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Facts That Speak.

In a recent issue, the *Transcript* takes us to account for what it calls gobbling, and dwells exhaustively on the perniciousness of such a practice. What we did do was to take a paragraph from the St John *Globe*, a leading Liberal journal, in which it attempted to show the fallacy of the government policy of protecting home industry and one from the *Transcript* showing how Moncton's industries are flourishing, and reproducing its words that there was more room for manufactures in that thriving city. The *Transcript* is 'agin de government' no matter whether it is right or wrong. To it the moderately protective policy is sapping the life blood out of the country, regardless of the fact that that since the inauguration of that policy Canada has taken strides in the march of progress that it never before knew, and that no country of its extent has ever taken since the world began.

It looks inconsistant for our contemporary to decry in its editorial columns, the state of trade and commerce, and then flaunt the unparalleled possibilities for trade in its native town, in its local news columns. If all Canadian newspapers looked at Canada as the *Transcript* does, outsiders would have truly a hard opinion of the country that the United States is so anxious to absorb. Recipiocity is a trump card with our contemporary; all would be lovely, it thinks, if we had free trade with the Americans; yet the facts are plain that until our natural resources are more fully developed and we are able to meet our cousins in the commercial arena unhandicapped by infantile industries, reciprocity would mean death to some of the industries that now promise to enhance all both public wealth and national prosperity.

The Situation in York.

To-day will be settled the fate of Mr. Blair and his government. On the result of the polling to-day depends largely whether an election is held in Westmorland, or whether the candidates will be returned without opposition For some time past and all during his personal canvass in York county, Mr. Blair has shown his weakness by creating a sectional cry against St. John, which it is to be hoped the people of York are too intelligent and fair to endorse. He has, according to uncontradicted report, gone into the less frequented parts of that county, and told the voters there, who had not the opportunity of enjoying the thorough knowledge of his moral nature, that those better acquainted had, that this election simply meant whether Fredericton or St. John was to be the trading place of the York county farmers. If they voted for the opposition all the stores and buildings would be moved to St John; if they voted for Mr. Blair, a new era of increased prosperity was opened up to them. Another issue he raised was the cutting reference he made on nomination day to an incident in his opponent's, Mr. Gregory's private life, and which he hoped would sway public opinion. We venture to say that, that remark of his meant to Mr. Gregory many votes, that might have gone to Mr. Blair. Mr Blair is making a strong fight He realizes that he is now in his last trench. His supplies are becoming exhausted and his followers are deserting him. If he fails to carry his full ticket to-day his career as a public man is forever eclipsed If he succeeds, then, the full force of the government powers and the money behind it and its friends will be turned to Westmorland, and a contest will be the result such as this county has never seen in local politics. But Westmorland has spoken and its voice is no more dumb than it was in January last.

THE lawyers are likely to have some fat fees out of the McKinley bill According to section 275, eggs are to pay a duty of five cents per dozen. By section 561, eggs of birds, fishes and insects come in free If a hen's egg is not a bird's egg, it may be asked, what is it? It is certainly not a reptile's egg, which alone seems to be excepted from the free list classification. Big cases have arisen out of weaker quibbles The duty on clapboards, too, is likely to cause a dispute. The clauses read "pine clapboards, one dollar per thousand," and "spruce clapboards, one dollar and a half per thousand." It would be thought that the duty was on a thousand feet, but the words would indicate that it meant a thousand pieces, and this is much under the rate levied on other kinds of sawn lumber. The preceeding articles do not assist one to a better understanding.—*Exchange.*

WE are pleased to note that the literature of the Dominion will shortly be enhanced by the publication of a work by Mr. James Hannay, of St. John, the author of several well known works. He has chosen as his subject 'The Life and Times of Sir Leonard Tilley,' one which will prove not only intensely interesting, but will also afford him ample scope for his brilliant literary talant It will take up the political condition of the province at the time Sir Leonard entered public life, and follow exhaustively the various changes and upheavals it has undergone during the past seventy years.

NEWFOUNDLAND is reported as about making a deal with the United States which will materially effect the trade relations between those countries. In considera ion of a proposition made by Hon. Robert Bond, Colonial Secretary of Newfoundland, that the fishery products of his country be allowed free entrance into American ports, the American fishermen will have in return, free access to bait on the Island. While no settled yet, it is said both governments favor the reciprocal movement.

Sackville and Westmorland Exhibition.

PRIZE LIST (CONCLUDED).

CLASS 1.—Dairy Produce

Butter in crock, &c. 1 F. A. Dixon, 2 R. Harrington, 3 Albert Anderson, 4 Mrs Rufus Carter.

Butter roll 10 lbs. 1 F. A. Dixon, 2 C. F. McCready, 3 Hiram Trenholm.

Butter in prints, 1 C. F. McCready, 2 Hiram Trenholm, 3 F. A. Dixon.

Cheese domestic made, 1 Albert Anderson, 2 Bliss Anderson.

CLASS 2.—Farm Produce

Wheat, 1 Willard Wry.

Barley, 1 Geo. A. Fawcett, 2 H. E. Bowser.

Oats white, 1 Thos. Patterson, 2 Chas Weldon.

Oats black, 1 Willard Wry, 2 Thos. Patterson.

Buckwheat, 1 W. F. George, 2 Reuben Thompson.

Field peas, 1 Geo A. Fawcett.

Beans, 1 Albert Fawcett, 2 Geo. A. Fawcett.

Timothy Seed, 1 Geo A. Fawett, 2 Albert Anderson.

CLASS 3.—Horticulture, Fruit, and Flowers.

Cabbage drumhead, 1 J. W. Colpitts, 2 C. Pickard.

Cabbage, other than drumhead, 1 J. W. Colpitts, 2 Albert Anderson.

Heaviest single cabbage, 1 J. W. Colpitts.

Cauliflowers, 1 F. A. Dixon, 2 H. B. Allison.

Hubbard squash, 1 Albert Anderson, 2 C. Pickard.

Marrow or Turban squash, 1 J. W. Colpitts, 2 H. B. Allison.

Mammoth squash, 1 H. E. Bowser, 2 H. B. Allison.

Parsnips, 1 Reuben Thompson, 2 J. W. Colpitts.

Pumpkins, 1 C. Pickard, 1 H. B. Allison

Citron Melon, H. E. Bowser.

Long blood beets, 1 Chas Thompson, 2 J. W. Colpitts.

Blood turnip beets, 1 C. Fawcett, 2 C. Thompson.

Egyptian beets, 1 Fred Thompson, 2 C. Pickard.

Half long carrot, 1 C. Pickard, 2 C. W. George.

Long orange carrot, 1 J. W. Colpitts, 2 Chas. Thompson.

White carrots, 1 C. Pickard, 2 Howard Trueman.

Mangold Wurtzel, 1 Geo A. Fawcett, 2 C. Pickard.

Sweedish Turnips, G. A. Fawcett, 2 C. Pickard

Aberdeen yellow, 1 H. E. Bowser.

Onions from seed, 1 E. Cogswell, 2 J. Colpitts.

Onions, potato, 1 E. Cogswell, 2 Thomas Patterson.

Potatoes for table use, 1 J. T. Carter, 2 F A. Dixon.

Potatoes, Early Rose, C. Pickard, 2 C. F. McCready

Potatoes Breeze's Prolific, 1 H. E. Bowser.

Potatoes, for stock feeding 1 F. Thompson, 2 G A Fawcett.

Tomatoes, ripe, 1, C F McCread, 2, C Pickard.

Assortment of horticulture not less than 10 varieties, 1, C Pickard; 2, John Fawcett.

Apples, assortment, 1, Nathan Hicks; 2, Jas. Colpits.

Flowers, in pots, best collection and variety, not less than six, Thos Dixon.

Foliage plant, Guilford Hicks.

Fuchsia, Mrs. Rufus Carter.

Corn, six ears, 1, H E Bowser; 2 Reuben Thompson.

Cucumbers, 1, Chas Thompson; 2 James Colpitts.

Celery, 1; H B Allison; 2, James Colpits.

Class 4.—Domestic Manufacture.

Best ten yards flannel, cotton and wool, James Colpitts.

Blankets, cotton and wool, best pair, Willard Wry.

Horse rug, woolen, best, Joshua Etter.

Hearth rug of any material, 1, F C McCready; 2, A Snowdon; 3, Albert Anderson.

Hearth rug, rag, 1, J H Gooden; 2 W W Fawcett; 3, Edgar Patterson.

Quilt patchwork silk, Thos Dixon.

Quilt patchwork other than silk, 1 Guildford Hicks; 2 Amos Trueman.

Carpet, yarn, 1, T J Etter; 2, W W Fawcett.

Carpet, rag, Joseph Dixon.

Carpet stair, yarn, 1 Joshua Etter.

Mitts double woolen, 1 Guildford Hicks; 2 Willard Thompson.

Socks woolen, 1 Joshua Etter; 2 Jas Etter.

Ladies' hose woolen, 2 pairs, 1 Mrs Rufus Carter; 2 Guildford Hicks.

Knit gloves woolen, Edward Patterson.

Class 5.—Ladies Fancy Work & Pictures.

Crochet work in wool, 1 Horatio N Richardson; 2 Rupert Etter.

Crochet work in cotton, 1 Joshua Etter; 2 Mrs Rufus Carter.

Crochet work in cotton and wool, 1 Chas Weldon; 2 Mrs R K Patterson.

Netting, 1 Jas Etter; 2 Mrs Rufus Carter.

Netting darned, 1 Mrs Rufus Carter; 2 Amos Trueman.

Silk patchwork cushion, 1 Fred Bell; 2 Mrs R K Patterson.

Macrame work, Rufus Etter.

Fancy knitting in wool, 1 Amos Trueman.

Raised work in wool, A Snowdon.

Shadow painting, 1 Willard Wry; 2 Fred Bell.

Mexican work, 1 R T McLeod; 2 Mrs Rufus Carter.

Braid work, 1 Mrs R K Patterson; 2 Mrs Rufus Carter.

Embroidery not of flannel, 1 Mrs R Harrington; 2 Bliss Anderson.

Embroidered flannel, Jas Etter.

Lace work; Mrs Rufus Carter.

Berlin work, 1 H E Bowser; 2 Mrs R K Patterson.

Bead work, 1 C F McCready; 2 H E Bowser.

Autumn leaves, 1 Willard Thompson; 2 Charles Weldon.

Oil painting, 1 Fred Bell.

Water colort, 1 Fred Bell.

Crayon drawing, E L Stevens.

Kensington painting, 1 Fred Bell; 2 T J Etter.

Class 6.—Other Manufactures of the Present Year.

Harness leather, three sides, 1 J H Gooden.

Upper leather, 1 J H Gooden.

Calf skins, 1 J H Gooden.

Double team harness, 1 J R Ayer.

Single drawing harness, 1 J R Ayer.

Class 17.—Bread.

Bread, 1 H E Fawcett; 2 Alb Fawcett; 3 R K Patterson; 4 Amos Ogden.

Rolls, 1 Albert Anderson; 2 R Harrington.

Biscuit, Edgar Dixon.

—The American fishing schooner Samuel R. Crane of Gloucester picked up and towed into Halifax the other day, torpedo boat No. 62. It was being towed from Newfoundland by H. M. S. Pelican, but got adrift.

The People's Mistake.

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Maritime Matters.

—Senator Archibald of Cape Breton is dead. He was called to the senate of Canada by royal proclamation in 1867.

—Minister's Island, Charlotte Co., has been bonded for the sum. of $20,000, some western people having fancied it as a site for summer cottages.

—An express car loaded with goods for the Maritime provinces was burned at Montreal last week. The invoices of the goods have not yet been received.

—The police force of St. John are in need of a ladder service to help them discharge their duty as license inspectors. They usually have to enter a house from the top.

—The Schooner "Lone Star," now in Halifax has on board a dwarf named Edward Hupman, who, although nineteen years old, weighs only twenty-five pounds

—On Saturday last some person stole the poor boxes from the main entrance to St. Peters church, St. John. One was broken into and the others carried off.

—R. F. Stark, druggist of Digby is held for manslaughter by making a mistake in filling a prescription, the patent to whom it was administered dying from its effects.

—The house of Amos Bennett, Arlington, Kings Co. N. S., was burned Wednesday night, and the Kentville Star, states a child was burned in it, there being no chance of saving it.

—Several members of the Alumni Society of the University of New Brunswick are going to found a Chair of logic and moral philosophy in that institution.

—The late Thomas Bayne, of Halifax, is not believed to have left a will. In that case his estate of half a million will be divided among his three sons. He left nothing to charity as far as known.

—The mortuary statistics for last month show: Halifax 242, St. John 128 Fredericton 41 per thousand of population. Fredericton has the lowest rate of any city in Canada.

—An explosion occurred in the basement of Vroom Bros,' store at 7.30 o'clock last Saturday morring. George McLaughlin, who was drawing varnish from a cask, was found dead after the flames were controlled. The fire was confined to the basement.

—Capt. W. Cunliffe Powys of Kingsclear died at his residence, about three three miles above Fredericton, on Saturday afternoon about five o'clock. He had been suffering from lung trouble for some time, brought on by an accident that occurred four or five years ago.

—The following new post offices have been established in New Brunswick: Cape Spear, Botsford, Westmorland Co. Smith Dobson postmaster; Mars Hill, Wicklow, Carleton; John R. Earle; Puellering, St. Mary's, Kent, Jean Gaudet; Scadoue, Shediac, Westmorland, Philip S. Pulerain.

—The Civil Service examinations will commence on November 11 at Halifax, N. S.; St. John, N. B.; Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, London, Winnipeg, Regina and Victoria B. C. Applications from intending candidates were received until Monday, Oct. 20th.

—Schr. Keewatin of Parrsboro, Capt. Bentley while on the voyage from New York to Windsor lost a man overboard off Bout Island on Monday last. The crew were shortening sail at the time and the unfortunate man was struck by a sail and knocked overboard and drowned before help could reach him. It is said he belonged to Wolfville.

—A man died in Halifax the other day and on his death-bed told his sorrowing wife that after he was interred she was to interview a certain legal gentleman of the city, who would tell her something which she did not know. She went accoring to directions and was told that her husband had been living under an assumed name, and that he was connected in some way with some of the noblest families in all England.

—Mr. Jean Greener, mining expert of North Sydney, Cape Breton, is in Montreal for a few days on his way to Great Britain, to float a coal company. Mr. Greener says his discoveries which have been made within the past two years have given the Provincial Government a coal-bearing area of 100 square miles, where land was previously looked upon by experts as valueless. He located the first seam, and then took the measurements between the seams on the opposite coast now being worked, and found the second seam to correspond, and so on with the remainder. The mines extend under the sea, and ships sail over the spot where the miners are at work.

Wedding Bells.

Says the Truro *Sun*: "As we prepare to go to press to-day, at 3 p. m., Pleasant Street Methodist Church, Truro, presents the scene of a beautiful and attractive wedding party, where Miss Clara Johnson, daughter of J. W. Johnson, Esq., J. P., is being united in wedlock to Mr. Charles E. Munroe, of Port Elgin, Westmorland County, N. B. The officiating clergyman is the Rev. Wm. Ainley, pastor of the church, assisted by the Rev. J. McGregor McKay, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Port Elgin, and the Rev. Mr. Crofts, Methodist pastor of Musquidoboit. The church had been tastefully decorated, and the flowers, admirably arranged, presented a charming appearance. We here depart from the stereotyped form, and remark first that the groom, who was accompanied by the Rev. Mr. Torey, as best man, most favorably impressed the audience, few of whom had seen him previously, as being a fine, handsome, manly fellow, well capable of loving, honoring and protecting the amiable and at all times cheerful and companionable Cladie Johnson, who was always immensely popular with the citizens of Truro—probably never more so than to-day, her *petite* and graceful form clad in a neat suit of electric blue, with hat to match, she looked, as she always does, pretty, cheerful, happy and contented. She was attended by her sister, Miss Florence Johnson.

The presents number over one hundred, and were rich and appropriate—a silver service from the Methodist congregation, silver ice pitcher, goblets and salver from the choir, $100 in gold from her father, $50 in gold from friends in British Columbia, a ten dollar bill from a lady friend in Truro, also 13 beautiful pictures, handsomely framed, painted by her sister, Miss Johnson, which are in themselves a very handsome present, and the artist deserves great credit for the beautiful work—and lots of other beautiful and fancy articles.

Truro loses and Port Elgin gains a good citizen, one who was an earnest and useful worker in church circles here playing the organ in the Methodist church without fee or reward of any kind, and teaching in the Methodist Sunday school an infant class of forty—work that she loved and did most cheerfully. We wish her health and happiness wherever her lot may be cast.

K. D. C. What is it?

Industrial and Commercial.

The new syndicate negotiating with Ottawa Government for the new Atlantic mail service want an annual subsidy of $880,000

—Big tin plate manufactories are to be established at Baltimore and Pittsburg under the protection of the new duty imposed by the McKinley tariff.

—Two American capitalists have been interviewing Sir John about the construction of a railway from Ottawa to Morrisburg, with a bridge over the St. Lawrence at the latter place.

—Last year Canada sent 90,000,000 lbs. of Cheese to England. Up to the middle of August this year Montreal sent 665,865 boxes, against 553,449 in 1889 same period and 500,005 same period 1888.

—The C. P. R. is suspected of another big scheme. A syndicate, in which directors of the company is interested, has acquired 365 acres of land in Hochelaga for $360,000. The purpose for which it was obtained is not clear.

—In Halifax it is proposed to amalgamate A. Keith & Son's "Nova Scotia" and S. Oland & Son's "Army & Navy" breweries, and form a joint stock company. C. W. Hayward & Co. also intend to form their brewery into a joint stock company.

—The architects of the Province of Quebec have taken steps to protect themselves against the competition of American architects for Canadian jobs. Meetings were held Friday and Saturday in Montreal and attended by architects from every part of the province. An association was formed with the object referred to.

—A paste which will stick to anything is said by Professor Winchell to be made as follows: Take two ounces of clear gum arabic, one and half ounces of fine starch, and half an ounce of white sugar Dissolve the gum arabic in as much water as the laundress would use for the quantity of starch indicated. Mix the starch and sugar with the mucilage. Then cook the mixture in a vessel suspended in boiling water until the starch becomes clear, the cement should be as thick as tar and kept so. It can be kept from spoiling by the addition of camphor or a little oil of cloves.

—It is reported that the Colts of Hartford have bought the American rights to the Giffard gun patents for $1,000,000. The gun is simply a small tube of toughest steel, only nine inches in length, charged with liquefied carbonic acid gas, which is one of the most powerful propulsives known. It is fixed to the barrel of the rifle in such a way that when the trigger is pulled a drop of the liquefied gas is forced into the breech of the gun behind the bullet where instantaneously resuming a gaseous condition it develops a force equal to 500 pounds pressure on the square inch The bullet is the expelled at any degree of velocity desired for the power can be increased or diminished by a simple turn of the screw. There is no explosion no smoke, no noise, no recoil, no smell, no heat. A slight fizz, like the noise of a soda fountain, is the only sound. It sends a bullet an immense distance is not affected by heat or damp and is so cheap that 125 bullets can be fired at the cost of a cent.

Personal and Political.

—The Russian Government is about to introduce a reformed judicial system in Siberia and the Russian possessions in Central Asia.

—Captain Streetfield, of the Gordon Highlanders, who was aid-de-camp to General Middleton at the time of his resignation, will fill a similar position to the next commander of the militia, Colonel Herbert.

—The last spike in the Canada and Great Falls Railway was driven on Thursday, and the first train load of coal has been shipped to Montana from Lethbridge. The formal celebration takes place on the 18th inst.

—London opinion generally does not agree with the utterances of the two Sir Johns on the tariff question. It is generally believed there that the McKinley bill will ultimately favor the reciprocity movement on both sides of the line.

—Stepniak, or rather the Russian who has made that name famous, (his identity is somewhat a mystery to the public at present) is to come to this country in December and lecture on Nihilism and kindred topics.

—Rudyard Kipling was in this country about two months last year accumulating material for a book to bear the title "From Shore to Shore." An American who met him describes him as "a short, broad-chested man, a brilliant talker and an interesting person generally."

—Sheriff Chalmers L. Dick, who made himself a terror to the hordes of plunderers that descended on Johnstown, Pennsylvania, in the days succeeding the Conemaugh flood, and is said to have shot a man who was trying to rob a drowned woman's body, is dead. He was only thirty-four years old, but was a leading lawyer and had been mayor of Johnstown.—*Harper's Weekly.*

—Inventor Edison is an indefatigable worker, and he pays little heed to the passage of time when occupied with a new experiment or some fresh invention. A day or two ago, a gentleman who was visiting his laboratory, and whose son was about to enter upon his first employment, asked Edison to give him a motto for the boy, so that he might have it as a standard and a guide. Mr. Edison laughed a little at the novel request, and then said: "Well, I'll give him this: 'never look at the clock.'"

Life and Times of Sir Leonard Tilley.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. James Hannay, editor of the *Evening Gazette*, to write a book on the life and times of Sir Leonard Tilley, governor of New Brunswick. The volume will be one of the most valuable historical works ever issued in the province, and will cover the political, social and industrial history of the past seventy years. This period is the most important the province has seen. The struggle for responsible government was brought to a successful termination and the province formed into a confederation in that time. The story of those two great events, the personal history of Sir Leonard Tilley, the building of roads and railroads and the general development of the province will be the conspicuous features of the book. No one is better equipped with the necessary information for such a work than Mr. Hannay, and in its production he will have the active assistance of Sir Leonard Tilley and other prominent men. The volume will comprise about 500 pages and will be printed with new type on good paper and will be well bound. John A. Bowes, St. John, N. B., is the publisher.

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Sackville Oct. 9.

Botsford and Westmorland Exhibition.

The annual exhibition of the Botsford and Westmorland Agricultural Society was held on the 18th inst, at Port Elgin. The heavy rains of the previous night and that morning prevented many from attending; but, considering the state of the roads, there was a fair attendance, showing the deep interest the farmers take in the welfare of the society. The grains and butter were superior to last year, but the quantity was small. In live stock there was a great improvement over past years; the cattle being mostly grade cattle and the horses the best exhibited for many years. Their appearance indicated good breeding and good training for the exhibition. The sheep showed up well, which may be attributed partly to the importation of sheep made by the society in the past year. On the whole, the exhibition was a success.

Among the noteworthy animals were those shown by Mr. Wm. Prescott, of Baie Verte; which took first prize, an almont yearling stallion. He had also an Alright sucker. Mr. Fraser Allen showed a fine 3-year-old Chester roadster. Mr. James Noonan a Messenger Boy, and Mr. Harris Chapman a fine roadster mare. Amongst the draught horses, Messrs Peter Noiles, Harris Chapman, Wm. Barry, and Jeremiah Mahaney had fine exhibits. Mr. Arch. Simpson had a fine 2-year-old colt.

The prize list was as follows:

SHEEP.

Best ram lamb, 1 Robert Scott; 2 M Allen; 3 Robert Lamb.

Best ewe lamb, 1 W Murray; 2 Robt Scott; 3 A R Moore.

Best ewe 1 year old, 1 A R Moore; 2 Robert Lamb; 3 Matthew McMorris.

Best ram 1 year old, 1 A I Simpson; 2 Wm Murray; 3 W F Welch.

HORSES.

Best colt 3 year old roadster, 1 Fraser Allen; 2 James Noonan; 3 Harris Chapman.

Best 3-year-old draught, 1 Peter Noiles; 2 M Allen.

Best 2-year-old colt, roadster. 1 A J Simpson; 2 R Joyce; 3 A R Moore.

Best 2-year-old colt, draught, 1 H Chapman; 2 John Murphy; 3 Robert Lamb.

Best colt 1-year-old, roadster, 1 Wm Prescott; 2 W F Welch; 3 T A Blacklock.

Best 1-year-old colt, draught, 1 Wm Berry; 2 Wm Murray; 3 Harris Chapman.

Best sucking colt, roadster, 1 Wm Prescott; 2 J D Mahaney; 3 John Walsh.

Best sucking colt, draught, John Murphy.

Best roadster of any age, 1 Fraser Allen; 2 Harris Chapman; 3 A J Simpson.

CATTLE.

Best heifer 2-year-old, 1 W F Welch; 2 Peter Noiles.

Best 1-year-old heifer, 1 A R Moore; 2 Murray Taylor.

Best heifer calf, 1 M Allen; 2 Wm Murray; 3 Harris Chapman.

Best pair steer calves, 1 T A Blacklock; 2 Peter Noiles; 3 F Dobson.

Best pair 1-year-old steers, 1 Robert Lamb.

Best pair 2-year-old steers, 1 George Oulton; 2 W F Welch; 3 W McMorris.

Best bull, 2-years-old, 1 George Oulton; 2 T A Blacklock.

GRAIN.

Best bushel black oats, 1 R Joyce.
Best bushel white oats, W N Taylor.

BUTTER.

Best tub or firkin, 1 Robert Lamb; 2 Peter Noiles.

After the prizes were awarded and dinner taken, the members of the society assembled in Copp's Hall to appoint the officers for the ensuing year. The appointments were as follows:—President, Wm Prescott; Vice President, Patrick Riley; Secretary, James Barry Melrose.

After electing the officers, the meeting discussed the advisability of holding the directors' meeting earlier than usual. After remarks by several of those present, it was agreed to hold the said meeting on the last Saturday in 1890. Some of the members were in favor of holding the annual show earlier as this season was cold and moist, but the time of holding the fair was left, as usual to officers of the society. There were some proposals to improve the fair grounds, and make better arrangements for the showing and speeding of horses. This matter was very favorably commented upon.

LAST year, says the Halifax *Chronicle*, four steamer loads of apples were shipped from Annapolis to England, numbering about 40,000 barrels, and averaging between $4 and $5 per barrel. This year the shipment will be smaller, as the apple crop will not be nearly so productive. The plum crop of the province is nearly a total failure this season. Watson, Eaton & Son received a despatch from Boston asking for 1,000 bushels of Nova Scotia plums Duggan & Sons received a similar despatch. But there are not enough plums for the local trade, and the American firms were so informed. It is said the best of the fruit crops of Nova Scotia is being sent to the States, and only the second rate apples coming to Halifax, and going to St. John.

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

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A Large Assortment of Clocks,

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Sackville, Oct. 23rd, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Underwriters SALE!

I will sell at Public Auction, for and on account of whom it may concern,

The Bark "VICTOR,"

now lying stranded on Shemogue Bar, N. B., consisting of Hull, Spars, Sails, Rigging, Boats, Anchors, Chains, Furniture and Tackle. Sale to take place at Dugay's Point, near where the vessel is stranded, on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH.

instant, at one o'clock, p. m

Also on the same time and place a quantity of Spruce Deals on board. Terms Cash.

W. B. DEACON,
Shemogue, Oct. 16. Auctioneer.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

To be sold by Public Auction on my premises, COOKVILLE, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH,

at ten o'clock, a. m, 1 draught Mare, 1 draught Horse, 1 general purpose Mare, 5 years old, 1 Colt, 6 Cows, 4 Heifers in calf, 1 Steer, one year old. 1 steer Calf, 1 pair Working Oxen, 8 Sheep. 1 driving Carriage, 1 set single Bob-sleds, 1 Little Giant Threshing Machine, 1 set double Harness, 1 driving Harness, and a quantity of Hay, Straw, Potatoes and Grain.

Terms of Sale—Six months credit; interest after 3 months.

BOYD KINNEAR.

Cookville, Oct. 15th, 1890.

FOR SALE.

I WILL SELL MY

PORTABLE MILL, 35 H. P.

In first class running order, safe from fire, and will give the purchaser from

15 to 20 Thousand Logs,

to saw commencing the 20th November. 1890.

J. I GOODWIN,
Tidnish, N. S.
Oct. 18, 1890. or Pt de Bute, N. B

NOTICE!

Strayed to the subscriber's premises on or about August 1st, 1890, a Heifer one year old, color red, no ear marks, no horns. Also a yearling Ram, white, marked wit hhalf crop on under side of left ear, and slit at end of right. Owners can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

WILLARD WRY.

Sackville, Oct. 20, 1890.

Public Auction.

To be sold at my premises, Jolicure,

—on—

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST,

at one o'clock, p. m., 9 Cows with calf 1 fat Cow, 1 fat Steer, 2 year and a half old Heifers, 4 Calves, 1 year and a half old Colt, 1 sucking Colt, 3 Horses, 25 tons of English Hay, and a quantity of Mixed Hay.

Terms—Six months credit with approved joint notes, interest after three months.

EDWARD WRY.

THOS. J. ETTER Auctioneer Jolicure, 2i

Intercolonial Railway.

TENDER.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tenders for old Materials" will be received until Tuesday, the 4th November, from persons wishing to purchase the whole or any part of the following:

About 500 tons Scrap Wrought Iron No. 1 at Moncton.

About 500 tons Scrap Chilled Car Wheels, at Moncton.

About 70 tons Scrap Brass, at Moncton,

About 100 tons Scrap Cast Iron, at Moncton.

Five Locomotive Boilers, at Moncton.

One new Anchor weighing about 3800 pounds, at Moncton.

Two Anchors weighing about 400 pounds each at Moncton.

One piece of Chain Cable about 85 feet long, at Moncton.

One piece of Chain Cable about 60 feet long at Moncton.

One second hand Steam Engine at Moncton.

One Boiler at St John.

And the Boiler, Machinery and a quantity of Scrap Iron belonging to the steamer "Norwigean," at Halifax.

The scrap and other things will be delivered free of charges at any station on the Intercolonial Railway, the tender is to state the time and place that delivery will be required. Payment is to be made in cash on delivery. A deposit of five per cent of the amount of tender will be required from each person whose tender is accepted.

This deposit may consist of cash or of an accepted bank cheque made payable to the Hon. Minister of Railways and Canals and it will be forfeited if the contract is not carried out. When the contract is completed the deposit will be returned.

The Department will not be bound to accept the highest or any tender.

D. POTTINGER,
Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, Oct. 20th, 1890. 2i

Teacher Wanted.

A LADY TEACHER holding a Second-Class certificate for the School in District No. 5, Wood Point.

EVERETT SNOWDON,
Sep. 4. tf. Secretery.

Toilet Soap.

Just Received:

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For Sale Low to the Trade.

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TENDERS!

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to SATURDAY, the twenty-second day of November, next, for putting up, and furnishing the outside of Upper Cape Methodist church, according to plans and specifications, which can be seen at the house of Joseph C. Raworth, Chairman of Committee.

Also Tenders will be received up to the same date to build a stone foundation for the Upper Cape Methodist Church, plans and specifications may be seen at the above named place.

By order of the Committee,

ALFRED C. RAWORTH,
Secretary.

Botsford, Oct 11, 1890.

SEALED TENDERS addresed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Digby Pier," will be received until Tuesday the 4th day of November next, inclusively, for the construction of a Pier at Digby, in the county of Digby, N. S., according to plans and specifications to be seen on application to Mr. John Welsh, Digby, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank check made payable to the order of the Minister of the Public Works, equal to *five per cent. of the amount of tender*, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

A. GOBIEL,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 30th September, 1890.

NOTICE!

I hereby forbid sale of Land in Westcock in parish of Sackville, bounded as follows—Southerly and westerly by the post road leading from Westcock to Dorchester; westerly and northerly by uplands of Robert Stone and Benjamin Beharrell; northerly and easterly by the southwest bounds of marshlands owned and occupied by the said Benjamin Beharrell, easterly and southerly by the upland farm occupied by William Tait and containing 7 acres more or less.—Said land being taken under an execution and to be sold at Sheriff Sale. The execution I am not responsible for.

(Signed) JAMES EDWARD DILIHUNT,
900 4th Street,
South Boston, Mass.

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