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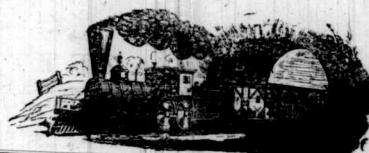
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"Salus populi suprema est lex."

SACKVILLE STEAM TANNERY

For Sale or Lease.
THE TANNERY will sell the SACKVILLE STEAM TANNERY (formerly owned by J. Ayer & Son) for the sum of two years, from the 1st of January, 1874, to the 31st of December, 1875. The tannery is situated on the banks of the river, and is now in excellent working order. It is a most convenient and profitable business, and is well adapted for the tanning of leather, and is also well adapted for the tanning of skins. The tannery is situated on the banks of the river, and is now in excellent working order. It is a most convenient and profitable business, and is well adapted for the tanning of leather, and is also well adapted for the tanning of skins. The tannery is situated on the banks of the river, and is now in excellent working order. It is a most convenient and profitable business, and is well adapted for the tanning of leather, and is also well adapted for the tanning of skins.

CUSTOM TAILORING

Gent's Furnishing Goods.
SUNDRIES signs to return the shareholders of the company, and the public generally, for the liberal patronage extended to him in the past, and wishes to inform them that he has enlarged his place of business, and will be happy to wait on all his old customers, as well as any new ones who may favor him with a visit. He has enlarged his place of business, and will be happy to wait on all his old customers, as well as any new ones who may favor him with a visit. He has enlarged his place of business, and will be happy to wait on all his old customers, as well as any new ones who may favor him with a visit.

SUMMER STOCK

Completed.
We now have to advise our customers of the completion of our stock of summer goods, which we have imported direct from Great Britain and purchased in the best markets in the Dominion. It consists of a splendid assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, and a complete assortment that is usually found in our stores. We have imported direct from Great Britain and purchased in the best markets in the Dominion. It consists of a splendid assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, and a complete assortment that is usually found in our stores.

HARNES-MAKING

Having taken a commission ship opposite the mouth of the river, and fitted it up for the purpose of our business, we are enabled to supply the public with a complete assortment of harnesses of every kind. We have taken a commission ship opposite the mouth of the river, and fitted it up for the purpose of our business, we are enabled to supply the public with a complete assortment of harnesses of every kind. We have taken a commission ship opposite the mouth of the river, and fitted it up for the purpose of our business, we are enabled to supply the public with a complete assortment of harnesses of every kind.

BUCKLEY & CO'S MEAT MARKET

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Looking Glasses and Pictures

R. & J. WETMORE, Carvers and Gilders, 124 Granville St., Halifax.
We have lately received from London an assortment of Looking Glasses, comprising Mirrors, and Pictures in gilded frames, very handsome and elegant. We have also received a large quantity of Looking Glasses, comprising Mirrors, and Pictures in gilded frames, very handsome and elegant. We have also received a large quantity of Looking Glasses, comprising Mirrors, and Pictures in gilded frames, very handsome and elegant.

TEA, RICE, &c.

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NOTICE

All persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle their accounts before the 1st of October next, as all Accounts, Notes, &c., remaining unpaid on that date will be placed in the hands of a Law Agent for collection. W. L. SMITH & CO., Amherst, 4th August, 1873.

Ships' Stores

BEER AND PORT, in bulk or ship's stores, sent constantly to hand. Orders promptly attended to. Y. M. C. A. Building, St. John, July 30. WELSH BROS., Y. M. C. A. Building, CHARLOTTE ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Wanted Immediately

80 TAILORS & TAILORRESSES.
Having secured a first-class Cutter and made arrangements to receive orders for Tailoring in our business, we want 80 Tailors and Tailorresses, to whom steady employment and good wages will be given. Apply immediately to Anderson, Oct. 17. CHAPMAN & BATES.

Nursery

Grafted Apple Trees of the most superior variety, may be had from Tring's Nursery, 100 Albert Street, N. B. J. L. FILLMORE, Amherst, N. S., Agent for Cumberland.

GOTTAGE PIANO

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Poetry

The Old Surprise.

BY RENICE L. COMSTOCK.

Now what hath entered my loved woods,
And troubled their green with sudden change?
What is the cause of Nature's moods,
That makes the riddle look so strange?
Who blighted my thistle's blushing face,
And gave the winds her silver hair,
So golden red within her place,
And scattered aster-seeds where?
Who spangled with red the sunnys hedge,
The meadows with purple stain,
Gave to the roses a ruby edge,
And painted all their stems again?
Lo! the answer reaches high and wide,
Hath touched the sky to softer blue,
Hath overlaid the river-side,
And trodden the valley through and through:
Discorded by his hand,
And striven all the postural lands;
Flung wells above the mountain tops,
And bended their feet with yellow bands.
Is then, September come so soon?
Full time doth summer now abide?
While yet it seems but summer's noon,
We're floating down the autumn tide.
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