

## THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE CO.

## Prices to Suit the Times??

FOR THE NEXT SIX WEEKS, PREVIOUS TO TAKING STOCK, WE WILL SELL GOODS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

## AT REDUCED PRICES!

For Cash or Approved Paper.

With a Stock so large and varied as ours, it is impossible to enumerate, but we direct attention to the following Lines, in which we are making Special Reductions.

## DRESS GOODS:

FRENCH MERINOS, WOOL SERGES, WOOL SATIN CLOTHS, WINCIES, BLACK & COLORED LUSTRES, MOURNING GOODS, &c.

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Various Materials, including a Lot suitable for Early Spring Wear.

Prices of all Dress Goods Largely Reduced!

White & Scarlet Flannels, Cotton Flannels, Gent's Felt Hats and Cloth Caps—cheap, Gent's Under-Shirts and Drawers, Children's Under-Clothing, Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.

## Shawls—Plain and Fancy.

## CLOTHS, TWEEDS and FANCY COATINGS,

A GOOD RELIABLE ARTICLE.

## FUR GOODS, of all Kinds, still Further Reduced in Price!

PRICES OF ALL DRY GOODS REDUCED!

## Tapestry Carpets, Wool Carpets, Hemp Carpets, Remnants Carpets,

VARIOUS LENGTHS, AT VERY LOW PRICES.

## FURNITURE:

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A GOOD CHAMBER SUIT FOR \$25!

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No reasonable offer refused for anything in this Line that we have on hand.

In Carriage Hardware, Harness Mounting and Building Material, &c.

We have Full Lines and offer Special Terms and Prices to anyone buying a quantity.

Bona Fide Reductions in Prices Right Through the House, and one of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks of Goods to be found in any Country Town.

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## C. FLOOD,

87 King Street, - - - St. John, N. B.

General Merchant and Organist.

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## THE ONLY WAY

TO GET VALUE FOR YOUR MONEY is to Buy Good Goods; not the finest quality in all cases. But always buy from the most reliable Manufacturers. Poor Goods are dear at any price.

## Boots and Shoes,

Of good Quality and Style, kept constantly on hand, both at my Manufacture and at my Store, in Blair's Building, opposite the Brunswick House.

My Goods are not shop worn. They are not made nor sold for better Stock than they are. It will cost fifty per cent less to shoe your family with my Goods than it will with imported ones. So convinced am I of their superior excellence that I have my name and place of manufacture printed on the bottom of each pair.

ABNER SMITH, Sackville, Feb. 26, 1878 - 1y

## Herring, Codfish, Etc.

JUST RECEIVED:

6000 FRESH HERRINGS; 1000 Lbs. FRESH CODFISH; 200 Bbls. SUP. EXTRA FLOUR; 50 Bbls. CORNMEAL; 800 Lbs. FEED MEAL, in Bags; 1000 Lbs. CHEESE.

FOR SALE LOW.

BLAIR ESTABROOKS.

## Spring Clothing.

OUR FIRST LOT OF

## Spring Clothing

Is now ready for inspection, and comprises a full Assortment of

Men's, Youth's and Boys' COATS, PANTS & VESTS,

In all Sizes and Qualities.

These Goods, in point of Style and finish, are above the usual standard, and are lower in price.

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## GREAT SALE

## CARPETS!

THE Subscriber being about to remove his business to larger and better adapted premises, will offer for sale,

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

the balance of his last Spring's importations. This Sale will continue for one month from date, and parties in need of

## CARPETS

for the Spring will do well to attend, as such a chance is not likely to occur again. As this Sale will include the Stock saved by

Messrs. Sheraton & Skinner from the Fire, GREAT BARGAINS will be looked for.

## BRUSSELS.

BEST 5 frame body Brussels at \$1.40

Former Price, \$1.65. Short lengths of same Goods, \$1 to \$1.35.

## TAPESTRIES.

Sixty pieces of New and Good Patterns at 70c and 75c per yard.

Lengths of from 17 to 25 yards at from 80c to 70c per yard. Former prices, 90c, 80c and \$1.

## WOVE CARPETS,

10 Per Cent Discount.

## Union Carpets,

10 Per Cent Discount.

## STAIR CARPETS,

And Other Goods in Same Proportion.

This Sale will include

100 Pairs of Lace Curtains,

Which will be sold at a small advance on the cost.

An inspection is respectfully solicited.

Sale to Commence this Day.

## A. B. SHERATON,

Market Hall, GERMAIN STREET, - - - ST. JOHN, N. B.

## Local and Other Matters.

HILLBORO' has 900 Blue Ribbon men.

SEVEN BEALS were killed at River Hebert last week.

THIRTY MEN are now employed at the Wood Point Quarries.

SUGAR MAKING is progressing very favorably in Cumberland Co.

FORESTALLING JUNE.—Eurethorian Argosy says: "Good bye, geese!"

TRY THE "SELF-RAISING GRIDDLE-CAKES FLOUR," at GEO. E. FORD'S.

NEW and FASHIONABLE GOODS, the latest SPRING STYLES at G. E. FORD'S.

MR. GEO. E. FORD has been appointed Deputy Sheriff for Moncton.

D. BANKS MACKENZIE speaks at Windsor to-night on the life and labours of Father Matthews.

GENT'S READY-MADE CLOTHING!! Call and see for yourselves at GEO. E. FORD'S.—Advt. next week.

GREAT BARGAINS.—Eight hundred pairs slightly damaged Kid Gloves, from 25 to 50 cents per pair. Selling rapidly at GEO. E. FORD'S.

The mysterious hole, at Joliet, is to be prospected again this summer. A donkey engine has been purchased for pumping purposes.

LAM'S HOTEL, Amherst, one of the most popular inns in the country, has been leased by Mr. F. C. Haffax, and is to be run on Temperance principles.

FOR ORANGE.—Mr. Johnson Cleveland has sold his farm at Westmorland to Mr. Amos Treuman, and leaves in a few days with his family for Portland, Oregon.

ACCIDENT.—As Mr. Alder Dobson, of Bale Verte Road, was going down a hill in the woods with a load of logs on his sled, one of his oxen caught its horn behind a tree and broke its neck.

CURIOUS INCIDENT.—On Tuesday, Mrs. Etter, Fort Lawrence, observed a large goat, as she thought, in the barnyard, gambolling around with a calf. The children, in shutting the calf up, drove the goat out of the yard, when it turned out to be a caribou.

COUNTY COURT adjourned Friday, sine die. Some 12 or 15 civil causes have been tried, besides the criminal cases. Before adjournment, His Honor sentenced the criminals as follows: Rufus Parsons, 1 year in the penitentiary; Otha Jones and James McDonald, 2 months in the County Jail.

BEARS.—Mr. Willard Oulton, and three other men, of Bale Verte Road, were in the woods one day last week, moose hunting, and they came across a bear's den with old bear and two cubs in it. They entered in killing the old one and capturing the two cubs, one of which Mr. Oulton has in his possession now.

A HUNTING ERRAND took place at Bale Verte Road, last week, in which a man and a moose were the dramatic personae, but whether the man hunted the moose, or the moose the man, is a matter of opinion. Mr. Albert Copp cruising in the woods straddled a large handsome buck moose. He fired at him and wounded him. The moose turned on Mr. Copp and chased him. In spite of the most frantic efforts he could not withdraw the exploded cartridge from his breast loader, and in this extremity he took to his heels and fled precipitately pursued by the moose; he and the moose being nearly neck and neck when they reached a windfall on which Mr. Copp took refuge. The moose batted at the windfall for some time and then tossing up his horns in disdain snatched off. In the meantime Mr. Copp succeeded in extracting the cartridge and followed his foe, but without success.

## CALL AND SEE!!

N. B.—FRINGES, VELVETS and BUTTONS to Match Dress Goods.

DRESS-MAKING carried on in the premises. Orders for Evening and Ball Dresses executed with expedition.

jan24 W. D. MAIN & CO.

## Hay for Sale!

20 TONS ENGLISH HAY for sale in one lot, or quantities to suit purchasers. Good quality.

Botsford, Feb. 6th, 1878.

## Grey Cottons!

JUST RECEIVED—1 Bale GREY COTTONS. These Goods will be found very low in price, and are offered at a decided bargain by the piece.

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## MOLASSES.

JUST RECEIVED—1 Cask New Crop Demerara MOLASSES. A very choice article.

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## Local and Other Matters.

The Quebec Legislature has been dissolved. Elections are to be held May 1st.

The body of a man named Bain was found in the Redhead woods on Sunday.

SPRING HATS and SPRING DRESS GOODS, in great variety, opening at GEO. E. FORD'S.

VAUGHAN'S TRIAL for the murder of Mary Quinn commenced at St. John on Tuesday.

The gold yield of Nova Scotia last year was 16,882 ounces, being \$2.46 per man per day employed.

The Colonial Farmer informs its readers it has no intention of being buried until it is dead. Long life to it!

The Farmer calls attention to the fact that there is not a Frenchman in the Legislative Council. This injustice ought not to continue longer.

The Hon. Robert Hoak has been appointed President of the Legislative Council, Nova Scotia, vacant by the death of the Hon. S. Creighton.

MR. McLEOD, the Reform Hero of Harcourt, who obtained 309 votes where there were only 233 inhabitants, men, women and children, has gone to England.

SACKVILLE GIFT ENTERPRISE drawing will close on 16th April and returns not having been received. References: Robt. Bell, G. E. Ford, W. K. Reynolds, Jr., J. F. Allison, W. C. Dixon, W. C. Milner, James Rainie.—11.

RELIGIOUS.—Preaching next Sabbath at Cookville at 10 a.m., and 2 1/2 p.m.—The Rev. Dr. Stewart will preach at Westport at 6 1/2 p.m.

A collection will be made for the Missionary Society.—Mr. Peace will preach at Wood Point at 2 1/2 p.m.

BARK "MAGGIE CHAPMAN," from Philadelphia for Antwerp, before reported abandoned, was fallen in with Feb. 22, lat. 36 42, lon. 41 42, full water and rudder, topmast and yards gone, by bark "Laura G. Gorton" (Ger.) at New York, March 20th, from Bremen.

SUICIDE AT TORONTO.—Rev. John Marples committed suicide on 22nd, by swallowing ten grains of strychnine. Deceased was at one time a Presbyterian Minister. Some time ago he retired from the church, becoming a convert to Spiritualism. It is supposed he was insane when he committed the fatal act.

LOSS OF THE SCHOONER "D. M. SMITH"—The schooner "D. M. Smith," master, which left St. John, on Wednesday last, for Weymouth and St. Mary's Bay, has been wrecked. Captain Savary and his two hands James Dwyer and John Smith, and son of the owner, perished. None of the bodies have yet been found. The schooner had a full cargo.

THE SITUATION in the East is assuming a more threatening aspect. England continues her demand that all the conditions of peace be accepted by the Congress, while Russia seems to determine that the terms of peace agreed on with Turkey shall be maintained in them entirely, and defended to the last extremity.

At the same time Russia desires to conciliate Austria as much as possible, and to come to an English demand.

MASONIC.—At a regular meeting of Misses Lodge, No. 77, A. F. & A. Masons, Parrsboro', Nova Scotia, held on Monday the 18th inst., the following officers were duly installed for the ensuing year, viz:—A. S. Townshend, W. M.; R. W. Huntley, S. W.; John Dean, W.; Albert Huntley, F. M.; H. Potter, Sec.; R. H. Daniel, Chaplain; J. L. Corbett, S. D.; Stephen McDonald, J. D.; W. J. Finn, Marshall; Amos Hoeg, S. S.; A. F. Hatfield, J. S.; E. V. Corbett, Tyler.

CHARGE OF PERJURY.—Mr. R. S. Chapman, proprietor of the Queen Hotel, Moncton, was charged on Tuesday night by Justice Wortman, for perjury. The prisoner was sued for \$25, and put on the limits by one Pope, a trader at Moncton. He applied to Mr. Knapp for his discharge on the ground of having no property, and according to Mr. Pope's information against Chapman, he swore that he had no real or personal property; that he was not able to pay Mr. Pope's debt; and that he did not say to Charles Pope or any other person that he had his property on the premises, and had money to pay his little bills around town. Mr. Pope claiming that these statements were false, laid information against Chapman on the 18th inst. Messrs. Hanington & Wells conducted the case for the Crown, and Messrs. J. H. Dickson and C. A. Steeves were for the prisoner. Mr. Chapman was released on bail, his counsel consenting to be his bail.

## E. P. McLEAN, D. D. S.

Office in Post Office Building, AMHERST, N. S.

D. R. McLEAN acquired his business in the best Offices, Laboratories and Dental Colleges in Boston and Philadelphia.

In addition he has spent the usual office apprenticeship with a physician, one year in Harvard Medical College School, and a three terms course under Prof. Law, formerly Edinburgh University.

Upon graduating his Gold Filling he received special notice from the examiner Prof. Sellgren, of Philadelphia. He has made the Filling of Teeth a specialty during the last five years.

He was an exhibitor in the Infirmary of a large hospital. In 1875 he made a trip to Boston specially to procure a Dental Chair, and he has since been known as a successful exhibitor in but two or three cases. In many cases parents can be advised as to their children's teeth so as to save much future pain and expense.

Special kindness and consideration shown children, servants or delicate persons.

Charges in keeping with the times.

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## Round About Moncton.

From Our Resident Correspondent.

MONCTON, MAR. 27.

Our town is undergoing changes, some of which are quite important, others unimportant. The number of men employed at the Railway works has been considerably reduced since this time last year. It is announced that last week over 100 men received notice that their services would be required no longer.

## GAS AND WATER.

The Gas and Water Company is struggling to have an existence. Many of the stock-holders are active, ambitious men and doing all in their power to make it a success, but they have many difficulties to contend with. They receive no sympathy or support from a certain class of men who have a decided objection to improvement or advancement in any way. One of the main objects of the company is to put up a water tower, shuddering at the word "tax," and revelling in the word "bankruptcy." However the Company is determined to go ahead, and the work shall soon be commenced.

SEWERAGE—STEVENS, LUTTRELL & CO.

A great many persons say Moncton is a proper sewerage. H. F. Stevens, Esq., ex-Councillor, said so last year, and he and the other Councillors authorized the construction of one on Main Street, at an expense of \$900, and this was done during the session of the Council. The annual meeting in February last the electors authorized the Council to raise \$8000 for sewers, consequently a petition and bill was forwarded to our rulers at Fredericton, praying that the bill might be passed, whereby the Council might be authorized to the extent of \$8000, on debentures redeemable in twenty-five years. As a member of the old Council, Thaddeus thought that this was right and voted that the bill be engrossed and forwarded. But as an ex-Councillor Thaddeus deems it decidedly wrong, and in contravention of the Constitution and laws of the town, Province and Dominion. Therefore Thaddeus gets up a counter-petition, and he tells us that it is signed by able-bodied and wealthy men, such as Mr. Luttrell and James McAllister, Esqrs.

Now a pig might fly, but he is an unlikely bird. Yet we thought a pig would fly before the Traffic Superintendent would sign a petition, prepared by the man who has ridiculed, abused and held him up to public scorn and contempt for the last four years.

I can imagine these two worthies meeting.

Enter S.—Good morning, Mr. L.

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S.—Was the Northern train in time this morning?

L. (reading the question)—Been a glorious winter!

S.—Yes. Ahem! I have a petition here I wish you to sign, Mr. L.

L. (reads the petition and says)—Stevens, give us your hand—shake! With all thy faults I love thee still.

S.—Yes, Richard let us bury the cantankerous hatchet, and let the sun of peace and good feeling henceforth shine on the minds of both.

L. (sighing)—Stevens, I got \$4000 a year from the Government, and the little mite you had taken from me, then they took the railway printing from you. I am your friend and will come to get you a billet.

S. (sighing)—Thank you.

Exit—Both singing "Oh, won't that be joyful," etc.

When the ex-Councillor was a member of the Council, everything that August boy did was right; now all it does is wrong. He has begun to find dirt already. Undoubtedly he is an admirable exponent of public opinion. Let us review him. Once upon a time he solicited the suffrages of the people of Albert for a seat in the Local Legislature. The sturdy yeomen rejected him. Rogers and Ryan thank him for saving their elections twice in Albert—simply because he opposed them. Early in 1874 he loved the Premier of Canada, but when he lost his seat, he was the Premier of the Province. He then devoted his spare moments to the I. C. R., battered Luttrell right and left, and said that his subordinates neither feared nor respected him, sputtered the idea of a new railway, and he lost the railway. He gloated over the victory of Bridges over the Minister of Marine and Fisheries in this particular.

Yet Luttrell, striking at the interests of the town and of himself, signs the petition, stoops, bows and obeys the man who has black-washed him in every way. It would have been more to his credit if he had maintained a dignified neutrality.

In the meantime we will wait for further developments. BOLIVAN.

(We think a free discussion of the public matters of Moncton is beneficial; we are always disposed to allow the fullest latitude even to those correspondents whose opinions are opposed to our own, but we must express our dissent from the personal style of such articles as the above.—Ed.)

## Mother Kent to Her Transient Son.

Oh George! Oh George! my son, my son, Oh transient boy where have you run? Oh why I pray you that seat so shine

What art of Treason have you done That you should hide

Why did you not in time retract? Like Northumberland's "Little Pate" You could have strutted to your seat.

Oh what you told us Of an honest count, though with defeat, Would be more glorious.

Oh George! but small now is your share Of prospects great you had so rare—So little will your acts compare

With what you told us Of a brave George has sold us.

Ye gods of charity I now entreat Send spirits to guard that empty seat—Send other spirits good and fleet

To fill that seat And to bid you bid us, A thousand anxious hearts do beat

Where has he gone? Kingston, Kent, March 26, 1878.

## Resolution of Condolence.

At the last regular meeting of the Bay Verte Division, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our circle Brother Stephen Gooden, Chapter member of Bay Verte Division No. 85, and while in the humble submission, and acknowledge this dispensation of Providence, we know that the vacancy is left which cannot really be filled. May the Great Patriarch above direct us all to that haven of rest where sorrow and partings are never known.

Submitted in L. P. F.

JOHN SOMERS, W. P.

M. C. Atkinson, R. S.

It is a rare thing that physicians give any countenance to a medicine, the manufacture of which is a secret. About the only exception we know is Jackson's Anodyne Liniment. This, we believe, all endorse, and many of them use it in their practice with great success.

## St. Patrick Entertainment.

From a Correspondent of the Post.

DEAR SIR,—It has been the pleasure of your correspondent to witness one of the best amateur entertainments during the past week that he has ever yet attended. This was St. Patrick's Exhibition, given at St. Joseph's College, Memramook, Wednesday evening, 20th inst. To say that it was good would only be attributing to the faintest praise, it was capital. After the preliminaries of opening were got through with, the speaker of the evening, Mr. McInerney, came forward and delivered an impressive discourse, taking for his subject "The Irish in America." Then came the first play of the evening, "Look before you Leap," a comic drama in one act, in which all the characters were sustained in first-class style. Mr. Jas. Bartley, in the character of "John Gubbins," frequently brought down the house, and it is not saying too much to intimate that the part could not be played any better outside of a professional stage. The ballet "Killarney," by Mr. Bradley, and the declamation "Fontenoy," by Mr. O'Brien, were also well received.

"Zora Wallis," by the Orchestra, was rendered in regular operatic style, and received a well merited encore.

A dialogue, in French, followed, of which, unfortunately, I can say nothing, owing to my ignorance of the French language. The song, "The Harp that once thronged Tara's Hall," by Mr. Bartley, was applauded long and vociferously, and merited the praise bestowed upon it. The farce, "Cherry Bounce," was the most laughable piece on the programme. Mr. Frank Bradley appeared to perfection in the character of "Oldriders," while Mr. James Owens as "Teddy McGrogan," and Mr. Brawley as "Teddy's Father," were equally successful. Mr. Wm. Dolan, however, as "Old Wormwood," cast all other characters into the shade as far as close resemblance to nature was concerned, especially after he had swallowed the physic which was proffered for "Molly" the sick mare. His grimaces and contortions were most life-like, and he threw himself so forcibly into the character that he was not observed to smile during the remainder of the evening. After the closing address, by Mr. Bradley, and a lively polka by the College Brass Band, the evening's entertainment terminated. A few speeches were made at the close by some visitors, in which they expressed