

METEOROLOGICAL.

Reported for the Dominion Gov't by
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MARCH-APRIL

DATE.	Time.	Height of Bar.	Thermometer.	Thermometer.	Thermometer.
Sun.	31	8.30 a.m. 29.86	34.4		
		5.30 p.m. 29.73	33.1		
		11.45 p.m. 29.67	32.6		
Mon.	1	8.30 a.m. 29.67	29.6		
		5.30 p.m. 29.58	30.7		
		11.45 p.m. 29.56	31.1	83.2	29.9
Tues.	2	8.30 a.m. 29.60	29.6		
		5.30 p.m. 29.54	30.7		
		11.45 p.m. 29.63	33.1	37.1	28.6
Wed.	3	8.30 a.m. 29.71	33.1		
		5.30 p.m. 29.72	37.3		
		11.45 p.m. 29.71	37.1	30.5	33.0
Thurs.	4	8.30 a.m. 29.74	34.0		
		5.30 p.m. 29.71	35.2		
		11.45 p.m. 29.71	35.1	36.5	31.8
Fri.	5	8.30 a.m. 29.37	34.1		
		5.30 p.m. 29.28	32.4		
		11.45 p.m. 29.24	31.4	35.5	32.0
Sat.	6	8.30 a.m. 29.18	33.8		
		5.30 p.m. 29.21	34.1		
		11.45 p.m. 29.25	34.4	34.8	31.2

The minus sign is at the left hand of zero, its absence denotes above zero.
The column for Maximum Thermometer shows the highest temperature for every day.
The column for Minimum Thermometer shows the lowest temperature for every day.

The Farmer's Corner.

Short Horn Cattle

A meeting of the American Short Horn Breeders' Association was lately held at Lexington Ky. In the opening address Judge Crane spoke on pedigree, reported as follows:—"He asked, are we not blind enough in our cases to follow pedigree without giving individuality the attention it deserves? He did not want to be construed as an enemy to pedigree, as he was a warm advocate of it—no reliability in breeding can be had without it. A good animal with a pedigree tracing to a long line of ancestry of good animals, was a guarantee that to breed from this animal will produce good ones. He argued that a standard of excellence or a statement of the individuality should be recorded with the pedigree, as to know that all of the ancestors of the animal were good ones, added materially to the breeding value of an animal. He warmly denounced the modern idea of obliterating the milking qualities of the Short-horns, a quality that in former years was highly esteemed, and should be preserved. He said that the Short-horns could never stringently commend themselves to the common stock man and farmer without a well developed milking quality, as the general farmer naturally looks upon a cow that gives little or no milk with distrust and suspicion."

(The fact that the prices of short-horns have been greatly reduced of late, excited considerable comment. "The aim seem to predominate for a few years past," said a member, "to speculate, and to run down either that pedigree, with many public sales, which have resulted in the decline of prices." Another member spoke of "the humbug of fancy pedigrees that had burst." Another said: "The high prices of short-horns have received their quietus, in consequence of their lack of merit; that the day was past when animals with fancy pedigrees, but no real merit, would sell for from \$500 to \$5,000." He contended, however, that "thousands of farmers and legitimate stock men still believed in and had faith in the short-horn as the great beef-producing cattle of the world, and also that they believed the time of depression below their real value was only temporary, and that they would soon be more popular than ever, but all agreed that the line of severe discrimination, and unreasonable fancy prices was obliterated forever."

To keep Harness in order.

Take Neats Foot Oil and Ivory Black—the latter well pulverized, and to be made as before using. Mix thoroughly—adding the black until the oil is well colored, or quite black. In cool weather the oil should be warmed somewhat before mixing. With a sponge apply a light coat of the mixture—only what the leather will readily absorb unless the harness is very dry—in which case a heavier coat may be necessary. After the two hours to a half or a whole day, depending upon the weather and previous condition of the leather—wash thoroughly with soap suds. Making the suds use good castile soap and cold rain-water. (Warm water should never be used on harness leather.) Apply the suds with a sponge. Rub out with a buckskin. This will give your harness a nice glossy surface, and the leather will retain a good color and continue pliable for months. If it becomes soiled with mud or sweat, an application of soap and water, as above directed, [without oiling], will be sufficient to give it a bright appearance. Two applications of this oil and black mixture a year (or once every six months) will be sufficient to keep harness, as ordinarily used, in good order.

To Relieve Choked Cattle.

"I used to be a Cheshire [England] dairyman, and had a stock of nearly one hundred cattle. Growing many acres of turnips, choking of the cows was very frequent, and the simple remedy was a stick of hard wood about a foot long and an inch and a half square, put it in the mouth as a brace, and a string from each end tied to each horn to keep in place. Placing the stick instantly released the imprisoned fowl air from the distended stomach, and prevents more swelling. Whatever root sticks in the throat will in time soften and go down, and no bad effect can follow unless force is used. Until this summer I had never seen a case of bloating from eating grass or clover. In June my next neighbor had a case and asked my assistance. I placed the stick and she was relieved in a few minutes. The same day my

cows [through a board being down in my neighbor's fence] got into clover &c., before I knew it one died. Numbers were looking on while she was struggling and dying, but knew no remedy. To-day another neighbor had a similar case, and effected a cure by the means described."

GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

A FRESH Supply Just Received

at the

NEWCASTLE

Drug Store,

viz: Early China, White Extra, White Marrowfat, Wax or Butter, Scarlet Runners, Horticultural, Case Knives and Broad Wind Beans; C-riter's 1st Crop, Tom Thumb, Champion England, Dan O'Rourke, Black Eye Marrow, Early Kent and Sweet Peas; Early York, Flat Dutch, Winningsdale, St. Dennis, Red Dutch and Drumhead Cabbage, Celery, Tomatoes, Onions, Beets, Carrots, Radish, Corn, Pumpkins and Turnip Seed &c.

Ladies Floral Tools, Trellises and Flower Pots.

Also, a Choice Collection of FLOWER SEEDS.

Call and examine before buying elsewhere.

E. LEE STREET, Newcastle, March 16, 1878.

D. MAGEE & CO.

MEN'S TWEED AND LINEN HATS;

BLUE SERGE AND LINEN HELMETS;

Spring Styles Satin Hats.

BEST QUALITY—MADE TO ORDER.

A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.

HAT STORE, 57 KING STREET.

St. John, April 8, 1878.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having purchased the Commodious Business Premises known as the

LOUDOUN PROPERTY

and later as the "ARGYLE HOUSE," will remove into the same on the

ARRIVAL OF THE

SPRING GOODS,

probably about the beginning of APRIL.

UNTIL THEN, ALL

GOODS NOW IN STOCK

will from this date be sold at a

Sweeping Reduction in Prices.

Remember this SALE IS GENUINE—in-remembrance of the twofold object of getting all the stock possible, and the disposal of STOCK preparatory to removal.

WILLIAM MURRAY.

N. B.—Parties whose accounts have been rendered, are notified that unless paid or settled before the 1st of MARCH, they will be handed indistinctly on the date to an Attorney for immediate collection.

WM. MURRAY.

"GLASGOW HOUSE," Chatham, Feb'y 6th, 1878.

NO EMPTY ASSERTION!

TRY IT.

BY an admirable arrangement of nature, the whole body, each part in its turn, renews new material to make up for its own waste. This principle accounts for the fact that

HYPOSSOMUM

—OR—

Magic Cough Syrup,

a simple vegetable remedy, by speedily removing all impurities from the Lungs, Liver and Kidneys, will therefore cure Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh and all Throat, Lung and Liver Complaints.

A Positive Cure for Nervous Debility.

Common Cold or Cough cured in 24 hours.

PREPARED ONLY BY F. BUCKLER, NEWCASTLE, N. B.

T. H. Ramsey General Agent and Manager, to whom all communications should be addressed. SOLD BY ALL DEALERS.

Agents wanted everywhere. Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B., Feb. 18, 78.

TO BUILDERS.

BUILDERS, and all persons in want of lumber are notified, that they can be furnished with

DIMENSIONED LUMBER,

1st, 2nd and 3rd quality Pine, Spruce and Hemlock, at moderate rates.

Also, a stock of Ash, Birch and Oak, cut to any required dimensions, for coach-builders and cabinet makers' use.

Will shortly commence the manufacture of Clapboards and Shingles.

GEO. P. COWIE, Carleton Place, Feb. 18, 78.

FISHERIES.

WE offer first quality Cotton Netting, 9 21 threads for

POUNDS AND TRAPS

AT LOW RATES.

Seventy pounds Cotton gives as large a net as One Hundred lbs. hemp. It is cheaper and more durable. A long leader to run from the shore or across a creek, can be made more cheaply from this netting than any other material.

When in haste, Telegraph.

American Net and Twine Company.

Oct. 22, 77. BOSTON.

Valuable Farm

BY AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY the Twentieth day of APRIL, next, will be offered for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Registry Office, in the Town of Bathurst, THAT ELIGIBLE

FARM OF LAND,

situate at Youghal, in the Parish of Bathurst, fronting on the harbour, formerly owned and occupied by Robert Mann, deceased.—The Lot containing 100 acres with ten per cent. for roads and water and lies about 20 to 25 acres cleared with a Dwelling House and Barn, and is distant only about three miles from the Bathurst Basin Bridge. Sale Positive—Terms made known at Sale.

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DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS!

STAPLE & FANCY.

As they are the CHEAPEST in the OLD COUNTRY, I will clear out my

PRESENT STOCK

WHICH IS THE

LARGEST & BEST ASSORTED

in the Place, at Greatly Reduced Prices, to make room for

Spring Importations.

—ALSO—

READY MADE CLOTHING

In Overcoats, Jackets, Pants and Vests, Drawers and Liners, &c. &c. This lot will be found the Cheapest I have ever shown.

Boots, Overshoes & Rubbers

Just Received, a Splendid Stock.

Cooking, Parlor, Hall and Office Stoves,

For Wood and Coal;

BASE BURNERS,

For Hard Coal;

FARMERS BOILERS, 20, 25 and 40 gallons.

Also,

GOOD NEWS RANGE,

Which I can recommend to any person in want of a good cooking apparatus, to give perfect satisfaction. These Stoves having been purchased from the leading Foundries in the Dominion, for quality and finish cannot be surpassed, and will be sold at prices to suit the pockets of all purchasers.

The Elevated Oven Cooking Stoves

Are all furnished with the Patent FIRE KING OVEN, with Telescope Linings, and various other improvements. Prevention is better than cure, as it will save trouble, time and expense.

I would call the attention of Lumbermen to my new

CAMP HEATING STOVE,

Made of No. 30 heavy Sheet Iron with Cast Iron ends and legs, which have been highly approved of by most of our

I have also on hand a

Large Stock of Ready-Made Tinware

and Stove Pipe.

Enamelled Preserver Kettles and Sauce Pans, Patent Zinc Stove Boilers, Sad Irons, Tantalum Lamps, Glass, Eureka Clothes Wringer, Green Pans, Scotch Bows, Bean Kettles, and an extensive assortment of Japanese and Stamped Ware, Extra Stove Kettles, Pots and Spiders of all sizes. I can also furnish pieces of Castings to suit parts of any Stoves which I have sold or have now on hand.

Stoves fitted up in any part of the Town, and repairing attended to at the shortest notice.

J. H. PHINNEY, Newcastle, September 19, 1877.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons having any just claim against the Estate of the late CALER McCULLLEY, Co. Bonaventure, are notified that to call upon the subscribers and have the same settled before the 1st of March, 1878, as all matters remaining unsettled at that date will be placed in legal hands for collection.

JOSEPH D. McCULLLEY, Executor, CHAMBERS, 25th Dec., 1877.

CAUTION.

ALL parties trespassing upon any of the lands belonging to the Estate of the late C. McCULLLEY, will be proceeded against according to law.

JOSEPH D. McCULLLEY, Executor, CHAMBERS, 25th Dec., 1877.

KNOW THYSELF

By reading and practicing the instructions contained in the book entitled "KNOW THYSELF," the reader will be enabled to ascertain his own physical condition, and the extent of his own powers, and will be enabled to avoid all diseases, and to attain the highest degree of health and vigor.

Orders Solicited, and goods sent to responsible parties on approval.

WATCH REPAIRING, in all its branches

promptly attended to.

AGENT for the "Florence" SEWING MACHINE, and "Lazarus" and "Morris" & Co.'s PERFECTED SPECTACLES.

Remember the Place.

S. F. SHUTE, Queen St., Fredericton, N. B.

RUBBER BELTING, &c.

The subscriber has taken a

STORE AT 31 KING SQUARE,

AND WILL

FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY

Z. G. GABEL, St. John, June 25, 1877.

FURNITURE FACTORY.

THE Subscribers have commenced business in the building adjoining the Methodist Church, and are prepared to make up

FURNITURE IN ANY STYLE,

and in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

Attention given to

TURNING OF ALL KINDS.

Wooden Pumps made to order, and Pumps of all kinds Repaired.

Orders solicited for every description of joiner work.

Furniture Cleaned & Repaired.

R. G. ANDERSON & SONS, Newcastle, Dec. 4, 1877.

Patronize Home Manufacture.

HARPER & WEBSTER, SEDIAIC, N. B., MANUFACTURERS, & WHOLESALE DEALERS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

Men's Women's & Children's Boots Shoes and Slippers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

Hand Made Lumbermen's Boots,

A Splendid Article. Every Pair Warranted.

Prices Moderate—Terms Liberal.

April 4, 1878.

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WINTER IS COMING.

NEW IMPORTATION

DRY GOODS

—BY—

JOSEPH HAYS.

Attention is respectfully invited to the following arrivals, new French and English Flowers, Ostich Feathers, Wings and Tips, in colors; New Trimmings for Mantles and Sequins, Corded Ribbons in all colors, Dress Tweeds, Plain & Fancy.

DRESS GOODS

In all the leading colors for 1878.

MOURNING GOODS

In great variety: Black Cashmeres, Black Serge, Black French Merino, Black do. Craple Cloth, Waterproof Craple, Black Lustre from 15 cts. per yard; Black Colours, from 20 cts. per yard; Shawls, Scarfs, Under-shirts, Lamb's Wool and Worsteds, Stockings plain and fancy; Velvet Ribbons in all colors; Silk Velvet, Green, Navy Blue, Seal Brown, Black and Purple.

LADIES' PUB CAPS, MUFFS, DRAS and Scarfs,

Mens' and Boys Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, 30 cts. Mens' Drawers and Liners, Shirts in Cotton and Flannel; Blue Grey and Fancy; Prints, White and Grey Cottons from 1 cts. upwards. A full line of

GROCERIES and LIQUORS.

I can offer to the public with confidence, a very Superior OLD SPANISH WINE, for sickness.

I will dispose of the undermentioned goods at 5 per cent. on cost price, viz:—

ALL WOOL CARPETS,

In 2 and 3 ply Tapestry and Brussels Carpets, very beautiful patterns; Tapestry and Velvet, Hark Hugs; English and Canadian Tweeds, Black Doeskins and Broad Cloths; Blue and Olive Pilots and Beaver Cloth.

All Goods marked in plain figures so that no deception can possibly be practised.

"Framing the Square."

JOSEPH HAYS, Newcastle, Nov. 27, 77.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!