

Chignecto Post.

Sackville, N. B., October 24, 1878.

The New Government is formed, and writes have been issued for the re-election of the Ministers, which takes place on Monday week, Nov. 4th. It must be confessed that Sir John has accomplished a formidable undertaking. The difficulty that confronted him was not the poverty of talent which in Mr. Mackenzie's case, compelled him to accept men of inferior type, as Coffin, Rose, Lafamme, Smith, etc., as Privy Counsellors, but it was the very superabundance of brilliant men who are the recognized leaders of his party, that embarrassed him. Distinguished statesmen, like Thomas White, Caron, Robitaille, Macpherson, McLean (Colchester), Colby, Ryan, Trudell, McDougall, and others, stand equal in ability, in experience and in public confidence with (excepting Tupper and Tilley) any to whom he has given Cabinet seats. The Greek General looking at him was scorred by a veteran of a hundred victories said, "They are all heroes." Sir John in like manner, surveying the lieutenants of his party, might well say, "They are all statesmen." Not even at the time when he formed the first Government with him as Premier and when it seemed that Canada gave its very best blood to uphold his arms, was Sir John A. Macdonald more fortunate than he is to-day in possessing the support and confidence of such a numerous and powerful body of representative Canadians. In Masson and Langevin, he has both the Conservative and Liberal heads of the French Catholics; in Bowell, he has the Grand Master of the Orange body, thus uniting the two apparently hostile. By the Provinces he has been not less successful. Nova Scotia could not be better represented. The Maritime Provinces in possessing the four leading departments, viz., Public Works, Justice and Marine and Fisheries, as a whole could not justly demand more.

The new Ministry stand as follows:—
Sir John A. Macdonald, Premier and Minister of Interior.
Hon. S. L. Tilley, Minister of Finance.
Hon. Dr. Tupper, Minister of Public Works.
Hon. Jas. Macdonald, Minister of Justice.
Hon. John O'Connor, President of Council.
Hon. J. C. Pope, (P. E. I.), Minister of Fisheries.
Hon. Mr. Masson, Minister of Militia and Defence.
Hon. H. L. Langevin, Postmaster-General.
Hon. J. H. Pope, (Compton), Minister of Agriculture.
Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Minister of Customs.
Hon. Alex. Campbell, Receiver General.
Hon. Senator Aikens, Secretary of State.
Hon. L. F. Baby, Island Revenue.
Hon. E. D. Wilton, Speaker of Senate, (without portfolio).

Mr. BRYDGES, it is said, is making interest with the Government representatives of Montreal and elsewhere to influence to Government to retain him as Manager of the Government Railways. Without saying one word in disparagement of Mr. Brydges' ability as a Railway man, we do believe the people of Canada gave him credit for possessing more spirit and self respect than continuing in office under party leaders whom he had denounced (see his report of 1874) and whose return to power he had exerted every influence in his power to prevent. And not only are the public disappointed in Mr. Brydges' sense of personal dignity and honor in thus eluding by the return of a Government Candidate in Quebec a few months ago who would be a matter of history, and will show how private interests were sacrificed and public interests sold to secure a party triumph and how Mr. Brydges had debased himself to become a partisan tool. And at the late General Elections, when he appeared on the platform, side by side with the Minister of Marine, was he then engaged in running the I. C. R. independent of party, or was he seeking to intimidate or influence Railway employees? When he ran trains to take voters to help Government supporters, was he exemplifying the great principle of making the Railway independent of party, or was he degenerating into a mere political hack, not hesitating to use the I. C. R., as a party machine—not for one moment scrupling to do work that in others he had deemed a high scandal? We have no doubt, Mr. Brydges, in becoming an active partisan, speculated in the triumph of the Grit party—and on his own retention for another five years. The dice turned up against him and he lost. Even in a keno hall, when a gambler who has lost does not pick up, he is posted as a defaulter and kicked out, if his own sense of propriety does not inspire his own footsteps towards the door! Will Mr. Brydges be actuated by a less high standard of conduct?

The Council Election.

The elections of Tuesday next are viewed with profound indifference by the rate-payers. Many of them, going beyond indifference, are now learning to speak of these contests with almost contempt. The feeling that inspires either indifference or throws ridicule on the Council elections, is to be deeply regretted, for the coming elections are of really more importance than they are likely to be for some years to come. The McCarthy death and the inquest and murder trials have piled up bills amounting in the aggregate to not less than \$10,000, and this taken in relation to the large amount of work connected with placing the County affairs on a fair and solid basis, incident to incorporation, necessitates the presence at the board of the best talent that can be obtained. Men of painstaking integrity and financial ability are needed now as they were never needed before, and therefore the public indifference as to who goes, is to be deprecated, and will perhaps be regretted by the taxpayers next year.

We are pleased to note that Amos Ogden, Esq., is a candidate. He advocated his election last year; we do so this year more heartily, as there is a double necessity for his presence there now; several of the most prominent members of the Board will be missing at the next meeting, and Mr. Ogden's long acquaintance with the County business, the satisfactory exhibit he made, as auditor, of the County's finances in January, and his pronounced aversion to increased taxation, renders his election particularly desirable.

Afghanistan.

Descriptive.

This country is a great quadrilateral plateau, elevated considerably above the sea, in the latitude of the country between Florida and Maryland. U. S. I. has the same area as France or that of Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and P. E. Island combined. Its population is a million more than that of the Dominion. Persia is on its West, Beloochistan on its South, Turkistan on its North and India on its East. The Hindu Kush Mountains traverse it on the North; on the West and South its ill defined limits border on the desert steppes of Beloochistan and Persia. The Suleiman Mountains separate it from India on the East. The climate is one of extremes, owing to its mountain ranges and high table lands about Cabool, etc. The snow lies three months in winter, and the summer heat is intense, while in the central plains and S. W. Deserts the heat is almost intolerable in summer. The landscape there is destitute of vegetation. The ruggedness and desolation, the awful defiles and bare black crags of the naked hills of Cabul, are in vivid contrast to the abounding orchards, green meadows, flowering fields, and rippling streams of the bottom lands. The pine and oak forests and wooded peaks of the higher ranges make them resemble Alpine or Himalayan scenery, while the lower hills are utterly bare. There are two crops. The spring sowing in autumn, consists of wheat, barley, and a variety of lentils. The autumnal one, sown in winter, consists of rice, varieties of millet, sorghum and maize, tobacco, beets, turnips and wheat, which are the principal crops for food. Sugar is grown on the rich plains. Cotton is also cultivated. Mulder, castor oil plant, grapes and mulberries are raised in great abundance. It is common to cut the green wheat and barley for the ear farms for fodder and it is said not to injure the grain crop.

THE TRADE of this country is with Russia on the North and India on the East. Herat manufactures carpets and cotton. Woolen and silk stuffs are made for home use. The plant from which the drug anagallis is made, grows here and is exported in large quantities. The Afghan merchants act as middlemen to carry on a trade between India on the one hand and Russia on the other. In this trade horses and camels are alone employed, the country being too rough for vehicles, and at one time valuable caravans passed over the stony valleys and rugged defiles for Western Asia. English goods in the line of coarse country cloths, sugar and indigo, besides brocade, gold thread and lace come from India, while the raw silk and silk fabrics of Bokhara, horses, almonds and raisins, dressed fox and sheep skins and bullion are exported. The trade each way, by Peshawar, by the Ghazni Pass and by the Khyber Pass, amounts to a million and a half of dollars, exclusive of wool trade with Sind. Provident trade by means of armed caravans between India and Bokhara. Boiling, fighting and cheating, they battle their way through a year between Bokhara and the Indus. Their summer pastures are in the highlands of Ghazni, in the autumn they descend the Suleiman passes; they leave their families and camels on the Punjab plain and take their goods by rail or steamer to the Gangetic cities of Bombay. The Provincial is to be seen in even distant Rangoon, prominent by stature, lofty air and filthy cloths.

Afghans call themselves Poostoon. They trace their origin to Saul, King of Israel, calling themselves Beni-Israel. Their tradition is that they were transplanted by the King of Babylon from the Holy Land to Ghore, lying to the N. W. of Cabul and lived as Jews till A. D. 682, when they were converted to Mohammedanism by an Arab Chief, Khalid bin Abdallah, who had married a daughter of an Afghan Chief. This origin, however, is probably a mere fable, founded on 2 King xviii. 2, although all travellers agree that Afghans differ from the surrounding people and have a common origin. They are said to resemble Jews in form and feature and are divided into tribes inhabiting separate territories and

Happenings at Hopewell.

A very successful entertainment under the auspices of the Hopewell Sewing Circle of Hopewell Corner, came off at Oulton Hall on 15th inst. It consisted of a Supper, Bazaar and Concert. The supper was *recherché*, and the ladies in waiting did all they could to gratify as well as to satisfy their patrons. In the bazaar were many useful and ornamental articles, the work of women's fingers at their weekly gatherings. The concert was sufficiently varied to suit everybody and went "from grave to gay, from lively to severe." Rev. Mr. Blackadar on taking the chair said he supposed the reason why the ladies chose him to fill so responsible a position was because they wished to have a good-looking man to manage matters for them. As the programme was quite lengthy the most meritorious of the performers must suffice. Professor Rhodes opened with a march in his own inimitable style, and at various times during the evening contributed much to the interest of the occasion. Miss Biedle Ritchie's rendering of "Hawthorne" could not have been surpassed by any professional; in conjunction with this were several scenes well represented by Mr. J. Wilmut in full Indian costume as "Hawthorne," and Mrs. W. as "Miss Biedle Ritchie." "Concluding Remarks," "Old and New," dialogues, by L. M. Wood, A. E. Wilson and Miss L. King, in the former, and A. E. Wilson and Miss J. A. Brown, in the latter, brought down the curtain. The evening closed with a song, "The Gates Ajar," which was assisted by her sister Aggie, was well received, as was also "Evening Brings my Heart to Thee," by the latter. Mrs. Blackadar sustained her well earned reputation in "The Blind Girl to her Harp," and we never heard Mrs. Murray to such advantage as "When I've Nothing Else to Do." In "Where the Moon Beams Love to Smile," Mrs. Brown, Mr. Fillmore and Prof. Rhodes did excellently. Mr. Cox, of Halifax, favored us with "What are the Wild Wav's saying," that old but popular piece, "Pass Under the Rod," was sung by Miss Florence Wilson. "The Flower of the Family," a tableau—was a great success for the lifting of the screen disclosed a four barrel, but this was fully compensated for, when Conductor Killam's pretty little two year old daughter was seen sitting in the barrel's mouth. Another tableau—Queen Elizabeth and her court—was a very successful display of taste, the parties figuring therein being Miss E. King, Mrs. Killam and Mrs. Wilson. Taken as a whole, the affair was a success, gave every satisfaction, and netted a nice little sum which goes to the purchase of a bell for the Church.

Rev. Mr. Chipman, of P. E. Island, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Church here, vacant since the removal of Rev. Mr. Beatty to Nova Scotia in June last.

Botsford Politics.

DEAR SIR:—The Municipal caucus is in active progress, and each of the Candidates is advancing his personal claim, and merits on the electoral platform. No doubt the best men, irrespective of politics, class or creed, ought to be sent there to administer our local affairs economically, at a time when enormous bills will be presented for payment. I am sorry to say that certain interested parties are dragging in Dominion and Local politics, as well to help themselves as to punish their opponents in those contests. Messrs. Avar and Carroll were the last Councilors and performed the work well. This summer, Mr. Carroll took an active part in the election contests in the Landry and Chapman interest and consequently the supporters of McQueen and Smith have joined together to put him out. They have determined to give him a run for his audacity in daring to oppose their High Mightinesses! To accomplish this, the Award-Patrick Riley ticket has been formed, and all kinds of slanders have been put into circulation. One charge is he intended to give Coroner Hanington \$25 for telegraphing and postage at the McCarthy Inquest! As if the Coroner was to send and receive seventy or eighty telegrams on county business and pay for them out of his pocket! He got the money prevailed how many men are there who would be willing to fill public offices and act as Conservators of life and property? Another charge is that he voted for the \$100 reward for the apprehension of the Doncaster Indian who endeavored to rape Mrs. Wilson, at Hillsboro'. If there are men who think more of a few cents taxes, than they do of the honor of their wives and daughters they need not vote for Mr. Carroll—he does not wish the support of such men! But he knows he will get the support of men who value decency and order in the community and those who are glad to contribute their might to prevent the attacks of lawless parties, or to vindicate the laws of the land after they have been so ruthlessly violated, as by Tom Benard. Mr. Avar is personally a good man at the Council Board, and if he stood out in his own right as a man, I would vote for him, but I protest against working up the political passion of the community, in order that the McQueen-Smith factions might vent their revenge against Carroll; I protest against these factions attempting to twist the consciences of electors and elect who they please, and to say to the others: "You stay home." If the County Council is to be run in the Smith-McQueen interests, instead of for the people as a whole and to keep help the taxpayers, I say, Heaven help the taxpayers!

Yours, ELECTION.

PRODUCE IN BOSTON.—Rose potatoes were selling at 85 and 90 cents per bushel in Boston, on Friday last; Jacksons sell at 85 and 90 cents per bushel. Apples are selling at \$1.00 and \$1.25 per barrel.

Botsford Agricultural Show.

The annual show took place at Port Botsford, Tuesday, 22nd inst. The attendance of farmers was good. The exhibit, on the whole was very meagre and but a mean representation of the farming capabilities of this fine parish. There were not over sixty entries, sheep, horned cattle and horses, being the sole departments, your correspondent noticed as represented. There were about ten sheep—those of Mr. Adam Avar, Bristol, of the Leicester breed, being large and in good condition, and much finer than any exhibited at Sackville. There was about twenty head of cattle in the field, none of them rising either in breed, good points, size or condition above the most ordinary specimens of grades. The horses, of which some 17 specimens were entered, made a much better appearance than the horned cattle, there being quite a number of promising colts. One after Skeddadell, owned by Mr. John Mahoney, was considered by the judges as one of special mention. The following is the

LIST OF PRIZES:
Heifer, 2 years old, 1st Wm Grant, 2nd John Mahoney, 3rd Abel Atkinson.
Heifer, 1 year old, 1st Wm Grant, 2nd Rev. A. B. Fisher, 3rd John Avar.
Pair Steers, 1 year old, 1st Wm Grant, 2nd J. Noonan, 3rd Robt Lamb.
2 year old, 1st Wm Grant, 2nd Geo Niles.
Pair Steers, 3 years old, 1st John J. Sweeney, 2nd John Holland.
2 year old, 1st John Avar, 2nd G. W. Hamilton, 3rd J. Noonan.
Traght Horse, 1st John Savage, 2nd Wm Savage, 3rd John Welch.
Sucking Colt, 1st John Mahoney, 2nd John Holland, 3rd John Avar.

A NEW BRIDGE with railings is needed at Bulmer's mill brook. This bridge itself has been in a dangerous state for two or three years past, and quite a number of accidents have happened in consequence of vehicles going off the side in the dark because of the absence of side rails. The expense would be small of even building a new bridge entirely, and the new Chief Commissioner had better incur that expense, than to have at some time hereafter, to regret the occurrence of a serious accident.

BUSINESS MATTERS are in a very bad state in England. The City of Glasgow Bank failure has had a very depressing effect, and a general feeling of uneasiness exists in commercial circles. The stock and money market is excited in consequence of the two kinds of rumors. The exchange has gone up. A number of large failures, the strikes, the falling trade and revenue, make the present commercial state of England very discouraging. The deficit for the year is estimated at £2,500,000.

WRECKED.—The scho "Penguin," Captain Lecain, of Digby, loaded with grindstones from the quarry of Rev. Stevenson & Co., was wrecked on Clifton coast, Gloucester Co., on 16th. The vessel when backing near the shore, had her wheel broken, and before the vessel could be got under control or her anchors cleared away, she touched a rock and swung in shoals. The vessel was driven up by the N. W. wind which prevailed, and became in a short time a total wreck.

WM. QUINN & Co., grain exporting merchants, Montreal, have suspended. Liability was not been ascertained. The Bank of Montreal is largely affected, and its stock fell three per cent. when the failure was made known. The authorities of the bank say that Quinn & Co.'s liabilities do not amount to half a million, and that there is a probability of their financial difficulty being arranged without going into insolvency.

The whole management of the City of Glasgow Bank—the Secretary, Managing Director and six other Directors—were arrested on Saturday on the charge of fraud. They are confined separately, and are not allowed to communicate with any person. They all surrendered without trouble, and stated that they would have done so voluntarily had they known that they were wanted.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 22.—Robert Robinson, ex-M. P. E., has been appointed a member in the Legislative Council in the place of Hon. J. S. Saunders, deceased. The Government are at present having a meeting of the Board of Education. They will possibly finish the business this afternoon. A French instructor will be appointed at this meeting for the Normal School.

This new Government of Nova Scotia consists of S. H. Holmes, Premier and Provincial Secretary; J. S. Thompson, Attorney-General; Samuel Creelman, Commissioner of Public Works and Mines. Members of Council without portfolios: Hon. C. J. Townsend, N. W. White, W. B. Troop, J. S. McDonald, H. T. McDougall.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The Limited Liability Cotton Spinning Companies of Oldham and Ashton Under-Lyne districts, publish a very unfavorable report of the last quarter's work. Of 30 companies, one will pay a dividend of 4 1/2 p. c. per annum, nine report very small margins of profit, and twenty report losses, some of serious magnitude.

The opening of the New Brunswick Railway last week to Edmundston on the borders of Quebec, gives our enterprising contemporary, the Telegraph, the opportunity of giving a description of the magnificent farming country thus opened up to settlement, and which will no doubt support a population of hundreds of thousands.

Dr. Tupper's admiring friends at Ottawa are about to present him with a splendidly painted portrait of himself by the famous artist Forbes. They ordered the portrait in April to be presented to him after victory in the then coming general election. The redoubtable Doctor seems to have inspired them with faith as well as with admiration.

News.

New Advertisements.

SUGAR & MOLASSES

We have just received:
3 CASKS SUGAR, 2 Bbls. WHITE SUGAR;
5 CASKS MOLASSES;
2 Bbls. VINEGAR;
2 CASKS Canadian and Am. OIL.

For Sale Low.
J. L. Black.

Tobacco. Tobacco.

JUST RECEIVED:
52 Caddies Tobacco,
20 Boxes Tobacco.

For sale by the Box lower than before.
J. L. Black.

Flower Pots.

JUST RECEIVED:
18 Dozen Flower Pots,
FOR SALE VERY LOW.

J. L. Black.

Tea! Tea!

JUST RECEIVED:
25 Boxes of Tea,
CHOICE QUALITY.

J. L. Black.

FLOUR

JUST RECEIVED:
100 BLS. FLOUR,
"Triumph" Brands.

The cheapest in the market for Cash.
J. L. Black.

Clothing and Flannels.

JUST OPENED:
\$2,000 Worth of Clothing,
Of Superior Quality and Style for Fall and Winter.

15 Doz. Under-Shirts & Pants,
Scarlet, Grey and Fancy

Shirting Flannels.
J. L. Black.

Iron and Steel.

20 TONS
Iron and Steel,
Including Full Assortment and Sizes required for Carriage Builders, and for general use.

LAWMOORE, Norway and Sweden Iron.
Best American "Y" Steel;
Spring Steel, Blister Steel;
Cast Steel,—of best quality.

For Sale Low.
J. L. Black.

Carpets, Paints, Oil, &c.

NEW ALL-WOOL CARPETS;
New Tapestry Carpets;
New Brussels Carpets;
Floor Oilcloths—all widths;
White Lead, Colored Paints, Putty;
Dry and Tinned Sheeting Paper;
Nails, Zinc, Glass;
Raws and Rolled Oils;
Locks, Knobs, and Hinges;

FOR SALE CHEAP.
J. L. Black.

HOUSE BUILDERS

WE have now in Store a Complete Stock of
Window Glass,
132 BOXES,

All Sizes from 7x9 to 24x36 inches.
FOR SALE LOW.
J. L. Black.

Boots, Shoes & Slippers.

Just received from Canada:
3 CASKS LADIES' SERGE BOOTS;
1 case Ladies' Serge and Kid Boots;
1 case Ladies' Kid & Leather Slippers;
1 case Children's Boots.

FOR SALE CHEAP.
J. L. Black.

New Advertisements.

OCT. 24th 1878.

WINTER

MANTLE CLOTH,

—AND—
LADIES' HEAVY

Beaver Jackets.
C. A. BOWSER.

OCT. 24th, 1878.

Fall Goods!

New Goods!
JUST OPENED—A FINE STOCK

of
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
IN GREAT VARIETY!

These Goods have been purchased at BOTTOM PRICES and are offered at a slight advance on cost.
A FRESH STOCK OF CHOICE

Family Groceries!
A SPLENDID STOCK OF
BOOTS, SHOES
& RUBBERS,
HARDWARE,
CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE,
&c., &c.

BUFFALO ROBES—Cheap.
Special Inducements for Cash Buyers.
Country Produce wanted.
W. H. FAULKNER.
Bay Verte, Oct. 24, 1878.

GREAT BARGAINS

FOR CASH!
As I am CLOSING UP my
Business, my Stock must be
Sold at once.

I. N. CHAPPELL.
Bay Verte, Oct. 24th, 1878.

POSITIVE SALE

AT THE
Montreal House.

AS I intend to close my business here immediately, the Stock
MUST BE SOLD

within a few weeks. It order to clear it out as speedily as possible, GREAT BARGAINS will be offered, and much of the Stock be sold considerably

BELOW COST.
Call and judge for yourselves by the prices whether this is a bona fide clearance sale or not.

TENDERS

Are invited until 30th OCTOBER, from persons desirous of BUYING the WHOLE STOCK, with rest of the Shop, free of rent, for three months.

A. J. MANLEY,
Manufacturer's Agent.
Amherst, Oct. 22, 1878.

1878 FALL GOODS 1878

Fresh Arrivals!

OUR FALL IMPORTATIONS are now opened, ready for the inspection of our friends. They comprise the
Best Selected Stock

Ever offered in this Market, and at exceedingly low prices.

In Dress Goods,

Their Department contains all the Novelties of the Season.
Fresh Groceries,
Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE,
Flour and Meal,
Sugar and Molasses,
Teas, Tobacco, &c.

BUFFALO ROBES,
Handsome ones, at exceedingly low rates. Examine them at once.
Overcoats and Reefers
In great variety, for Fall and Winter wear,—at low prices.

We respectfully invite the inspection of the public. Special inducements to CASH CUSTOMERS.

PRESCOTT & HARPER,
BAY VERTE, N. B.

APPLES! APPLES!

THE Subscribers would take this opportunity of informing their old friends and customers that the sch. "Eden," will be at Sackville about 20th inst., with a cargo of Apples, comprising "Gravenstein," "Bishop" and "Ripston" Pippins, "Baldwin," "Greensleeves," "Chenango," &c. When they shall be glad to visit at all prices lower than offered before.

A. & W. H. CHASE.
Botsford, Aug. 24th, 1878.

New Advertisements.

MEN'S ULSTERS.

Overcoats and Reefers.

JUST OPENED—A FINE STOCK of new Men's Ulsters, Overcoats and Reefers.

Which will be sold at a slight advance on cost, as we have no room for them.

Ladies Ulsters and Mantles.
GEO. E. FORD.

Ladies' Ulsters & Mantles.

Plain and Fancy CLOTH MANTLES, which for style, make and finish are unsurpassable, and very cheap.

Dress Goods.
My Assortment of Dress Goods, of the latest styles, is very full and embraces all the Novelties of the present season, and will be added to weekly.

MANTLE GOODS.
A superb lot of MANTLES, elegantly Trimmed. Also, MANTLE CLOTHS for the coming Season, in all the leading Styles.

ULSTER GOODS.
Embracing Ulsters, handsomely made up, and Fashionable ULSTER CLOTHS; also, the new CIRCULAR CLOTHS, so much admired, in great variety. Trimmings and Buttons for these Goods, I have made a specialty, being determined to afford every satisfaction to my customers.

GEO. E. FORD.

Millinery & Fancy Goods

WE have tied up on second hand a large and spacious room particularly for Millinery, Fancy Goods and Ladies' Furnishings, and would ask for this Department a liberal share of patronage.

This Department is furnished with a large and elegant Stock of French and English Flowers, Feathered Wings, Plumes, &c., in Black, White, &c. All the leading colors and makes in Satin, Silks, Velvets and Ribbons; Hat and Bonnet Ornaments, in great variety; all the latest style of Hats and Bonnets in Straw, Felt, Velvets and Plush, &c. Ladies' Underwear, Frillings, Collars, Ties, Scarfs, Cuffs, Black and Colored Kid Gloves, Slippers, &c.

GEO. E. FORD.

American Furniture!

Just Received from Boston:
10 DRESSING CASE CHAMBER SUITS, handsomely painted, walnut trimmings;
7 Walnut Extension Tables, from 7 feet to 10 feet;

Walnut Filler Extension Tables;
2000 lbs. of Students' Rocking Chairs;
Students' Chairs; New Chairs;
Large and Small Easy and Rocking Chairs, in walnut;
Walnut Centre Tables, with and without Marble Tops;

Hair Cloth Sofas, Lounges;
Bedsteads, Crises, Nerve Chairs;
Spring Beds, Case Seat Chairs;
And a full line common Furniture.

Don't fail to come and examine the above Goods, as we buy direct and cannot be underbid.

GEO. E. FORD.

NEW GOODS!

JUST OPENED:
BLACK LUXURES, from 12c. up to 67c. per yard;
Black and White Prints, extra value and new in style;
Black and Col'd Cashmeres and Merinos;
Ladies' & Gent's Linen Handkerchiefs;
White Shirtings, &c.;
Black and White Silk Scarfs;
Laces, Frillings, Laces;
Gent's Black and Col'd Bowls & Scarfs;
Linen and Paper Collars and Cuffs, &c.

GEO. E. FORD.

Stock at Auction.

TO be sold at Public Auction, on the premises of the subscriber, at
Point de Bute,
On Wednesday, 30th Inst.

Commencing at 10 o'clock, a.m.:
7 Cows, 6 two-year old Cattle, 7 Yearlings, 5 Calves, 1 Mare six years old, 1 yearling Colt, 1 sucking Colt, 10 fat Sheep, and four Broad-bay Hays.

Terms:—Twelve months credit on approved joint notes with interest after three months.

WILLIAM TINGLEY.
Point de Bute, Oct. 14th, 1878.

T. W. POMROY,

WHOSE CURES are well-known to the public, is at the
BRUNSWICK HOUSE,
SACKVILLE,

And will remain for a few days.

DISEASES.

Whether of Recent Origin or Long Standing, will be treated by the method which has hitherto proved so successful in Dr. Pomroy's practice.

Farm for Sale
AT BOTSFORD.

THE Subscriber offers for sale his FARM consisting of 60 acres of land with new house and barn, and a well about 20 acres of which is under cultivation. Terms Liberal.

JAMES A. LANE.
Botsford, Aug. 24th, 1878.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS.

PREPARATORY TO INTENDED CHANGES TO TAKE PLACE NEXT SPRING.

I NOW OFFER MY
LARGE STOCK

\$30,000 VALUE!

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

RARE BARGAINS

EVERY DEPARTMENT.

Cash or Prompt Pay Buyers can obtain Rare Advantages!

All kinds of Country Produce taken in Exchange for Goods.

Sackville, October 23rd, 1878.

New Goods!

J. L. BLACK.

CLEARANCE SALE

HARDWARE.

THE Subscribers are about MOVING

30 DAYS

Reduced Prices:

Builders' Hardware,

Glasses, Paints, Putty, Zinc, Nails,

Locks and Hinges.

Blacksmiths' Bellows, Anvils, &c.

AN ASSORTMENT OF

IRON.

THE above is a Positive Reduction

as the Goods are heavy to move.

THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE CO.

J. E. PURDY, } AMHERST, N. S.
C. H. BENT, }
B. W. RALSTON, } Sept

CLOTHING.

Fall Stock of CLOTHING for the Fall

and Winter Trade:

Overcoats and Reefers,

Pants and Vests.

FOR SALE VERY LOW.

J. F. ALLISON.

FLANNELS!

19 pieces Scarlet, Grey and

Fancy Flannels.

Fall Stock of Gentlemen's UNDER-

CLOTHING at lowest prices.

J. F. ALLISON.

Sole Leather.

JUST RECEIVED AND TO ARRIVE:

100 SIDE

Picot Sole Leather.

Which I will sell at 9¢. per pound.

JAS. R. AYER.

OIL!

Machine, Neats-Foot and Cod Oil.

AS I have to keep large quantities of

above Oil for my own use, I will sell

either in large or small lots at a slight ad-

vantage on cost.

JAS. R. AYER.

TO BUILDERS.

ON hand and to arrive—90 Casks of

J.M.E., which will be sold low for

cash on time.

Also in Store:

100 Fresh Ground Buckwheat Meal, for

sale low.

JOHN BELL.

Local and other matters.

TRAVEL has commenced over the

new Memramouc bridge.

SOLE LEATHER at 25 cents at J.

L. Black's.

POKE AND BUTTER, and all kinds

of produce wanted at J. L. Black's.

The Water Works at Moncton

were put in operation on Saturday.

THE AND TOBACCO, wholesale or

retail, at the lowest rates at J. L.

Black's.

A cargo of superior apples are

expected here in a few days by

Messrs. Chase.

A series of letters from a practical

English farmer will be commenced

in our next.

J. L. BLACK is now selling all

Stock at extremely low prices.

Worthy the attention of all buyers.

The rock obstructions in the river

are being blasted out, under the

direction of Mr. Nathan Lowerson.

A CARriage Shop is being erected

near the Presbyterian Church by Mr.

Blair Taylor, who intends carrying on

that business there.

Mr. Fraser Allen, of Belfast, raised

this season, about one hundred

bushels of cranberries and Mr. David

Niles about sixty bushels.

NEW CHURCH.—A new Presby-

terian Church has been opened at

Spring Hill. It is a neat and beauti-

ful structure of the Gothic order.

CANDIDATES IN BOSTON.—Messrs.

Wm. Avard and Patrick Riley are

running together, and Jas. Carroll

and E. A. Welsh are running

together.

Mr. TILDEN, the Candidate for

the Presidency, denies any knowl-

edge of either telegrams relating to

the Democratic purchase of Florida

State C. C. R.

AN I. C. R. Insurance Co. has

been formed, with Mr. Pottinger as

President. When a member dies

the others contribute \$1.00 each, to

his family.

POTATOES are bringing a good

price in P. E. Island, for shipment

to the United States. Profits are

Early Bore are in demand at

Charlottetown, at 37 cts., and blues

27 cts. Oats are moving slowly at

80 cts.

ATTEMPTS SUICIDE WITH AN AXE.—

The Charlottetown Patriot says that

a man named MacQuaid, a farmer,

living in Crapaud, attempted suicide

on Sunday morning by cutting his

throat with an axe while laboring

under a fit of insanity.

THE Merchants' Bank of P. E. I.,

suspended for three months, will, it is

believed, resume at the end of that

time, as the stockholders are liable

for three times the amount of stock

subscribed, and they embrace many

of the wealthiest men on the Island.

BAY VERTS LOCALS.—The pottery

building and plant are for sale.—Mr.

I. N. Chappell is going out of busi-

ness.—One of the nearest schooners

to be seen anywhere on the coast is

the new one built for Mr. W. H.

Faulkner, and now ready for spring

work.

SHIPPING.—Arrived on 19th inst.,

barque "Otacilis," Towne, master,

from Demerara, with molasses, for

M. Wood & Sons. The foremast

was sprung in a gale and the vessel

is now being repaired.—The new

barque "Kwaid" is to be launched

on Thursday, 7th prox.

PAPER NOTICES.—The Morning Star

is a new Frederickton daily. Its Editor

The Fall Fashions.

For the Chignecio Post.

Henri II. toque, jasper bourettes,

corage garnitures and French

Guard redingotes contest with the

Eastern question, fall decisions, and

Protection for supremacy in the

public mind—or at least that portion

of it that views the coming winter

with the despairing cry: what shall

I wear?

There is nothing more appalling

to a man than the tears of a pretty

woman, and it is but natural that

the same spirit that animated Worth

in the gay French Capital to relieve

the distress of the McPhimseys who

had nothing to wear, should operate

in more distant realms of women's

wide dominion, and hence in Sack-

ville we have a fashionable cus-

tomer to supply the multitudinous

wants inspired by woman's taste or

vanity, need or fancy, to give

warmth and comeliness to the diviner

half of man.

FALL STYLES.

In coats and cloaks, Mr. Ford has

been making up a variety. They are

all moderately long. A very

serviceable one, exhibited by him, of

beaver, is double-breasted, with roll-

ing collar and lapels, the latter

fastened with a row of buttons, the

fur, satin or brocade. Its

front is narrow sack shape with

rounded corners, and the back is

fitted with a centre seam, side-backs

passing to the arm axles. He has

made blazers of diagonal checks

do. The fronts are double-breasted

and narrow sack shape, with a short

jacket back. A more useful dress

cannot be obtained, especially as it

can be made of home-spuns or any

kind of moderately heavy cloth.

The large circular cloaks are again

becoming fashionable, and will prob-

ably next season compete with the

ulster for supremacy. In dresses, a

ladies' ulster costume may be seen

at Mr. Ford's. It is made of cash-

mere. The polonaise is fitted

bust and under arm darts. The

front right is turned up into plaids.

The hems of the two fronts are held

by the under-arm back seam. The

back and side back are cut like a

basque. A long lapel collar extends

from the middle of the back to below

the waist line in front. A ladies'

walking costume, much admired,

that may be seen at Mr. Ford's

includes a skirt and over-skirt. The

plaiting, in kilt style, reaches above

the knees, and is then fitted to a

yoke. The underskirt is attached to

the belt, draped at the bottom. The

deep basque is faced with broad

goods to simulate a vest. The

fronts are filled by two bust darts.

The sleeves are gathered under the

elbow. For further information we

refer our readers to Miss Patten,

who presides in this department, and

has been almost uniformly successful

to a high degree in her work.

FEATHERS

are much worn, the leading styles of

hats and bonnets all being decorated

with them. A very fine assortment

in grenad, bronze shaded, cardinals,

crown, sage and olive green, gold

and black, in fact every variety, can

be seen at Mr. Ford's. In fact every

kind of hat and bonnet, and those

who saw me and eat a hearty meal

in fact I am a man in every respect

and see me now, can hardly believe that

I am the same person.

The above are facts, and believing that

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT FREDERICTON

On Thursday afternoon, Dr. Jack,

President of the University, with

Miss Jack, was driving down St.

John St., when the reins got under

the horse's tail. The Doctor drew

on one of the reins, when the horse

made a quick start in the opposite

direction. Miss Jack then drew on

the other rein, which brought the

horse suddenly round, capsizing the

wagon and pitching both Dr. Jack

and Miss Jack violently to the

ground. Miss Jack jumped to her

feet at once; but almost immediately

sank down, exclaiming, "I'm killed!"

Blood was then coming from her

mouth and nose. It is supposed

that the spine was injured, as she

died almost immediately.

The deepest sympathy is felt for

the family of Dr. Jack in their

bereavement.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Sir Stafford

Northcote in speaking at Wolver-

hampton admitted that he was not

able to say that he was sure there

would not be a renewal of war. It

was impossible for him to say the fact,

he said, that difficulties are being raised

against the execution of certain

parts of the Treaty for Berlin.

THE Rev. Dr. Kennedy will preach

at Cookville next Sabbath morning

at 10.30; Rev. Mr. Hill will preach

at Anderson's at 2 p. m.; Rev. Mr.

Clarke preaches at Fairfield in the

morning at 10.30 o'clock; Westcott,

3 p. m.; Woodpoint at 6.30. A

collection will be taken at the close

of each service.

ALEXANDER, Egypt, Oct. 21.—

The inundation which carried away

the dykes on the Damietta branch

of the Nile, immersed 80,000 acres

of land, on which were 15 villages.

REV. PRINCIPAL GRANT, of King-

ston, formerly of Halifax, has, we

notice, obtained the subscription of

\$125,000, out of \$150,000 desired,

for the Queen's College, Kingston.

The Minister of Public Works is

expected at Amherst to-morrow

morning and the Minister of Finance

at St. John to-morrow, also.

The Citizens Insurance Company

has re-opened its agency at St.

John, with Mr. Ira Cromwell, Jr.,

as Manager. It paid its losses

promptly.

The Osborne trial commences on

12th prox. The Ward murder trial

at the same day at St. Andrews.

A NEW COPPER MINE of considerable

value has been discovered at

Notre Dame, Newfoundland.

THE Marquis of Lorne is expected

at Halifax on 22nd of November.

HAT at Halifax is \$11.00 per ton.

ANOTHER COMMUNICATION from Mr.

Geo. Sewell, dated Moncton, N. B.,

June 22, 1878.

J. H. Robinson, Esq.—Dear Sir: I

am writing you in the most interesting

of the wonderful cure you "Phosphoric

Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Laco-

phosphate of Lime" had made in my case,

and, at the same time promising to write

you from time to time to let you know

how I was getting along. I am much

better in every way. I am stronger, can

walk a good long distance without getting

tired. Sleep well and eat a hearty meal.

I feel that I will endeavour to reduce

taxation, labour for the best interest

of the County and this Parish especially.

I will divide the Parish into three

districts, clearly define and number the

districts in order and advocate the

adoption of the same in Council free of

From T. B. Barker, Esq.

A well-known Druggist of St. John, New

Brunswick.

