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1890 Summer Arrangement. 1890

On and after Monday 6th JUNE, 1890, the trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

WILL LEAVE SACKVILLE:
Fast Express for St. John (Monday excepted), 2.09
Fast Express for Halifax (Monday excepted), 2.37
Fast Express for Moncton (Monday excepted), 2.59
Day Express for St. John, Halifax, Moncton, 11.27
Day Express for St. John, Halifax, Moncton, 12.28
Fast Express for St. John, Moncton, 12.52
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Fast Express for Halifax (Monday excepted), 2.17
Fast Express for St. John (Monday excepted), 2.45
Fast Express for Moncton (Monday excepted), 3.07
Day Express for St. John, Halifax, Moncton, 11.37
Day Express for St. John, Halifax, Moncton, 12.38
Fast Express for St. John, Moncton, 13.02
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Trains will leave Oxford Junction at 11.15 o'clock for St. John, arriving at 12.15 o'clock.

All Trains run by Eastern Standard Time.

D. POTTINGER, Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, N. B.

N. B. & P. E. I. Railway.

1890 SUMMER ARRANGEMENT—1890

IN EFFECT MONDAY, JUNE 9th, 1890.

Trains Run by Eastern Standard Time.

On and after Monday, June 9th, 1890, the trains will run as follows:

Leave Sackville daily (Sundays excepted) at 1.00 P. M., arriving at Cape Tormentine at 3.20.

Returning, will leave Cape Tormentine at 8.21 and arrive at Sackville at 8.45.

Every Monday Morning a Special Passenger Train will leave Sackville for Cape Tormentine. Returning, will leave Cape Tormentine at 7 A. M.

All Freight for the Eastward, to insure being taken on day of delivery, must be at Sackville Station or Wood's siding before 11 o'clock A. M.

JOSHUA WOOD, President.

Sackville, June 9th, 1890.

JOCCINS RAILWAY.

1890 Summer Time Table 1890

GOING WEST: No. 2 No. 4

Leave Sackville..... 8.10 12.10

Arrive at Joggins..... 9.45 13.45

GOING EAST: No. 1 No. 3

Leave Joggins..... 7.15 11.15

Arrive at Sackville..... 8.10 12.10

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Maccan, N. S., June 9th, 1890.

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Plans and specifications may be seen at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., August 4th, 1890.

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Ask your Grocer for
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Feb 18th, 1891 ly

New Meat Market.

THE Subscriber begs to announce that he has opened a Store at the corner of Main and Country Sts., where he will keep constantly in stock all kinds of Fresh and Salted Meats: Beef, Mutton, Pork, Veal, Lamb and Sugar Cured Hams.

—There has been discovered in the forests of India a strange plant which possesses to a very high degree antiseptic magnetic power. The hand which breaks a loaf from it immediately requires a shock equal to that produced by the conductor of an induction coil. At a distance of nineteen feet a magnetic needle is affected by it, and it will be quite damaged if brought near. The energy of this singular influence varies with the hour of the day. It is said powerful about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and it is ineffective during the night. At times of storm its intensity augments to striking proportions.

General News.

—The general conference of the Methodist church of Canada opens at Montreal on September 10.

—Jacques, the French soldier, has completed his fast of 42 days. He was on exhibition at the London Aquarium during the fast.

—An engineer fell from the tower of Notre Dame cathedral, Montreal, last week, a distance of 100 feet and was instantly killed.

—Valuable phosphate leads in the Wakefield district, about twenty miles from Ottawa, have just been discovered by a California miner named Dollar.

—There is a mysterious woman in New York known as "Jill the Clipper" whose delight it is to dispose of ladies of their luck hair.

—A strong crusade is about to be commenced in Montreal against tax exemptions. The amount of exempted property there is \$16,745,210.

—John Weiss, a celebrated concert singer, committed suicide, at Baden, Aug. 4. He recently lost his voice through influenza, and this has preyed upon his mind.

—There is considerable trouble in the Roman Catholic Church at St. Eustache, Quebec, over the refusal of a priest to bury a parishioner who had not been to church for some years.

—A car load of silver ore, valued at \$45,000 the product of the new vein, of the Badger mine for one month, was shipped from port Arthur, Ontario to Newark, N. J., last week.

—At a meeting of the Order of Foresters, held in Hull, England, yesterday, the Chief Forester announced that the total membership of the order was 700,000. The total amount of funds in the various treasuries amounts to \$4,500,000.

—Twenty-four British sailors attempted to escape from their ships at Newport, R. I. A crew sent in pursuit shot one, but another's finger with a cutlass and captured all but three in the act of landing.

—The young Frenchmen farming in California, started a bush fire which got beyond their control and destroyed considerable property. Thinking that the offence was punishable by death both committed suicide by shooting.

—A bedstead made of gold and silver, and inlaid with precious stones, has been discovered in a cave between Beyrout and Damascus. An inscription states that it belonged to Eleanor of England. It has lain concealed in the cave for six centuries.

—Among the new laws in New Jersey one relating to smoking by boys, which provides that no child sixteen years of age shall smoke cigars, cigarettes or tobacco in any place whatever, in any public street, place or resort, and that any violation of this act shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$10 nor less than \$2 for each offence.

—Among the large estates three advertised for sale in Queensland may be considered. The first has an area of 454 square miles, of which the rent is \$1,600. The second has 648 square miles, and the third 553. The one most advantageously situated is within 100 miles of the railroad.

—The tower of the Philadelphia City Hall is now 335 feet high; yet on the top of that 8000 tons of iron and bronze are to be placed. There is to be a clock tower, the dials of which are to be 27 feet in diameter surmounted by a statue of William Penn 37 feet high, and there will be numerous statues.

—Kommer, the Buffalo murderer is dead at last. After four postmortems his execution by electricity took place on the 6th. He exhibited the greatest coolness during the preparation, helping the executioner to adjust the wires and not manifesting the least nervousness. The current remained on four minutes but he was unconscious the instant it was applied.

—The surprising statement is made that at Brandon, in Suffolk, 35 men are employed in making gun flints, and that in the last ten years 30,000,000 gun flints have left one factory. They are for the use of savage tribes in the interior of Africa, who use the flint guns and pistols discarded by our forefathers and auctioned off at a few pence.

—The savages must be kept supplied with firearms, it is comforting to know that they are not of a very formidable kind. A 1-year-old child in West Canada is of the following dimensions: height, 4 feet; weight, 117 lbs; circumference of abdomen, 42 inches; waist, 37 inches; chest, 37 inches; neck, 14 inches; head, 22 inches; thigh, 23 inches; calf, 15 inches; arm, 11 inches; forearm, 10 inches. He is very healthy, eats all he can get, and is fairly intelligent. The parents are by no means corpulent, and their other child is of ordinary size.

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An Editor's Woes.

Says the editor of the Kentville, N. S. New Star: We would advise that the opening between the Presbyterian church and this office, have a fence across it. If a man gets full of spirit he generally makes for that holy ground, and either lays down or leaves himself against the building and rests in agony with the spirit, thus moving our types to a curious exhibition of pity, rendering it impossible to work. So long as only men turned their uncertain steps thither it was not mentioned; but last week a man and his lady found their way in there, and proceeded to apply the bug life internally; we want such proceedings stopped, and the next couple that get in there after spiritual consolation will get the hose played on them. We have spoken!

Canada's Ship Railway.

The St. Lawrence and Bay of Fundy Ship Railway is making speedy progress toward completion, and the day is not distant when this unique experiment will be presented to the world for practical example, and it is to be hoped in every way that it will prove a success

CHIGNECTO POST AND BORDERER

SACKVILLE, N. B. AUG. 14, 1890.

A Canadian Market.

The majority of the opponents of the National Policy and advocates of Free Trade, seem to look upon the United States as the only market open for the disposal of Canadian farm produce, and completely overlook or ignore the presence and value of a British market as an outlet for Canadian food surplus. The distance from a market is not what fixes its value to the producer, but the cost of placing the goods on the market for sale is the main factor. Water transportation is far cheaper than rail and in some cases goods can be carried to the other side of the Atlantic for less than it is paid to have them placed in the American markets. A glance at what England imports will show that we are not exerting ourselves to secure a monopoly of the supply we send to her in comparison to what the United States contributes, and yet in the great majority of cases we are able to compete successfully with the Republic in the matter of production. We have the climate and soil favorable to success and our farmers to the shipping port places us in a position to seek a market in Europe that few nations enjoy.

Below are some statistics of the imports and their sources:

Of horses, the United Kingdom imports nearly 14,000 each year, in Canada supplies less than 1 per cent. of these. Of cattle, the yearly importation exceeds half a million head; Canada supplies 15 per cent., the United States 55 per cent.

The United Kingdom's annual importation of pork is 43 million pounds and of lard and bacon 202 million pounds. Canada supplies 11 and 61 per cent. respectively, the United States 50 per cent. and 76 per cent.

Of beef, mutton and fresh, the importation is 184 million pounds, of which Canada supplies about 31 per cent., and the U. S. about 9 per cent. The importations of lard and tallow being in about the same proportion.

England buys yearly 215 million pounds of butter. Canada supplies but 1 per cent. of this, while the United States supplies nearly 6 per cent. Britons require 34 million bushels of apples each year; Canada supplies 10 per cent., the United States 25 per cent.

Canada supplies none of the 94 million tons of eggs imported by England, only a fraction of 1 per cent. of the 22 million bushels of oats, none of the 7 million bushels of potatoes and onions, only 8 per cent. of the 81 million bushels of wheat (against 63 per cent. supplied by the U. S.), and only 2 per cent. of the 109 million bushels of wheat.

St. John Exhibition.

The arrangements for "Canada's International Fair," to be held in St. John from Sept. 24th to October 4th, are making good progress.

With large additions that have been made to the grounds and buildings, much more accommodation is supplied than has ever before been afforded in the maritime provinces, but from the large number of entries now coming in, it is evident that the crowded space will be filled to overflowing.

The Exhibition proper promises to be unusually attractive, but with the array of special attractions that are being arranged for the public will well repay a visit to St. John during the Fair. We would advise our readers to write to Ira Cornwall, secretary of the exhibition association, for prize lists and other information.

VERY gratifying evidence of Canada's progress is contained in the Statistical Year Book, recently compiled by Sydney Rogers. By it will be seen that we are growing steadily in all directions in spite of the blue ruin cry of the Grit party. Mr. Rogers' figures show that the immigration of settlers into the Dominion has increased from 88,700 in 1888 to 91,600 in 1889; the revenue from \$35,998,000 to \$38,782,000; the expenditure from \$36,718,000 to \$36,719,000; the Dominion lands dealt with from 688,000 to 1,066,000 acres; the post offices from 7071 to 7828; the letters carried from 80,200,000 to 92,068,000; the newspapers carried from 66,798,000 to 70,252,000; the imports for consumption from \$102,847,000 to \$109,673,000; the miles of railway in operation from 12,153 to 12,925; the train mileage from 37,391,000 to 38,819,000; and the deposits in the post office saving banks from \$20,650,000 to \$23,014,000.

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"The population of Canada is estimated at 3,000,000, an increase of 700,000 in ten years. A hundred years ago the population of the United States was 3,929,000. In 1881 the population of the United States was 50,000,000. In 1881 the population numbered 49,500. These figures show that Canada has grown proportionately at a faster rate than the United States. She has increased thirty-two fold while the United States has increased sixteen."

The friends of the St. John Globe must be sorely disappointed in the manner in which it is catering to the interests of its supporters, the manufacturing interests of the lower provinces. In noting the present condition of the Halifax cotton factory, it takes more than ordinary pains to convey to its readers the fact that it is overjoyed at the dissatisfaction showing of the years business, and is jubilant over the utterance of Mr. Mackintosh that the St. John factories were embarrassed. To us, it appears a poor excuse. It is not doing justice to the country to decry its commerce simply to convey the erroneous impression that the National Policy is the cause of it. Judging from its attitude in the case of the Globe would be greatly displeased if its constituents prospered.

—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall are writing a history of their Indian experience. The letters which they wrote to the Queen on their travels will make up the bulk of the volume.

Behring Sea.

The main point at issue in the Behring sea dispute is referred to as follows by the New York World, and the World's utterance may be accepted as the opinion of a great majority of the people in the United States: "Russia finally settled down by a ukase to an assertion of the right to prevent the vessels or citizens of other countries from fishing within 100 miles of the islands over which she had undisputed possession and which now belong to the United States. This was, of course, the abandonment of a large part of Behring sea to free commerce and fishing, and while Mr. Blaine seems to be demonstrating that Behring sea is closed and within our jurisdiction, he is really doing nothing of the kind. He is simply employing a lot of words to make a good case as possible out of our position, and is essentially weak, in order that he may drive as good a bargain as possible with the British government. Mr. Blaine is making a very brilliant display, but the country is chiefly interested in having the controversy settled, and it is not at all concerned about helping the Seal Company to grow rich."

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The Eastern Saragosa—An Odd Sport.

(Written for the Post.)

To the overworked merchant or pleasure seeking tourist, there are few points within easy access to Sackville, that can present more inducements for a quiet, restful Sabbath than Cape Traverse, P. E. I. Here one finds the peace and quietness that the soul seems to thirst after, and the cool, refreshing health laden breeze, that the tired body and overtaxed system requires, together with all the conveniences of a more active life.

Leaving Sackville on Saturday afternoon, on the N. B. & P. E. I. Ry., one reaches Cape Traverse after a short ride and boards the pretty little steamer Alameda, commanded by the genial, careful and ever obliging Captain McKinnon. The trip across the harbor to the hotel, over which mine host Mr. Alex. Strang, presides, whose jovial countenance makes the tired visitor, feel at home at once, and bespeaks a cordial and thoroughly good time.

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Maritime Matters.

Major O'Malley's late residence near Fredericton was burned last week.

The press excursion to Charlottetown takes place on the 27th inst.

There are in Nova Scotia 138 lodges of Good Templars in good standing, with 5,340 members.

Capit. J. R. Kitchen, of the Pictou ship "Warrior," died at Cardiff, Wales, on Sunday last.

Diphtheria is becoming very prevalent in Halifax. Several deaths and many severe cases are reported.

Adolphus Deal, son of George Deal, was drowned at Halifax last week, while bathing, by getting beyond his depth.

The New Glasgow Enterprise celebrated the third anniversary of its birth the other day. It takes rank as one of the best of the Maritime provinces.

The old Livingstone house at Richibucto was burned on Friday last. It was built sixty years ago, and was one of the finest houses in Nova Scotia.

The schooner Belle sank in the Miramichi last Thursday week. She was evidently struck by a passing steamer, although no one as yet has confessed to the deed.

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Industrial and Commercial.

In Canada and the United States during July, there were 73 strikes involving 28,884 men.

Representatives of Canadian flour and cheese traders are sent to the Jamaica exhibition.

During the fiscal year ending June 30th, immigration to the United States has been as follows: 1889, 438,619; 1890, 451,219.

Coal has been struck at Wilmet, Annapolis Co. An augur hole made revealed 4 seams of coal in 64 feet from the surface.

The London Iron and Coal Trades Relief says it has occasion to know that New York speculators are forming a corner on Scotch pig iron.

There was shipped from Caledonia mines during the month of July, 27,700 tons of coal, probably the largest monthly shipment from one pit ever made in the province.

American capitalists are commencing to look towards the gold mines of Nova Scotia. Experts have already been examining several workings, and private speculators are in the field.

The Dominion Illustrated Publishing Company, Montreal, has transferred its business to the Substant Lithographic and Publishing Company who will in future publish the Dominion Illustrated.

During the last seventeen years several mines in Liverpool, G. B., have cost \$1,703,000 and have improved the sanitary condition of such an extent that the death rate has dropped from 27 in 1880 to 20.3 in 1888.

Feeling a want for a good saw-set for circular saws, A. Robb & Sons are introducing a new Can saw-set for gold and silver mining.

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Advertisements.

Grass At Auction.

My Annual Sale of Grass at Auction will be held on

FRIDAY, 22nd inst.,

At 2 o'clock P. M., on Marsh. Terms as usual.

J. L. BLACK.

BARGAINS!

We are now offering a very Liberal Discount on Summer Dress Goods.

PRINTS, GLOVES, HOSE, UNDERWEAR, ETC., ETC.

In order to make room for Fall Stock, saved on every dollar spent at

J. L. BLACK'S.

Aug. 14.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

Just received Fall Stock Ladies and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS,

In French Kid, Dongola Kid, Calf Kid, Glace Goat and Oil Polished Goat, Laced and Buttoned.

New York Styles, Superior Quality and Finish. Also large stock Men's and Boys Boots and Shoes.

Prices cannot fail to please.

J. L. BLACK.

CORN FEED!

1 CAR - 15 TONS,

CRUSHED CORN, now at Middle Sackville Siding.

For Sale very cheap.

FLOUR AND MEAL.

Full Stock in Store and now at Station and on rail to arrive within a week

1 Car "Admiral," 150 Bbls.

1 "Five Rose," 150 "

2 "White Eagle," 250 "

1 "Success," 125 "

2 "Corn Meal," 250 "

We will sell at retail very cheap and wholesale lots at the smallest advance on cost.

J. L. BLACK.

Just Received

1 Car SUGAR

7 TONS WEST INDIA SUGAR,

25 Bbls. Granulated Sugar,

25 Bbls. R. fined Sugar.

Choice Barbados Molasses.

1 Car Factory Filled Dairy Salt,

One Car Dry and Tarred Sheathing

Assorted sizes,

One Car Steel Nails,

Assorted sizes,

One Car Cedar Shingles.

J. L. BLACK.

July 17.

Dunlap, Cooke

& Co.

20 Per Ct. DISCOUNT

On all Boys' and Youths'

Clothing. 400 SUITS to

be disposed of. NOBBY

STYLES. Pretty pat-

terns. We are clearing

them out to make more

room for Custom Work.

These goods will not stay

long with us at such a

sweeping reduction. You

can afford to buy your

boy two suits at these

prices.

Remember all our goods

are marked in plain figures

DUNLAP, COOKE & CO.

AMHERST.

Notice of Assignment.

DANIEL LUND, of Aboussagan in the

County of Westmorland, has made an

Assignment to me of all his property both

real and personal for the benefit of his

creditors. Creditors wishing to partici-

pate in the benefits of the trusts under

said deed are required to execute the

same within three months from the date

hereof.

The deed can be executed at the office

of Powell & Bennett,

Sackville, N. B., or at the office of

George W. Towse, Assignee.

Dated 13th, 1890.

GEORGE W. TOWSE, Assignee.

K. D. C. for Everybody.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

THE TRUSTEES of the Sackville

Baptist Church hereby offer for

sale the building, known as the "Salmon

Meeting House," and will receive ten-

ders up to and including the first Sep-

tember next, for the same from persons

wishing to purchase the building, sepa-

rate from the foundation and site, the

Trustees reserving the desk, furnishings

etc., and persons wishing to purchase

the site, including a strip of land 15

feet wide, on the rear and southeast

side, with the foundation, will also ten-

der for that apart from the building.

The Trustees do not bind themselves

to accept the highest or any tender.

Possession will be given on or about the

first of December, next. Should the pre-

mises not be disposed of in this way,

it will be subsequently offered at Auc-

tion. Any information required can be

obtained on application to the under-

signed to whom all tenders should be

addressed.

HARVEY PHINNEY,

Chairman of Trustees.

Sackville, Aug. 14th, 1890.

LAND.

A PRIVATE SALE, two small Lot-

s, UP LAND at Westmorland Point,

N. B., after the 24th of this month.

CHARLES S. FOWLER,

Westmorland, Aug. 14th, 1890.

TROTTER RACES.

The managers of the Sackville Driving

Park offer three prizes to be com-

peted for on the track, at Sackville on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30.

1st—3 minute class, mile heats, best

time in five,—\$25.

2nd—3 year olds, mile heats, best

time in five,—\$15.

3rd—Scrub race, best three in five,—

\$15.

In all races three must enter, and

only horses owned in Sackville, and

Verte and Port Elgin, will be allowed to

compete.

Portland Cement.

3 BARRELS

FIRST-CLASS PORTLAND

CEMENT.

WILL BE SOLD CHEAP.

ED. READ.

Sackville, Aug. 14.

House Builders

Materials.

Having purchased very largely we are

able to give our customers

Specially Low Prices.

BAR IRON, ALL SIZES,

Steel in Tyre, Spring, Shoe and

Machinery.

Spades, Shovels and Forks,

Horse Shoes and Nails,

Blasting

New Summer Bargains!

PRINT AND MUSLIN REMNANTS,
ALLOVER HAMBURG AND LACE FLOUNCINGS,
LADIES WHITE AND COLORED STRAW HATS, LACE CURTAINS AND
LAMBREQUINS, ART MUSLINS for Bedroom Curgains, Men's and Children's
Straw Hats, (for almost nothing), Men's Tennis Shirts and Base Ball Caps.

Seasonable Goods:

Cream and Colored SEERSUCKERS, Fancy Shaker Flannels, Fancy Cottonade for
Boys Summer Wear,
Moneton Mill Knitting YARNS,
To Knit up for Winter Wear.

C. PICKARD.

Sackville, Aug. 7.

Received This Week!

Ladies Fine French Kid Button, Common Sense
and Opera Toes,
Ladies Oxford Shoes.

The Best Boot in Town for \$2.00 in French Kid and Dongola. Men's Cordovan
Boots, and Congress, Waukenphast, and Opera Toe.
Two Bargains—Ladies Serge Lace Foxed for 85 cents. Misses Kid
BOOTS FOR \$1.00.

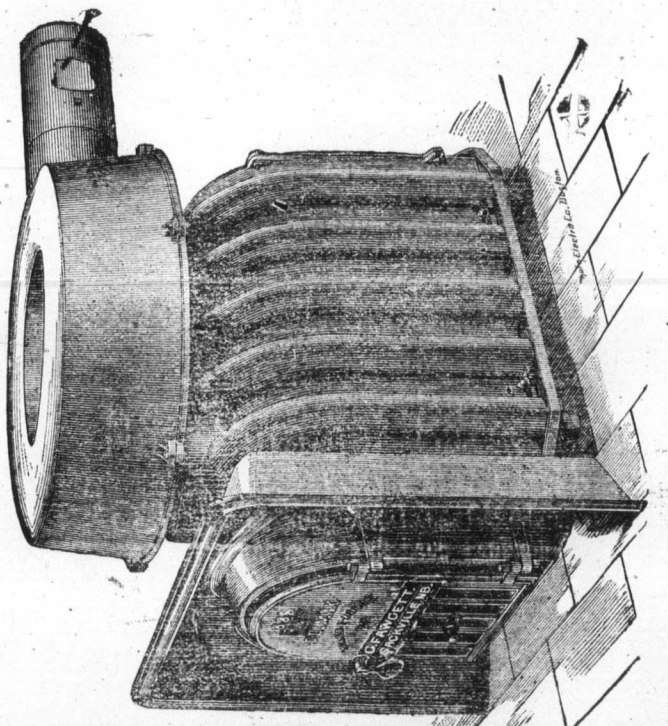
All in need of Footwear will do well to give me a call.

A. G. SMITH
POWELL'S BLOCK.

THE "CLIMAX"

Has Been Reached and Every Doubt Removed.

Fawcett's Furnace is the Best!



I NOW TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN OFFERING MY

"Climax" Wood Furnace

to every one desiring of obtaining a first class Heating Apparatus at a mod-
erate cost. This Furnace has been thoroughly tested throughout the
New England States and has given perfect satisfaction, besides a
large number of them have been in use in the Maritime
Provinces for the past two years and from the exper-
ience of those using them, I do not hesitate
in recommending them to be

Far Superior to any Furnace in the Market.

The fire BOX is made wholly in one piece and heavily corrugated, thus giving it
great strength and a large heat radiating surface. The RADIATOR is of cast iron
joined only at the base in same style as the Fire Box, so that smoke cannot pos-
sibly escape into the heated rooms, as is the case with many of the Wood Furnaces in
use. An examination of most of the Wood Furnaces in use, will reveal to you the
fact that they are all more or less warped and cracked with but one or two seasons
wear, and cases exist where the so called cheap Furnaces have proved useless and
had to be removed within the space of one year.

I WARRANT THE "CLIMAX"

to last longer than any two Furnaces of other makes, give more heat with a
less quantity of fuel and is very compact that it can be set up in
many places where other Furnaces could not possibly be placed.
The price has been reduced which gives the "CLIMAX" the preference far be-
fore all others. Estimates furnished and every Furnace put in. Warranted
to give entire satisfaction.

A CAREFUL INSPECTION OF THE "CLIMAX" IS SOLICITED.

CHARLES FAWCETT.

SACKVILLE FOUNDRY.

R. S. PRIDHAM,

(THE ORIGINAL PRIDHAM.)
Artist in Photography.

Studio opposite Brunswick House, Sackville, and Black's Store Block, Amherst.
During the next two weeks or until further notice the Sackville Studio will be open for Business
only during Saturdays, on which day I will be in charge personally and will warrant every sitting
made during these days.
Sackville, N. B., August 7th, 1890.

EVERYONE

ACKNOWLEDGES NOW THAT

TREMAYNE'S DRUG STORE

AMHERST.

Is by far the Best Place in the Two Counties

TO BUY

DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES or TOILET ARTICLES.

They do not pretend to carry the Largest Stock, but they DO Carry

The Freshest and Best

And a FULL ASSORTMENT. You can always depend upon what

is at this store that Extra Attention is given to compounding Prescriptions, as they
make a Specialty of such work.

Special Locals.

WANTED.—A girl to do general house
work apply to C. PICKARD.
Wanted.—GOOD COOK. Intercolonial
Hotel, Good Wages.

Call at Jos. W. Dobson's for your
Nickel Driving Harness, Team Col-
lars, and all other fittings in his line.
To Telephone. Sackville.—Silver-
bers are requested to notify Mr. Frank Har-
ris, No. 25, when their instruments are not
in working order.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—After five years
of experimenting, I have found the only
varieties that seem at all suited to our
soil and can supply a limited number of
plants about the 15th of August at \$2.00
per hundred. All orders must be in by
the 10th inst.—C. PICKARD.

Around Town.

UNTIL further notice R. S. Pridham's
studio will be open on Saturdays only.
STONE.—Two cars of stone were ship-
ped to Toronto yesterday by the New
York Quarrying Co.

DOG STING.—An inoffensive little dog
belonging to Prof. Mack was shot by a
boy on Foundry St. the other day.
FOUR HORSES FROM SACKVILLE, as ad-
vertised to Charlottetown via the Cape is
not a bad commencement for this
promising route of travel.

VESSEL CHANGES.—The "Annie W."
is being re-built at Rockport by C. P.
Ward.—The schr. Edmund has been
sold by J. B. Read and B. Tower to
Stanley Maxwell.

THE SALT MEETING HOUSE.—At a
meeting of the trustees of the Baptist
church held on Tuesday evening, it was
decided to sell the meeting house, at
Salem, also the lot on which it stands.
Notice to this effect appears in our
columns to-day.

THEFT.—Mary Collins, was on Tues-
day last charged before stipendiary
Judge, with having stolen \$20.00 from Albert
Estabrooks, of Point Midgie. An in-
quiry was held but further examination
was postponed until next Tuesday;
Mary to appear when required.

SUDDEN ILLNESS.—Mr. W. J. McCor-
dick, Inspector of Dredges, was Thurs-
day last, seized with a fainting fit
and fell, his face striking the bed-
stead, by which it was badly scratched.
Dr. Treiman was summoned and re-
ceived the necessary medical aid.

PORT ELGIN.—Mr. Tronholm, is plac-
ing the engine and boiler in his new tug
boat the Atlas at this place. She will
be about 30 horse power.—Messrs Har-
wood's mill stopped for some time
last week on account of an accident to
the machinery.—The Bay locks quite
deserted now; only seven vessels being
in sight instead of 24 a few weeks ago.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Clarence Wry, 3
year old son of Willard Wry, was severe-
ly injured by a kick from a horse on
Sunday last. The little fellow ran up
behind of the horse and struck it on the
leg when the animal made a vicious kick,
striking the child in the month break-
ing part of the upper jaw, knocking four
teeth out and badly cutting the lip.
Dr. Calkin found it necessary to put in
six stitches in the lip.

PORTLAND PACKING COMPANY.—This
Company closed its lobster packing for
the season, and the product has been
sent to Portland, Maine, 4,500 cases
were packed, with what were
purchased, made shipments of 7,500
cases. In a few weeks they will com-
mence the packing of corn. Upwards
of 18 acres are now maturing and it is
expected that fully 1200 cases will be
canoeled. The corn is a little late owing
to the backward spring.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES, SUNDAY, AUG.
17th.—Baptist: Bethel, 10.30, Rev. W.
E. Hall, Salem, 3 p. m., Rev. W. E.
Hall, Wood Point, 6.30 p. m., Rev. W.
E. Hall.

Rev. D. C. Lawson will preach in
new meeting house, Dorchester, Sat-
urday, Sunday, 17th inst., at 10.30 a. m.,
and 3 p. m.

METHODIST.—H. A. M. Rev. F. W.
Harrison; P. m., Rev. M. Lavers,
Upper Sackville, 3 p. m., Rev. F. W.
Harrison.

DIRECTORS MEETING.—A meeting of
the directors of the N. B. & P. E. R.
on Tuesday evening last, when several
reports were read. During the
fiscal year there have been carried over
the road 40,000 tons of freight, against
33,000 last year. The passengers car-
ried numbered 18,770. The following
officers were elected: President, Josiah
Wood; Treasurer, C. H. Treiman; Sec-
retary, W. C. Milner; Auditor, J. E.
Allison; Directors, Josiah Wood, Senator
Botsford, J. L. Black, Chas. Fawcett,
Geo. Campbell, Amos Ogden, F. Mc-
Dougall.

PANCALES.—says the Sussex Record:
"Mr. Stanley Brown, night operator at
Sackville, is spending his vacation with
his parents here."

Mr. J. A. McQueen, of Point de Bute,
was elected vice-president of the Mar-
itime Y. M. C. A. at the recent con-
vention at New Glasgow, N. S.

Prof. Tweedie, of McEwen, is ex-
pected home shortly. He has been
studying English and Gothic philology in
Berlin during his vacation.
Prof. Hutton arrived home from his
trip to Ontario on Friday last.

Capt. and Miss Mary McHaffey arrived
home from New York on Tuesday
last. Miss Mary is rapidly recovering
from her recent illness.

Inspector Moore of the Inland Revenue
paid Sackville a visit on Tuesday.

BAND CONCERT.—The band will play
at Middle Sackville on Friday evening
next, and on Saturday, as some of
the members expect to be away. The
following programme will be rendered:
March—"Great Inter Ocean."

Andante and Waltz—"Amphion".
Waltz—"Mikado". Weber.
Quickstep—"Sparkling Glee".

Waltz—"You Know". Bennett.
Schottische—"Song and Dance". Casey.
March—"Sons of Veterans".

God Save the Queen.
The excursion to Charlottetown.

The excursion over the N. B. & P. E. R.
to St. John's, via Amherst and Prince
Edward Island road to Charlottetown,
came off successfully last Wednesday
and Thursday. The excursionists left
Sackville about 8 o'clock and reached
Charlottetown about noon. The trip
throughout was thoroughly enjoyed,
the water was fairly smooth, and the
weather pleasant. At Cape Traverse
the party had dinner and speak highly
of the virtues of the Lonsdale Hotel.
The journey by rail to Charlottetown
was a pleasant trip through a perpetual
garden, so well cultivated were the farms
through which the road ran, and the gen-
eral opinion was that a farmer's excursion
would be greatly appreciated by the ad-
vances of advanced agriculture. The day in
Charlottetown was spent in driving
about the city and visiting the different
points of interest. The driving park
was greatly admired, and is, without
exception, one of the finest in the Do-
minion. On the return trip the whole
journey was made in 5 hours, the fastest
time on record.

K. D. C. Will Cure You.

K. D. C. Worth millions

Local Matters.

St. John will shortly be visited by
the C. P. R. magnates on a tour of
inspection.

The people of Summerside are pre-
paring for an excursion to Tidalish to
see the ship railway.

Between Fredericton and Wolford
about 250 bushels of blueberries are
shipped to the States daily.

While working a mowing machine
at River Hebert on Monday, Robt.
A. Christie had his foot so badly cut
as to require several stitches.

Amherst is to have another paper.
Mr. Robert Jarvis Gilbert is organ-
izing a company to publish the Mar-
time Agriculturist, now printed at
Dorchester.

A. Kohn & Sons, of Amherst, are
having an artesian well in their yard.
It is 5 inches in diameter and is now
425 feet deep. More boring will be
done.

A NUMBER of Italians struck for an
increase of pay on the Ship Railway
last Thursday. The demands were
refused and they left for other parts—
going North.

JAMES BROWN while working in
Messrs Seamen & Co's quarry, fell
off a wharf, a distance of 20 feet, on
some rocks. It is feared his injuries
will prove fatal.

THE ALBERT MAYLE LEEF says:
"Scholar 'St. Francis' still lies
submerged in the river off the Cape.
She is a dangerous obstruction and
should be removed."

DURING the thunderstorm of Tues-
day morning the lightning struck
the barn of Olan Cannon, New Horton
tearing out the rafters, splitting two
posts and doing other damage.

THE Shelburne Budget says that at
Upper Clyde during the late tem-
pest, a flock of nine sheep, which were
huddled together in an open field,
were all killed by lightning.

A PARTY of roughs gathered around
the house of Caliste Le Blanc at
Painas, recently, to charivari a newly
wedded couple, when one of the in-
mates while passing from the barn to
the house, had an ear shot off, the
bullet going through his hat.

THE Amherst convention at Church
point, Digby, N. S., opened on Thurs-
day. Judge Landry, Hon. A. D.
Richard, M. L. C., Geo. P. LeBlanc
(Shediac), Rev. Father Belliveau, J.
V. Arsenault, M. P. P. of Wellington,
P. E. I., and others will attend.

Mr. H. H. H. manager of the Salt
Springs Coal Co., has struck a new
seam of coal on the Springhill Branch
Railway. The seam is three feet thick
and the coal very hard and of super-
ior quality. The seam can be worked
very cheaply.

Some spots of Moncton started for
Shediac this morning, taking with them
supposed some Moncton to ally
their thirst. Some have however
changed the lemons for potatoes and
the trick was not discovered until the
victims were several miles from a
lens.

A CARIBBE visited Hillsboro a few
days ago. It wanted to play with a
colt which was in a field with its dam
but the mare attacked the caribou and
drove it into the next field where
there were four horses grazing. The
latter immediately set on the caribou
and drove it out of the field.

A YOUNG girl named Wearlon,
while walking from River Hebert
her home at the Joggins, Cumberland
county, put a pipe she had been
smoking in her pocket. The fire from
the pipe lighted her clothing, which
was drawn over her head, and she
ran, and the wind set her on fire.
Flames that she was burned to death.

OVER 100 bankers were bailed at
Cape on two days recently. The
Newfoundland bait act has made a
much larger number of vessels than
ordinary seek their bait at Canso this
season, and it has caused a loss of \$500
to the trap and ice men. A Crow Har-
bour trap owner states that he has
stocked \$1,500 in a few weeks.

THE following little conversation, it
is said, was overheard at the ship
railway yesterday: "Pretty hard work
digging, isn't it, Tenebris?" "Yes,"
it is not the work I mind, but what's
breaking my heart is I'm the only
American on this job. The rest is
all Ectelians.—Amherst Record.

ON the 31st ult., the schooner
"Tacoma" was launched from the
shipyard of Capt. Jas. E. Pettis, at
Port Greenville. She is 200 tons regis-
tered and is classed 120 tons in Bureau
Veritas. The owners are Capt. J. E.
Pettis and Capt. Ebenezer Kerr. The
"Tacoma" has been chartered to load
plaster at Windsor for New York.

A WILSON, of Pugwash, has re-
ceived a check for \$200 on New
Hampshire, for a house he has bought
from Hamburg, Germany, asking for
a shipment of Cumberland butter,
not too yellow, salted a little, to be
put up in hardwood packages of from
300 to 350 lbs. If the butter prove
satisfactory, a large quantity can be
ordered the same house every month.

CAPT. Nordly, Norwegian and
Swedish consul at Parrsboro, since
the opening of navigation has loaded
eleven square-rigged vessels with
deals, and expects to load five or six
more before the season closes. He
loaded eight vessels since the time,
and shipped 5 1/2 million feet in eighteen
working days. His total shipments
this season will amount to 7 1/2
million feet.

THE situation at Springhill is un-
changed. The Coal and Railway Co.
have given notice to the N. B. & P. E.
train will run only from Springhill
Junction to the Mines, and the train
from Parrsboro at 1.45 p. m. will be
cancelled between that place and the
Mines. Five of the miners have left
for Cape Breton and are expected to go
to Mr. Swift and the men held a conference
on Saturday last, but no concessions
were made that the men would agree to.

THE horsemen in this vicinity are
much annoyed that it should be decid-
ed to hold the races for the coldest
at Halifax. It is claimed that foul
play has been brought to bear on the
decision, as Halifax bid just \$10 more
for the races than did Amherst; the
bids being, Halifax, \$410; Amherst,
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Around Town.

BASE BALL.—The third game of the
series between Crane's Corner and
Lower Main St. came off on Friday last.
The former won by a score of 13 to 3.

Mr. Robert Richardson, who re-
moved from this place seven years ago,
and is settled at Custer, Dakota, is
home visiting his friends. A tin mine
has been discovered at Custer, and is
being developed by an English company.
This has given the country about a
fair start. Mr. Richardson is well pleased
with his surroundings there and his
success. He returns in about four
weeks.

SHIPPING NOTES.—The schooner Ann
Marie, Capt. Smith, arrived in port on
Monday from Annapolis, with 24 m.
bricks for Rhodes, Curry & Co., Am-
herst. She cleared yesterday in ballast
for Annapolis. Also, same date, schr.
Crusade, Capt. Lewis, from the same
port, 20 m. brick for the same parties.
Bark Siddartha, Capt. Rogers, arriv-
ed at Eastport, on Tuesday, from Ayr,
Scotland, to load.—The Hebert went
down river on Tuesday to Wood Point.
She sailed yesterday for Barbados.

SCHOONER BURLINGTON.—On Tuesday
evening while the watchman, V. H. W.
Wry, on board the Crown Prince was
away two men Fred Stirling and Fred
Estabrooks forced an entrance into the
cabin and proceeded to make merry
with the cargo. Happening to find some
liquor on board they got so intoxicated
that they were unable to get out and so
were forced to make merry on the
return. The prisoners appeared before
Stipendiary Cahill yesterday afternoon,
when Stirling was acquitted and the
other fined \$30.00.

PUBLIC WORKS.—The Rockland (Dor-
chester) bridge has been condemned by
the Engineer of Public Works. One of
the piers is giving way.—The new
pier at Westport, erected within the
year at a cost of \$17,500 is already show-
ing signs of insecurity. One of the
abutments has begun to settle.—A pier
in the big Buctouche bridge is falling
down; unless repaired soon, communi-
cation will be interrupted. The govern-
ment has replaced the abutment at West-
port, and is building a bridge there as
recommended by the public at large.

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HAVING made arrangements with the Port Elgin Furniture and Wooden Co., to allow us to place a set of Custom Cards in this factory, we will be ready to do Custom Carding on the 20th of THIS MONTH.
We have a large stock of Cloth on hand which we will exchange for Wool as formerly.
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MRS. M. B. HUESTON,
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DR. D. C. ALLAN and G. A. McQUEEN
Gentlemen: We, the undersigned, have this day entered into a partnership for the purpose of carrying on the business of a Dispensary, and have for that purpose organized the firm of
23 Station St. AMHERST.

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HOW HE REFORMED.

When Hank Stephens rode into the Gulch with a bright-faced, long-haired boy of about five years in front of him on the horse, the event caused more excitement than there had been since Monte Joe shot the Doctor, and was promptly hanged therefore by the citizens.

Hank's story was simple. He had found the child near the empty stage coach down on the bank, and beside the stage by the driver, scalped and dead. Inside was a woman shot through the heart, and from her cold hand he had with difficulty drawn a ring, which he showed to all present.

It was of gold, oddly chased outside in a pattern of interlacing triangles. Inside were the words, "From Frank to Mary."

Inquiries made of the child resulted in the statement that his name was Frankie and his mother's name was "Mama," and they lived at home. They had come to look for papa, who, when asked, told him to give him a little dog. "Mama's name was Aunt Polly when Mama spoke to her. Two names were all she had—Mama and Aunt Polly—and that was enough he thought, even for a great big woman.

Beyond this, they could learn but little. Aunt Carrie was his auntie, and Uncle Will was the minister, and preached. He came from home; that was all he knew.

The men in the camp rode down the wrecked coach, and after a careful search during which they failed to find any papers, reverently buried the dead under the shadow of a great pine tree, cutting over the grave of the murdered woman the simple word, "Mary," followed by the date.

Then they went back to Cayote Gulch, and life went on pretty much as before—except that they now had something to love and pet.

They called the boy Frank Stephens, recognizing Hank's claim as first discoverer. This, however, might be called his legal name, for with that aptitude for nicknames and pet appellations so marked among men of their class, he had a dozen or more to which he would answer.

The most popular was "Curly," derived from the long, golden-brown hair, which was the trial of Hank Stephens' life until he suddenly thought of plaiting it into three tails, and thereby keeping it from tangling up.

Hank was so innocently proud of this expedient, of which he firmly believed himself to be the inventor, that he carried the boy with the ends sticking out and tied up at the ends with strips of red flannel, down to the store to show him off, and there had his feelings hurt by being told that Curly looked something like a half-skinned "perky-pine."

For a long time the exploits of Black Sam, the road agent, has been the subject of talk throughout Tuolumne county.

He was known to be the most daring highwayman from whom the country had suffered. His men seemed to be like himself—utterly insensible to fear.

The miners in Cayote Gulch had heard of him long before they had any reason to dislike him, and they had heard of his doings as well as of his uniform success.

After the news came in that the consignment of gold from the cove, amounting to some thirty odd thousand dollars had been taken by Black Sam's gang when they held up the stage, there was a great deal of excitement.

A meeting was called, at which several of the best known men vented their opinions, and many plans were proposed, none of which seemed to find much favor.

The next lot of the shining metal got safely through to Frisco, but the following one was taken.

As French Pete said, "This ver working half time for Black Sam air played out!" and generally the men thought he was right.

Diligent inquiry revealed the fact that Sam had his camp in the mountains, about ten miles, in a position from which he could easily over-throw stage routes, along which the coaches, with their valuable freight ran.

In 1860 the legal machinery in the mining counties of California was not perfect by any means, and what law there was generally administered by the people themselves.

So it was that the men in Cayote Gulch made up their minds that if they were to be helped, they must help themselves and four of them volunteered to go and bring Black Sam in.

It turned out that Jim Carter went the road-agent alone and got the drop on him.

"Throw up your hands, Sam!" was quietly said, Jim glanced over the barrel of a shot-gun; and Sam did as he was told.

He saw at a glance there was no room for fighting; he was surrounded by a range of ten feet, and the pressure of a finger would be certain death.

Jim whistled softly, while Sam sat like a carved image on his horse, and in a minute or two Big Finn walked up.

"I've got him Finn! Take his weapons!"

So Finn took the two revolvers and knife, and tied the road-agent on his horse, fastening his hands behind his back.

Then his two captors mounted and rode off with him, one leading Sam's horse and the other riding behind revolver in hand.

Reaching Cayote Gulch, the noted prisoner was placed in a room in the hotel, with two men watching him. He was not tied—there was no necessity for it with such guards—and he was well treated as far as food and comforts went.

The next day the court of Judge Lynch held its session, and the verdict was only what had been expected. The prisoner did not display any emotion. He sat there smoking, and when his cigar went out, borrowed a light from the judge with a coolness which was unfeigned.

He had long known there was one ending to his life if he was captured, and knowing this he felt little interest in the trial.

When asked if he was "Black Sam" he quietly said, "That's what they call me," and relapsed into indifference.

In sentencing him, the court remarked that it was giving him until the next day if he wished it, but Sam answered it was all one to him, they might as well get through and get back to work.

So the procession was formed, and they took their way to the spot where the prisoner was to expiate his crime. There were not many trees in Cayote Gulch, but just to the right of the stage road, after they climbed up on the level plain above, was a redwood strong enough for the purpose.

When the men reached this spot they were horrified to see Curly playing with his dog just where the execution was to take place.

Hank stepped forward at once, and lifting the child in his arms attempted to carry him away; but Curly seeing all the men there, and sure that something out of common was going to take place, resisted to the utmost.

It happened that morning that Hank had forgotten to bring the long hair which hung in such luxuriant curls below his shoulders; and when Sam, attracted by the noise, looked up, he saw the face framed in golden brown hair.

He started violently, wrenched himself free of his guards, and pointing his finger asked, fiercely, in a voice which was utterly strong: "Whose child is that?"

Curly stopped crying instantly and riveted his eyes upon the face of the man who in few minutes would take his last look on earth.

"Whose child is that?" repeated Sam, glaring at those around him in a perfect passion of excitement. "Can't any of you speak?"

"Hank Stephens found him in a coach wrecked by Indians," said the first who found his tongue.

"Was there a woman with him?" asked Sam, with a fire in his eyes that seemed to scorch the man he looked at.

"Yes, She was dead."

"Yes, shot. Here, Hank, where's that ring?"

Hank put the boy down, and pulling on a cord round his neck, drew the ring from under his shirt.

Sam gave one look at it and turning away murmured: "Mary—oh, Mary, Mary!"

The men scarcely breathed, the excitement so great. At last the judge almost timidly touched Sam on the arm, and said: "You are a little kinder in your language, Sam."

The road-agent did not answer for a minute, when, making a great effort he turned towards the expectant crowd once more.

"Gentlemen," he said, quietly, "I will take the judge's offer, and put this hanging off until to-morrow. That boy is my son, and his mother—his mother was my wife."

"Your wife?"

"Yes, I married her in the East, and came West to seek my fortune. She was a fine girl, and I loved her hard times with me, and I became what you all know. I did not mean to speak of that now. My life is forfeited, and, as she is dead, I do not much care. But I have some property which I want to leave to the boy, and do this I must have a little time."

"We don't want Curly to have that kind of property," said Big Finn.

"It's money I made honestly. It was given to me for capturing Joaquin Chichito, before I became a road agent myself," said Sam, in a cool voice.

"Perhaps this yer's a put up job on us, growled French Pete. 'Who's a goin' to say Curly's yours?'"

"To say a photograph of his mother in my pocket. You can look at it."

The picture was at once taken out, and held up by the man who had the body of the woman in the coach. Some thought it was like; others unlike. At last Hank took it, and lifting up Curly in his arms, said: "Who's that?"

"It's mamma," said the child, innocently. "How did you get in?"

The next minute half a dozen men wanted to shake hands with Sam, and there was a question about the residue.

Back to the hotel they went, and writing material being brought, Sam wrote a check on the bank of Montreal in favor of Hank Stephens as trustee for his son. This he signed Frank Holton, his real name and then asked to see his boy.

While Curly was with his father, a consultation was held among the men as to what they would do with the idea of hanging him now was uttered, and a large party were in favor of telling him to go and never return. But this was just what Sam refused to do, unless he took Curly with him, some thing which could not be heard of. Then he proposed to them that if they did not hang him they would let him settle among them, open a store, take his own name, and be a decent man again; and this was finally agreed to.

It took Frank Holton, as I have called him, although that is not his real name, five years to pay; but from time to time Wells, Fargo received sums of money to be credited against some stage robbery which was named and dated.

Now the name of Holton & Son is one of the best known upon the coast, and few know that the white-haired senior partner was once Black Sam.

Only A Sister.

"My sister," said a bottle of Burdock Bitters with great success for bilious headache. We recommend it to all as a specific for headache."

A LEADING London Food Trade journal is calling upon Canadian lobster packers to stamp on the bottoms of their tins the date upon which the lobsters were packed. Several lots of old and unfit lobsters have recently been unloaded on the market there, greatly to the injury of the national reputation.

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Eating Machines.

The Russians eat, on an average, once every two hours. The climate and custom require such frequent meals, the digestion of which is aided by frequent draughts of vodka and tea.

Vodka is the Russian whiskey, and made from potatoes and rye. It is fiery and colorless, and flavored with some extract like vanilla or orange.

It is drunk from small cups that hold perhaps half a gill. Vodka and a Russian, he is a friend or a stranger, you are at once invited to a side table, where salted meat, pickled eel, salted cucumbers and many other spicy and appetizing viands are urged upon you with an impressiveness that knows no refusal. This repast is washed down with frequent cups of vodka. That over, and when the visitor feels as if he had eaten enough for 24 hours, the host says: "And now for dinner."—Christian at Work.

The New Gas Gun.

At the headquarters of the London Scottish Rifles last week, some interesting experiments were conducted with M. Paul Giffard's (a French scientist) appliances for the employment of liquefied gas as an explosive—or, to be more strictly accurate, one should say as a means of propelling projectiles—in place of gunpowder. The weapon now introduced is something more than an ingenious appliance—it is a discovery which not only promises to revolutionize the gunmaker's art, but is applicable also to many other purposes as a motive power. Those who are interested in the Giffard gun claim that it is the military weapon of the future.

The gas gun is a model of simplicity, so that one can judge without examination of the discharging mechanism in which much of the merit of M. Giffard's invention lies. A small cylinder, called a caratouche, is attached to the barrel of a rifle or smoothbore gun. This cylinder contains liquefied gas enough to discharge 250 shots equal to about 50 bullets of an ordinary service rifle, with a velocity sufficient to kill at 600 yards. There is no other explosive. The pellet is simply dropped into an aperture of the barrel, which is hermetically closed by pressing a small lever, and the gas is forced out, and the trigger is pressed a small quantity of liquefied gas becomes released and expands in the breech chamber. There is no louder report than the drawing of a champagne cork makes; no smoke, and no fouling the barrel.

In all these respects M. Giffard's gun seems to fulfill the requirements of an ideal weapon for warfare; but whether in other respects liquefied gas has advantages over ordinary explosives for military purposes remains to be proved.

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Vodka is the Russian whiskey, and made from potatoes and rye. It is fiery and colorless, and flavored with some extract like vanilla or orange.

It is drunk from small cups that hold perhaps half a gill. Vodka and a Russian, he is a friend or a stranger, you are at once invited to a side table, where salted meat, pickled eel, salted cucumbers and many other spicy and appetizing viands are urged upon you with an impressiveness that knows no refusal. This repast is washed down with frequent cups of vodka. That over, and when the visitor feels as if he had eaten enough for 24 hours, the host says: "And now for dinner."—Christian at Work.

The New Gas Gun.

At the headquarters of the London Scottish Rifles last week, some interesting experiments were conducted with M. Paul Giffard's (a French scientist) appliances for the employment of liquefied gas as an explosive—or, to be more strictly accurate, one should say as a means of propelling projectiles—in place of gunpowder. The weapon now introduced is something more than an ingenious appliance—it is a discovery which not only promises to revolutionize the gunmaker's art, but is applicable also to many other purposes as a motive power. Those who are interested in the Giffard gun claim that it is the military weapon of the future.

The gas gun is a model of simplicity, so that one can judge without examination of the discharging mechanism in which much of the merit of M. Giffard's invention lies. A small cylinder, called a caratouche, is attached to the barrel of a rifle or smoothbore gun. This cylinder contains liquefied gas enough to discharge 250 shots equal to about 50 bullets of an ordinary service rifle, with a velocity sufficient to kill at 600 yards. There is no other explosive. The pellet is simply dropped into an aperture of the barrel, which is hermetically closed by pressing a small lever, and the gas is forced out, and the trigger is pressed a small quantity of liquefied gas becomes released and expands in the breech chamber. There is no louder report than the drawing of a champagne cork makes; no smoke, and no fouling the barrel.

In all these respects M. Giffard's gun seems to fulfill the requirements of an ideal weapon for warfare; but whether in other respects liquefied gas has advantages over ordinary explosives for military purposes remains to be proved.

Party Politics.

When party politics run high bad feeling and bad blood are often caused, and parties agree that when bad blood arises from ordinary causes the only salutary cure is Bunkle Bunk Bitters, nature's blood purifier. Recommended by the medical profession.

Advices from Athens announce a most disastrous fire upon the celebrated Mt. Athos, the holy mountain of the Greek church. The fire has destroyed the largest part of its wonderful forests.

Of the two Greek monasteries which have been located upon the mountain for centuries must have been completely destroyed. The damage done is estimated at 5,000,000 fr. Twenty monks and hermits perished in the flames.

History of 16 Years.

For fifteen years we have used Dr. Fow. Family Extract of Wild Strawberry as a family medicine for summer complaints and diarrhoea, and we never had anything equal to it.

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SANTÉ WERN, Corbett, Ont.

A Young New Yorker is going to Germany to stand his trial on the charge of having used seditious and treasonable language regarding the Emperor William. He was arrested in Berlin last spring and was released on bail. "I cough at the Emperor" is what he is alleged to have said. This sounds to American ears more like rudeness than treason. But the young monarch has frequently shown that he is a very sensitive person.

Governor Ross, of Texas, said in St. Louis, Mo., that the proposed boycott of the North by the South was utterly impracticable, and that practically it would be unwise, because it would array the North and South against each other in permanent, political, social and commercial hostility. It would withdraw millions of eastern capital from the South to destroy the credit of millions of Southern merchants.

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How They Catch Fish.

When a man doth wish to angle, A look like this he loves to dangle.

He has a line so good and strong, And he catches a fish about so long.

Before he tells him the fish doth go (I) And he gets his friends it stretched out so:

But his friends who have a fishing bent, Know that the man has lied like sin; And so they simply sit and grin.

And while they smile he knows full well That all who lie are bound for—hell; And so his face grows long and thin As he sits and broods over his sin.

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