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In Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Coburgs, Lustres, Flannels, Grenadines, Gloves,

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Excellent TEA at 40c. per lb. 10 lb. for \$1.75.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Election Card.....Charles A. Black.

do.....R. C. Wry.

Great Discount Sale.....C. A. Bower.

Wanted.....Robert Bell.

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Laws Dye Works.....Geo. E. Ford.

New Cloth.....J. L. Black.

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Iron and Steel, Groceries, etc., do.

Spring Clothing.....do.

General Goods.....E. J. Butler.

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Mail Contract.....Geo. McMillan.

LANDS, &c. FOR SALE.

Hotel—J. R. Lang, Amherst; private sale.

Farm—Blair Botsford; Auction, 21st April.

Dorchester.

Land—C. W. Weldon, &c.; Auction, 14th

April, Dorchester.

Land—Thos. McClellan; Auction, 26th

May, Hopedale.

Farm—Blair Botsford; Auction, 17th Mar.

Dorchester.

Real Estate—Edward Cogswell; Auction,

30th April, Port Elgin.

Here and Hereabouts.

Coal! Coal!!—Coal at Bennett's

Mine at \$4.00 per chaldron.—If

New Boots, Slippers, etc., very

cheap, at Geo. E. Ford's.

To Correspondents.—"Ins": No

notice taken of anonymous letters.

The Nova Scotia Parliament is

expected to close to-day.

Geo. E. Ford's stock of New Furni-

ture is well worth the inspection of

all.

Dr. EARLE walked the St. John

Mayorality course on Tuesday; Mr.

Milligan retiring.

The ice in Shediac harbor is

showing signs of Spring—the

channel from the wharf out is open.

FISHERMEN at Bay Verte are

preparing for the spring's herring fish-

ing.

New Goods, New Prints, Corsets,

Counters, Grey and White Cot-

tons, at Geo. E. Ford's.

ELEVEN CASES of small pox have

been discovered at Tatamagouche, N. S.

Six have proved fatal.

CHIGNECTO HALL, for concerts and

meetings and public gatherings of all

kinds.

ELEGANT BEDROOM SUITS, Dining

Room Furniture, Chairs of all de-

scription, at Geo. E. Ford's.

Mr. DUBOIS, it is said, has con-

tracted to deliver three thousand

tons of Cape Breton coal to Ottawa.

ELDER D. C. LAWSON will preach

at Dorchester, next Lords day, the

15th at 10.30 a. m., and 3 p. m.

PREACHING SERVICES for Skeville

on Sabbath next by Rev. Mr. Steel:

Cookville at 10.30 a. m.; Anderson's

at 3 p. m.; Fairfield at 3 p. m.

THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE Co.

is receiving a very large stock of

general merchandise from English

Markets.

THE SKEVILLE BOOT AND SHOE

FACTORY was broken open on Sat-

urday night, and 10 pairs of boots and

shoes abstracted.

MR. DANIEL McLAUGHLIN of

Chatham, lost a pair of horses and a

load of supplies through the ice

above Newcastle on Wednesday last.

REV. J. L. STEWART, of the News,

says that monographs on garters are

going out of style. Now how does

our reverend friend know?

A SPECIAL LINE of Ladies' Misses',

Gents' and Boys' Hats, in colored

and black Felt, Woole and Fur,

white and colored Fancy Straws, at

Geo. E. Ford's.

MR. JOSE H. DICKSON requests us

to say that he will address public

meetings in various parts of the

Parish of Westmorland previous to

the approaching Municipal election.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A few days

ago at New Glasgow, a man named

McKenzie Mills, accidentally placed

his left hand against a circular saw

in motion, and had the thumb and all

the fingers taken off.

A Concert by St. Stephens' Sab-

bath School takes place to-morrow

evening at Mason Hall, Amherst.

Loss or Live at Port Hood, C. B.

On the afternoon of Friday, the

30th ult., three young men—John,

Gamaliel and Edward James—sons

of Mr. Nathaniel Smith, of Port

Hood Island, left their father's house

to go, in a boat, to a vessel which

was about a half mile from their own

landing. Having gone a short dis-

tance they came to a large cake of

ice. Thinking it easier to haul the

boat over it than to row around it,

they did so, but as they jumped into

the boat on the other side it turned

over and the three young men were

thrown into the water. John and

Edward James were drowned.

A MISSING GIRL.—A girl about 18

years of age, daughter of Mr. John

Allen, of Argyle, after spending a

week visiting friends near Tusket

Forks, left her return to Argyle.

She had been away for a week, and

she had not reached home, but she

had not been seen since she left.

Having gone a short distance, she

was seen by a medical man from Pic-

ton, who had been summoned for the

purpose, that its true nature was

made known, and who at once

took the necessary steps for isolating

the case, and to prevent the spread

of infection which had already been

taken effect on the Murphy family, as

the result proved, as also among their

friends, who had been permitted to

visit the sick man. He died on the

16th of March. In due

course the Murphy family were all

attacked with the disease, as also a

relation of the name of David

Murphy and an Archibald Henderson,

a near neighbour. With the

latter exception, all were crowded

together in one small room.

The Picton Co. Board of Health

met on the 25th March, and their

deliberations resulted in sending Dr.

C. F. H. Campbell down here to take

sole charge of the sick, with un-

limited sanitary powers over the

proclaimed district, which was at

once placed in close quarantine, no

personal communication, on any plea,

being permitted between its residents

and the surrounding country.

Of the above cases, six succumbed

to the disease, and the others are

always alarming and dangerous for

the reason of the small number, to

this being owing in a great measure,

to their over crowded condition, to

correct which no amount of judicious

ventilation or use of disinfectants

would be sufficient to correct.

In addition to the above sad record

of mortality, two more victims must

be added, viz: those of a married

daughter of Peter Murphy, who lived

at Tatamagouche, twelve miles dis-

tant, who contracted the disease while

visiting her father's house. Before

the nature of the malady was

made known, she returned home,

was taken ill, communicated the

disease to her young daughter, and

both were added to the sad cata-

logue of victims. The Postmaster

cheerfully gave the required bonds.

Two Attorneys (they may have been

Barristers) seemed much interested

that the Laws of Her Majesty's

realm should not be violated and

sustained and assisted the pro-

secution. It is said by some folk that

"two of a trade can never agree."

It may be hoped that the latter

mentioned Attorneys were actuated

by motives and feelings akin to

the above. The Postmaster, it is

said, will defend himself and plead

that he was protected by the clause

of the Post Office Act which protects

officers in the employ of the Depart-

ment from arrest when in the actual

performance of the duties of the

Postmaster. When doctors dis-

agree who shall decide.

Correspondence.

Small-Pox at River John, N. S.

To the Editor of CHIGNECTO POST.

Mr. Editor.—Possibly a brief

account of the fearful ravages that

small-pox made in this usually

healthy district—thanks to the

alleged neglect of a public servant

at Halifax, and the professional in-

competency of a medical man—may

not be unacceptable to you.

The disease, introduced here

by a young seaman, belonging to

this place, of the name of Heigh-ton,

who returned from Baltimore in the

mail boat "Circassian," on the 21st

February, via Halifax, and in which

boat was a case of small-pox. On

coming here he resided with a family

of the name of Murphy, consisting

of Peter Murphy, his wife and six

children. The disease began to

evince the unmistakable symptoms

of its full nature on the 6th March,

and although between the 8th and

13th of the month, a medical man

had visited the case two or three

times, the eruption being then ap-

parent to all, he failed (fatally as

the sad issue proved) to recognize

the character of the disease, and it

was not until the patient had been

visited by a medical man from Picton,

who had been summoned for the

purpose, that its true nature was</