

REMNANTS Are Going Fast.

Remnants Heavy Allwool Grey Flannel 25c.
Remnants, Allwool Dress Goods worth 40 and 45c. for 25c.
(A few full Dress Patterns at that price.)
Remnants 14 and 15c. Prints at 10c.
Remnants Gingham and Shirting 7c. to 8c.
Remnant Cloth worth \$1.00 for 50c. per yard.
Remnants Fancy Jersey Flannel worth 75c. at 50c.
Lace Remnants, Hamburg Remnants, etc.

Boys Cape Overcoats, Men's Dress Overcoats.

Allwool Undershirts 90c. reduced to 75c.
Allwool Undershirts 85c. reduced to 65c.
Good Heavy Underwear for \$1.00 per suit.

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS IN ALL STRICTLY WINTER GOODS BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

C. PICKARD.

Sackville, January 8th, 1891.

Sackville Boot & Shoe Store.

DIRECT from BOSTON.

SPECIAL LINES IN
CHILDREN'S AND INFANT'S BUTT. BOOTS AND SLIPPERS,
LADIES' KID BUTT. BOOTS,
" " SLIPPERS, PLAIN AND BEADED,
" " HOUSE SHOES.

I would call your special attention to my stock of Children's Goods which is the largest ever shown here.
Always in stock a full assortment of Abner Smith's make of Boots & Shoes.
All Goods at unusually low prices.

W. TURNER.

FRESH GROCERIES AT THE Music Hall Grocery.

FRESH GREEN GRAPES, FRESH DATES,
FRESH VALENCIA ORANGES, FRESH PRUNES,
FRESH FLORIDA ORANGES, FRESH FIGS.

NEW CROP L. L. RAISINS NEW CROP VALENCIA RAISINS. Full Assortment of SPICES. CANNED GOODS in Fresh Peaches, Strawberries, Tomatoes, Sweet Corn, Lobsters, Oysters, Plums, Cherries, Green Peas, Salmon, Canned Beef Tongue.

WE KEEP THE BEST TEA AND COFFEE IN THE TOWN.

H. F. PICKARD.
N. B.—Full Stock GANONG'S FRESH CANDY.

EVERYONE

ACKNOWLEDGES NOW THAT

TREMAINE'S DRUG STORE AMHERST,

Is by far the Best Place in the Two Counties
TO BUY
DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES or TOILET ARTICLES.

They do not pretend to carry the Largest Stock, but they DO Carry
The Freshest and Best
And a FULL ASSORTMENT. You can always depend upon what you get there.
is at this store that Extra Attention is given to compounding Prescriptions, as they make a Specialty of such work.

REMOVAL!

We expect to move into our new Store Mr. Curry built for us, in
THE "TREEN BLOCK."
ABOUT
The First of DECEMBER,
And as we do wish to take any more of our PRESENT STOCK in our new store than we can help,
WE WILL OFFER IMMENSE BARGAINS

To Cash Buyers.

Our Goods are New and Fresh,

SPECIAL VALUE IN LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S DRESSERS, JACKETS AND FUR LINED GARMENTS.

F. A. WILSON'S, AMHERST, N. S.

Special Locals.

COAL is again being shipped from Lawton mine and is for sale by F. A. Dixon. BRAN for sale from car. F. A. Dixon. TAKE OUT an Accident or Life Policy in the Travelers.

J. F. ALLISON, Agent. APPLIES—75 BBLs. Nonpareil, Baldwin and Bishop-Pippin apples. For sale low by barrel, bushel or peck. Geo. E. Ford.

If you want to see the rush for Santa Claus call at C. Pickard's some of these fine afternoons.

"Young Gentlemen"—The place to buy presents for your own sister, or somebody else's sister is at Hickey's.

Ladies Chastelaine bags, Plush Dressing Cases, Gold and Silver watch chains, Gift Cans, perfumery, Skates, Napkin Rings, Toilet Clocks. The cheapest in town at Hickey's.

Call at Jos. W. Dobson's for your Nickel Driving Harness, Team Collars, and all other fittings in his line. The cheapest sales for the Xmas season, of Saddlebags, Saddle Pouches, Muffs & Collars, Silk Handkerchiefs, Gloves, is at Hickey's.

YOUNG LADIES: The place to select your present for your own or somebody else's brother is at J. E. Hickey's.

Plush Covered Shaving Set, Tobacco Box, Briar Pipe, Pen Knife, Persian Lamp Cap, Cashmere Scarf, tie and pin set, Anne Skates, Fancy Slippers, Hdkfs, Mustache Cup and Saucer, Fur Gloves, Cuff Buttons, &c.

All at bottom prices at Hickey's.

CHILD'S Sleds at all prices, 1000 Dolls, 100 Mugs, 1000 Gift Cans and Sauces, 100 porridge Sets, 100 Lamps for \$25 to \$10, and host of cheap goods at Hickey's Xmas Sale.

Having recently fitted up our Job Department with some of the latest styles of type we are able to supply all kinds of Commercial and Legal Work in a first-class manner and at lowest rates. A full stock of Note, Letter and Bill Heads of all sizes, Shipping Tags and Receipts constantly on hand. Get our prices before placing your orders elsewhere.

Round Town

The Merchants Bank of Halifax has increased its staff by the addition of Mr. Roy Ford.

A load of hay slewed off the bridge at Milton's Mills the other day, drawing the horse with it. No one hurt.

Rev. D. C. Lawson will preach in the Hall at Westmorland Point, next Sunday, the 11th, at 2.30 p. m.

METHODIST SERVICE—Sunday, Jan. 11th: 11 a. m., F. W. Harrison; 7 p. m., C. W. Harrison.—Upper Sackville, 3 p. m., F. W. Harrison.

WEST TO JAIL.—Neil Patiquin, of The Mountain House was taken to the county jail on Friday, by Constable Carter, in default of payment of a \$30 Act fine.

THE RINK.—Tantram Rink was opened last week by manager Allison. The ice has been in splendid condition for skating, with attendance but moderate. During the winter the band will play on Friday. Due notice will be given beforehand.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—The English mail train which passed Sackville about ten o'clock on Sunday morning, was detained about an hour between here and Dorchester, by a wheel dropping off one of the coaches. The disabled car was left at Dorchester.

NEW YEAR'S DAY.—There could scarcely be a finer winter day than was New Year's Day. The sleighing was good and everybody enjoyed it. Morice's Pond was a mass of tents, fully 2000 turns being on the ice in the afternoon. There were no serious accidents reported.

SUNDAY.—The small shipping business continues from points on the N. B. and P. E. I. R. R. The market looks somewhat brighter in Boston, as the rush for Christmas meats is about over and that for fish will now commence. Late circulars from Messrs Curtis quote them at 3 to 4 cents per pound.

THE CONVOY CORNER.—The piano and cornet performance of A. O. Babel and Miss Mattie Babel in Music Hall, on Monday evening, proved to be worthy of all the flattering press notices which preceded these talented musicians.

Mr. Babel, who for some years past has been before the public, was formerly in the employ of the United States government as interpreter in the West, and during his performance, wore the cowboy costume. As a precursor of popular melodies, Mr. Babel has few equals, and Miss Babel ably assists him. The performance is entirely free from all objectionable features. Miss Babel plays upon a magnificent gold cornet, heavily jewelled, and produces from it tones of rare sweetness.

COMING.—Mr. John A. Nichols, the noted temperance orator, has been secured by the Sackville W. C. T. U. to deliver his celebrated illustrated lectures, "Shadows of a Great City," and "Ramblings in England, Scotland and Ireland," in Music Hall on Thursday and Friday nights, Jan. 15th and 16th. These lectures are magnificently illustrated by the new Ectoxo limelight, bringing the places visited in vivid reality before the audience. Tickets can be obtained at the usual places, and of members of the W. C. T. U.; reserved seats 25 cents children ten. On Wednesday the 15th, Mr. Nichols will deliver his temperance address, in Music Hall; his topic will be "Mind Your Own Business." The lecture will be free, with silver collection; everybody invited.

ACCIDENTS AT Pt. DE BUTE.—A serious accident occurred on Trueman's Pond, Pt. De Bute, New Years day. All the flyers of that locality were on the ice. Two teams, driven by Hazen Chapman and John Harney, collided. The shaft of Mr. Harney's sleigh entered the breast of Mr. Chapman's horse, going into the lungs fully 15 inches. The horse was able to walk home, and the injury was not supposed to be serious, but on Sunday he died, when a post mortem revealed the extent of the injury.

On Monday evening while Mr. Alex. Tingley, of Bute Veto, was driving on the Upper Point de Bute road, he came into collision with a team driven by Chas. Jones, of Point de Bute, and the shaft of Mr. Jones' sleigh entered the breast of Mr. Tingley's horse, inflicting injuries which necessitated the shooting of the horse soon after. It is a rarity that these somewhat unusual accidents occur in such close succession and in the same locality.

Local Matters.

THIRTEEN vessels are being built along the Cumberland shore. The friends of Rev. D. A. Steele of Amherst will tender him a donation on the 16th inst.

This quantity of plaster exported from Hants county during 1890, amounted to 147,685 tons.

The Parrsboro schooner Patriot is ashore at Vineyard Haven. There are prospects of getting her off safely.

JAMES CLARK, foreman of the I. O. B. cashed at Moncton, fell off that building a distance of 15 feet and was badly injured.

A SPRINGHILL man came to head with a butterfly last week which had completed its metamorphosis while posing as an ornament in a parlor.

The Cape Breton railway was opened Saturday, the first regular through train arriving from Sydney at Point Tupper at 10 o'clock.

This Rev. H. H. Phipps of Amherst has been appointed to take charge of the parish of Haddock, C. B. and left on that place on Tuesday.

DURING the year 1890, which has just closed, there were 208 judgments entered in the Cumberland County court and 59 in the supreme court.

The Marquis of Parrsboro celebrated St. John's Day by a special service in the Episcopalian Church and a grand supper in the Central Hotel.

DURING the season just closed the reapers from Shediac for Transatlantic points, 30 vessels of 12,875 tons capacity, with 11,770,081 superficial feet of deals, &c.

JOHN McKEOWN, a laborer, on Kennedy's contract of the Ship Railway has had his hands and feet so badly frostbitten on Friday last that he has had to be taken to the hospital in Halifax.

J. SHER COOK, a workman on the Ship Railway at Tidnish, had a leg broken and was otherwise seriously injured by a fall of earth in a cutting on Monday. Dr. Clay has charge of the injured man.

Rev. R. D. PORTER, Baptist minister at Middleton, N. S., has been fined \$2.10 for preaching an ex with the prongs of a pitch fork till the animal was covered with blood.

Our worthy County Judge, Morse, among other good things vouchsafed to him at this season is to be congratulated on the arrival of a young lady visitor into his family, for the new year.

The schooner Gertrude lost on Sunday in the bay was owned by Captain D. S. Howard, of Parrsboro, and Charles Baker of Barrington. The latter had \$1,000 insurance on the vessel.

MISS BORCH, operator in R. S. Pridham's studio, Amherst, was severely hurt last week. While pumping water she loosened her grip of the handle, which in its recoil dealt her a severe blow on the face.

MR. WILL LUSBY, of Amherst, and Macom McMillan late employee of Wm. Holmes, left on New Year's Day for Montreal where they intend to open up business as carriage-trimmers, under the firm name of McDon and Lusby.

M. G. WALL, who is cutting lumber for the Shulze Lumber Co., cut last day this week \$5,000 feet of deals and boards with his mill which is one of A. Robb & Sons heavy portables consisting of 50 h. p. Hercules engine and 60 h. p. Mo arch boiler, medium heavy stave and gang edge. Mr. Wall expects to cut 2,000,000 feet this winter.

The house in Hillsboro in which Charles R. Scobie resided and the shop adjacent, owned and occupied by John O'Neil, were both entirely destroyed by fire on Thursday morning.

The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Scobie was in the house at the time and the house was occupied by Mrs. Scobie, her son and daughter and the maid servant. They had but a few minutes in which to escape with but little clothing.

Four more c-r-o-ds of machinery were brought Saturday evening, for the lifting apparatus of the Ship Railway docks. Though the work along the line and at the docks has almost entirely ceased for the winter months, he work of unloading cars and bringing in material still makes the Ship Railway a busy scene. One of those cars brought in Saturday night is for the dock at Tidnish. The other three for the dock at Port Lawrence.

EVERYTHING seems to indicate that there will be quite a number of vessels launched at Port Greville this season as there was this last one. Captain James Pettis is building a two-topmast schooner for Capt. C. S. Howard, to be commanded by him, also a schooner for A. S. Townsend; also a cargo tern schooner for himself. H. Elderkin & Co. are building a schooner for Capt. J. A. Hatfield, another for themselves, also another for Elderkin & Bros of Advocate. So much building will no doubt make a lively season for our little settlement.—Sentinel

The Mercier Government has come down to the Quebec House with a proposal for a loan of nearly eleven millions of dollars (\$10,862,353). Of this sum \$5,788,030, with \$525,344 cash on hand at last July last, is to cover a floating debt of \$6,313,374.

Besides these amounts there is a new commitment for railway expenditure, voted on the 23rd of last month, to the extent of \$2,544,270, and for new railway land subsidies, of the same date, \$1,836,000.

A despatch from Washington says: "Ballot is to be exempt from duty, says Assistant-Secretary Spaulding, in a circular letter to collectors of customs, but it must be of an entirely unmercantile character, and hence stone blocks, not being of such character, are liable to duty, even though used as ballast of importing vessels."

The seizure of a large quantity of shoe dressing is reported from Montreal. A Boston firm which has a large branch establishment in Montreal, shipped the goods with blank invoices, and the Canadian agent filled in the prices to suit himself.

R. D. C. Will cure you.

Around Town.

CHILDS SCALDER.—Yesterday morning a young child of Mr. John Clark, upset a pot of boiling water which was on the floor and was badly scalded.

CALENDARS.—One of the finest calendars that have been presented to us this year is that of the Canadian Mutual Life Association of Toronto. Mr. Geo. B. Phipps, is the local agent.

MR. ALLISON NOTES.—The students are beginning to return from their vacation, although slowly.

The laboratory has been fitted up during the holidays and is now in perfect working order. Several microscopes have been imported for the use of students in microscopy and a lot of new test books in Chemistry, have arrived.

Prof. Kierstead, of Acadia, paid a visit to the college while in town.

PERSONALS.—Miss Daisy Wood, left on Monday evening last for Whitty, where she is attending the ladies college. Mr. Wood went as far as Montreal with her.

Mr. H. B. Russ, of the Customs office, Richibucto, has been spending a few days at Sackville.

Says the Sussex Record: Mr. R. K. Harrison, of Sackville, spent Christmas in Sussex.

Postmaster Dixon, has so far recovered from his illness as to be able to be out. He is not at active duty yet.

Mr. T. T. Davis, late principal of the Episcopalian Academy, spent his Christmas holidays at Amherst. He is still studying at Harvard University where he won a \$250 scholarship in Mathematics.

Canada, a monthly journal of religion, patriotism, science and literature, edited by Matthew Ritchie, Knight, a graduate of Mc. Allison, heads the editorial page of a paper which represents a new venture in Canadian journalism. Canada makes a good appearance. It is published at Benton, N. B., at 50 cents a year.

Mr. Clarence Casey of Amherst, was in town last week on a flying visit.

Messrs Thos. R. Black, ex-M. P. P. B. J. Lawson and N. Curry, of Amherst, and Mr. H. R. Emmerson, of Dorchester, were present at the dedication services on Sunday.

Fire at Pugwash. A disastrous fire broke out at Pugwash on December 29th, in the dwelling over Jas. J. Elliott's. Elliott's two stores and adjoining buildings were destroyed; part of their goods was saved.

The Raccoon's restaurant, with two adjoining buildings, was destroyed. A part of its furniture was saved.

The W. C. T. U. building and contents were destroyed; nothing saved. Hamilton and C. S. store and goods were destroyed.

McLeod Bros's store, with butcher shop and contents, total loss.

Waggon Bros. were burned out, but saved part of their stock. Hans Hollis, tailor, had his building burned; his stock was saved.

H. G. Bennett's barn was destroyed, with contents.

Not a dollar of insurance is held by any of the parties. Mrs. H. F. Elliott had a narrow escape, and was carried out by her husband at the peril of his life. She is now very ill. The loss is estimated at about \$30,000.

Crushed to Death by a Sled. News was received here yesterday of an accident at Taylor's Village to the parish of Dorchester, by which Charles Taylor, postmaster, was crushed to death. Deceased was the uncle of Messrs R. T. C. Edrin and Samuel Taylor, of Moncton, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

In politics, he was a staunch conservative, and was always in the van of his district. He lived on the home-stead, and never married.

It appears that Charles Taylor, who is 50 years of age, went to sea out building to move a bob-sled, which was standing against the wall. By some means or other, the sled fell and crushed Mr. Taylor to his groin.

When found, he was lying on the floor with his head crushed under the bob-sled. How long he had been there no one knows, but he was about half an hour. When found he was breathing.

Mr. Gaudet was summoned, but the unfortunate man breathed his last some minutes immediately after he was taken into the house.—Moncton Times.

Mr. Editor.—Notice in your issue some kind-hearted old gentleman has written you a letter full of sympathy for Scott Act offender Robinson, who has been in the County goal, and sure this good old man will be glad to know that he has been imposed upon as to the manner in which Mr. Robinson was in the County goal, and sure this good old man will be glad to know that he has been imposed upon as to the manner in which Mr. Robinson was in the County goal.

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Dorchester.

The County Council met yesterday in its regular semi-annual session, all the Councilors being present, with the exception of Councilor Gaudet. The only business of any importance up to time of writing has been the matter of ex-Councilor Hennessey's petition against the election of Councilor Garland, after a good deal of discussion the petition was given the six month's hoist. Councilor Gaudet was unanimously voted Warden for the ensuing year.

Mr. Chas. S. Hickman, returned on Monday, to resume his law studies at Harvard University.

The Jan'y session of the Supreme Court, meets on Tuesday next. Mr. Justice Wetmore, will be the presiding judge.

DORCHESTER GOV'T. SAVINGS BANK. Deposited from July 1st, to December 31st, \$10,284.60.

Withdrawn from July 1st to December 31st, \$14,154.16.

Balance to credit of depositors Jan'y 1st, 1891.

Prize, \$100,479.88.

In January, 1890 the balance to credit of depositors was \$102,610.87.

REGISTRY OF VESSELS DORCHESTER PORT. On Registry Books Dec. 31, 1890.

2 Ships measuring 3123 tons.

3 Barges " 6027 "

1 Barkentine " 471 "

1 Brigantine " 341 "

7 Schooners " 1214 "

16 Vessels " 10,176 "

Added during year 1890, none.

Struck off as follows: Barque Lewis Smith, sold to Foreigners, 1003

Barque John Hickman, sold to Foreigners, 1240

Schr Sarah Godfrey, wrecked 1385

Tons deducted during 1890, 2518

In 1888 Dec. 31st, 25 vessels, 17,785 tons were on Registry Books, a decrease of nearly 1/2 in two years.

Point de Bute.—A very interesting memorial service was held in the Methodist church here on the last Sabbath of the old year, in which several members of the congregation took part.

The new teacher, Miss Sprague, has taken charge of the school and made a very favorable impression on the people. The holidays passed very pleasantly; the sleighing was good, and the time was improved by the young folks.

An accident on Trueman's Pond, on New Year's day resulted in the loss of a horse owned by H. B. Chapman. Mr. Harney and Mr. Chapman were driving in opposite directions, and drove into each other. The shaft of Mr. Harney's sleigh ran into the breast of Mr. Chapman's horse, breaking the shaft in the animal, which only lived three days.

It is a little singular, but I have just learned that another horse was killed at Upper Point de Bute, last night, in much the same way as the above, the shaft running into the windpipe. This horse was owned by Leander Tingley.

Union prayer meetings are in progress here, being held alternately in the Baptist and Methodist churches.

Merry Wedding Bells. SOCIETY CIRCLES IN A FLUTTER OVER ONE OF THE MOST INTERESTING EVENTS OF THE SEASON.

One of those happy events which unite two hearts as one took place on New Year's Eve, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Fort Lawrence, when Mr. John W. Carter, of Point de Bute, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to their daughter Alice M. A large number of intimate friends were present and the ceremony was performed by the pastor Rev. James Crap.

The bride entered the parlor performing on the arm of her father and looked perfectly charming. She was attired in a handsome wine colored silk, elegantly trimmed with cream silk lace and white ribbon.

After the happy couple were made man and wife, they received the congratulations of those present, all repaired to the capacious dining room where a bounteous collation was served. The