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We have added to the Standard Office an Alden New rotary power job press, and having tested its merits, pronounce it a No. 1 machine, capable of throwing off upwards of a thousand sheets an hour. With an addition of fancy type, we are prepared to execute with neatness and despatch, orders for blanks, bill heads, envelopes, cards and other printing, and solicit a share of public patronage.

VISITORS TO ST. ANDREWS and travellers generally, will be pleased to know that Mr. Angus Kennedy has opened the building formerly called the "International" on Water Street, opposite the Manchester House. The hotel has been newly painted and papered, and a large all erected, which affords increased accommodation. As usual, this house is supplied with the best from Provincial and United States markets. The popular character of Kennedy's Hotel will be maintained, and the genial disposition of its proprietor, will render his house as deserving of patronage as heretofore, as he spares neither pains nor expense to accommodate his guests. my21-ly.

## CHARLOTTE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

### PLOUGHING MATCH.

The annual Ploughing Match of the Society, was held on the 7th inst., in Mr. Russell's field, at Bay Side. The Judges were Wm. A. Rollins, John Samson and Joseph Richardson, who approved of the work, and the following were awarded prizes:

#### 1st CLASS.

1st Prize, J. McFarlan, sr. plough held by self.  
2nd " A Gilman, " H Gilman.  
3rd " H Johnson, " by self.

#### 2nd CLASS.

1st Prize, J. H. Mearns, plough held by C Mearns.  
2nd " Jas McClure, " Jos McClure.  
3rd " Jas McFarlan, " Jno McFarlan.

#### 3rd CLASS.

1st Prize, John Mowatt, plough held by J McFarlan.  
2nd " J Russell, " Jos McFarlan.

### CATTLE SHOW AND FAIR.

The Fair and Cattle Show of the Society was held at Bay Side on Wednesday last, 8th inst. The day was as fine as could be wished and several persons from the town and neighborhood were present. The number of articles on exhibition were not as numerous as on former occasions, neither was there as large a number of stock, this however is no fault of the officers of the Society, but perhaps was owing to so many farmers being engaged threshing the grain and digging their root crops. Some domestic manufactured articles which have done duty for the past few years at the fairs in St. Andrews, St. Patrick and St. Stephen, were on exhibition as usual. Is it not about time such articles were refused entry for competition? We remember a quilt, some pairs of socks and gloves, with one or two other articles, the price of which surely has been paid in premiums since the date they were first exhibited at the fairs; and the judges who are almost every year new men, cannot be held responsible for reporting premiums on apparently new articles which they had never seen before. We leave the matter in the hands of the Executive Committee, without suggesting a remedy.

The following is a list of the awards, sent us for publication by the Secretary.

The entries all made, the judges were appointed, and after a thorough examination of the exhibits, awarded the prizes as follows—1st and 2nd in the order named: Entire Horse—David Johnson.  
Farm do, John Mowatt, J. H. Simpson.  
Brood Mares, J. S. Greenlaw, Joseph Dougherty.

Colts 3 yr old, John Sullivan, Ben Johnson.

" 2 " James McFarlan, J. Taggart.

" 1 " John Emory, J. Richardson.

Spring Colts, J. S. Greenlaw, Joseph Dougherty, James Gallagher.

Pure Bred Stock—Bulls over 2 years.

Ayrshire, John Mowatt.

Durham, George Mowatt.

#### Under 2 years.

Ayrshire, M. J. C. Andrews.

" Calf, James Russell.

" Cow, G. H. Bartlett.

" Heifer, 1 yr old, Jas. Russell.

" " Calf, John Mowatt.

Grade or Native Stock.

Cows, James McFarlan, Jas. Mowatt.

Heifer 2 yrs old, John Sullivan, M. J. C.

## Andrews.

" 1 " E. L. Andrews, Watson Whitlock.

" Calf, James McFarlan, E. L. Andrews.

Steers pair 1 yr old, E. L. Andrews, James McFarlan.

" 2 " Jas. McFarlan, J. H. Mearns.

" 3 " Jas. McClure, M. J. C. Andrews.

Swine—Boar, Robert Billings.

Sow, Robert Billings, John Mowatt.

Sheep—Ram, Alex. Gilman, J. Gallagher.

Ewe, James Linton, John Mowatt.

Ram Lamb, Ben Johnson, A. Gilman.

Ewe Lamb, Jos. Mearns, A. Gilman.

Grain—Wheat—Rio Grand, Robert Billings.

Fife, John McFarlan.

Least Nation, Thos. Orr, A. Gilman.

Black Sea, Joseph Linton.

Early, James Linton, Thos. Orr.

Oats, John Taggart, James Linton.

Peas, James Linton, Abram Simpson.

Buckwheat, Thos. Orr, James Linton.

Beans, A. Simpson, T. Orr, J. Linton.

Barrel of Flour, Thos. Orr, A. Gilman.

Potatoes, John Mowatt, John McFarlan.

John Taggart, Ben Johnson, T. Beckerton.

James Linton and Joseph Mearns were each awarded prizes.

Sugar Beets, Thos. Orr, John Taggart.

James Linton, James McFarlan.

Field Beets, John Taggart, T. Orr.

Carrots, Thos. Orr, A. Simpson.

Parasips, James Linton, Thos. Orr.

Mangolds, Thos. Orr, James McFarlan.

Onions, T. J. Beckerton, Thos. Orr.

Turnips, James Mowatt, John Mowatt.

Celery, George Mowatt.

Squash, David Johnson.

Woollen Socks and Mitts, Thos. Orr, J. Taggart.

" Gloves, George Mowatt.

" Yarn, White, George Mowatt, Abram Simpson.

" Grey, James Mowatt, J. McClure.

" Dyed, G. Mowatt, G. H. Bartlett.

Butter in Prints, G. Mowatt, A. Gilman.

A Simpson, J. Emory, J. Russell.

Butter in Crocks, J. Taggart, J. Russell.

J. McClure, Mrs. Pettigrove, J. Emory.

Honey, M. J. C. Andrews, G. Mowatt.

Apple Jelly, G. H. Bartlett.

Fruit, B. Johnson, S. Mitchell.

Crab Apples, John Emory.

Poultry—Geese, A. Gilman.

Ducks—White Poland, Joseph Linton.

" Native, J. Linton, T. Beckerton.

Fowls—Sea Brights, A. Simpson.

Plymouth Rocks, J. McFarlan.

Brahmas, J. Richardson.

Leghorns, James Mowatt.

Spring Chickens, G. H. Bartlett, J. Mowatt.

Turkeys, John McFarlan.

Heath Rugs, James Mowatt, J. Taggart.

Patch Quilts, J. Taggart, A. Simpson.

Fancy Hair Wreath, T. Beckerton.

Feather Cross, A. Simpson.

Berlin Work, G. H. Bartlett.

Sofa Cushion, Joseph Linton.

Knit Drawers, J. Linton.

" Shirts, George Mowatt.

Ploughs—A special premium of Four Dollars was awarded, for ploughs exhibited by Murchie Brothers of St. Stephen.

Mr. PERRY, who was elected last week for Tignish, P. E. Island, was a declared Opponent of the present Government.

The other candidates were an Independent and a Government supporter, the latter was last on the poll. To put it mildly, this looks like a change of sentiment or "reaction." The elections recently held in Ontario have also borne the same fruit, and it is, to say the least, rather going back on the election of Sept. 17, 1878.

The Government, however, can bear its majority to be pared down—although the change is ominous.

The position of affairs in Afghanistan has become so serious that the question of summoning a special meeting of Parliament has been discussed in a Cabinet Council. That part of the matter was left for the time in abeyance, whilst a temporary occupation of the country was adjudged to be necessary. General Roberts has approached very near to Cabul, and decisive action will soon take place. The vast consequences which must follow upon the capture of Cabul, and the occupation of the country, render it very important that the Government should not act entirely upon their own responsibility.

The recent army regulation which prohibits newspaper correspondents from accompanying the troops now in Afghanistan, and reporting what is taking place, is viewed with disapprobation throughout the British Isles. The Press does not hesitate to express its indignance at such an attempt to prevent the people hearing what is being done at the seat of war. The

"red tape" regulation might have had force fifty years ago, but in the present day, it won't go down. The people, not the few rule, and the Press represents the people.

## The St. Andrews Standard.

SAINT ANDREWS, OCTOBER 15, 1879.

### The Megantic Railway.

We have always endeavored to write of this project on its merits, without attempting to paint it in glowing colours, or to raise false hopes with reference to its immediate completion or its positively having its only terminus at St. Andrews; as we had not any political motive in writing it up in the lengthy articles which we published a few months ago, but truthfully to set forth the claims of this Port, and the progress which had been made building the line. We are pleased to know, that our humble efforts met with the approval of influential persons who are interested in the line, and who have already expended such large amounts in its construction. It is probable that a spur will be given to their laudable efforts, by the present move of the City of Portland, Maine, to make that city a great winter grain port. A contemporary in Maine, writing upon the subject, aptly observes:

The large grain interests of Minnesota have been at the mercy of railroad combinations, and are now moving for an independent line to connect with the Grand Trunk. There are two plans, one of which will be adopted. Well, if we can't bring this great trade to the St. Croix by means of the Megantic project, we hope Portland will succeed in taking it away from Chicago and New York.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Several persons have during the present season added to their properties by improvements. Capt. Stinson is now building an L to his residence for Kitchen, and had a new foundation placed under his dwelling. Mr. Nathan Trendwell has also renovated his house. Mr. Wm. Morrison has also added to his accommodations, and others have painted and otherwise improved their premises. There are many buildings which a coat of paint would improve.

STILL THEY GO.—The people are leaving the Province by hundreds nay thousands; on Monday last, forty-six able bodied young men left St. George for the United States with more to follow; and several young women have been leaving, many of whom are employed at remunerative wages in the cities. Can there be no inducements offered by the Government to stop the exodus.

Another batch of Magistrates is published in the Gazette. Almost every second man has been made a Magistrate as a recognition of his political services at elections. Is it not time to stop this farce—wipe out the whole list, and appoint only a requisite number for each Parish of new and qualified men. Only a small number of Justices is required now, the business of the General Sessions having been transferred to the better system of Municipal Corporations. Two magistrates for each Parish could perform all the legal duties, with the assistance of the Parish Court Commissioner. Will some independent representative introduce some such measure as suggested.

HOTEL ASSOCIATION.—The Royal Gazette, of Oct. 8, publishes a Memorandum Association, which has been filed by Order of Council, under Chapter 98 of the Consolidated Statutes, certifying that—

Benjamin R. Stevenson, Henry O'Neill, H. H. Hatch, Henry O'Brien, F. A. Pike, James Murchie, F. H. Todd, Z. Chipman, Charles F. Todd, and Robert Robinson, have filed in my Office a Memorandum of Association for the incorporation of a Company to be styled the "Argyll Hotel Company." The object of the Company is the building, acquiring and completing an Hotel, and the management and operation of the same, in the County of Charlotte, with such other things as are incident to the attaining of that object, and the maintaining the same, for the accommodation of the travelling public, with a capital of Twenty Thousand Dollars, to be divided into two thousand shares of ten dollars each; and stating that the Office or principal place of business is to be at Saint Andrews, in the said County of Charlotte.

Dated at Fredericton this eighth day of October, A. D. 1879. WM. WEDDERBURN.

DRUMMING CIRCULARS.—The mails are flooded with circulars from United States "Advertising Agencies," offering advertisements to the Provincial newspapers at rates which would not pay even for cost of position, and with offers to pay in articles of little or no value. No paper which has even a moderate circulation, accepts such offers, nor will they do so at less than their published rates. There are a few agencies however which are reliable and pay living prices, among them are Rowell & Co., and Bates of New York, Dodd of Boston, and one or two others, with some manufacturers of medicines. The Dominion can furnish nearly all the advertising for its journals.

MANITOBA.—We are indebted to Samuel Johnson, Esq., for late Manitoba papers, Mr. Johnson expects to be at home this month. T. J. Mealy, Esq., has also sent us a Winnipeg paper. Our friends at a

distance do not forget us; only last week we acknowledged a remittance from British Columbia, and not long since a similar favor from California.

In another column we publish the list of premiums awarded at the C. C. Agricultural Society's Cattle Show & Fair, on Wednesday last, furnished us by the Secretary of the Society, as also the result of the Ploughing Match on the day previous. The weather was as fine as could be desired indeed it was almost too warm. Persons who were present, informed us that the Fair was not equal to previous exhibitions, either in quantity or quality.

MATRIMONIAL.—That the autumn of the present year, has been favorable to more than one description of crops is apparent. For some weeks past we have chronicled marriages of young persons not alone in this County but its natives abroad; and in the present issue under the proper head we record the nuptials of a native of St. Andrews, well known to almost every one here, viz Charles, eldest son of Mr. Wardlaw, Cashier of the late C C Bank. We extend our congratulations to our young friend and his bride, wishing them a pleasant journey through life.

How is it, that the prosperity which was promised the people of Ottawa twelve months ago, when they were suffering from the depression of the lumber trade which was attributed to the dreadful McKenzie Government—are not in prosperity now? Is the "National Policy" only a factor to promote men to office with large salaries coming from the pockets of the suffering people? How long will it last. The people will give an unmistakable answer on the first opportunity afforded them.

Cannot the Government do something to stop the exodus of the young men to the United States. They have been leaving the Province by hundreds for the past few weeks. Where now is the grand prosperity promised? Echo answers "where?"

A meeting of the Synod of the Church of England was held last week at Fredericton for the purpose of the appointment of a conajutor Bishop. The discussions as reported, were lively and interesting, some of the lay delegates making lengthy speeches.

BISHOP GREGG.—The Right Rev. T. H. Gregg, D. D., Primate of the Reformed Episcopal Church in the United Kingdom, now in Canada, had a most gratifying reception at Montreal on the 6th inst., at which the Presbyterian and Congregational Churches were represented on the platform by the City Ministers, and the sentiments expressed by Rev. Dr. Usher, the Rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, and the Bishop, showed that in the Reformed Episcopal in the United Kingdom, there is no harboring of any spirit of exclusiveness.

GRAPE CULTURE has been gone into in Upper and Lower Canada, and is already pronounced a success. At Longueuil, a lot of twenty acres has been laid out, and 60,000 cuttings planted. The next move will be to make light wine.

The Agricultural Commissioners from Britain, Messrs Pell and Read, have made an extensive survey of the land in Manitoba, and have already given some idea of their opinion. They think the soil is of the richest nature, and capable of producing vast results. For wheat growing purposes it is unsurpassed. This opinion may give an impetus to emigration to the North West.

DENTISTRY—A HORRIBLE DEATH.—New York papers give lengthy accounts of the death of a Mr G A Gardner, civil engineer, from "gangrene of the mouth and face, arising from treatment of a tooth." While in Boston, Mr Gardner went to a dentist named Waters to have a tooth filled. It is reported Waters put arsenic in the tooth to kill the nerve, which was absorbed by the saliva, and decomposed the tissues, and Mr Gardner died at his home in Brooklyn, in the most excruciating suffering.

An important piece of news comes from the North West. From Winnipeg we learn that the "Geological Survey" has made important discoveries of coal and other minerals in the North West territories, the particulars of which are not divulged. "We wonder what are the "other minerals?" Is gold one of them? This question will naturally occur to many people, and, if it turns out to be true, a gold field in the North West would soon settle

the question of opening the country. Coal has been known to exist in the Saskatchewan Valley, but it was not considered of superior quality. Perhaps the discoveries of the Geological Survey refer to something better.

The Sackville Post states that a Wedding Party in Sackville was disturbed by a set of young men who were giving a charivari or chivree as it is vulgarly termed. Seven of the lads were brought before a Magistrate and fined \$25 each. A similar example would stop the nuisance.

CABUL TAKEN.—Telegraphic advices state that Gen. Roberts is in possession of Bala Hessar, the citadel of Cabul, with 110 Afghan cannon in his possession. There are some 30 more in the citadel. The Afghans were thoroughly routed; there was severe fighting against fearful odds, but British arms were victorious.

The Agitation in Ireland still continues and is assuming immense proportions; and it is likely will lead to a revision of the land tenure. How is it possible for a country to prosper when every year its products are taken away to enrich absentee landlords.

The new branch of the N. B. & C. Railway from McAdam to Vanceboro, was opened last week, and is daily run over. Favorable arrangements with the E. & N. A. Railroad have been perfected.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The Examination of the Schools in St. Andrews will commence on Thursday 16th and Friday 17th instants.

NEW MUSIC.—We are indebted to Messrs Landry & Co., music dealers and publishers, St. John, for three pieces of choice music, beautifully printed and enclosed in a music case. We can recommend Landry & Co's, Pianos, Organs, Sheet Music, &c., to intending purchasers as being what they are represented.

Pure fresh ground Coffee at CAMPBELL'S at 50c 35c and 40c per lb.

A SERIOUS FIRE occurred at Shediac, on Monday morning last, which destroyed several public buildings, and the greater portion of the business part of the town. The Office of the *Moniteur Acadien* was burned. The excitement was very great.

12 lbs Good Brown Sugar for \$1.00 at CAMPBELL'S.

The Burard Inlet has been adopted by the Government as the best railway terminus for the Pacific Railway. Well, there need be no crowing by any one. It is true, the Reform party fought hard for that route and the Conservatives opposed it; but the Cabinet have adopted it, as the one recommended by the Engineers who should be the best judges.

Evaporated apples at CAMPBELL'S, an extra nice article.

THE Secretary of the Rural Cemetery Company, has given notice in another column that the owners of lots can receive their certificates, and also a copy of Regulations and By-Laws on application to him and pay the regulated fee.

The Cattle Show & Fair of the St. George and Penfield Agricultural Society will be held at St. George to-morrow, 16th inst.

Passing ODELL & TURNER'S, one cannot avoid noticing the great variety of new goods for the fall trade, which are being opened, and going off rapidly at wholesale and retail. From the large number of cases, there must be an immense stock.

BALLOT'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE for NOVEMBER.—The November number of this magazine is issued, and can be found at all the newsdealers in the country, or is sent to subscribers at the low price of \$1.50 per annum, postpaid. The December number will appear in new type, new form, and with many improvements.

The Methodist Sabbath School in Fredericton has been presented with a life size portrait of its former Superintendent, the late Hon. Judge Wilnot, who did so much for the School. The portrait is said to be very like the lamented Judge.

## MARRIED.

At Brooklyn, on the 4th inst., in St Peter's Church, by Rev John A Paddock, D. D., rector, CHARLES B W WARDLAW, to ANNIE R., daughter of William F Bunnell, Esq. of Brooklyn, No cards.

At Digdegush, by the Rev. Mr. Milledge, Wilson Carson to Margaret MoIninch.

At Oak Bay, 3rd inst., by Rev. Mr. Vickery, Mr. Wm. McElroy to Miss Maria Meredith.

At Boston, on the 30th Sept., by Rev. H. A. Cooke, Capt. S. W. Dick, of the ship *Lilian*, to Miss Ellen McDiarmid, all of St. George, Charlotte Co.

## SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

ARRIVED.

Oct. 8, Matilda, Stinson, St. Stephen, gen. car.

CLEARED.

Oct. 8, Evergreen, Chase, St. Stephen, bal.

11, Nad, Hooper, Portland, 1600 sleepers.

R. Ross.

The Shooting of the C Rifle Association will be to-morrow.

The U. S. Cutter, "I Capt. Warner, arrived in morning.

The Shooting of the Pr held at the York County r by teams of five each, fr and St. John. Kings carr The scores were Kings 39 71st Battalion York, 359.

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To all who are suffering fr indiscretions of youth, nerv decay, loss of manhood, & celspe that will cure you. E this great remedy was discy in South America. Se envelope to the Rev. Joser D, New York City.

## PURSE I

ON Friday last, 10th inst., by-rrian Church and R The owner's name is writt The finder will be reward the \$750.

St. Andrews, Oct. 13, 187

## HOUSEH