

ROBERTSON BROS., Importers and Wholesale dealers in Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, and Lamp Goods, Plated WARE! MANUFACTURERS OF Laundry and Toilet Soaps.

RETAIL STORE was opened on Saturday, Feb. 22nd. next door above Heath & Gunn's. Feb 22nd.

FOR SALE, Three Residences and Lots

WILL BE SOLD on reasonable terms, the three Dwellings on Gordon street, between Earl and Johnson Streets, Nos. 232, 234 and 238. The houses are of fine appearance; one rents for $120 per year, and has nine rooms, besides closets, pantry and cellar. The others rent for $96 each and have six rooms, besides the closets, pantries and cellars. There is a Cistern in each house, and hard and soft water pumps in kitchen. Good Sheds and planked yards. Small Garden to each house.

Also the two stylish Brick houses in same block, nearly finished. They contain 7 rooms each, besides closets, pantries, cellars and good yards and sheds. Lots 145 feet deep.

Further particulars on application to WM. SNOWDEN, Johnson Street.

I will sell the Buildings singly or altogether. Dec 2nd

CALL AT GAGE BROS., And make your purchases from one of the best Stocks Kingston has ever seen. A magnificent Stock of WATCHES AND JEWELRY NOW OPENED.

Silver Ware, Bronzes and Bohemian Goods In great variety and at exceedingly low prices. GAGE BROS, Dec 17. Princess Street.

OUR SUCCESS. "The Best Recommendation."

Grand Trunk Brewery, King Street, Kingston.

MORTON, McKAY & KELLY, BREWERS OF XX & XXX Ales and Porter SUPPLIED IN WOOD OR BOTTLE. Orders solicited, and those received by mail promptly attended to. April 12, 1878.

AT FRASER & MOWAT'S YOU CAN BUY Cutlery, Plated Ware, Sleigh Bells, Cut Nails, Iron and Steel, &c., &c. Paints, Oils & Glass AT BANKRUPT PRICES. 134 Princess St. Nov. 4th.

MR. J. SMITH, Organist of the First Congregational Church, is prepared to receive a limited number of Pupils on the Piano and Organ. Terms made known on application. Communications sent through the Post promptly attended to. Residence—Arch Street Dec 27, 1878.

Hotel to Let or For Sale. Fenwick House ONTARIO STREET, With immediate possession. Apply to G. W. FENWICK, Nelson Street, Near Victoria Park, Or at the British Whig office. March 17, 1879.

TO LET. The premises now occupied by Mr. Kirkpatrick as a Fancy Goods Store, in McCammon's Block, Princess Street. March 25th.

CUNARD LINE! WITH the view of diminishing the chances of collision, the steamers of this Line take a specified course for all seasons of the year. On the Outward Passage from Queenstown to New York or Boston, crossing Meridian of 50 at 42 Lat., or nothing to the North of 43. On the Homeward Passage, crossing the Meridian of 50 at 42 Lat., or nothing to the North of 42½

The Cunard Steamship Company, (Limited)

New York and Liverpool CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.

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PARTHIA	Wednesday, March 5.	PARTHIA	Wednesday, April 9.
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ABYSSINIA	Wednesday, March 19.	GALLIA	Wednesday, April 23.
BATAVIA	Wednesday, March 26.	ALGERIA	Wednesday, April 30.
SCYTHIA	Wednesday, April 2.	SCYTHIA	Wednesday, May 7.

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Rates of Passage: By Steamers carrying Steerage, $80, and $100 gold, according to accommodation. *No Steerage. By Steamers not carrying steerage, $80, $100 and $130, gold, according to accommodation. Tickets issued at a special rate of $60 gold, during the Fall and Winter season. Tickets to Paris $15.00, Gold, additional. Return Tickets on favorable terms. Steerage at very low rates. Steerage Tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all other parts of Europe at lowest rates. Through Bills of lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other ports on the Continent; and for Mediterranean ports. For Freight and Passage apply at Company's Office, No. 4, Bowling Green, New York. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent

INSURANCE. Assets - - - - - $25,000,000. FIRE and LIFE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF ENGLAND. Commercial Union Assurance Company OF ENGLAND. Parties desirous of Insuring can depend upon low rates and fair dealing by treating with the undersigned. Office, Clarence Street. STRANGE & STRANGE AGENTS.

THE NEW BATHS

HE UNDERSIGNED ANNOUNCES TO the citizens of Kingston the opening of his NEW BATHS, in the apartments Under the British American Hotel, ATTACHED TO HIS BARBER SHOP. HOT AND COLD BATHS AT ALL TIMES. J. H. JONES, - Proprietor. Jan 31st.

Kingston School and Design, AT MISS ROSE'S ACADEMY, BARRIE STREET.

ARTHUR W. MOORE, Drawing Master: Systematic courses of Instruction in Free Hand Drawing in Pencil, Crayon, Water and Oil colors. The method of instruction will be such as to render the pupils competent to draw from nature and compose original work. Sketching rambles will be organized during the summer months. Pupils joining the Classes at once may become sufficiently advanced to take part in those interesting and instructive excursions. Terms moderate. For further particulars apply to MISS ROSE, Barrie street. Kingston, Feb 27th, 1879.

ONTARIO Building & Savings' Society, KINGSTON, ONTARIO.

DIRECTORS: WM. FORD, President. M. DORAN, Vice President. John Breden, Wm. Nickle, C. V. Price, Edwin Chown, B. M. Britton, Wm. McRossie, and Samuel Woods.

MANAGER.....JAS. McARTHUR

Loans made on the security of approved Farm and City or Town Property, for periods to suit the convenience of borrowers. OFFICE—Wellington Street, opposite St. George's Hall. Jan. 30th.

HAIR FELT. To Steamboat Owners, &c.

THE SUBSCRIBER has a quantity of HAIR FELT, perfectly fire proof, and especially adapted to covering Boilers and Steam pipes. ECONOMY. One half the amount of fuel will only be required by its use. For sale at cost. Apply at the KINGSTON BREWERY. PHILIP BAJUS. March 13th, 1879

PURE Wines and Liquors, Imported Direct from France of all the different Brands of Wines, Brandies, &c. &c. Also XX and XXX Porter XX and XXX, French Brandy Colouring, a very superior article, Champagne Cider Some of the best ever introduced in this Market. Geo. Thompson & CO

COAL DEPOT James Swift, ST. LAWRENCE WHARF, KINGSTON Wholesale and Retail Dealer in All Descriptions of Coal. For House, Furnace, Blacksmith and steam boat use. The best description of House Coal kept on hand under cover; screened and delivered to order at the lowest market rates. Country orders will receive prompt attention. J. SWIFT.

MISS E. C. ROSE'S ACADEMY —AND— SCHOOL OF DESIGN. THE SUMMER TERM will commence (D.V.) APRIL 16TH. Senior pupils will receive instruction in English and French, with attendance on Mr. Moore's Class in Drawing and Painting for $10 per term of ten weeks. Pupils may attend the Class in French, or the School of Design, at a very moderate rate and without being otherwise connected with the Academy. Terms in advance. For further particulars apply to E. C. ROSE, March 17th. Queen Street.

BIRD CAGES in great variety, Bird Cage Springs and Hooks, Bird Baths and Nests, Japanned Toilette Ware, Brass Window Cornices, And lots of convenient articles for housekeepers use just to hand at HORSEY'S, Golden Lion Block and Princess Street. Feb 25th.

REMOVAL OF BUSINESS. The Undersigned in thanking his numerous customers, and the public in general for past favors, would solicit the continuance of their patronage at his new stand, next door to Mr. H. Dumble's Confectionery Where they will find a good supply of SAUSAGES, LARD, PORK, HAMS, BACON, &c., &c., always on hand. JOHN SCHRODER. March 25th.

NEW ICE HOUSE. THE SUBSCRIBER IS PREPARED TO supply during the coming season, I C E Guaranteed of the Finest Quality, AND AT THE LOWEST LIVING RATES. Orders received by the WALSH BROS., Butchers, Market Square. JOHN GLEESON. March 3rd.

To Inventors and Mechanics. PATENTS and how to obtain them. Pamphlet of 60 pages free, upon receipt of Stamps for Postage. Address— GILMORE, SMITH & CO., Solicitors of Patents, Box 31, Washington, D.C.

SPRING HARDWARE —AT— J. H. ROSE'S, PRINCESS STREET. BUILDERS WILL DO WELL TO CALL SEE THE NEWEST STOCK! AND ENQUIRE PRICES. March 8th.

Ottawa Ladies' College, REV. WM. MOORE, Principal. Special attention paid to Music and French. For particulars apply to J. DICKIE, Secretary. March, 1879.

Spring Goods Just Arrived. THANKFUL for the past patronage we have received from our Friends in Kingston and vicinity, we would beg to inform them we have just received our New Spring Patterns, Port Folios, and What to Wears, (And expect in a short time to receive our Spring Fancy Goods), at our Old Stand, No. 2½ Wellington Street, opposite Clark Wright's. M. HENLEY & S. L. OTTON.

STEAMER FOR SALE. FOR SALE, the Steamer "CRUSOE," carrying 180 Passengers and Freight. Speed between 8 and 9 miles per hour. Terms Easy. For particulars apply to H. C. ROTHWELL, Box 177, Kingston. March 20th.

New Advertisements.

FOR TEN DOLLARS CASH we will insert a seven line advertisement 1 week in a list of 269 weekly newspapers, or four lines in a different list of 337 papers, or ten lines two weeks in a choice of either of four separate and distinct lists containing from 70 to 100 papers each, or four lines one week in all four of the small lists, or one line one week in all six lists combined, being more than 1,000 papers. We also have lists of papers by States throughout the United States and Canada. Send 10 cents for our 100 page Pamphlet. Address G. P. ROWELL & CO., Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce street, New York.

P.S.—If you will send us the names of a half dozen high priced papers in which you would advertise JUST NOW, if a satisfactory inducement is made, we will submit a proposition by return mail, which we think will please you. Money saved is money earned. Send copy of the advertisement you will use and state in what paper you saw this.

$7 A DAY to Agents canvassing for the FIRESIDE VISITOR. Terms and outfit free. Address P. O. VICKERY, Augusta, Maine.

25 All Elegant Chromos, Mottoes, &c., or 25 assorted, Snowflake, Dove, &c., or 25 Bird Cards, 10c. Nassau Card Co., Nassau, N.Y.

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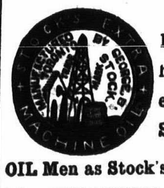
25 Lovely Cards, no 2 alike, 10 cents, or 18 Chromos, 10c postpaid. J. B. HUSTED, Nassau, N.Y.

$77 a month and expenses guaranteed to Agents. Outfit free. SHAW & CO., Augusta, Maine.



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BAJUS' L-A-G-E-R B-E-E-R The Best WALDSCHLOESSCHEN! CAN COMPETE WITH ANY MANUFACTURED IN THE PROVINCE. XX and XXX Ales and Porter THE BEST IN THE MARKET. P. BAJUS. The Bottling Department will be charge of H. A. HARBACK Princess St. April 29, 1878

HY. BRAME, Cabinet Maker —AND— UNDERTAKER, Corner Princess & Sydenham Streets, No. 65, Kingston, Ont. Keeps constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of Furniture. Undertaking attended to in all its branches. Keeps on hand a large assortment of Coffins and Caskets, of every description has the best Hearse in the Dominion. Funerals attended to in city and country on the most reasonable terms. HY. BRAME. May 19, 1874.

General Insurance Agency. FIRE, MARINE, LIFE, ACCIDENT, GUARANTEE, EXPLOSION TWELVE OF THE WEALTHIEST ENGLISH American and Canadian Companies REPRESENTED. Assets, Ninety Millions of Dollars. Lowest current rates for all classes of Insurance. J. P. GILDERSLEEVE, AGENT 42 CLARENCE STREET, KINGSTON. Ont., next to the British American Hotel. Kingston, March 15th, 1879.

DIRECT Per S.S. Sardinian and Moravian.

MAKE YOUR SELECTION —AT— CLARK WRIGHT'S. Imported for this season's Trade—the largest and most complete Stock of SPRING HATS! in the city, comprising the very latest from CHRISTY'S LONDON, Also in Fine American Felt Hats, Clark Bros. New York City, John B. Stetson & Co., Philadelphia. Extra value in Goods of Canadian manufacture, SOFT AND HARD FELT HATS and SILK HATS, my own manufacture. In prices you can rely on the lowest figures and best value. CLARK WRIGHT, March 12th. Wellington St.

SWORN EVIDENCE. The following Cure is probably the most remarkable one effected by any medical preparation for the treatment of Catarrh:

Gentlemen,—I am happy to certify that I have had Catarrh in its worst form for the last six years have been almost deaf. I was read nearly partially deaf, I had a ringing in the head, pains across the temples, dizziness, weak and painful eyes, swollen and inflamed tonsils, hard and constant cough, severe pains across the chest, and every indication of consumption. My head ached all the time. The matter seemed to so rapidly in my head and throat that I could not keep them free. Frequently at night I would spring out of bed, it seemed to me, at the point of suffocation. I would then have recourse to every means in my power to dislodge the mucus from my throat and head before being able to sleep again. For a period of six years my tonsils were inflamed and so much inflamed that I could with difficulty swallow. I finally consulted an eminent surgeon in regard to an operation on them, but at his request postponed it. The constant inflammation and ulceration in my throat caused by the poisonous matter dropping down from my head had so irritated and inflamed my lungs that I coughed incessantly,—a deep, hard cough. Meanwhile my system began to show the effects of this disease, so that I lost flesh, grew pale, and showed every symptom of an early death by consumption. When matters had reached this stage, or about six months ago, I began the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH. After using the first bottle I began to improve rapidly. The first dose seemed to clear my head as I had not known it to be for years. It seem d gradually to arrest the discharges. It stopped my cough in three days. By using it as a gargle it soon reduced the inflammation and swelling of my tonsils, so that they soon ceased to trouble me. The soreness across my chest disappeared, the buzzing noises in my head ceased, my senses of smell and of hearing were completely restored, and every symptom of disease that had reduced me to the verge of the grave disappeared by the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH.

I have been thus explicit because, as a druggist, I have seen a great deal of suffering from Catarrh, and I hope to convince many that this is a great remedy.

I am familiar with the treatment of Catarrh as practised by the best physicians, and have consulted the most eminent about my case. I have used every kind of remedy and apparatus that have appeared during a period of six years past, and have, while following their use, taken great care of my general health, but obtained no relief or encouragement from any of them. * * * * * * *

BOSTON, Feb. 23 1878. GEO. F. DINSMORE.

SUFFOLK, ss. Feb. 23, 1878. Then personally appeared the said George F. Dinsmore, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true. Before me, SETH J. THOMAS, Justice of the Peace.

Each package contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube, with full directions for use in all cases. Price, $1.00. For sale by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the United States. WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER Affords the most grateful relief in all Affections of the Chest and Lungs. CHRONIC PLEURISY CURED. Messrs. WEEKS & POTTER: Gentlemen,—Having for many months past suffered with a very lame side, called by my physician Chronic Pleurisy, caused by former injury and strain, and for which I use many prescriptions and linitments, as well as the so-called rheumatic cures, without the least benefit, my physician recommended one of your COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTERS, which, to my great surprise, relieved the pain and soreness almost instantly, and I have been able to attend to my business affairs ever since with perfect ease and comfort, whereas, before the application of your invaluable Plaster, I was scarcely able to do anything. I consider them inestimable, and shall with pleasure recommend them to the afflicted. Yours respectfully, Mrs. FRANCES HARRIMAN. CUTLAND, Me., April 21, 1876.

There is no medical or protective appliance that will prove so grateful and effective in Tickling Coughs, Irritation and Soreness of the Chest and Lungs. We believe them capable of preventing serious diseases of these organs.

PRICE, 25 CENTS. Do not confound these Plasters with the ordinary Plasters of the day, that by comparison are absolutely worthless. Be careful to obtain COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER, a combination of Electric or Voltaic Plates with a highly Medicated Plaster, as seen in the above cut. Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the United States and Canadas, and by WEEKS & POTTER, Proprietors, Boston, Mass.

Protection versus Free Trade. EVERYBODY PLEASED! Grocery Goods Cheaper than Ever —AT— PARKHILL'S. SUGAR AS CHEAP AS EVER. TEAS LOWER THAN EVER. COFFEE AS LOW AS EVER. HAMS 7c per pound. 500 BAGS FAMILY FLOUR. ONE CAR LOAD OLD FAMILY FLOUR AT PARKHILL'S. March 26th.

AUCTION SALES —BY— J. BERMINGHAM, At his Rooms, Wellington St. COMMENCING Thursday Eve., March 27th, AT 7:30, AND TO BE CONTINUED Friday & Saturday Evenings, AT SAME HOUR. Two Crates of assorted Crockery, in detail to suit Housekeepers; One dozen Blue, Green and Pink, Fancy Chamber Sets (nine pieces each); Two dozen Half Gallon Glass Jugs, Twenty dozen Goblets, and Fifty dozen Dinner Plates, all must be closed out without reserve. At his Rooms, Wellington St. —ON— Saturday, 29th, at 10:30 A.M CLEARING SALE OF Household Furniture, Cook Stoves, Lounges, Bureaus, Wash Stands, Dressing Tables, Schooner fully rigged, under glass shade, Pictures, Child's Carriage, encased Sewing Machine in good order. Early in April day, to be named, Two dozen Children's Carriages, Perambulator and Basket Phetons. In April day, to be named, a consignment of Bird Cages—round, square and long square. About middle of April day, to be named, Household Furniture on Queen Street. March 25th.

KINGSTON Coffee and Steam Spice Mills FOR SALE. THE undersigned offers for sale his Stock, Machinery and good-will in the above business, on very easy terms of payment, and will rent the premises, which are well situated and adapted for the business at a very moderate rental for a long or short term of years. All Machinery is in good working order. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. P.S.—I will, if necessary, give the purchaser one month of my time free of charge to assist him. Apply personally or by letter to J. A. KARCH, Proprietor, Kingston, Ont. March 11th.

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SATURDAY EV'NG, MARCH 29, 1879.

A SERMON FOR THE SISTERS.

BY IRWIN RUSSELL.

I nebber breaks a colt afore he's old enough
to trabbel;
I nebber digs my taters tell dey plenty big to
grabble;
An' when you sees me risin' up to strutify in
meetin',
I's fust clumb up de knowledge-tree and done
some apple-eatin'.

I sees some sistahs pruxint, mighty proud o'
what dey wearin',
It's well you isn't apples, now, you better be
declarin'!
For when you heerd yo' markit-price, 't d'
hurt yo' little feelin's:
You wouldn't fotch a dime a peck for all yo
fancy peelin's.

O sistahs—leetle apples (for you're r'a'lly
mighty like 'em)—
I lubs de ol' time russets, dough it's seldom I
kin strike 'em;
An' so I lubs you, sistahs, for yo' grace, an'
not yo' graces—
I don't keer how my apple looks, but on'y
how it tas'es.

Is dey a Sabbaf-scholah heah? Den let him
form his mudder
How Jacob in de Bible's boys played off upon
dey brudder!
Dey sol' him to a trader—an' at las' he struck
de prison:
Dat o'med ob Joseph's struttin' in dat streaked
coat ob his'n.

My Christian frien's, dis story proobes dat
eben men is human—
He'd had a dozen fancy coats, ef he'd 'a' been
a 'oman!
De cussidness ob showin' off, he foun' out all
about it:
An' yit he wuz a Christian man, as good as
ever shouted.

It larned him! An' I bet you when he come
to git his riches
Dey didn't go for stylish coats or Philadelphy
breeches:
He didn' was'e his money when experunce
taught him better.
But went around' a lookin' like he's waitin'
for a letter!

Now, sistahs, wont you copy him? Say won't
you take a lesson.
An' min' dis sollum washnin' 'bout de sin ob
fancy dressin'!
How much yo' spen' upon yo'self? I wish
you might remember
Yo' preacher aint been paid a cent sence
somewhar in November.

A-A-A-MEN!

—*Scribner for April.*

THE SNUFF-COLORED SUIT.

I scarcely know how it happened, but a timber must have fallen and struck me on the head. The first thing I realized after it was that I was straight and still on something hard, and when I tried to move and speak, I found it impossible to do so. I concluded that I must be in some very tight, dark place, for I could not see; in fact, I soon learned that, though perfectly conscious, I could do nothing but hear. A door opened and footsteps approached; but I felt a cloth taken from my face, and a voice I recognized as that of Mr. Jones—the father of my intended wife—said,—

'He hasn't changed much,' and his companion, by whose voice I knew the village undertaker, Hopkins by name, replied,—

'Better looking dead than alive. How does Jerusha feel about it? Take on much?'

'No; she has her eye on another fellow anyhow, and a better match, too, excepting the money part. Though I had nothing against Ben, only he did not know much, and was about the homeliest man I ever knew. Such a mouth; why it really seemed as though he was going to swallow knife, plate and all, when he opened it at dinner.'

'Well,' said the cheerful voice of Hopkins, 'he'll never open his mouth again;' and he proceeded to measure me for my coffin, for it seemed I was dead. I heard of undertakers whistling joyfully when they got a measure, but I never believed it before. But that man actually whistled a subdued dancing tune while he measured me, and it seemed to me that three or four icicles were rolling down my back to the music of his whistle.

His duty done, they covered my face again and left me to my reflections, which were not particularly comforting, although I had often heard it remarked that meditation was good for the soul, and this was the best chance I had ever had of trying it.

An hour must have passed when the door opened again, and two persons came whispering along to where I lay, and the voice of my promised wife fell upon my ear.

'I dread to look at him, Bob; he was so mortal homely alive, he must be frightful dead.'

I ground my teeth in imagination, as I remembered how often she had gone into raptures, or pretended to, over my noble brow and expressive mouth; and how she had often declared that if I was taken away from her she would surely pine away and die.

One of them raised the cloth, and I knew they were looking at me. Bob was her second cousin, and I knew that he was the 'other fellow,' whom her father had mentioned.

'Seems to me you don't feel very bad about his dying, 'Rusha,' remarked Bob, meditatively.

'Well, to tell the truth,' said my betrothed, 'I don't care very much about it. If he had lived I should have married him because he was rich, and father wanted me to; but I was getting sick of my bargain, for I knew I should always be ashamed of him, he looked so like a baboon.'

'But you loved him!' said Bob.

'No, I didn't! My affections were wasted long ago upon one who never returned my love;' and my fast fading idol sighed heavily.

They had covered my face by this time, and were standing a few steps from me.

'About how long ago, 'Rusha?' asked Bob, sentimentally.

'A year or so,' with another deep sigh, which ended in a fit of sneezing.

'About the time I went away?' interrogated the cautious Bob.

'Well, somewheres near,' assented my charming affianced.

'Now, Jerusha, you don't mean to insinuate that I—'

'I don't mean to insinuate anything, Bob Smith!' and the angelic sweetness of her voice was somewhat sharpened.

'Now see here, 'Rusha, I've loved you ever since you was knee high, but I thought you was sweet on that other chap; but I swan now I believe you liked me all the time!'

'Oh, Bob!' said my was-to-be, in a gushing sort of way.

'My own Jerusha!' cried Bob.

Then I heard a subdued rush, accompanied by violent lip explosions. I tried to kick or do something to relieve my outraged feelings, but not a kick could I raise. It was awaful fire to be in, but I had to stand it, until they got tired of it, and then they went out, and I was again left to my own pleasant reflections.

Night came, and so did a lot of young fellows with their girls, to sit up with me, and they had a jolly time of it, although it was against my principles to enjoy it on so solemn an occasion.

It seemed an age till morning, but it came at last and they went away. I heard them say that I was to be buried that day at two o'clock, and I was beginning to be decidedly shaky, when Jerusha and her mother came into the room and began arranging for the funeral.

'Jerusha,' said her mother, 'here's that snuff-colored suit of poor Ben's; of course he will never have any more use for clothes, so just put them away among your carpet rags; they'll make a splendid stripe.'

Now that particular suit was the neatest one I ever owned, arm holes, collar, wrist bands, buttons, all just the thing, and my blood boiled to hear them talk so coolly of using them for stripes in a rag-carpet. They kept on talking as they swept, dusted and cleaned the room.

'Bob says he will take the Martin farm to work this year,' said Jerusha cheerfully, 'and as soon as we are married we shall go to housekeeping in that little cottage close to the road. Now I must get my carpet done as soon as possible, for I want it in that nice little front room. These duds of Ben's will make out rags enough, I guess. His folks live so far away they will never inquire about his clothes. If it wasn't for the looks of it, we could ask old Sally Smith about coloring yellow; she's sure to be here today.'

'I was getting very mad, now. I felt that the end was near, and that I should either die or explode if they did not let my snuff-colored suit alone. Jerusha picked them up—I knew it, for I heard the buckles and buttons jingle—and made for the door. I tried to shake my fist and yell at her, but all in vain. I laid there, outwardly quiet as a lamb, inwardly boiling with warmth. It was too much. The deepest trances could not have held out against the loss of that suit. With a powerful effort I sprang up and yelled. Jerusha dropped my clothes and her mother the duster, and both fled from the house, never stopping until they reached Dr. Brown's across the street.

I managed to get my clothes, and just got them fairly on, when Jerusha and her mother, followed by a company of men women and children, came peeping cautiously into the room. I sat on my board and looked at them. Such a scared looking crowd was enough to amuse an owl, so I laughed; I knew it was unbecoming but I couldn't have helped it if they had chucked me into my coffin—which was just being carried past the window—and buried me the next minute. I laughed until I jarred the chair out from under the end of the board, and down I went with a crash. Then the doctor ventured into the room, saying, dubiously,—

'So you are not dead yet, Ben!'

'Well, no, not exactly,' I replied; 'sorry to disappoint my friends about the funeral, however.'

'Yes', he said, rather absently, 'bad, rather—that is—ahem!'

'Fool! out of that snuff-colored stripe!' I thought, as I looked at Jerusha.

'Go and speak with him,' said her father, in a stage whisper. 'He's got the stamps, and you had better marry him after all.'

They began to gather around me and congratulate me on my escape. I noticed that they cried a great deal more than when I was dead. Jerusha came and hung around my neck, sniveling desperately. I gave her a not over-gentle push and told her to wait next time until I was safely buried before she set her heart on my old clothes.

'Oh, I am so glad!' she said, sweetly, without appearing to notice what I said about the clothes—'that you are not dead, Benny dear. My heart seemed all withered and broken to see you lying so cold and white. I wept bitterly over your pale face, my beloved.'

'Yes,' I replied. 'I heard you and Bob taking on terribly. It was a lucky die for me.'

'Could you hear!' she gasped.

'I rather think I could some,' I replied.

She looked toward the door, but it was crowded full, so she made a dive for the open window, and went through it like a deer. She shut herself up in the smoke-house and would not come out until after I had left the house.

Bob would not fill his promise of marriage with his cousin because she tried to make up with me again; so she is living a life of a single blessedness.

While I am writing, my wife is cutting up my snuff-colored clothes to make a stripe in a new carpet for our front room.

PLEASANT TIME.—At the close of last month, during a terrific storm at Venice, the square of St. Mark's, the piazzetta, and principal streets were completely inundated by the high tide. A large number of people were held captive in restaurants and in small by-streets so elevated as not to be covered by water, while in the flooded parts masked revellers wading about bare legged, noisy urchins and porters conveying on their back women fresh from balls and dressed in all sorts of finery and toggery, presented an amusing spectacle. Travel on the canals was suspended, and the gondolas could not pass under the bridges, and considerable damage was caused on all sides.

A MAYOR IMPEACHED.—Mayor Parsons of Rochester, has been indicted for neglect of duty. The clergymen of the city and prominent citizens furnished evidence that some 300 saloons were selling liquor, contrary to law, and the mayor neglected to suppress them—hence the indictment. The police commissioners also have been indicted. The excise commissioners of that city, who were indicted some time since, have been tried and the jury found them guilty. A new trial has been moved. The safest way is for all officials to obey the law.

TO THE WEST.—Thousands of emigrants, beyond the Mississippi are shouting, Westward ho!' As many as 3,500 arrived at Kansas City, one day last week, and set their faces toward the West. Last season they came by families, by sections, and by hundreds; but this year it is by thousands. The various roads had calculated upon a heavy travel this season, and their anticipations have been more than verified.

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