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ROBERT GAGE,
Architect, over M. Gage's Jewellery Store, Princess Street, Kingston, Ont.

L. CLEMENTS
Dentist, office opposite the Post Office, Wellington Street. Established in Kingston, 1857.

HENRY BAWDEN,
AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Kingston, Ont. OFFICE—Montreal Street.

WALKEM & WALKEM
ATTORNEYS, SOLICITORS, &c., Kingston, opposite the Post-Office.
RICHARD WALKEM | JOSEPH B WALKEM

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

D. PHELAN, M.D., M.R.C.P.S., Ontario and Quebec (Member of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and Quebec) Physician, Surgeon, Accoucheur Office: Princess St., over Hobart's Drug Store Oct 11, 1877.

BRITTON & PRICE
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors n Chancery, Notaries Public, &c Office—Clarence Street. B. M. Britton, M.A., C. V. Price, L.L.B.

POWER & SON
Architects and Building Surveyors. Office—Wellington Street, Kingston. John Power Jos W Power.

C. H. LAVELL, M.D., M.C.P.S., &c.
(Late Toronto Eye and Ear Infirmary,)
OCULIST and AURIST. Office at the Drug Store, 16 Princess Street, Kingston, Ontario.

GEORGE F. HORSEY, L.D.S.,
DENTIST,
OFFICE and Residence—Bagot Street, between Brock and Princess Street.
Oct 20, 1877

DR. B. W. DAY,
DENTIST—Office and residence, Dr. Sampson's office corner of King and William Streets, opposite Dr. Yates.
Jan6, 1878.

J. K. OLDHAM,
PROFESSOR OF MUSIC, Balaklava Street. Vacancies for pupils.
Jan 2, 1878.

REMOVED TO BROCK ST.,
opposite the Bay of Quinte House.
DR. TELGMANN,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. OFFICE—Heath & Gunn's Drug Store.

J. H CLARK, M.D., D.D.S., L.D.S
DENTIST, Graduate of the New York College of Dentistry.
OFFICE—Wellington street, between Princess and Brock streets. Particular attention and to the preservation of natural teeth.

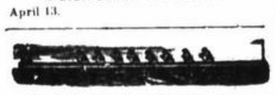
R. E. SPARKS, D.D.S., L.D.S.,
DENTIST.
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, Princess St., between Montreal and Sydenham Streets. Careful attention paid to the correcting of irregularities of the teeth.
Jan 10, 1878.

WALKEM & WALKEM
SOLICITORS, NOTARIES, &c., Clarence Street, Kingston, opposite Post office.
☞ Money advanced on security of Real Estate Mortgages purchased
Oct 5, 1876.

ROBERT SHAW,
BARRISTER, ATTORNEY-A LAW, SOLICITOR, &c. OFFICE—Princess Street over Dr. Skinner's Drug Store.
Feb 20th, 1878.

WHITEWASHING,
Colouring.
Patching.
Plastering
And GENERAL JOBBING DONE
—BY—
W. JONES,
Princess Street, opposite Welch's Marble Works.
April 13.

LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S
Cast-Off Wearing Apparel
PURCHASED.
New and Second Hand Goods
of every description bought and sold.
A LARGE STOCK OF NEW CLOTHES now on hand for sale.
☞ NOTE THE ADDRESS—
MRS. JONES,
OPPOSITE WELCH'S MARBLE SHOP
PRINCESS STREET.
April 13.



A LARGE STOCK OF
Pleasure Boats & Shooting Skiffs
NEWLY MADE AND FOR SALE
—AT—
JAMES KNAPP'S
Boat Building Establishment,
BARRIEFIELD.
☞ BOATS built in any style to order, from the varnished and ornamented Cedar to the cheapest Row Boat. ☞ Boat Houses and Shop in Green Bay, Barriefield.
No Better Work is to be Seen in Kingston than ours.
March 16, 1878.

WAR!
Owing to the unsettled state of Russia, Turkey and England, the proprietors of the
BEE-HIVE
WILL SELL THEIR
Boots and Shoes
CHEAPER THAN EVER.
Parsons & Scorah
Under the Albion Hotel.
April 18, 1878.

JUST ARRIVED!
A NEW LOT OF
GLASS SHADES,
Fish Aquariums,
Hanging Glass Flower Pots,
Gipsy Kettles,
Bird Baths, &c., &c.,
—AT—
M. Kirkpatrick's Fancy Store,
PRINCESS STREET.
April 26, 1878.

FOR SALE,
FOR SALE—THE NEW HOUSE ON UNION STREET, opposite St. James Church, now approaching completion. Will be one of the most convenient in the city, and furnished in the most modern style; open grates with mantel; also folding door, and water and gas. Apply to
JOHN CUNNINGHAM,
April 1 1878 Builder.

MPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
OPENING OF
MOLLOY'S
CASH
Boot and Shoe Store.
I BEG TO ANNOUNCE TO MY FRIENDS and the public that on Saturday, March 30th, I will commence business IN THE STORE,
No. 24 Princess Street,
(OPPOSITE GAGE'S JEWELLERY STORE.)
Where I will offer for sale the Choicest, best Selected and Cheapest Stock of Boots and Shoes ever exhibited in this city.
Having made arrangements to buy and sell for Cash only, I am thus enabled to offer Goods at prices away below the reach of those who do business on the old iniquitous credit system. I therefore respectfully ask intending purchasers to inspect my Stock, having every confidence that the prices and quality of the Goods will at once convince everyone that
The ONLY place to Buy CHEAP BOOTS and SHOES is at
MOLLOY'S CASH STORE.
. H. MOLLOY.
March 29.

"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 22, 1878.

MY NEW SHOW ROOMS
On the first floor, will be opened on the 10th of May, with the
Largest and Best Assortment of Carriages ever shown in Kingston
G. W. ROBINSON,
PRINCESS ST., KINGSTON.
April 27

HERE WE ARE AGAIN!
BAJUS'
L-A-G-E-R B-E-E-R
The Best
WALDSCHLOESSCHEN!
CAN COMPETE WITH ANY MANUFACTURED IN THE PROVINCE.
The popular Waldschloesschen is now supplied daily in wood or bottle. 300 dozens of the new patent bottles received. The quality of every delivery guaranteed. We challenge competition from any Provincial or imported Lager. ☞ Patronize home manufacture and order your Lager where you can be sure of getting it good. Also,
XX and XXX Ales and Porter,
THE BEST IN THE MARKET.
P. BAJUS.
☞ The Bottling Department will be in charge of H. A HARBACK, Princess St.
April 29, 1878.

NOTICE.
TO ALL PEOPLE WANTING KEYS for Locks can be supplied by leaving their orders with WM. DAVID, the Cheap Broker He has hundreds of Keys on hand.
WM. DAVID, Broker, and dealer in New and Second Hand Goods of every description. Opposite Mrs. Burgess' Fancy Foods Store, Princess Street, Kingston ☞ CHEAP JOHN.

FOR SALE,
ON the Southwest quarter of Lot 24, in the 5th Concession of the Township of Kingston, containing 50 Acres of good cultivated Land. Thereon are two Dwelling Houses, (occupied) four Wells of water, and 4 Acres of an Orchard, in good condition, with fruit. There is one new Barn, lately built, size 40x48, and best in the Township. This valuable Property is situated near the Perth Road, five miles from Kingston. The property can be purchased by paying one third down. For further particulars as to terms or otherwise, apply to the owner,
WM. DAVID,
Cheap Broker, Princess Street, Kingston
April 24, 1878.

TO RENT,
A HOUSE AND TEN ACRES OF LAND about five miles from Kingston. Apply to
WM. DAVID,
Broker, Princess St., Kingston
Feb 13, 1878.

FOR SALE,
A GOOD BUSH FARM, containing about one hundred and twenty acres. There is a new Frame Dwelling thereon. For terms apply to the owner.
WILLIAM DAVID,
The Cheap Broker, Princess St., Kingston

MILCH COW FOR SALE.
A SUPERIOR YOUNG COW. For particulars apply at the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE or Newton & Hughes, Flour Store, Kingston.
April 25, 1878.

HENRY CHAPMAN & CO.
MONTREAL.
G. H. MUMM & CO

G. H. MUMM & CO
CHAMPAGNE WINES
—OF—
G. H. MUMM & CO.,
REIMS.
The Subscribers having been appointed Sole Agents in the Dominion for the sale of these Celebrated Wines, offer them to the Trade up on liberal terms.
HENRY CHAPMAN & CO.,
AGENTS.

1877.
IMPORTATIONS
—OF—
CHAMPAGNE WINES!
Into the United States in 1877,
According to Bonfort's Wine and Liquor Circular of Jan. 3rd, 1878.

| BRAND. | CASES. |
|---|---|
| C. H. MUMM & CO. | 35 270 |
| Piper-Heidsieck | 23,879 |
| L. Roederer & Co | 12,808 |
| Pommery & Greno | 6,080 |
| Heidsieck & Co | 5,524 |
| Geo. Goulet & Co | 4,990 |
| Krug & Co | 4,800 |
| Chas. Heidsieck | 4,520 |
| De St Marceaux & Co | 3,606 |
| Jules Mumm & Co | 2,726 |
| Bouche Fils & Co | 2,721 |
| Burchard Delbeck & Co | 2,439 |
| Moet & Chandon | 2,228 |
| Veuve Cliequot Ponsardin | 2,095 |
| Theo. Roederer & Co | 1,832 |
| Ackerman Laurance | 1,754 |
| Duminy & Co., (since July 19) | 1,762 |
| Ayala & Co | 1,662 |
| Ruinart Pere & Fils | 1,730 |
| Giessler & Co | 1,522 |
| Various Brands | 8,946 |
| Total | 132,389 |

HOCK AND MOSELLE WINES
—OF—
P. A. MUMM, FRANKFORT-O.-M.
HENRY CHAPMAN & CO.,
Sole Agents for the Dominion.
APOLLINARIS WATER
Company (Limited) London.
HUNYADI JANOS
Natural Mineral Water.
HENRY CHAPMAN & CO.,
MONTREAL,
Sole Agents for the Dominion.
Feb 11, '77.

THE DOG TAX
NOTICE is hereby given that all parties owning or harboring Dogs must forthwith procure
MEDALS
For the same, otherwise they will be prosecuted according to law
THOMAS CONLEY,
City Commissioner.
Kingston, April 27.

YARKER'S OLD STAND
Important Notice to Builders, Farmers and Others.
CUT NAILS,
$2.75 per Keg of 100 lbs.
Each Keg of Nails is guaranteed entirely free from dust, scale, slivers, or headless nails, each nail being selected by "Diamond Automatic Picker," which gives at least 3 lbs more of perfect nails to the keg.
ALSO, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
Shelf and Heavy Hardware,
AT VERY LOW PRICES.
☞ A call solicited.
JNO. E. ROSE
March 28, 1878.

STEAM YACHT
FOR SALE.
FOR SALE by the Subscriber—A HANDSOME WELL MODELLED new STEAM YACHT, capable of carrying a party of thirty people; can run from ten to twelve miles per hour easily, cabin separate from engine room. Engine drives a 2 ft. 6 in. speed wheel. Offered at a low figure; may be seen on the premises, Montreal Street, near the Quarry.
DAVID JONES.
Kingston, April 16, 1878.

TROTTING STOCK
FOR SALE.
EXCELSIOR GOLD DUST, A VERY handsome Chestnut Stallion, foaled 1874, (sired by Dorsey & Hornby of Kentucky.) The "Gold Dusts" are all very fast trotters. Pedigree furnished. Apply at the WHIG OFFICE.
April 24, 1878.

BOARDERS.
ACCOMMODATION for five or six boarders. Terms reasonable. Enquire of MRS. W. BEGG, Wellington St.
April 13, 1878.

For Sale,
"THE LIGHT PLUME," on Princess Street Williamsville, Kingston. For particulars enquire at the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE.
Kingston, March 15, '78.

A GRAND CHANCE
FOR
CHEAP CLOTHING

CLOTHS, Diagonals, Worsted Coatings, Tweeds, Gent's Furnishings,
CLOTHS, Diagonals, Worsted Coatings, Tweeds, Gent's Furnishings,
Hats, Caps, &c.
OUR READY-MADE DEPARTMEMENT IS NOW COMPLETE!
WE ARE OFFERING:
Suits from $5.00 to $15.00,
Diagonal Suits from $14.00 to $18.00,
All Wool Pants from $1.75 to 5.00
ORDER WORK WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALITY. ☞ Our Cutter, Mr. McIntosh has given satisfaction to all those who have given him a trial.
☞ McNAUGHTON & CO. are offering GREAT BARGAINS in the above Goods. Parties requiring any Goods in our line will find it to their advantage to give us a call.
COME ONE! COME ALL!
McNAUGHTON & CO., Cor King & Princess Sts.

'78. SPRING. '78
LARGE ARRIVALS OF NEW SPRING GOODS
—AT—
HICKEY & ILETT'S,
PRINCESS STREET,
Consisting of Black and Colored Cashmeres, Plain and Fancy Dress Goods in all the Leading Colors ranging from 7c per yard, New black Silks at extraordinary low prices, 500 pieces New Prints from the best makers 500 Esmonts Print to be sold by the pound, White and Grey Cottons, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Towellings, Lace Curtains and Antimacassas, all to be sold at prices to suit the hard time, 25 pieces Oxford Shirtings offering at a great Bargain, a full Stock of Tweeds, Cloths and Worsted Coatings, cheap a full Stock of Ladies and Gent's Cotton and Merino Hosiery. Also a full assortment of Cotton and Merino Underclothing, 500 Pairs Black and Colored Two Button French Kid Gloves at 50c. To arrive in a few days—50 dozen Genuine Patent Seamless Kid Gloves in all the new Shades. These Gloves are decidedly the best in the market. A full Stock of Fancy Goods and Gent's Furnishings, all comprising one of the most complete and attractive Stocks of Dry Goods in the city. ☞ An inspection solicited.

FRESH ARRIVALS
—OF—
ALEXANDER ROSS
IS NOW SHOWING THE CONTENTS OF
Eighty-Five Packages of Dry Goods of Every Description,
And would solicit a call from everybody to convince them that for variety and lowness of price his Stock is not surpassed in the city.
THE MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS will open to-morrow, Saturday, the 30th, with all the latest in English, American and Parisian Styles. A great variety of PATTERN BONNETS and HATS. NEW CARPETS in Hemp, Wool, Tapestry and Brussels. New Floor Oil Cloth. Hares Celebrated English FLOOR OIL CLOTHS Yard wide English and American Oil Cloth from 37½c per yard. Stair Oil Cloths and Cocoa Mattings. N.B.—Received to-day—another supply of the 50 cent Striped Silk.
A. ROSS,
March 28, 1878. 88 Princess Street, opposite the City Hotel.

NAILS!
FOR THE CHEAPEST AND BEST
CUT NAILS
GO TO
Corbett & Co's Hardware House
87 King Street.
3-inch CUT NAILS only $2.70 per 100 lbs. A large Stock on hand.
PORTLAND CEMENT and Plaster Paris For Sale Cheap.
PAINTS and PAINT OILS.
GLASS and PUTTY cheap for cash at
CORBETT & CO'S.
April 27. Hardware House.

New Clothing House
THE Subscribers beg to intimate to the citizen of Kingston and surrounding country that they have opened A NEW CLOTHING STORE IN KINGSTON, where they intend keeping
A Large Assortment of Ready-Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods,
Which they will offer at extremely low prices.
☞ IN OUR TAILORING DEPARTMENT which is under the management of Mr. McDonald, a practical Cutter of over 20 years experience in the largest cities in both Canada and the United States. We have
A Very Large and Well Assorted Stock of Tweeds,
Consisting of English Scotch, French and Canadian Tweeds of the best manufacture. Also Worsted Coatings of different patterns, which we will sell by the yard or manufacture to order in the very latest styles—guaranteeing A PERFECT FIT or no sale. We will be happy to show our Goods to any one who may favor us with a call whether intending to purchase or not.
FRALICK & BOYD,
PRINCESS STREET,
Four Doors Below the Albion Hotel, and opposite Frank Rigney's.
Feb 14, 1878.

ARRIVED!
Per S.S. *Polynesian*, at the
New Hat Store,
Another Large Case of the Popular
Weather Indicator Hat,
and Christy's London.
Young Men's "Stitch Brims" at THE NEW HAT STORE.
American "Dish Brim" Hats at THE NEW HAT STORE.
Novelties in Straw Goods at THE NEW HAT STORE.
Tweed Hats—fine assortment at THE NEW HAT STORE.
Boy's Hats in endless variety.
MILLS BROS.
Cor Princess and Bagot Streets
April 26, 1878.

CARD.
MRS. DAVY, William Street, having taken a larger house on Wellington Street, will on the 1st of May, be prepared to accommodate a few more boarders, with or without rooms. For particulars apply at her present residence.
April 25, 1878.

FOR SALE,
A LOT—an eligible building site, situated at the head of Bay Street. Terms reasonable. Apply at this office.
Kingston, Feb 23, 1878.

GREAT SPRING SALE!
—OF—
Boots and Shoes
A. SUTHERLAND
NOW OFFERS FOR CASH THE LARGEST, Best and Cheapest Stock of Boots and Shoes in the city. It comprises
EVERY VARIETY OF
Ladies, Gentlemen's, Misses and Children's
Boots, Shoes & Slippers
Of American and Canadian manufacture, suitable for Spring and Summer wear. I have also a very large assortment of
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hand-Made Boots and Shoes,
of my own make, at VERY REASONABLE PRICES. Having enlarged my Store I will always be able to keep a large Stock of the above. ☞ Call and see for yourself.
A. SUTHERLAND,
26 Princess Street.
April 11, 1878.

Cape Vincent, Garden Island, Wolfe Island & Gananoque Steamboat Route.
THE STEAMERS

Maud, Pierrepont and Geneva.
ONE of the above Steamers will leave Kingston for Cape Vincent, daily, (Sundays excepted) at 6:30 and 2 p.m., making close connections with the R.W. & O. Railroad, Northern Syracuse Railroad and N. Y. C. Railroad, Pullman Cars East and West.
RETURNING—Will leave Cape Vincent on arrival of Trains at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m., connecting with G.T.R., Royal Mail Line, and Bay of Quinte Steamers at Kingston.
Leave for Wolfe & Garden Islands,
Daily, at 6:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 3:45 p.m.
RETURNING—Will leave Wolfe Island at 8:00, 9:15 a.m., and 1 p.m., excepting 8 o'clock trip on Mondays.
On Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, will leave Kingston at 6:30, 11:30 a.m. and 3:45 p.m. Returning will leave the Island at 9:15 a.m., and 1 p.m.
SUNDAYS—9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. Returning at 10 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.
Will leave Kingston FOR GANANOQUE, daily, calling at Howe Island, at 3:45 p.m.
Returning will leave Gananoque on Tuesdays and Saturdays at 6 a.m., and on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.
Steamers from Cape Vincent will call at Wolfe and Garden Islands about 6:30 p.m.
April 29, 1878

TURNIPS
SUPERPHOSPHATE OR BONE DUST will increase the yield 50 to 100 per cent. Send for circular.
PETER R. LAMB & CO.,
Manufacturers, Toronto.
April 23, 1878.

A Garden or Homestead Lot.
FOR SALE—Six Acres of Land in the Township of Kingston, being a part of the former Vaughn Farm, Lot No. 18, in the Second Concession. It lies on the principal thoroughfare into the city, and is but a mile from the Corporation limits. The soil of the Farm is excellent, and the site a commanding one for a residence. Apply to
GEORGE NEWLANDS,
March 13 1878. Contractor

TO LET,
A HOUSE in Maple Row. Apply to Charles McMillan, Auctioneer.
April 26, 1878.

CATARRH
A PHYSICIAN'S TESTIMONY.
30 Years a Physician. 12 Years a Sufferer. Tried Regular Remedies. Tried Patent Medicines. Permanently cured by
SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE.
MESSRS. WEEKS & POTTER,—Sirs: I have practised medicine for thirty years, and have been a sufferer myself for twelve years with Catarrh in the nasal passages, fauces and larynx. I have used everything in the materia medica without any permanent relief, until finally I was induced to try a patent medicine (something that we allopathists are very loth to do). I tried —— and divers others until I got hold of yours. I followed the directions to the letter, and am happy to say have had a permanent cure. Your RADICAL CURE is certainly a happy combination for the cure of that most unpleasant and dangerous of diseases.
Yours, respectfully,
D. W. GRAY, M. D.
Of Dr. D. W. Gray & Son, Physicians and Druggists, Muscatine, Iowa.
MUSCATINE, IOWA, March 27, 1877.
The value of this remedy must not be overlooked in the cure of those
SYMPATHETIC DISEASES,
Affections of the Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs and Bronchial Tubes which in many cases accompany a severe case of Catarrh. The inflamed and diseased condition of the mucous membrane is the cause of all these troubles; and until the system has been brought properly under the influence of the RADICAL CURE, perfect freedom from them cannot be reasonably expected.
It is but three years since SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE was placed before the public, but in that short time it has found its way from Maine to California, and is everywhere acknowledged by druggists and physicians to be the most successful preparation for the thorough treatment of Catarrh ever compounded. The fact will be deemed of more importance when it is coupled with the statement that within five years over 250 different remedies for Catarrh have been placed on sale, and to-day, with one or two exceptions, their names cannot be recalled by the best-informed druggist. Advertising may succeed in forcing a few sales, but, unless the remedy possess undoubted specific medical properties, it is absolutely certain to fall into merited obscurity.
Each package of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube, with full directions for its use in all cases. Price $1.00. Sold by all wholesale and retail druggists and dealers throughout the United States and Canadas. WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

COLLINS'
VOLTAIC PLASTER
IS SIMPLY WONDERFUL.
KINGSTON, MINN., April 20, 1877.
I consider COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTERS the best plaster I ever saw, and am recommending them to all.
C. MCMORROW.
HUME, ILL., April 18, 1877.
It has done my boy more good than all other medicines. He now goes to school, for the first time in three years.
ELIZA JANE DUFFIELD.
EMMA, ILL., April 2, 1877.
I like the one I got well. They are the best plasters, no doubt, in the world. B. L. MCGILL.
ASH GROVE, MO., March 21, 1877.
Accept my thanks for the good derived from the two COLLINS' PLASTERS sent me some time ago. W. C. MOORE.
COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER
for local pains, lameness, soreness, weakness, numbness, and inflammation of the lungs, liver, kidneys, spleen, bowels, bladder, heart, and muscles, is equal to an army of doctors and acres of plants and shrubs.
Price, 25 cents.
Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the United States and Canadas, and by WEEKS & POTTER, Proprietors, Boston, Mass.

AT
HENDERSON'S
CHEAP REPRINTS.
The Danites, by Joaquin Miller, and Mrs. Heinmen's Window, only 15 cents for both.
Silent and True, by May Agnes Fleming, 25 cents.
Yellow Frigate, by Grant, 25 cents.
Temptation, by Smith, 25 cents.
Farm Ballads and Legends, etc, 25cts.
Robertson's Cheap Series.
Lakeside Cheap Library.
Irving's Five Cent Music.
Etc., Etc.
London Parcel Arrived
WITH
Bow Bells for May,
Every Month do
London Journal for April,
London Society do
Christian Herald do
Temperance Chronicle, do
&c., &c.
Also Received: BUTTERICK'S DELINATOR,
—AT—
Henderson's Bookstore.
HENDERSON'S
FANCY STORE.
Ladies' and Gent's Satchels,
Walking Canes,
Base Balls and Bats,
Rubber Balls from 2cts up,
Mottoes and Frames,
Silver and Gold Card Board,
New Black Ear Rings and Sets,
Purses, all kinds.
Card Cases, &c.
John Henderson
PRINCESS STREET.
April 27, 1878

TO LET,
IN the Burnett House Building, Ontario Street—a ground flat, suitable for store or office. Apply to
JAS. HARTY & CO.
April 13, 1878.



Daily British Whig
WEDNESDAY EV'NG, MAY 1, 1878.


## THE SING-AWAY BIRD.

O say, have you heard of the sing-away bird,
That sings where the runaway river
Runs down with its rills from the bald-headed hills
That stand in the sunshine and shiver?
O sing! sing away! sing away!
How the pines and the birches are stirred
By the trill of the sing away bird!

And the bald-headed hills, with their rocks and their rills,
To the tune of his rapture are ringing.
And their faces grow young, all their gray mists among,
While the forests break forth into singing.
Oh sing! sing-away! sing-away!"
And the river runs singing along;
And the flying winds catch up the song.

It is nothing but—hush! a wild white-throated thrush,
That emptied his musical quiver
With a charm and a spell over valley and dell
On the banks of the Runaway River.
"O sing! sing-away! sing away!"
Yet the song of the wild singer had
The sound of a soul that is glad.

And, beneath the glad sun, may a glad hearted one
Set the world to the tune of his gladness.
The rivers shall sing it, the breezes shall wing it,
Till life shall forget its long sadness.
"O sing! sing-away! sing-away!"
Sing, spirit, who knowest joy's Giver.—
Sing on, by time's Runaway River!

## MINING IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

(*Mining Journal*)

SIR,—Owing to a protracted absence from town and a press of business I am obliged of late to deny myself the pleasure of communicating with you; but I trust my long silence will prove no barrier to securing a place in your valuable journal. My chief motive in drawing the attention of the British public to mining in Newfoundland is the hope of enabling my country to emerge from the mists and haze that have for so long a time surrounded her, and show to the world that in this long neglected colony a field exists for the profitable employment of millions of the surplus capital of the Old World. Few of our readers are, perhaps, aware that in this country, with an extent of territory about equal to that of England, there is not a house, a farm, a mining station, a mill, or any trace of civilization at 10 miles' distance from the sea shore. As far as the territory of Terra Nova is concerned it is practically an unknown land. On every hand, however, evidence can be seen by the discerning eye pointing to the fact that we are fast awakening from this lethargy, inspiring the hopes of patriotic Newfoundlanders of one day seeing their country take a front place amongst the aspirants to future greatness.

From Bett's Cove we learn that great success has attended the operations of the company during the past year. Shipments from that quarter reached the enormous total of 45,000 tons as against 18,000 tons for 1876. Notwithstanding the low price obtained for ore in Swansea it is believed that the sum realised must have reached one quarter of a million sterling. It must be remembered that this is only the third year that workings have been made on this property, and I am credibly informed that the energetic manager has in contemplation the shipment of 60,000 tons during the season of 1878. It is pleasing to note from latest accounts that no diminution is yet apparent in the vast walls of ore visible on every side of the mine; but, on the contrary, new discoveries are being made from time to time all over the property in the rear of this mining claim exists a tract of country extending northwards something like 20 miles to the waters of White Bay—bleak, barren and mountaneous—on which human foot has never trod, except when covered with snow, or when the noble deer has been traced and hunted by the wild Indian in search of food. Throughout this wild district there exists, no doubt, untold wealth to be reaped by a second energetic and speculative Ellershausen.

From the geological formations apparent on both seaboards scientific men are convinced that in this tract of country will yet be found the great bulk of copper to be produced by Newfoundland for the world's use. It is safe to say that from Southwest arm on the west, to Cape St. John on the east, and northwards to the bottom of White Bay and La Scie there exists a mineral county which if it formed part of Southern Africa or central Australia the pluck and valour of British energy, combined with British gold, would long since have made this wilderness a hive of mining industry, rewarding the pioneers and speculators with a rich harvest for their pains. In this one locality alone there is ample room for twenty large companies to operate on.

Since last I wrote you I have been shown an analysis of galena made by Prof. Tatlock, of Glasgow, giving 79 per cent. lead, with 37 ozs. of silver to the ton. This ore was taken from Catalina, Trinity Bay district. I have never seen a better sample of galena from any part of Newfoundland, not excepting the La Manche Mine, which has been worked and robbed for 20 years. If the veins, of which there are many, continue to increase they may reasonably look for good results if sufficient capital can be found to work them with vigor. Parties in possession are not able to do this of themselves, so we must look outside for the sinews of war. The mine, I am told, is in the market, and I believe if any of your friends were disposed to undertake a venture of this sort very favourable terms could be had from present owners.

By advertisements in our local papers I find that the far famed Union Mine, Tilton Cove, is to be sold to the highest bidder next September. It appears that some misunderstanding has arisen between the owners, Messrs. Bennett and McKay, necessitating the sale of the mine. Several offers have been made by eminent firms in England and elsewhere, for the purchase of this property, but so far without results. One firm, I am told, has named 130,000*l.* sterling as their bid. Whosoever may be the purchaser a pretty snug price will have to be paid, as the property is well and favorably known, and believed to be not inferior to Belt's Cove itself. The plant in connection with the mine is all that can be desired, giving every facility for producing and shipping ore to almost any extent. Its estimated value is 30,000*l.* sterling; this amount includes, of course, buildings, wharfs, &c.

During the past summer several valuable seams of copper have been discovered in Notre Dame Bay, the most prominent being made by Captain Growman at Hall's Bay—an inland arm of Notre Dame. My last mail had a letter from him, stating that he had been more than ever successful in his operations, and expressing the belief that by the opening of navigation another addition would be made to the great mines of Green Bay. We all wish him unlimited success, and trust his discovery may be the forerunner of many such in that section of country. The two companies located in Southwest Arm have displayed during the past season a lack of energy most surprising, considering the prospects they have for developing paying mines. True it is one of the companies last year sunk three shafts, one of them to the depth of ten fathoms, which yielded them about 80 tons of 10 per cent. ore. At this depth they had a seam of pure of ore 3 feet 3 inches wide, with several smaller veins of from one to three inches in width throughout the shaft. The only reason that can be assigned for this inactivity is the rumour that one of the companies, or perhaps both, are in treaty with parties in Swansea for the working of the mines on a royalty. It is to be hoped that some arrangements will soon be made, so that this valuable district will also resound with the busy thud of the miner's hammer. Had an energetic company the control of those setts a second Betts Cove or its superior might be found in this picturesque and romantic region.

My letter has already assumed too lengthy dimensions to proceed further with notes on Mining in Newfoundland, so I will for the present conclude by stating that our legislature in on the eve of opening its annual session, when I trust some healthy legislation will have the attention of our law makers, resulting in some lasting good to our "Island Home." B.

St. John's, Newfoundland, Feb. 5.

## BREACH OF PROMISE.

A WOMAN SUED BY A MAN—A REMARKABLE CONTRACT.

According to the London *News* the latest case in England of breach of promise of marriage, that of Heap against Marris, does not add much glory to a sort of action which, if a bill now pending in the House of Commons becomes a law, is doomed soon to disappear. In this affair the ordinary relations of the parties were reversed, it was the man who sued the woman for her breach of contract. There could be no sort of doubt as to the fact of the contract. An agreement was signed by the parties whereby the defendent agreed to become the lawful wife of the plaintiff on or about the first of January 1876. In default the defendent was to pay a third share of the property which might be left to her under the will of her parents. She was to pay more than this if she did not espouse her business-like woer. She was to pay him him $100 per annum at the end of 1875, $200 at the end of 1879, $400 in 1877, and so on, in a sort of martingale, always doubling till the lady died, or married, or perhaps became bankrupt. In the tenth year this sum would be over $50,000 a year. It is not very easy to see how the impassioned lover, whose surname was Heap, and whose Christian name for aught we know was Uriah, induced Miss Marris to enter into this singular bond. The parties had known each other for a long time. Mr. Heap first made the acquaintance of Miss Marris when he was Second Master at Caistor Grammar School, in 1857 or 1858. The father of Miss Marris was a solicitor, practicing in the neighborhood. In 1862 the Head Master of the school died, and the plaintiff hoped to obtain his place. He failed and it seems that the father of Miss Marris opposed and prevented the appointment. Ten years after this the singular contract was signed which we have described, and which was perhaps suggested to Mr. Heap, as a school-master, by his recollection of the arithmetical problem about the nails in a horse's shoe. For the defendant it was alleged that the contract was to be invalid in certain circumstances, but the defense was not proved. A private arrangement was made between the parties, and the aggrieved Mr. Heap accepted the sum of $5,000, as full compensation to his injured feelings. The result seems curious till we learn, from the statement of the defendant's counsel, that his client was willing to pay $5,000 rather than allow her letters to be produced in court. "Certain arrangements had also been made as to the future disposal of the documents." Mr. Heap thus wins his case and gets his money, and Miss Marris recovers her letters. Thus we see how noble an institution is that which permits suits for breach of promise of marriage.

## An April Fool.

A few months since a girl, whose fictitious name was Kitty Marshall, came to Rochester from Canada, where she gave birth to a girl baby. Her attendants learned that it was the old, old story, of loving not wisely but too well. The physician in attendance proposed to provide for the little waif. He instructed the nurse to take it to a house in North St. Paul street. The nurse reached the place indicated about ten o'clock in the morning, and there found a lady in bed, a nurse and everything fixed up so as to appear as if the women had just given birth to a child. The deception was successfully practised on the delighted husband, who came home to dinner. The sick lady did wonderfully well, and was out again in a week. The poor Canadian girl went back home happy that her child had at least found a good home. The Syracuse *Standard* continues the story as follows: The little one grew up to be a nice girl. One day her foster-mother told the foster-father the whole story, and then reminded him that he had always thought the little one was born April 1st. She thought the joke was really too good to keep longer. He replied that he thought so, too, as he had known all about the circumstances from too first, and had paid the doctor the additional $25 to induce her to adopt the baby in that way, as she had invariably refused his request to adopt a little one from the street or orphan asylum.

SQUANDERED IN LUXURIES.—Peter Mitchell may have an opportunity of explaining before the close of the session what right he had, when Minister of Marine, to squander $500 of public money for champagne, brandy, gin and cigars, and charge them to the contingencies of his Department. When he was King he used to do as he pleased, and it does not require much ingenuity to discover how he made himself popular in his county at the people's expense. It is said that he and Sir John are anything but good friends now, as he has sneered so frequently at the latter.—*Ham. Times.*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