

METEOROLOGICAL.
Reported for the Dominion Gov't by
G. A. Blair Esq.

JULY

DATE.	Time.	Height of Bar.	Thermometer.	Thermometer.	Thermometer.
			Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.
Sun.	7 8.20 a.m.	29.91	60.	57.	58.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.81	57.	56.	56.5
Mon.	8 8.20 a.m.	29.81	61.	58.	59.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.72	58.	55.	56.5
Tues.	9 8.20 a.m.	29.73	71.	58.	64.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.68	68.	55.	61.5
Wed.	10 8.20 a.m.	29.69	69.	52.	60.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.73	64.	52.	58.0
Thurs.	11 8.20 a.m.	29.62	62.	50.	56.0
	11.45 p.m.	29.70	55.	47.	51.0
Fri.	12 8.20 a.m.	29.78	62.	51.	56.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.80	58.	50.	54.0
Sat.	13 8.20 a.m.	29.82	63.	50.	56.5
	11.45 p.m.	29.80	50.	47.	48.5

The column for Maximum Thermometer shows the highest temperature for every day.

The column for Minimum Thermometer shows the lowest temperature for every day.

The Farmer's Corner.

Interesting Boys in Farming.

Although most farmers profess to be anxious to attach their sons to a business of farming they adopt a course likely to make them dissatisfied with it. They seldom counsel with them about farm management or encourage them to be observing and skilful. Boys ordinarily have the poorest tools to work with; are given the most disagreeable if not the hardest labor to perform. They are left to pick up their knowledge by observation or experience. Most who take kindly to farming would read many books pertaining to agriculture and stock raising if they had the opportunity to do so. But as a rule, the books are not provided them. Farmers who are well advanced in life had few opportunities during their youth to learn much about agriculture, horticulture, or stock raising from books, for they were not then in existence. Improved stock was not then common, and there was small occasion to learn about the merits of the different breeds of cattle, horses, sheep, swine, and poultry. At present such knowledge is of the first importance and boys should be encouraged to acquire it. More information of this kind can be derived from books than from any other source available to most farm boys. Boys who are in earnest to become farmers wish also to read books pertaining to improved farming and horticulture, but the chances are that they can not obtain them. They desire also to have specimens of new fruits, grasses, and grains to experiment with. Ordinarily boys who are anxious to become farmers wish to learn all the improved methods of farming, and to make experiments for themselves. It would be well if each of them had a plot of ground to cultivate in his own way, and an animal or two that he could call his own. Some farmers give a boy a pig, calf, or goat, but as soon as it becomes a hog, horse, or cow it is exchanged for a juvenile of the same species. The boy has the trouble of taking care of the animal while the man has the advantage of it. Of course the boy is discouraged at the prospect of ever having a mature animal of his own.

Boys like to assume some responsibilities early in life, and in the case of boys on a farm it is well to intrust them with the management of something. In most cases they will be faithful to their trust, and take pride in the matter that is given to them to look after and manage. Give a boy an orchard or garden to tend, and allow him the means to procure information respecting the kind of work required, and he will ordinarily make a success at it. The same is true of the care of bees, sheep, or poultry. Labor is never so cheaply performed when one is allowed to direct it himself. In no way one learns as much as by taking the entire charge of some branch of business. As a rule he will study the subject thoroughly and gain information from every source within his reach. The desire to excel and to gain credit for succeeding will be a most powerful stimulant. Nothing will attach boys to the farm as much as giving them something to manage for themselves.

But a boy has not mastered the trade of a farmer to its full extent till he has to sell and buy to good advantage. Experience is acquired to do these things judiciously. A farmer who was very successful in bringing up a large family of boys in the business in which he was engaged at tributed his success to the circumstances that he allowed his sons not only to raise the crops of stock necessary to provide their clothing and to keep them in spending money, but he intrusted them with the sale of the things they raised, and the purchase of the articles they required. They made some mistakes at first but they soon learned how to trade to good advantage. The boys knowing they had to look to the land, pigs and sheep intrusted to them for their supply of clothing and other comforts, gave them the best possible attention. In so doing they learned how to make the most out of the land they tilled and the stock they raised. Then they watched the produce market and the price list of articles they wished to purchase. Self interest, pride, and the desire for approbation caused them to put forth unusual exertions, and in some cases they came out ahead of their father, not only in raising crops and stock but in disposing of them and laying out the money to good advantage. These boys became attached to farming, and were successful in everything that pertained to husbandry and the commerce of a farm.

In 1865 the imports of the United States from Great Britain were \$122,000,000 and their exports to that country

were \$84,700,000. Balance of Trade against the United States \$37,300,000. In 1876, after the United States had been ruined by protection for ten years, the figures stood, imports from Great Britain, \$98,000,000, exports to Great Britain, \$34,352,000. Balance in favor of the United States, \$269,352,000.

According to a trade paper, 147,000-000 bottles of champagne were exported from France during the ten years between 1867 and 1877. The cultivation of the vine in France extends over 2,600,000 hectares (or more than 4,800,000 acres), the mean annual production of wine being 111 quarts per hectare.

The Press says that the Woodstock Battery of Artillery, commanded by Capt. H. Dibbice, was to finish its annual drill at "Camp Stranger" on Saturday. The corps is said to be an efficient one. The meeting this year has evidently been a very pleasant one. The companies composing the 47th Batt. have also been performing their annual drill.

HANLAN SINKS HIS BOAT.—We are informed that Hanlan, while practicing this morning on the Kennebec, and keeping close to the shore struck on a rock, breaking a hole in his Elliott boat (the Col. S. Hanlan) 12 inches long. It is supposed the boat can be repaired.—Globe 13th.

Protection has enabled the United States to bear an annual internal tax of \$90 millions for the purpose of paying off an enormous debt. Free Trade has driven Canada deeper and deeper into debt.

SPRING SUITS, &C.**SUMMER OVERCOATS.**

I have now on hand a Large Stock of

English and Canadian Tweeds,

all of the Newest Patterns and just the thing for summer wear. Also a few pieces of

SUMMER COATINGS.

These cloths can be made up on the premises into fashionable suits of a perfect fit and at reasonable rates.

J. W. DAVIDSON.

Newcastle, April 23, '78.

TIMOTHY

—AND—

CLOVER SEED.

JUST ARRIVED.—

60 BAGS OF

TIMOTHY and CLOVER SEED.

—ALSO—

1000 ROLLS OF

FANCY ROOM PAPERS.

All of which will be sold very cheap for

Cash at the Store of

HENRY HALL.

Newcastle, April 23, 1878.

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THE Subscribers have commenced business in the building adjoining the Methodist Church, and are prepared to make up

FURNITURE IN ANY STYLE,

and in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

Attention given to

TURNING OF ALL KINDS.

Wooden Pumps made to order, and

Pumps of all kinds Repaired.

Orders solicited for every description of

Furniture Cleaned & Repaired.

R. G. ANDERSON & SONS.

Newcastle, Dec. 4, 1877.

FOR SALE.

A FARM, in the Parish of Dalhousie, fronting on the Restigouche, within one mile and a half of Dalhousie Station, containing (200) Two Hundred Acres, is well watered, and in every way a desirable property.

Terms and further particulars on application to the subscriber, Address,

JAMES S. DUNCAN,

Cross Point,

Co. Bonaventure, P.E.I. Quebec.

Riverside Loop, 5th March, 1878. 6m

EUROPEAN MERCHANDISE.

An English Firm, of good standing and long experience, exporting to all parts of the world ENGLISH and EUROPEAN MERCHANDISE, of every description, and Manufacturing in Twelve Departments of Birmingham Goods, will execute Orders with care and dispatch, at lowest English prices. Direct Orders must be accompanied with all part cash. Orders through London Agents, cash on delivery of Goods.

Illustrated Book sent on application to JOHN PELL, GLOBE WORKS, BIRMINGHAM. Responsible Agents treated with—Foreign Produce sold on Commission.

Sept. 11, 1878. 13

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14 & 16 CENTRAL STREET, - BOSTON, MASS.

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MACHINERY AND WOOL OILS,

WEST VIRGINIA,

TALLOW,

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ENGINE & LARD OILS.

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SOAP AND CANDLE WORKS,

SHEPARD, N. B.

Extra P. T. Soap, No. 1 P. T. Soap, Common Soap and Candles Manufactured and always in Stock, at Low Rates and Good Terms.

T. W. BELL & CO.

Nov. 26, 1877.

RUBBER BELTING, &C.

The subscriber has taken

STORE AT 31 KING SQUARE,

AND WILL

FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY

Z. G. GABEL.

St. John, June 25, 1877.

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TRY IT.

BY an admirable arrangement of nature, the whole body, each in its place, is made up of a material to make up for its own waste. This principle accounts for the fact that

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W. & J. ANSLAW.

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Pencils, Pens and Ink.

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Writing Desks, Opera Glasses, Portfolios, &c., &c.

FREDERICKTON, N. B. Oct 3

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

THE Subscriber begs to thank the public for the patronage received in the above business, and desires to inform them that he has leased the Store lately occupied by Isaac Harris, Esq., where he will in future carry on the above branch of his business. He hopes to merit a share of public patronage.

W. S. LOGGIE.

N. B. I am now showing a full line of Groceries and Provisions.

W. S. L.

Chatham, May 6, 1878.

INTERNATIONAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THE International Steamship Company in connection with Intercolonial Railway will carry Fresh Salmon, at the following through rates:

Port-Bos-New York.	Per 100 lbs.
Campbellton, Dalhousie, Charlottetown, Miramichi, St. John, Moncton, and other ports.	60c. 65c. 90c.
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We will also make Special Low Rates for all rates to one address.

The above rates include transfer at St. John and Boston for New York fish.

Prepayment on Fresh Fish by this line will not be exacted until the first day of November next.

Boxes must be marked on the end showing Consignee's name and Residence.

H. W. CHISHOLM, Agent I. S. S. Co.

St. John, N. B., May 22, 1878. 2m.

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ON and AFTER MONDAY, June 3rd, of this line will make

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Leaving Saint John every

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

Mornings at 8 o'clock, for Eastport, Portland and Boston. Leaving Boston same days for Portland, Eastport and St. John.

W. H. CHISHOLM, Agent.

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Cor. Dock and Union Streets,

HAVE on hand and to arrive by weekly steamers Bar Iron, Common and Best; Lumber, Sawn and Planed; and all other goods, at the lowest prices.

Hoop Iron, Cast Steel, First's Plate, Square and Round, and all other goods, at the lowest prices.

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