CHIGNECTO POST AND BORDERER

SACKVILLE, N. B. NOV. 20, 1890

We are offering the CHIGNECTO POST new Subscribers from the first of November until the end of 1891, for One Dollar payable strictly in advance.

Mr. Longley in Sackville.

On Monday the Hon. Mr. Longley will come to Sackville to electrify the Liberal imaginations of Westmorland Co., and endeavor to convince our farmers that their position would be greatly improved under unrestricted reciprocity; that it would be to their interest to have free access to the American markets and allow the Americans free access to ours. Were Mr. Longley's mission to convince the farmers that it would be better for them to supply the home market first, and then look to the disposal of the surplus afterward, rather than worry over the market for a surplus before it is produced, he would be doing a more commendable deed. Speaking for Sackville, we ask Mr. Longley to name any one article of farm production for which our farmers have not at present, an ample market at their own doors. Name any article for which there is not a good demand, and at a good price in our own markets. We do not know of a single article which is suffering for want of a market, but we can name a long list of articles which we import, that could be produced at home the result is that Ontario and Quebec are sending all sorts of dairy and farm products into our markets, to supply a demand which we do not supply ourselves. We buy flour in Winnipeg, cornmeal in the United States and Ontario, Oats from P. E. Island by the carload, potatoes from the same place, pork and beef, fresh and cured, from Ontario, lard from Toronto and Hamilton, and butter by the ton from Montreal. Of all these our farmers do not raise enough for home consumption: where then lies the value of reciprocity to them?

It is within a year that Chicago beef sold in Sackville in competition with that fattened on the Tantramar marshes; and if there is one thing more than another that has endeared Mr. Wood, M. P., to the Liberal farmers of Westmorland, it is his proposal to shut off Chicago competition in our fresh meat business; a proposal that was accepted in parliament. If our farmers cannot compete with Chicago beef with a duty of one cent per pound, can they expect to do better with no duty at all? This is a problem that unrestricted reciprocity would do well to solve. If our farmers are not more prosperous, the cure does not rest in reciprocity, until we stop importing what we can raise at home.

We hear a great deal about eggs, nowadays. Sackville is always poorly supplied with eggs, and rarely or never is a shipment made from this station outward; although the price is always a paying one. Let our farmers raise more produce of the kind the market is willing to take. Do as merchants do: if the market calls for lard, pork and hams, produce them. Keep more cows; do not let a butter factory grow sickly because there are not enough cows to keep it going, and cry for reciprocity. It is the height of folly to fly off to a foreign market when the home one is in poverty.

The Behring Sea Matters

Sir Julian Pauncefote has submitted the following draught of agreement to Mr. Blaine for his consideration:

(1) That pelagic sea sealing be prohibited in the Behring Sea of Ochotsk and adjoining waters, during the months of October, November and December, the migration period of the fur seal.

(2) All sealing vessels be prohibited from approaching the breeding island, within a radius of ten miles.

These regulations would put a stop to two practices complained of as tending to exterminate the species:

(1) The slaughter of female seals with young during the migration periods, especially in the narrow passes of the Aleution Islands.

(2) The destruction of female seals by marauders surreptitiously landing on the breeding islands under cover of the dense fog which almost continuously prevails in that locality during the summer.

If these suggestions are accepted by Her Majesty's government it would certainly manifest a friendly desire to cooperate with the United States government and that of Russia, in the protection of the seal rookeries, and the prevention of any violation of laws applicable. These proposals have been framed in a spirit of justice and conciliation, and with an earnest desire to terminate the controversy in a manner honorable to all parties and worthy the three great nations concerned.

Now if Secretary Blaine desires to discuss the matter with Sir Julian on this plan, there will shortly be an end to the Behring Sea fisheries trouble.

THERE is every liklihood that next year will see the whole of the population of Iceland on the way to Canada or the United States. From the official statutes it appears that fully 20,000 natives, or about one-fourth of the population of the island, have already emigrated to this continent. This great decrease has had the effect of sending down property in the island, while taxes have gone up, so much so that there is a great complaining and a looking westward to where their brothers are prospering and in happy homes. There is no class of settlers better suited for our northwest than the hardy, industrious Icelanders. The colonists already in the north-west have done well, and the farms around their Icelandic settlements are among the best in the country. The Dominion Government could not do better than make a big push for the remaining portion of the population in Iceland and scatter them through the North-West. It would be a paying investment.—*Star.*

THE old and well known financial house of Baring Bros., London, collapsed on Saturday last. Liabilities about $72 000,000. Other banks are coming to the rescue and it is supposed they will weather it all right. It will not affect matters in the Dominion much.

Grand Ball.

A PLEASANT EVENING AT THE BRUNSWICK HOUSE.—THE SOCIETY EVENT OF THE SEASON.

The ball given by the bachelors of Sackville assisted by a few of the married men, in the Brunswick House, on Thursday last, was one of the most successful social events that Sackville has seen for years. The spacious dining hall was tastefully arranged for dancing and was trimmed with a large number of flags and bunting; the other parts of the building were equally well arranged, and placed at the disposal of the guests.

The ball was opened at 8.30 o'clock and kept up, with a slight intermission for supper, until 2.30 o'clock. The following programme was given, to the music of a brass orchestra, composed of seven members of the cornet band under the leadership of Mr. Snowdon:

1	Quadrille,
2	Waltz,
3	Waltz,
4	Lancers,
5	Militaire,
6	Waltz.
7	Polka,
8	Waltz,
9	Quadrille,
10	Galop,
11	Waltz,
12	Waltz.
13	Lancers,
14	Waltz,
15	Militaire,
16	Waltz,
17	Waltz,
18	Lancers.

At twelve o'clock, the guests repaired to the capacious reception and sample rooms for supper, and a sumptuous repast, such as the Brunswick House alone knows how to prepare, was served. The supper rooms were very tastefully decorated with evergreen, and the tables with cut flowers.

The hostesses were Mrs. W. B. Dixon, Mrs. Rainnie, Mrs. J. F. Allison, Mrs. F. Ryan, and Mrs. H. Fawcett. The committee, who deserve credit for the manner in which the ball was conducted, were Mr. B. E. Paterson, Mr. T. S. Kirkpatrick and Mr. Thos. Murray, secretary.

The following accepted invitations:

SACKVILLE.

Mr & Mrs W B Dixon		Miss	Norris,
"	" J Rainnie,	"	L Fawcett,
"	" J F Allison,	"	Mack,
"	" F Ryan,	"	M Ayer,
"	" H E Fawcett	"	Smith,
"	" A A Mack,	"	A Smith,
"	" A Atkinson	Mr.	H Dickson,
"	" D G Dickson	"	H E Henderson,
"	" F McDougall	"	Foster,
"	" E L Ford,	"	Thos Anderson,
"	" N T Norman	"	Smith,
"	" TEstabrooks	"	Rainnie,
Miss	Estabrooks,	"	R K Harrison,
"	A Estabrooks,	"	J A McQueen,
"	Knapp,	"	Prof Curry.

DORCHESTER.

Mr & Mrs A E Oulton,		Dr	Teed,
Hon & Mrs A Richard		Mr	M I Lane,
Mrs Hickman,		"	R W Hanington,
Miss Chandler,		"	J W Y Smith,
"	Chapman,	"	B L Teed.

AMHERST.

Mr & Mrs J A Dickey,		Mr	C Main,
"	" D Douglas,	"	H Main,
"	" J Townshend	"	Bateson,
"	" Dr Bliss,	"	Pipe,
"	" J Morrison,	"	T S Rogers,
Misses Main,		"	H W Rogers,
Miss Purdy,		"	J M Lusby,
"	Culter,	"	Bishop,
"	Lowerison,	"	Frank Dunlap,
"	Dunlap,	"	F A Wilson,
"	Hamilton,	"	Amos Purdy, jr,
"	Wilson,	Dr	Lowerison,
		Dr	McQueen,
Mr and Mrs Butcher,		Moncton,	
Miss Peters,		"	
Mr Botsford Peters,		"	
"	S R Hunter,	"	
"	David Dickson.	"	
Mr and Mrs Gass,		St John,	
Miss Robinson,		"	
Mr. Barnes,		"	
"	Wm Rainnie,	"	

Birchall Hanged.

THE CLOSING SCENE IN A REMARKABLE MAN'S LIFE.—HE DIED WITHOUT CONFESSING.

On Friday last, Reginald Birchall, the convicted murderer of Frederick C. Benwell, was hanged in the jail yard at Woodstock, Ontario. It will be remembered that in February last, Benwell, who was induced by Birchall to come to Canada, under the belief that the latter was an extensive stock-raiser here and took apprentices in the business, was shot, and his body found in a swamp near by. Suspicion was directed toward Birchall, and soon afterward he was arrested. His trial, which occupied the attention of the court for several weeks, resulted in a conviction, and he received the sentence which terminated in his death on Friday.

Birchall had in him some of the material of which heroes are made. Throughout the tedious trial, when his life hung between this world and the next, he maintained a pleasing indifference to his surroundings; and even when he stood face to face with death beneath the gallows, and when the black cap shut from his eyes, forever the light of day, he never moved a muscle, nor was a tremor seen to shake his body. His wife was constant to the end. The last night of Birchall's life, they spent together in the cell, and as morning approached they took a long farewell. His last words were, as his wife turned the corridor to go out, "Goodbye, Flo, dear; be brave."

The execution was performed without a hitch. Four minutes after the drop fell, Birchall's pulse stopped, and ten minutes later the body was cut down and buried in a hermetically sealed coffin in the jail yard.

Botsford Items.

—Mr. James Chapman, North Shore, is making a large addition to his house. Mr. James Murray, at the same place, is building a lobster factory. Mr. Geo. Spence is building a lobster factory on the P. E. I. shore.

—Senator Howland, of P. E. I., with an English engineer, Mr. Palmer, came to Cape Tormentin on the 13th inst, and engaged in making surveys for the proposed sub-way to P. E. Island. The report is that a private company is taking the thing in hand. Success to it.

—Capt. J. Allen's house narrowly escaped destruction by fire a short time ago; the fire caught from a furnace in the hog house, which was burned.

—The London Stock Exchange has expelled Percival Preston, a broker, for breach of faith with a client. It seems that the client had ordered Preston to sell a large parcel of Mexican securities, but that the broker, disregarding the interests of his client, first sold for himself, thus spoiling his client's market.

—The sum of $11,000,000 will be spent for Boston's defences. The principal points of fortification will be Nahant, Long Island, Deer Island, Nantasket and Fort Warren, this giving complete command to the approaches to the city. The defences, themselves, will consist in chief, of 44 breach loading guns, with calibres varying from 8 to 18 inches, and 128 12-inch rifled mortars.

The Taxes We Pay

The following are the ratepayers for the Parish of Sackville and the amount assessed. The rates for other parishes will also be given. These rates are the county taxes only.

Continued from last week.

Richardson, Est. Edward	$2.10
" Bedford	1.35
" Ami	1.70
Robinson, Chas.	2.05
" James A.	5.90
" James C.	1.35
Robson, Mrs. James	3.50
Robinson, John	7.30
Rainnie, Jas.	8.00
Robertson, Wm. M.	1.35
Rogers, Jas.	3.80
" J. Emmerson	1.35
Rayworth, Albert	3.80
Rhodes, James	1.70
Read, Caleb	2.40
Richardson, Gaius	1.70
Riley, Hiram	2.40
Ritchie, David	1.70
Ryan, Fredrick	2.40
Read, Valentine	2.05
Richardson, George	1.00
NON-RESIDENT.	
Read, J. Bedford	2.45
RESIDENT.	
Smith, W. Albert	38.45
" Miss Lois	3.15
" Valentine	1.35
Smith, Gideon	2.40
" Geo. B.	2.05
" Valentine, Jr.	1.70
" James P.	2.40
" Alex.	6.60
" Albert G.	2.40
" Abner	22.00
" James	6.25
" John	3.10
" Edward	4.15
" Jno. E.	3.45
" Edwin	2.05
" Alfred	1.70
" Silas, Jr.	1.70
" Prof. A. D.	6.60
Snowdon, John	3.45
" David	6.25
" Amos P.	7.30
" Wm.	7.30
" Obediah	7.65
" Everett	3.45
" James	3.10
" Est. John	3.85
" Alma	2.40
" Est. Benjamin	1.75
Siddall, Frank	16.75
Stultz, William	2.05
Scurr, Chas.	19.20
" Benjamin	3.10
" John	3.10
Sharp, John P.	13.95
" Milton	2.40
Stokes, John	1.70
" Elijah M.	1.35
Stevens, E. L.	2.40
Stewart, Chas D D	8.00
" Capt John	2.40
Seaman, William	2.40
Scott, Alfred	4.15
" Chas	4.15
" Willard	1.70
Sangster, John D	7.30
Stiles, Leonard	5.90
Silliker, Hedley V	2.40
Sears, Wilmot	1.35
Simpson, Henry H	2.05
Sears, David	2.05
" Meltbourne	1.70
" William	11.15
" Titus	2.05
" Sanford	2.40
" Nathan	2.05
" Jonathan	1.70
" Dixon	3.10
" John, Jr,	3.10
" Obed	2.05
" Daniel	2.40
" John	9.75
" William, Jr,	1.70
" Thomas	3.10
" Johnson	1.70
" Chas (son of John.)	2.40
" D Kinsman	1.35
" A Chandler	3.80
Simpson, Archibald	4.50
Smith, Joseph C	3.45
Stanley, Thos W	1.35
Smith, David	1.35
Snowdon, Albert	1.70
" Frank	1.00
" Luther	1.00
" Ami	1.00
" Mark	1.00
Sears, Chipman	1.35
" Dimock	1.00
Smith, Chipman	1.00
Somerville, (teacher)	1.75
NON-RESIDENT.	
Smith, Sir A. J. Est.	12.25
" E. J.	1.40
Sirson, R. J.	9.45
Stockford, Geo. E.	2.45
Smith, Peter	.70
Sweetnam, Robert	2.10
RESIDENTS.	
Thompson, Chas.	6.95
" Clifford	5.20
" Willard	22.00
" Fred	18.50
" Wilson	3.80
" Reuben	8.70
" George	1.70
Trueman, Thompson	22.00
" R. Alder	11.15
" Isaac	2.40
" Edward	2.40
" Clifford B.	8.70
" G. Johnson	5.20
" Harmon, M. D.	7.30
Turner, Woodford	4.85
Tingley, John	19.90
" Alvah	2.40
" Josiah	12.55
" Fred J.	6.95
" Elisha	4.55
" Amos	11.50
" Heber	1.70
" Edwin	1.70
" Hosea	2.40
" Wm. Ami	4.15
" Josiah C.	1.70
Towse, Capt. Elisha	6.60
" William	4.15
" Murray	4.85
" Geo. W.	12.20
Tait, Blair B.	1.70
Tracy, Thomas	1.70
Taylor, Blair	4.50
Troop, Amos	3.10
Tower, Lemuel	3.45
" Capt. Elisha	9.75
" Robert	2.75
" Amos	3.10
" Christopher	1.35
" Joseph	2.40
" Rufus	4.50
" Hosea B.	2.40
" Henry	3.80
" Joseph (son of Samuel.)	3.10

To Be Continued.

Port Elgin

The late issue of the *Royal Gazette*, contains the following:

THIS is to certify that we, Mary J. Murray, of Port Elgin, in the County of Westmorland, and Province of New Brunswick, wife of David Murray, of Port Elgin aforesaid, in the County. F. Johnston, of Botsford, in the County aforesaid, Farmer, have this day entered into a general Partnership, under the name, style and firm of "M. MURRAY & Co.," for the purpose of carrying on a general Merchandise business as Merchants at Port Elgin aforesaid.

Dated this fifth day of November, A. D. 1890.

(Signed) MARY MURRAY,
(Signed) AUGUSTUS F. JOHNSTON.
Signed in presence of
(Signed) W. WOODBURY WELLS, *Notary Public.*

Maritime Matters.

—Frank Harding, of St. John, is in jail at Bangor for horse stealing.

—Bridgetown, N. S., offers $10,000 to any furniture company who will furnish a like amount and start a factory in the town.

—Mrs. Weeks and Sutherland, of the famous P. E. I. poisoning case, are in the states on a trip. They seem to enjoy the notoriety.

—Kenneth Morrison, stableman at the Block House, committed suicide by hanging himself in a barn at Cow Bay, C. B., on Wednesday last.

—H. Landry, of St. Louis, Kent Co. raised this year a turnip that measured 37 inches in circumference and weighed 19½ pounds, and another that measured 36 inches and weighed 18 pounds.—Ex.

—The epidemic of scarlet fever has closed the Alberton, P. E. I., public schools for a fortnight. The type is so malignant that the health officer deemed it his duty to advise the Board of Health to this effect.

—The barque Calburga, 1500 tons, was launched from South Maitland on Saturday last. She was built by Adams McDougall for Thos. Douglass, Stairs, Son and Marrow and others of Halifax. She was classed A 1. for 13 years in American record.

—Rev. Costello Weston, formerly of St. John, was married in Augusta, Me., to a sweetheart of his younger days. The first engagement was broken by the parents, and both afterwards married and were bereaved, and now after years of separation, meet and are married.

—It is reported here that a man living at Belledune, near Bathurst, with a woman who is not his wife, was taken out of his house Saturday night by whitecaps, fearfully maltreated, and finally murdered. The report may not be wholly true, but it has some foundation in it.—*Moncton Times.*

—The work of grading on the Oxford and New Glasgow railway was completed on Tuesday week, and all other work is expected to be brought to a close within the next few weeks. The accommodation train, which has been running over the road for some time, has had all the business it could handle, and a large traffic is expected.

—The Windsor, N. S. *Journal* says: Dogs are making havoc among the sheep at Meander and Newport. Last week Mr. Evill had eight sheep, worth $50., killed by them. He had spared no pains in selecting the sheep and it certainly seems too bad to have them torn to pieces by worthless dogs. Mr. Jas. Sterling's flock was also attacked but only one was killed.

—The annual report shows losses in the Gloucester fisheries this year of eighteen vessels, with a tonnage of 1,380 and insurance $37,500. The number of lives lost is eighty. The previous year there were fourteen vessels lost, with insurance of $50,000 and seventy lives. Eighty-five per cent of the lives lost were provincialists or foreigners.

—The boss mackerel catcher of Nova Scotia, Capt. John Samuel Wolfe, schr. John M. Inglis, landed in this port a few days ago, with his fare of mackerel from North Bay. Expecting some mackerel on the coast, he went out on Wednesday evening and returned Friday morning with the schooner's deck full of bloater mackerel, 60 bbls., and is off again this morning.—*Acadian Recorder.*

—The Sydney-Narrows section of the C. B. Railway will be opened for traffic Monday. One of the Bras d'Or boats will likely run between Mulgrave and the Grand Narrows, making train connections. The other section will be opened as soon as some of the trestle work is filled in, it not being considered safe to run passenger trains. The Narrows-Hawkesbury section will be ready for traffic in a short time, probably in December.

—At Milltown, some thirty miles from Fredericton, preparations have been going on for some time for a marriage. About a hundred invitations were issued and bridal presents in great numbers were purchased. But the groom-elect did not put in an appearance on the day expected, one or two days before the ceremony was to be performed, and it has turned out that he was already married and had a family of three children.—*Gleaner.*

—The Fredericton *Herald* is disgusted with the "busbies" worn by the volunteers. "We wish some one would tell us," it says, "where the beauty or utility of those monstrosities lies. They are brought out of camphor on every conceivable occasion. Anything from an agricultural hoss trot to the funeral of a distinguished citizen is considered sufficient provocation for their infliction upon the gaze of a long-suffering community."

—A terrible accident happened in Greenwich, Kings county, N. S., by which a daughter of Lovett Bishop lost her life. Some burdocks and potato tops were burning in the field and Mr. Bishop's daughter and another girl were playing with the fire. Her dress caught the blaze, and without listening to her companion who tried to put it out, she at once ran to the house. Some boys stopped her and rolled her in water, but she was too badly burned to live and died on Saturday morning.

—Says the Chathrm *World*: "Mr. D. Hatton of Montreal, is experimenting in oyster capture on the Bay du Vin river, with the intention of leasing the river for oyster beds if he succeeds. He planted a lot of Baltimore oysters about a year ago, and was satisfied with the look of the beds when he examined them in May last. He has now planted five barrels of culled Prince Edwasd Island oysters, in the same river. He desires to ascertain if the oysters will retain the flavor they have on their native beds.

Horse Notes.

Mr. George Wood of this place has traded his well known trotting horse "Ingun" with Amos Vernon and got in part pay a handsome colt four months old sired by Col. Willowside he by Nuttcourne trial in 2.26¾ who is half brother to Maud S., 2.08¾, the fastest trotter the world has ever seen, they being out of Mist Russell. Lyra the dam of Willowside has a record of 2.28¼ and is equally as well bred. The colt's first dam was by All Right, 2.40, sire of Geo. Lee 2.23¼ and Charlie Mitchell, 2.28¼.

Nutwood, 2.18 has put th following in the 2.30 list; Bamboo, 2 years old 2.29¼, Woodbine 2 years old 2.28 and Aeqon 3 years old 2.18¼. The Maine bred Stallion, Nelson is now the fastest in the world, he having trotted in 2.10¾ also a half in 1.03 and a quarter in 30¼ seconds. The Sackville horse Chester, by Grey Chester took second money at Simcoe, Ont., winning one heat in 2.34¼.

Minudie, N. S.

—During her recent voyage the steamship Vancouver, encountered a violent storm in which Capt. Lindall, and the quarter-master were washed overboard, and the ship badly damaged. It was the worst storm ever seen on the Atlantic, so sailors report.

K. D. C. Worth millions.

Industrial and Commercial.

—The Chicago packers of canned meats have decided to advance canned meats a quarter of a cent a pound, such advance being declared necessary to cover the additional cost of the tin cans under the new tariff.

—The business of Armour & Co., Chicago, for the year ending October 1st, 1890, aggregrated in sales $65,000,000. The number of hogs killed was 1,450,000, cattle 650,000, sheep 350,000. The total floor area of the buildings is 140 acres.

—The steamer Boston, built in Glasgow, Scotland, for the Yarmouth, N. S. Steamship Co., is said to be the fastest single crew steamer in the world. On six consecutive runs on the measured mile with fully 250 tons dead-weight on board she attained a speed ranging from 18.09 to 18.32 averaging 18.28 knots, or about 1¼ knots above the guarantee.

—It is understood that T. Trudeau, deputy minister of railways and canals, will be appointed chief engineer of canals in place of the late John Page. This position he will hold in connection with his present office at the same salary as Mr. Page had, namely, $5000. By adding both offices the sum of $4,[illegible] for Mr. Trudreau's present salary, will be saved to the country.

—The Minister of Agriculture is about offering a special bonus or rate to emmigrant settlers on land in Manitoba, the North-West Territories and British Columbia, with the object of stimulating settlement on the land. For the head of a family it will be $15 for each member of the family at and over the adult age; of 12 years $7.50, with an additional bonus of $5 to any member of the family who subsequently takes up a homestead within six months after arrival in Canada.

—The coal industry of Nova Scotia is more prosperous to-day than ever before. From Cape Breton and Pictou come most gratifying reports of bustle and activity about the collieries, which betoken steady work for a large number of workmen, and increased output of coal. There is good reason for encouragement, in all this. Those who feel called upon to speak slightingly of our coal industry should take a trip and visit the different mining centres. Practically, it would be an "eye opener" to many.

Personal and Political.

—The great steel bridge across the Columbia river at Vancouver, British Columbia will be a mammoth concern. It will be 6,000 feet long; it will be double tracked, with a road on top for teams, and will be erected upon pneumatic piers. The pivota pier will support a draw which will give an opening of 200 feet space on either side for vessels to pass. The whole structure is to be of steel, built 40 feet above low water and will cost over a million dollars.

—The friction between Italy and Austria has been increased by reports received from Count Nigia, the Italian ambassador at Vienna, the Cardinal Galimberti, the Papal nuncio has been operating upon Emperor Francis Joseph through the Empress and Archdukes to break the connection with Italy. The *Riforma*, of Rome contrived to get hold of despatches from Galimberti to to the Pope reporting progress in the diplomacy tending to isolate the Italian Government.

—The death is announced at his home in Liverpool, N. S., of Mr. Andrew Cowie, ex-M. P. P. Mr. Cowie who was 92 years of age, was the grandfather of the late Mr Andrew Cowie, of St. John and of the Rev. J. R. deW. Cowie, formerly pastor at Waterford. Mr. Cowie was an active business man and was head of the well-know firm of Messrs A. Cowie & Sons. For several years prior to Confederation he represented Queens county in the Nova Scotia Legislature.

Cape Tormentine

—A very pleasant gathering took place at the residence of Mr. John McKay, on the 12th inst, on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Annie M., to Mr. Fraser Allen, of Upper Cape. Dr. F. Goodwin supported the groom, and Miss Jane Jones and Miss Lizzie Allen, the latter a sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaids. The bride was attired in purple satin, with embroidered pink panels and overdress of crepe du chene; the bridesmaids wore pink satin and cream lace. The Rev. A. D. McCully was the officiating minister. The presents were many and valuable, consisting of silver and glassware, with other articles, also a large number of bank bills. After the ceremony, supper was served in the best of style. We congratulate Upper Cape on this accession to its society. The best wishes of a very large circle of friends attend Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Parrsboro

—Thanksgiving day was not observed as a holiday in Parrsboro, the stores being open as usual, there was service in St. George's Church in the morning, Rev. Mr. Pittman of Amherst officating. Also service in the Methodist church in the evening.

—Rev. Mr. Gibbons, accompanied by Mrs. Gibbons, left on Tuesday morning for New York, they purpose being away one month.

—There is one fatal case of Typhoid fever in town, a nine year old son of Mr. Willard Lockhart, who was buried to-day. The school children marching in procession

—Coal shipments are very brisk, their being two and three trains daily.

—The Goose Supper given by the ladies of St. James Presbyterian church, on Thanksgiving evening was a decided success, the hall being uncomfortably full. Proceeds for church purposes $130,00.

—St. Georges' church is decidedly improved by its new coat of paint.

Baie Verte

—A public meeting under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society was held in Baie Verte, Methodist church, on Tuesday evening Oct. 30th. The President Mrs T. E. Wood, conducted the various and interesting exercises of the evening, with effect. The officers were all in their respective places, and if we may judge from the reports read and the addresses given by the president, vice-president and secretary, we cerfainly conclude that the society has been, and will continue to be productive of much good. Dialogues, recitations and music, was given by the Mission Band led by Mrs. B. Harper. The secretary's report showed that the sum of $88,00 had been collected for missionary purposes, during the few years this society had been in existence, which is certainly a good showing and too much cannot be said in praise of the officers and members, for their energy and zeal in this branch of christian work.

ONE PRESENT

K.D. C. for Everybody.

Read This!

At J. L. BLACK'S.

Choice Cranberries, Dairy Butter, one car load of Sugar, 50 boxes McDonald Tobacco, 2000 lbs the choicest Cheese,

2 TONS BUCKWHEAT MEAL.

The finest assortment of Table Cutlery, splendid quality of Maple Sugar, 50 boxes of Soap, Liverpool Salt and Dairy Salt,

30 M FEET SEASONED PINE LUMBER,

TEA! TEA!

DIRECT IMPORTATION FROM CHINA.

The best value for the cost we have in store. 100 chests of Tea, ranging in price from 18c to 45c. The buyer will share in the profit with curselves.

J. L. BLACK.

LADIES' AND GENT'S FUR COATS.

LADIES ASTRACAN JACKETS, Mens Astracan Coats, Bulgarian Lamb Coats, Raccoon Coats, Kangaroo Coats, Rock Wallaby Coats, Wallaroo Coats, With prices from $18 50 to $45.00, at

J. L. BLACK'S

JUST RECEIVED!

A LARGE STOCK OF

Mens and Boys Suits & Overcoats,
50 Boys and Youths Suits,
40 Mens Suits,
85 Overcoats.

J. L. BLACK.

Iron and Steel.

JUST RECEIVED.

One car of Iron and Steel and Chain. Full stock of

Carriage Makers & Blacksmiths Supplies

Always on hand.

J. L. BLACK.

Flour & Feed!

NOW IN STORE

1 Car 5 Roses, 150 bbls.
1 " White Eagle, 125 "
1 " Gold Coin, 125 "
1 " Perfection, 125 "
1 " Corn Meal, 125 "
American and Canadian Middlings.

J. L. BLACK.

Rubber Goods.

Now in Store.

2 Cases of Men's Rubbers,
2 " Wos. "
1 " Misses "
3 " Mens Overshoes,
2 " Wos. "
1 " Mens Rub. Knee Boots
1 " Lumberman's Rubbers

J. L. BLACK'S.

GOOSE SUPPER!

The members of the

SACKVILLE CORNET BAND,

intend holding a

GOOSE SUPPER,

in the

TOWN HALL, MIDDLE SACKVILLE,

—ON—

Thursday, November 27,

Booths will be provided at which refreshments will be sold.

The Band will render an entirely new programme during the evening.

Admission to Hall 10 cents; Supper 35 cents.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

To be sold at the residence of the Subscriber **Bayfield,** on

Thursday, Nov. 27th,

at 9 A. M., the following

Personal Property:

60 TONS TIMOTHY HAY, 25 TONS BROADLEAF HAY,

on marsh, a quantity of Straw, 25 head of Cattle, 2 Horses, 1 Colt, 12 Sheep, Sleds, Wagons, Carts, Sleighs, Harnesses, Saddles, Mowing Machine, Raking Machine, Harrows, Ploughs, and other Farming Utensils.

All Timothy Hay purchased will have to be taken from premises within 20 days.

TERMS:—All sums under $5.00 cash, over that amount one year's credit with approved joint notes, six months without interest.

MRS. EMMA WELLS,
Nov. 20th, 1890. Administratrix.

Public Auction.

I will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at my residence at

Upper Point de Bute,

—ON—

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH,

inst., at one o'clock P. M. the following stock and articles:—4 Cows in calf, 3 Heifers in calf, 2 Steers, 3 Heifers, 2 Calves, 12 Sheep. Also 10 tons of Broadleaf Hay, 10 tons of Mixed Hay, 10 tons English Hay.

Liberal credit given.

GEO R. DIXON.

Upper Pt de Bute, Nov. 18.

LOST.

In Sackville, a GOLD WATCH and CHAIN. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at this office.

Nov. 20.

HOUSE TO LET!

THE HOUSE on UNION STREET, just finished, rooms large and conveniently arranged, large cellar, and cistern for soft water, good drinking water close by, can be heated with furnace or stoves. Only a few minutes walk from Schools, Post Office and Railway Station. Rent, moderate to a good tenant. Apply to

THOS. ESTABROOKS,
Brunswick House

Advertise in the Post.

New Advertisements.

Reciprocity.

HON. J. W. LONGLEY,

Atty-Gen. of N. S.

Will Address

THE ELECTORS

—AT—

Music Hall, Sackville,

—ON—

Monday Evg. Nov. 24th.

J. J ANDERSON,
PRESIDENT.

Nov, 20. 1i.

NOTICE!

The annual November meeting of the **S. & W. ACRICULTURAL SOCIETY,** will be held in **Powell's Hall, Sackville,**

—ON—

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25th, '90

at 2 o'clock, P. M. A good attendance is requested.

HOWARD TRUEMAN,
Nov 17th, 1890. Secretary.

RAISINS.

50 boxes Valentia Raisins!
50 " Valentia Layers,
50 hf " " "
All choice, new, fresh, and cheap.

M. WOOD & SON.
Nov. 5. 2m

Harness.

Having greatly increased our facilities for manufacturing we are now offering for sale all kinds of DRIVING HARNESS, comprising

Silver, Solid Rubber, Solid Nickel, Nickle Plate, Brass,

Japan and X C Mountings. TEAM HARNESS of every description, single and double, Truck and Express Heavy and well made.

COLLARS.

Single, Driving, and Team Collars, both leather and cloth faced. All parts of Harnesses kept constantly in stock, and at right prices.

J. R. AYER.

FLOUR, MEAL and FEED.

Just arrived and in Stock TWO CARS FLOUR, including Seneca, Jewel, Queen and Prairie Rose Brands.

STANDARD & ROLLER OAT MEAL

Kiln Dried Corn Meal, 1 Car Feed, Cracked Corn and Oats, Shorts and Bran, WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

J. R. AYER.

OIL.

One Car American White Rose Oil, the best Oil now on the market. Wholesale and Retail.

J. R. AYER.

HOUSE FURNITURE.

In store and to arrive, a large assortment of FURNITURE, including **PARLOR SUITS,** finished in all styles Bedroom Suits in Ash, Birch and Grained woods,

Cane, Perforated, and Solid Wood Bottomed Chairs,

in all styles and prices Cane and Wood Rockers, Children's Cradles, Cribs, High and Low Chairs and Rockers in all Finishings.

STOVES—Parlor, Bedroom and Cook Stoves,

for wood or coal, in leading makes, also Pipe and Elbows.

J. R. AYER.

Dry Goods & Groceries.

Always in Stock and constantly arriving.

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

for Men, Boys and Youths, in latest patterns and styles. Tweeds, Diagonals,

Dress Goods and Trimmings,

in great variety.

MANTLE CLOTHS, ULSTER CLOTHS,

of all patterns. MEN'S UNDERWEAR, Hats, Caps, Gloves and Mitts, OXFORD CLOTHS, all wool and Union, in plain and fancy Patterns.

Groceries!

A large Stock of Family GROCERIES, Brown and Granulated Sugars,

MOLASSES TEA, SPICES, RAISINS

Currants, Dried and Green Fruit, Codfish, Pollock, Labrador and Bay Herring.

J. R. AYER.

Builder's Material.

Pine and Cedar Shingles, Nails, Spikes, Tarred and dry building Paper, Paints, Oil, Glass and Putty.

J. R. AYER.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

To order and for sale, Men's and Boys, Women's and Misses Boots and Shoes.

Custom Work a Specialty.

J. R. AYER.

Clocks and Jewelry.

A Large Assortment of Clocks,

WATCHES—Gold and Silver,

Ladies and Gents' Chains. JEWELRY of all kinds.

J. R. AYER.

Sackville, Oct. 23rd, 1890.

Daily EXpected.

1 Car Load of Liverpool SALT.

Jas. R. Ayer.

Oct. 30.

Keep Warm!

We have in stock, Men's and Boy's Undershirts and drawers, Ladies and Childrens Undervests, great variety of Wool and Cashmere. Hose all sizes and qualities. Great variety of Wool Cashmeres and Kid Gloves and Mitts for Men Boys, Women and Children. Ladies Mantles, cheapest flannels in the place.

GEO. E. FORD.

Dress Goods and Mantle Cloths, &c.

Buyers of Dress Goods, Mantle and Ulster Cloths of any description will find the best variety and lowest prices in town. Come and examine our stock.

GEO. E. FORD.

FURNITURE.

Just received Parlor Suites in Walnut, Bedroom Suites, in Ash, Birch and Cherry. Great variety of Rattan Chairs and Tables. Pillar and Extension Tables, Rocking Chairs, Spring Beds, Lounges, Stands Chairs, Tables, etc. Offer at my low prices.

GEO. E. FORD.

Custom Tailoring!

We are now showing the greatest variety of Cloth's Tweeds, Coatings Trowserings. Over Coatings and Ulster Goods, etc. We invite inspections. Worth and fit guaranteed.

GEO. E. FORD.

FURS! FURS!

We have now in Stock—Bear Boas and a great variety of cheaper Boas. Ladies and Gents. Fur Collars and Cuffs, Muffs, Caps, Gloves. Ladies and Gents. Fur Coats, Fur Trimmings in great variety. White and colored Lambs Wool Boas and Trimming. Also Goat