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All For Revenge.

The approaching political fight, so Mr Henry R Emmerson, the county's purist, publicly boasts, was inaugurated for the sole purpose of gratifying his taste for revenge. In the *Transcript's* report of the "masterly speech" delivered by Mr Emmerson at Pre D'en Haut, that gentleman is made to say:

"Stevens and Powell had furnished the money to push a scrutiny against him in the county of Albert, and he believed in paying back his debt with interest. He desired to give those two opposition gentlemen a dose of their own physic, and judging from the faces they made the taste was not pleasant."

This we have from a public platform and from a man who is following the government candidates about the country, that the sole reason why this county is to be saddled with the expense of another election, why business is to be confused as it always is, and the unpleasantness incident to elections inflicted upon the people of Westmorland, is to appease the appetite of Mr. H R. Emmerson for revenge Messrs Powell and Stevens were not actively engaged in the Albert scrutiny, and even were they the prime movers, it is a piece of contemptible meanness to carry unpleasantness from Albert county to Westmor and solely to gratify the desires of one man.

Seed Testing.

To a letter in another column, from the pen of William Saunders, Director of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, the attention of every farmer is earnestly directed. The subject of the testing of the vitality of seeds of all kinds before sowing, is one to which the average farmer pays far too little attention; yet it is one which is of vital importance to him, and upon which depends, to no little extent, the profits of his year's labors. By Mr Saunders' letter will be seen a way to ascertain the actual reproductive value of a seed, with the smallest outlay of labor or money. Simply tie up an ounce or two of the seed intended for use, mark it distinctly—its name and variety—and send without postage to the address given in his letter.

One often hears the weather, the moon, or the soil blamed for the non-appearance of germination after seeding, while the actual cause is in the non-germinating quality of the seed. Grain touched by the frost, while it may be perfect according to the eye, may lack the power to sprout when sown. Some seeds kept more than a year will also possess uncertain vitality. It will thus be seen that by ascertaining the exact value of the seed, the amount to be sown to insure a fair growth of plants on the ground may be approximately calculated and allowances made.

A General Election.

There appears to be no end of talk among the Liberal press about an early dissolution of Parliament and an election in March. The rumor was started by the Ottawa Liar and it was supposed to be corroborated by the meeting of several members of Parliament in Ottawa. This was taken as proof conclusive, and the howl to organize and make ready for the fray was flashed from British Columbia to Prince Edward Island. So far as is authentically known there is no truth in the report that a general election is at hand. There are no pressing needs for such. The country is progressing and despite the cries to the contrary it is probably the present members will finish their terms without a dissolution

THE present troubles in Chili are likely to lead to international complications. The Chilian Government have practically placed the insurgent crews of the Chilian Navy, blockading the chief ports, in the position of pirates to be summarily dealt with by the fleets of other powers. The British and French warships in the South ern Pacific are on their way to the scene of the revolution, and a collision may arise at any moment, between them and the rebel Chilians, if the latter do not desist from their blockade and surrender to the proper authorities. Though the rebels have some well-equiped and powerful men-of-war, the Anglo-French fleet would make short work of them if they began an action. The interests of foreign merchants in Chili are very large and extensive, and great loss would accrue to them if the ports were closed and the whole trade of the country brought to a standstill for any length of time. The imports of the country are about $60,000 000 and the exports $73,000,000. If the insurgent sailors remain stubborn and refuse to raise the blockade on neutral commerce then the foreign fleets will act promptly and teach them that this is not the age of freebooters.—*Star.*

THE latest new publication to reach our office is *The Young Canadian*, published at Toronto. It is devoted to Canadian affairs, and aims to engender in the young people of Canada a strong and unwavering love of their country. It is full of patriotic sentiment, and, with the exception of the cover is a creditable production. The artist who concected the design for the cover, attempted over the name of each province to depict the most symbolic occupation of the inhabitants, and a more ludicrous portrayal could be hard to conceive Nova Scotia is symbolized by a Laplander, harnessing his dog sled preparatory to a journey, while in the distance appears the Aurora as it appears in the land of the midnight sun. To New Brunswick they attribute extensive ranching operations. A vast plain covered with cattle appears in the distance, and in the foreground are two cow boys in attendance.

Opposition Meetings.

Meetings in favor of the opposition to the Blair Government wil be held as follows:

SALISBURY, Thursday, Jan. 29.

BONNELL'S CORNER, Moncton, Friday, Jan. 30.

These meetings will be addressed by the candidates and others.

Further meetings will be announced later.

The Coming Election

At last the writs for the coming election have been issued. Nomination takes place on the 7th of February. and the polling one week later—the 14th. On account of Sheriff McQueen's relationship to one of the candidates, he refused to act in his official capacity, and Mr. Hazen Chapman, of Dorchester, has been appointed as returning officer in his stead.

Both sides are opening the campaign warmly, but there is scarcely any doubt but that the two members of last year will be returned again.

Mr. Blair is billed to speak at Port Elgin on the 30th, also the other celebrities who are doing the county in his interests.

THERE must be great dearth of speakers on the government side, if the mob that was let loose upon Point de Bute on Monday evening is a sample; and there must also be a scarcity of topics to discuss, for the principal subject treated was the personal beauty of Mr. McQueen and his electrifying effect on the fair sex To this point the political gosling from the shire town has alluded from every platform upon which he has posed since the campaign opened.

THE late bulletins issued from the Inland Revenue Department, and bearing upon the adulteration of spices, is an amusing study. Mustard appears to be a good subject for adulteration, but we should be thankful that these rascally manufacturers use, in many cases, nothing more injurious than flour of different kinds. But some go so far as to provide us, under the guise of "Absolutely Pure," a variable quantity of red clay. Three samples were taken from Sackville merchants Two of them showed adulteration with wheat flour, turmeric buckwheat or rice, mustard husk, and, as the bulletin remarks, "a little red clay;" and the third, all of the above, with cayenne substituted for the clay Out of 95 samples analyzed, seven were passed as "Pure," nine as "Com pound," and 79 as Adulterated.

IT is a queer fact that the *Transcript* cannot make a point of, at election times; but its reference to the recent Gladstonian victory at Hartlepool, lead the electors to think it was gradually working around to the opposition side. It points out that this victory should encourage the electors who want a political change. That is just what the opposition newspapers have been advocating ever since the Blair government has made its presence felt A political change is wanted, and if Mr. Blair cannot find another batch of merchantable members that change will probably come this winter.

Off to Behring Sea.

Twelve Nova Scotia Fishermen Pass Through Montreal on Their Way to the Seal Fisheries—They Fear Not Blaine, Nor American Cruisers.

Twelve stalwart young with weather-bronzed faces, each with his kit swung over his shoulder, were among the first passengers to jump off the Halifax express as it steamed into the Windsor street station at six o'clock last evening. They were Nova Scotia fishermen, off to the Pacific coast to engage in the seal fisheries of the Behring Sea. Mr. Blain's thunderings and the proceedings of the American Supreme Court did not appear to weigh heavily on their minds, for they were all carrying light hearts to those distant homes of the glossy seal, and those fertile fields of international disputes. Within two weeks their names will be registered on the logbook of the good ship, Ocean Bell, and they will be steaming northward toward the closed sea, right in the teeth of the Plumed Knight's interpretation of international law and of President Harrison's cruisers.

"Are you not afraid of being captured by the Americans?" was asked one of the party as they were depositing their kits in the baggage-room before going out for supper.

"No; there's nothing to be afraid of; them Americans is harmless people. We have seen them before; they do a lot of

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and while they keep you listening to that they want to scoop up all that's going; but we intend to have a hand at them seals if any is to be found when we get to Behring Sea."

They all concurred in these sentiments and laughed heartily at the idea of being captured on the high seas by cruisers. They will certainly form a strong reinforcement to the Ocean Bell's crew, as all are accustomed to a sea-faring life, having been engaged in the Nova Scotia cod fishery since they were able to pull an oar or handle a line. They were all muscular, bright fellows, and good specimens of the, sturdy coastmen of the Maritime Provinces.

"How long will you stay on the Pacific coast?"

"Well, if we get on all right and like it well, we'll stay some time, anyway, until the season is over, which is about the first of September."

They said that the past season had been a poor one for Nova Scotia fishermen, as the catch had been light, and excessively stormy weather had interfered with the work.

The party were in charge of Mr. M. Reilly, who had engaged the men on behalf of Messrs Hall and Copell, who would ship them on the Ocean Bell from Victoria. He did not expect any trouble with the Americans over the closed sea dispute. "I think we will get on as well as we did last season; anyway, we are going to risk it;" and calling his men together, he led them over to the hotel to supper.

As the train was late, they had no time to see Montreal, But after finishing their meal, took the bus for the Dalhousie Square station and left on the Winnipeg train.—*Star.*

—The island where the friendless or poor and unknown of New York are buried, is a mere scrap of land, which contains 70 acres of land at low tide At high tide, much of the border is submerged. Upon this bit of land there are already buried over 70,000 bodies. More than this, the same island is used for the habitation of the living, certain imbeciles, lunatics and criminals being sent there.

Botsford Parish.

LIST OF THE PARISH OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

Parish Clerk—W C Murray.

District clerk, No. 3—Wm B Welch, (Bayfield.)

District clerk, No 2—Napoleon S LeBlanc.

Game warden—Rainnie Taylor.

Revisors—Pat Hebert, Pat Riley, J Bedford Allen.

Assessors—Joseph Avard, Wm F Welch, George Trenholm.

Surveyors of Dams—Fred Chapman, Henry Peacock, Matthew Allen, Esq., Alexander McKay, Cape Spear.

Collectors of Rates — Pacifique E Bourke, William J Stevens, James Main.

Surveyors of Grindstones—Adam McMorris, Thaddy O'Brine, George J Dobson.

Boom Masters—John Walsh, John Riley, Avard Dobson, Amos Bonnivie.

Commissioners of bye-roads—Malace Burke, William A Scott, John Hennessy.

Commissioners of highways— Amos Bonnivie, Adam Simpson, Esq., Wm J Allen.

Weighers and measurers of hay—Wm F Welsh, Fred Crane, Woodford Purdy, Joseph C Raworth, Esq.

Overseers of the Poor — Bill C Raworth, Jacob Allen, Michael Hallihan.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark—Solomon McMorris, Wm B Welch, Frank Comeau, Esq., Albert Fillmore, Nathaniel Strang.

Surveyors of Lumber—Gilbert Allen, John Reilly, Esq., Joseph H Avard, J B Marvin, James Chapman, Wesley Wall, James Carrol, Esq., Burns Walton, Fred Chapman, George Lowther, Bill C Raworth, Frank Harper, Silas C Hayward, Stephen Davis, Jacob S Allen, Allen Trenholm, Alex. C McKay, Arthur Bent, Robert Walton, Silver Allen, Michael B Riley.

Hog Reeves—Joseph Mitton, Luther Trenholm, Charles Tucker, Adam Polly, John L Robinson, Murray Taylor, Antoine Votour, Wm Cullen, Hilaire Bourque, Lucien Arseno, Alphie Legere, John Forest, Peter R Comeau, Hezekiah Seaman, Esq., Laurent C Burke.

Fence Viewers—Bedford Allen, D Porrell, George Amos, William Johnson, Eliphalet Reid, Thomas Ogden, Benjamin Landry, Joseph Mitten, Jeremiah Sweeney, Sr., Fabien Legere, Joshua Tingley, Jr., John Forest, Michael B Riley, John Ward, Harmon Trenholm, William P Dobson, Gregoire F Legere, Silliker F Trenholm, William Simpson, James Walton Robinson, Jno L Robinson, Fred Trenholm, Thomas Cullen.

Pound Keepers—Dovey Allen, Wm Cullen, Pinque Boyce, David D Melanson, Ephriam T Allen, Marc T Gould, Peter Noiles, Chas N Raworth, Andrew Mitton, Andrew R Burke, Fidel R Burke, John L Robinson, Matthew Allen, Esq., Tweedie Riley, Samuel Downing, John Mahoney.

Field Drivers—Silas Allen, Dennis Mahoney, Wm Mitton, Alder Jones, Henry Burns, Julien Landry, Wm F Welch, James Taylor, James Tingley, Matthew Burke, Pat M Melanson, Jos Trenholm, Gregiore F Legere, John Ward, Samuel Fillmore, Stephen Spence, Thomas Davis Matthew MMcorris, Smith Raworth, Fabien Dugay, Patrick P Melanson, Ephriam T Allen, Michael Noiles.

Constables—John Welsh, Dixon Trenholm, Smith Dobson, Harvey Trenholm, Michael Riley, Irving Allen, James Dobson, James Crawford, Joseph Trenholm, Melace Bourque, John Cullen, J Cadman, Gilbert Allen, J Fred Raworth, Honore I Legere, Weston Jones, John Hartnett, William Dellihunt, Dixon C Welsh, William G Amos, Fidel F Burke, Isaac W Kay, Charles Harnette, John Noiles, John W Allen, Thomas Cadman, John L Robinson, Joseph C Allen, Alex C McKay, Joseph D Lane, Alfred Fagan, Michael Noiles, Dennis Votour, Lord Allen, Prescott Spence, William Briggs.

Surveyors of Highways. — Division No. 2:

District No. 1, David Melanson; 2, Chas Avard; 3, Michael Niles; 4, Docity Porcelle; 5, Laurant Dudier; 6, Joseph A'Cormier; 7, Eustache B LeBlanc; 8, Gregoire F Legere; 9, James Arseno; 10, Edward H Landry; 11, Lucien Arsenau; 13, Pacifique Fagan; 13, Simon F Legere; 14, Patrick P Melanson; 15, William Peacock; 16, Thady M Burke; 17, Wm Blanch; 18, Amos Goguen; 19, Hilaire Bourque; 20, Andrew Downing.

DIVISION, NO .1,

District, No 1.—Wm. H. Haywood; 2. John McCullough, 3. Richard Allen; 4. Joseph C. Allen; 5. Dennis Murphy; 6. Timothy Savage; 7, Steward Brodie; 8. Thos. Odgen; 9: Winslow Kay; 10. George Duncan; 11. Pinque Boyce; 12. Thos. Walton; 13 Jas. Anderson; 14. Wm. Grant; 15 William Simpson; 16. Wm. A. Blacklock; 17. D. Murray Tallor; 18. Wm. Amos; 19. John Welsh; 20. Robert Sommers; 21. Archibald Simpson, 22. John Allen.

DIVISION, NO. 3.

District, No. 1.—Fred Raworth; 2. Fraser Allen, 3. Silas Allen, 4. Robert T. Allen; 5. Isaac Trenholm; 6. George Oulton; 7 James Barry; 8. Jas Carrol, Jr 9. Wm. Mitton, 10. Albert Jones, 11. Penman Allen, 12. Henry Peacock, 14. Geo. C. Spence, 15. Raglan Amos.

PATRICK HEBERT, JOHN RILEY, } Councillors.

Dorchester.

—A number of the friends and parishioners of Rev. S. T. Teed met at his residence one evening last week, and presented him with a beautiful fur sleigh-rug, in token of the regard in which he is held. Mr. Teed is, naturally, very much pleased with the gift.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Chapman gave a very pleasant dance at their residence last Thursday evening. About sixty guests were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all.

—A few Dorchester people attended the Bachelor's and Benedict's Ball in Moncton last Friday evening, and speak in terms of the highest praise of the way in which the affair was conducted.

—Rev. J. R. Campbell goes to Rothesay to-day to be present at a meeting of the Choral Union of Kingston Deanery.

Upper Cape.

—The death of Mrs. Jane Rayworth widow of the late John Rayworth, was sudden and unexpected. Her illness was of a few days only. She entered into rest on Sunday, the 18th inst, and was buried at Upper Cape on the 20th. She leaves three sons and two daughters; she soon followed her brother, the late Allen Wells, of precious memory. Like her late husband and brother, she was universally esteemed, was a consistant and worthy member of the Methodist church, and always ready with a helping hand for any good work. In her death, not only the family, but the community, has suffered a great loss.

—The American order of Odd Fellows of Halifax have bought the site of the late Globe Hotel on Buckingham St. for $4600 and intend shortly to build a magnificient Hall.

Maritime Matters.

—Wallace has a carnival in the rink this evening.

—The post office at Chignecto Mines is to be re-opened shortly.

—All of the Belledune prisoners have been released on nominal bail.

—William Ross was fatally wounded in the woods near Canning, N. S., last week.

—Parties at South Denmark, Carleton Co., report having seen a herd of 17 caribou a few days since.

—Mr. Higgs, has started a daily morning paper in Charlottetown. The Daily Guardian. All wish it success.

—Chas. Henry Wesley, of Liverpool, N. S., fell overboard from the schooner Wenonah, near Newfoundland, and was drowned recently.

—A little St. John boy threw a mug of water on a hard coal fire the other day, and was badly scalded by the steam which arose from it.

—Last week, Henry Myles, aged 24, son of James Myles, formerly of St. John, died at Dartmouth, from lockjaw from a gun wound, accidentally caused by himself.

—Mrs. David Maxwell, of Five Islands, who was married only about a fortnight ago, died very suddenly last week. She was taken ill on Friday and only lived till the following day.—Leader.

—The young mink adopted by a cat at Upper Stewiacke, N. S., to replace her lost kitten, grew up to be quite a household pet, but eventually developed such a taste for geese that it had to be banished from the household.

A Washington despatch says customs officers have been notified that frozen fresh herring come under the clause relating to fish prepared for preservetion, whether by freezing, packing in ice or otherwise. Importers of herring from these provinces are protesting.

—Travellers journeying over the St. Stephen branch of the C. P. R. report game plentiful at different points along the line. One day last week five deer were seen bounding across the track and into the woods, apparently alarmed by the rumbling of the train.

—The Minister of Marine has awarded binocular glassess to each of six inhabitants of New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, for gallant and humane conduct in rescuing the crew of the English Barque "Melmerby," which went ashore at Little Harbor, Pictou County, last October.

—Mr. Joseph Shipley, of Leicester, Cum. Co., had a narrow escape from injury the other day. He was teaming a load of lumber, and while going down a hill, it became too heavy for the horses. He managed to get the horses unhitched, when the load continued on and came to grief at the bottom.

—The January sittings of the circuit court was held at Fredericton, recently, and adjourned, there being no business to come before it. Chief Justice Allen, in addressing the grand jury, intimated that this was the last time he would address such a body, as they were about to be abolished.

—A large purchase of raw furs has been made by A. O. Kaiser. The lot was collected by one man in the western part of the province and comprised 3600 skins of all kinds. The city buyers and Mr. Black, of Truro, competed by tender, but were all outbid by Mr. Kaiser who secured the collection for the sum of $1367.90 cash.—Halifax Mail.

—Rev Edward Grant, Stewiacke, has accepted the call from the Presbyterian congregation of Middle Musquodoboit, N. S., and Rev John Murray, Sydney, to Shubenacadie. Steps are being taken toward the erection of a Presbyterian church at Taylor settlement, Middle Musquodoboit. Rev. Dr. J. K. Smith, formerly pastor of Fort Massey church, Halifax, has been supplying Rev. John McNeill's pulpit in London.

—In the parlor of Major Dibblee is to be seen a very pretty and unique piece of work; it is silk work—an English pheasant worked in silk and on silk ground. The work was done in 1781, 110 years ago, by Miss Elligood. It is an heirloom in the Elligood family, and came to Mrs. Dibblee from her mother, Mrs. Elligood of Dumfries.—Woodstock Press.

—President Van Horn and Vice President Shaughnessy, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, have returned to Montreal. It is understood that the company is considering the advisability of establishing a line of fast frieght steamers between St, John and Liverpool, and, if satisfactory accommodations can be arranged for, the steamers will be put to carry through freight from China and the west to the English markets.

—The liquor taken from the Kelly building several weeks ago, under the authority of the Canada Temperance Act, and which no one appeared to own, was, by the authority of the same Act, poured into the gutter at Baird's corner on Tuesday, the 6th inst. The liquor destroyed was 116 bottles of whiskey, 117 bottles of brandy, 48 bottles of gin, 2 barrels containing brandy, 1 barrel containing porter, 1 barrel containing ale and one keg of wine.—Woodstock Press.

A Deer Story.

The following is almost as good as some of the Bartibogue bear stories we have heard:

"While Robert Sherrard, the well-known mail carrier between Eastport and Pembroke, was on his route the other day, a couple of deer, an immense buck with high and widespread antlers, and his mate came out of the woods, and following behind Mr. Sherrard's team, had a considerable feed from the straw in the bottom of the pung before he was aware of their presence.

Messrs Wheelock and Charles Hersey, of Pembroke, who were driving home to Eastport, came up with the mail stage, and the deer started ahead, travelling a half mile or so along the road before taking to the woods again. Mr. Sherrard had a narrow escape. The deer might have bitten him, and the law is such that he could not have defended himself."—*Advance.*

—The Baptists are to have a rolling tabernacle, a chapel on wheels, which is to travel all over the North-West, carrying two missionaries. The car is sixty feet long and ten feet wide. At one end a space about eighteen feet long will be fitted up for living purposes. The remainder of the car will be furnished as a chapel. The car will run upon the extended system of the Northern Pacific and Wisconsin Central railways.

—The last half of the Grant iron ore property at Bridgville, has been leased for a number of years by a party from Woodstock, Me. It is the intention of the lessees to mine ore, convert it into pig iron, by the charcoal process, and manufacture the iron thus produced into car wheels, steel nails, etc., etc. The works it is expected will be situated near Bridgeville, as wood is abundant in that locality.

K. D. C. Will cure you.

Personal and Political.

—Saduila Pasha, the Turkish ambassador to Austria, who attempted to commit suicide in Vienna, died from his self inflicted injuries.

—The late Duke of Bedford's income was over £300,000 a year. He was the richest man in the peerage except the Duke of Westminster.

—Some recently published statistics show that Canada is the proud possessor of 3,021 lawyers, of whom nearly one-half belong to Ontario.

—Blind Tom is dying of consumption, and the $500,000 which he earned by his skill as pianist has mysteriously disappeared, leaving him a pauper inmate of a lunatic asylum.

—Charles Henry Luders, a young Philadelphia poet, died in the hospital there, recently, while under treatment by the Koch lymph. He had la grippe last year and that disease left traces of consumption.

—The supreme court has decided that Lily W. Churchill, Duchess of Marlborough, formerly the widow of Millionaire Louis C. Hammersly, must apply $50,000 a year in payment of three judgements aggregating nearly $700,000 recovered against her recently.

—A clause of the marriage contract between the late Dr. Schliemann and the Greek girl whom he made his second wife was to the effect that she should improve her knowledge of Homer by learning and reciting fifty lines of Iliad nightly. Schliemann, when telling the story to his friends, always said that neither tears nor entreaties ever induced him to let her off a single line.

—The library left by George Bancroft is reputed to be one of the best private collections of books in the country. It contains about 12,000 volumes, among which are many works in foreign languages, and every book in the collection has a value apart from its selling price. The books were closely packed in the four rooms that comprised Mr. Bancroft's literary workshop, and there was never any attempt to display them.

—Alexander William Kinglake, the British ex-politician and historian, died in London last week. Kinglake was born in 1811 and was educated at Cambridge, graduating in 1832. He served in parliament several years, but was considered incompetent and unpopular, although several important measures owe their existence to him. His principal works were the histories of the Crimea which he spent years in compiling.

—Harriett Hosmer, the sculptor, is a little woman who has not a masculine trait about her. It is forty years since she began the life-work which has made her famous, but time has dealt kindly with her. Her round face beams with a constant smile, and her bright, black eyes sparkle with good humor. Her brown hair is brushed smoothly back from her forehead, and a black silk net holds it in place. She is usually attired in a neat suit of black silk and velvet, and wears a wide lace scarf about her throat.

Industrial and Commercial.

—Manitoba flour is quoted at 33 per cent. higher prices in Washington than is the product of that state,

—Twenty barrels of eels were shipped by rail from Sydney to New York a few days ago. They are said to be worth the vicinity of $16 per barrel in the New York market.

—A meeting of mine owners was held in Montreal, recently, to consider what steps should be taken to test the constitutionality of the Quebec mining tax. The government will likely have to fight a legal battle before the miners will pay the tax.

—John M. Young, son of the late Brigham Young, has concluded an agreement with B. C. Faurot, a barker of Lima, Ohio, whereby he comes into possession of 3,000,000 acres of land in northern Mexico, which he intends to settle with 1,000 Utah Mormons.

—The coal industry in Natal seems to be improving. The Portuguese authorities at Delagoa Bay have contracted for a supply of Natal coal, for one year, and the order will proably be renewed if the coal proves up to the mark, which there is little doubt that it will.

The South Australian Railway Commissioners are calling for tenders for the construction in that Colony of 92 locomotive engines, to be delivered during a period of five years from March next. The contract must be executed under the eight-hour system.

—As a result of the exhibition of Canadian grown two-rowed barley at the Maltsters exhibition in London, the Japan brewing company of Yokohoma has written the minister of agriculture, saying if malt made from this barley is obtainable in Canada, they will be glad to purchase the article.

—In the United States a much larger amount of water for motive power is employed than in any other country in the world. According to the census of 1880 there were 55,404 water-wheels at work in the United States, using a total power of 1,225,376 horse-power which is 39,93 per cent of the total power employed in the manufactures of the country

—Maryland's oyster industry is virtually dead. From 6,000,000 bushels ten years ago the receipts have dwindled to 1,000,000 bushels. Nearly all the large packing houses are closed and all the dredgers disheartened. There are no oyster-houses along Chester River now, because there are no oysters. The packers at Oxford have packed themelves off to North Carolina, and at Cambridge the houses are closed. The local dealers are drawing on the North for supplies.

—The gold mines of Nova Scotia now give direct employment in the work, during some part of the year to 1,000 men, and to at least 700 hands the year round, while indirect employment is given to many. The value of last year's output was $470,000 or $18 per ounce, and though a considerable force is engaged in preliminary work caused by the opening up of new areas, the average of each man's labor was $2,20 per day the year around. Rich gold-bearing quartz has recently been discovered in some of the counties and the total product this year is likely to be unusally large.

—Of discoveries in the iron and steel business there seems to be no end. David Simpson, a blacksmith employed at the Carbon Iron Works, claims to have a process by which ore can be converted into refined iron in one hour. He says: "I know I have a good thing, and am watching it carefully. I can put ore in the furnace, add a few chemicals, and in a short time, I can draw out good iron; put in some more chemicals, and I can draw good steel. Here is a razor blade of steel made, forged, sharpened, and brought to the city in two hours. I can make steel 500 carbon. I don't use lime to purify." If this workman can do this, and nothing in these days of invention seems impossible, we are on the eve of another great economic discovery.

—The past year's failures in St. John foot up to $998.000.

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The well known and valuable property of the late Strang Allen is offered for Sale. This property has of late been increased in value by the chopping and partial cleaning of a swamp, heretofore an eyesore but now promises to be its most valuable acres. A large portion of this swamp can be readily converted into broads of grass, the remainder is an inexhaustible supply of black muck so valuable for manuring purposes. Scattered over it are several springs furnishing good water the year round throughout the length of the farm. Also situated on the farm is a lobster factory supplying all that can be utilized thereon of the very best fertilizer that has yet been applied to our lands. The timber has been saved owing to woodlands elsewhere so that a large portion of well timbered land remains. This property will be sold on easy terms with or without a piece of good marsh. Apply to the undersigned,
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AT PRICES THAT MUST RESULT in QUICK SALES.
12 Men's Ulsters, 10 Boy's Cape Overcoats, Men's Reefers and Overcoots, Men's Tweed Suits
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Meth. Choir Concert.
MUSIC HALL, SACKVILLE,
FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 30, 1891.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

1. Chorus—"Praise ye the Father," (March Romanie) Gounod. The Choir.
2. Dbl Quartette—"Skating Glee" Arr from Audran' Misses Ogden, Tweedie, Wry, Troy and Messrs Tingley, Rice, Harrison and Chapman.
3. Cornet Solo—Fantasia. "I cannot sing the old songs." J. S Cox. Mr. Snowden.
4. Duet—"I heard a voice," Canapana. Miss Trueman and Miss Doull.
5. Solo—"Lol Here the gentle Lark," (Flute obligato) Bishop. Mrs. Harrison.
6. Reading—Selected—Miss Landers.
7. Solo—"The Longshoreman," Stephen Adams Charlie Harrison.
8. Quartette—"Moonlight on the lake," White. Mrs. Wells. Miss Doull, Messrs Fulton and Doull.

PART II.

1. Chorus—"The Heavens are Telling," (from Creation) Haydn. The Choir.
2. Solo—"Anchored," Michael Watson. Mr. Dobson.
3. Quintette—"Tyrolene Air.", Dressler. Mrs. Harrison, Messrs Dobson, Rice, Anthony, Hutchin.
4. Reading—Verbatim report of Eurhetorian debate Principal Harrison, M. A.
5. Malé Quartette—"Wake Lady Wake," (Serenade) Barnby. Messrs Tingley, Dobson, McDougall and Doull.
6. Flute Solo—"Carnival de Venice," Mr. Stokes.
7. Solo and Chorus—"Inflammatus," (from "Stabat Mater") Rossini. Mrs. Harrison and Choir.
8. Quartette—"Good night gentle folks," Thompson Mrs. Wells. Miss Doull, Messrs Dobson, Doull, Accompanists Miss Vroom and Miss Trueman.

Doors open at 7 o'clock, concert commences at 8 local. Tickets 25 cents, reserved seats 35 cents.

UNIVERSITY OF
Mount Allison College.
The following Course of Lectures on Legal Subjects will be delivered during the present Term:
1 Introductory Lecture — Province and limits of law; desirability of acquaintance with its principles, historical sketch of its origin, growth and development.
2 Legal persons and special legal relations, including corporations, parent and child, guardian and ward, husband and wife and executors.
3 Laws of ownership, including titles to personal and real property, with discussion of the growth of the idea of property.
4 Laws of Contract.
5 Civil Injuries or Torts.
6 Public Wrongs.
7 Legal Tribunals and procedure.
The first Lecture will be delivered in Memorial Hall on Saturday evening next, the 31st of January, beginning at 8 o'clock, local time, by Prof. A. D. Smith, LL. D. The dates of the subsequent lectures will be announced hereafter. Among the Lecturers will be His Honor Justice Palmer, His Honor Justice King, A. A Soockton, LL D. M. P. P., Prof B. Russell. M. A., Q. C., H A. Powell. M A., and other distinguished members of the Bar.
Tickets for the course $1.00. Single Lecture 20c.
Sackville, Jan. 29th, 1890. 3w

Notice of Assignment.
NOTICE is hereby given that Henry Dickson of Sackville in the county of Westmorland, Merchant, has this day assigned all his property and effects to me in trust for the benefit of his creditors. Creditors desiring to participate in the estate are required to execute the trust deed within three months from this date. The trust deed now lies at the office of E L. Ford, Attorney at Law, Sackville for inspection and execution
Dated this 28th day of January, 1891
DAVID C. DICKSON,
E. L. FORD, Solicitor. Assignee.

Administrator's Notice.
Take notice that all persons having any claims against the estate of Rev. D. S. Carpenter, late of the parish of Sackville, deceased, will present the same duly attested to the undersigned within three months from the date hereof and all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
Elizabeth Ann Carpenter,
Administratrix.
Sackville, Jan 28th, 1891 1m

STEER FOUND.
ON the premises of the subscriber, a red and white steer about 2 years old. No ear mark. Owner can have by proving property and paying expenses.
ASA READ,
Great Shemogue.
Jan. 23rd, 1891. 1i

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