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LITERATURE.

A Good Little Samaritan.

From Harper's Weekly.

Miss Betty Van Dyke had curled herself up in the corner of the capacious window-sill in her mother's kitchen to watch Fines duke the fannies of her India muslin. Miss was as pretty and fresh as a rose; her eyes were of heaven's own blue; her hair like the down of gold, her cheeks like a Catherine pear, the side that next the sun. Fines was nothing more than a bundle of old bones wrapped in parchment; she was a native of Lorraine, and had lately married an Englishman, familiarly known as "George," whom she had loved for many a year.

Miss Betty was romantic, and it so delighted her when George at last yielded to the idolatry of poor Fines, that she coaxed her father into leasing a bit of scrubby woodland, with a tumble-down house upon it, to George, so that he could have a garden and potato patch, and raise some chickens, and take nice care of poor Fines. Miss Betty even consented to go to them during the house-finishing and the house-moving, and assist Fines in her little furnishing and adorning, and advise George in relation to his garden, his potato patch, his chickens, and wood splitting.

But, truth to say, George had so studied the character and attributes of the noble Indian that he modeled his life upon it, so far as resigning all domestic duties to poor Fines. He gave over to his spouse the entire supervision of the garden, potato patch, chicken raising, and even the wood-splitting. He was of a dreamy nature, and would sit for hours on a rude bench he had placed near the water, and there he would smoke and meditate until Fines had tidied up the house, and fed the chickens, and hoed the potatoes, and washed a couple of dozen pieces for one of her patrons, and split some wood, and got dinner upon the table; then George would come in an eat dinner with Fines, and tell her of all he had been thinking about while sitting there upon the bench under the trees.

Fines was very happy. She knew that George was superior to her in mind, but he had told her time and again that it was right he should be her superior, and he loved her all the better for it.

But Miss Betty had her misgivings, and one day, when she was curled up like a lovely kitten upon the window-sill, she said to Fines, "What does George do, Fines, toward the support of the household? It seems to me that you are always slaving and toiling. What does George do?"

"Oh, Fines shrugged her shoulders, which had become somewhat crooked and bulgy from the heavy burdens they had borne all these years, and elevated her eyebrows, which were rather scraggy and gray, and said, with a world of feeling in her voice, "What does he do, my dear? He gives to me the happiness which is my all; he gives to me the consolation which is beautiful; he tells me of what is going on in the big busy world; he pities, he consoles—ah my little one, he loves me!"

Miss Betty blushed and was silent, and thought, foolish child, that after all, this was every thing. She left Fines to iron the tucks and furbelows with which Mrs. Van Dyke delighted to adorn her daughter Betty, and went out under the grape-vine and walked to and fro, and thought that if somebody—and here she trembled and blushed at the thought of his name—if he would read to her again, would talk to her again, would tell her of the big beautiful world once more, if he would love her—ah, what would she not be glad to give in return! She would work for him—say, she would work her arm fingers to the bone, only, of course, he wouldn't let her; he was too noble and generous and thoughtful. But if the necessity should arise, how glad she would be to do even like poor Fines, if only he would love her in return!

But, alas! the superiority of mankind was here also pre-eminent. He was the new minister, the Rev. Reginald Roake. The constabulary had thought it best to get a young man, so that he could board around among the parishioners, and thus save the rent of parsonage. Captain Van Dyke, Miss Betty's father, had thought it best to economize in every way that they could, and had even taken the young man to board at first. He told his wife they'd scarcely miss what the parson ate, and the church must be helped along as much as was prudent and possible.

But the captain after a few months, suddenly changed his mind. The young minister was very fertile in imagination and quick in thought; his sermons were speedily prepared, and the long summer days had so many sweet, rich hours to fill. Miss Betty's duties were also light; her mother was still active and robust; there were two sturdy young women in the kitchen, besides the occasional artistic work of Fines. The captain's sight was keen and strong; when he was out setting in the bay he could see a couple of figures bounding together over some book in the summer-house, or wandering among the rocks or along the sands upon the shore. The captain would come home hot and vexed, and take his wife to task for this misdoing. "I don't want any beggarly par-

sons hanging around my daughter," said the captain. The good lady would look very much shocked, and really tremble in her heart at the captain's temerity, for she thought it was almost tempting Providence to cast a contemptuous word upon the clergy; but she had that wholesome fear of the captain that she never ventured to remonstrate with him. She sighed in secret with her daughter when the captain managed to transfer the preacher to the care of a wealthy and comely widow in the neighborhood.

"He can preach all he pleases in that domain," said the captain; and shortly after, he was delighted to see the returned gentleman riding out with the fine widow, and gathering grasses and ferns in the pretty woodland haunts about Granville.

"We can't keep a parson single," chuckled the captain at his dinner table: "the women won't let him alone, do what we may. But the widow Benson owns her own house, and that will save rent for a parsonage."

The moral upon Miss Betty's fork remained unstated, and the captain in this way spoiled many a meal for his daughter. And so the summer waned, and September was at hand—September with her soft haze and rich warm sunshine; and though the widow had a brilliant garden of her own, she was fond of the wanton wild flowers that grew so luxuriously in the woods of Granville. She and the young minister filled the house with great clusters of golden-rod and aster and big purple pokeberries. One day the pony-phaeton stopped before the door of Captain Van Dyke, and the widow was led into the sitting-room, where she found Miss Betty almost hidden by a mosquito netting which she was busily patching.

"Come, child," said the widow, "put away that rag, and run get a pretty dress on. I've promised myself this many a day we should take this drive together, and I declare to you it shall be the rarest one you ever had in your life. The day is made richly to order for it; the balmy air, the golden sunshine—not a cloud in the sky! Run away, and make yourself look as pretty as you can."

"You are very kind," said Miss Betty, with a little trip of gold jewelry on her tongue; "but I must needs do this netting for poor Fines. She is sick with a fever, and the mosquitoes are dreadful down there in the wood. Mamma says I may have this netting done for me, and she'll have it done for me," said poor Betty, "and so perplexing! But I could not sleep, Mrs. Benson, she added, with an air of gentle dignity, in which there was also a slight snuff of reproach—"I could not sleep in my bed of luxury, and know that poor Fines was languishing there, a prey to fever and mosquitoes."

If the widow had thereupon offered to drive to town with Miss Betty and buy for Fines a brand new canopy, Miss Betty would have put the old one aside; but she was at heart very true, and she would not have such a sacrifice to charity, for she could not bear to find her altogether perfect.

"Ten chances to one, my dear," said the widow, "you'll have your tabs for your pains. These poor creatures are very superstitious and thought, foolish child, that after all, this was every thing. She left Fines to iron the tucks and furbelows with which Mrs. Van Dyke delighted to adorn her daughter Betty, and went out under the grape-vine and walked to and fro, and thought that if somebody—and here she trembled and blushed at the thought of his name—if he would read to her again, would talk to her again, would tell her of the big beautiful world once more, if he would love her—ah, what would she not be glad to give in return! She would work for him—say, she would work her arm fingers to the bone, only, of course, he wouldn't let her; he was too noble and generous and thoughtful. But if the necessity should arise, how glad she would be to do even like poor Fines, if only he would love her in return!

slander and reproach, she could at least be free from those of mosquitoes. At last through the trees she could see the chicken-cop of Fines, and soon she was at the poor woman's bedside. The heart of Miss Betty trembled with indignation when she remembered the cruel words of the widow. Fines lay upon a rude bed in the corner. Always this and brown, she might now have been taken for an exhumed Queen of Egypt, and Miss Betty could not imagine how all these mosquitoes could find it in their anatomy to prey upon poor Fines when the fat and unctuous substance of George was temptingly at hand upon the bench outside, where he was enjoying his evening pipe. Miss Betty stooped over the sick woman, and said, softly, "I have brought you some ice, dear Fines."

"Ah, my angel! my angel of light!" said Fines, "thou hast indeed brought me the most meriful; but, alas! I can not have the ice. I am too cold already, my little one. There is a cold hand at my heart. No, no; I can not have the ice."

"Very well, Fines," said Miss Betty, putting down the kettle which had been such a nuisance to her, "you shall not be troubled with the ice, but here is some jelly." "Ah, my blessed one!" cried Fines, "thou art like a saint from heaven; but talk not to me of jelly. They have given me of it jelly many years ago, after some bitter medicine, and I have since that time no longer for jelly. Ah, my rose of the wildwood! it makes me sick to think of it."

"Then do not think of it, Fines," said Miss Betty, putting aside the jar, that had grown heavier and heavier at every step of the journey. "But these dreadful mosquitoes, they are devouring you."

"Ah, yes, my adored one, they are demons without mercy; they have drawn all the blood from my body, and their dreadful song is madness to my brain. But rest tranquil; death will soon put an end to my misery."

"But see here, my poor Fines, cried Miss Betty, exultingly unrolling her precious net; "now you can sleep in peace. We will spread this over you, George and I, not one of the monsters can reach you. See, John here, when we will draw this over you—so," and sitting the action to the word, Miss Betty pulled the net over the high post of the bedstead, when suddenly a terrified look upon the sick woman's face stayed her hands, and she cried, "Stay, Fines, in dismay. 'Don't you want the net over you, Fines?'"

"Ah, life of my life!" said Fines, "it is sad, it is terrible! I know not how to deny thee, after all thou hast done for me; but, oh, my little one, I can not have it over me. Stay, Fines, for the dear sake, and I told myself that I would say no word against it—at least till thou wert gone, for George could pull it away—but I can not even for one little moment. Ah, my angel, wait until I am dead, and then they shall draw over me the pall, and put candles at my head and feet, and do with me what they will; but while I am yet alive I can not be treated like a dead body."

Miss Betty said no further word of entreaty or remonstrance, but let her miserable little thing fall out of her hands upon the floor; and having smoothed Fines's pillow, and held some milk to her lips, and promised to come again in the morning, Miss Betty took the woodland road home again. It was now quite dark, and big shadows seemed to threaten every way. Her heart was heavy within her, and her poor little feet seemed scarcely able to carry even her light weight along. What a wretched, abortive attempt had been here to alleviate the misery of poor Fines! It was as the beautiful widow had said, she had her labor for her pains—the beautiful, mocking widow, who was no doubt riding house through the gloaming with the Rev. Reginald Roake. At that very moment Miss Betty heard the tramping of hoofs behind her, and stepped aside to let the light-limbed pony of the widow pass by. The basket sides of the phaeton were filled with wild flowers, and the white hands of the minister held a bunch of shy, sweet forget-me-nots as blue as Miss Betty's eyes. The widow drew up her pony, and bade Miss Betty get in by her side, lest the hobgoblins of the wood should devour her; but the young girl stoutly refused, nor would she be coaxed from her decision. "I am not afraid of hobgoblins," said Betty, thinking in her heart there could be none so greedy and rapacious as the beautiful widow herself. "Now what is to be done with this obstinate child?" said the widow. The minister had long since leaped from the wagon and approached Miss Betty; but she turned her back upon him, perhaps to hide the tears of wretchedness which were falling out of her eyes. "Fick her up and put her in here by me," said the widow. "I am myself a little afraid of the strays of the wood. Come, child; do not be a goose and get jealous of your grand-mother. The gentleman there has gathered a pretty nosegay of forget-me-nots for you that were left over from spring. We have been looking for you far and wide, and he has done nothing but talk to me of his love for you till I am sick of the refrain."

the minister had lifted her to the widow's side, and forgot to take his arm away. It was quite dark, and the only star that shone in the sky was that of Venus. They drove rapidly on, Miss Betty's heart thumping in unison with the hoofs of the pony. "I told you," said the widow, "you'd have your trouble for your pains. We stopped at Fines's, the poor creature was full of adoration for you. She called upon every saint in the calendar to shower blessings upon your head. She said that you had brought her some beautiful ice and some delicious jelly, and a net that was most wonderful."

"But she refused them all," said Miss Betty. "Ah, yes," replied the widow; "but George did not refuse them; he had chopped up the ice in his milk, and had spread all the jelly upon his bread, and had wrapped himself up in the mosquito netting, and lay upon the lounge where we entered, snoring, as Fines said, like an angel. Fines was parched with fever and devoured with mosquitoes, but she declared to me that she was quite comfortable and happy. I do not understand it."

But Miss Betty did. She nestled closer to the arm about her, and lifted her flushed and radiant face to the one above her. "My sweet little Samaritan!" he whispered; and although the widow could not understand the happiness of Fines, it was quite clear to the heart of Miss Betty.

Anecdote of Ben Wade. Ben Wade, the great Northern Senator and Republican leader, commenced life in the capacity of day laborer and cattle driver. Soon after he had taken his seat in Congress, says General Brisban, he listened while a Northern Senator in the Senate yesterday, and his Southern colleagues, and remarked that if anybody should thus assail him or his State he would at once give the accuser the lie. A few days after a Senator, whose name is not given, called the Ohioans "negro-thieves." Wade jumped up and called him a liar. An apology was demanded and not given. The next day a gentleman called upon the Senator from Ohio, and asked the usual question concerning his acknowledgment of the code.

"I am here," said Wade, "in a double capacity. I represent the State of Ohio, and I represent Ben Wade. As a Senator I am opposed to duelling; as Ben Wade I recognize the code."

"My friend feels aggrieved," said the gentleman, "at what you said in the Senate yesterday, and will ask for an apology or satisfaction." "I was somewhat embarrassed," continued Senator Wade, "by my position yesterday, as I have some respect for the chamber. I now take this opportunity of calling on you, and if you please, repeat it. Your friend is a four-month-old blackguard."

Next morning Mr. Wade came into the Senate, and, proceeding to his seat, deliberately drew from his coat a large pistol, and, unloading his denials, he fired into the air. He then drew forth a notice taken of the affair of the day before. Wade was not challenged. Again, as General Brisban relates, soon after Preston Brooks's assault upon Sumner, Wade picked up a quarrel with Tompkins, a friend of Tombs who came to him to see that he wanted to fight. "You surely cannot be in earnest, Mr. Wade," said Tombs's friend. "Why, of course I am. You see, sir, we Northern men don't like to fight. Now, I am opposed to the code, and so are my constituents; but you fellows have broken Sumner's head, and we must spunk up a little or you will be breaking all our hearts. The shortest way to end the matter is to kill off a few of you, and I have exacted upon old Tombs as my man; he will have to challenge me. Then, of course, I will have the choice of weapons, and I will take my old rifle, and — if I don't bring him down at the first crack."

When Tombs heard what Wade had said, he replied, "I can't challenge him; if I do, he'll shoot me. I appears that Tombs and Wade had been out together shooting with rifles several times, and while Tombs could shoot well with a pistol, he was a poor rifle shot. Wade was an old hunter, and, at a distance of 100 yards, could hit a dollar almost every shot. Mr. Wade afterwards said to General Brisban: "If old Tombs had challenged me that time, as I expected he would, I would have made him put a patch on his coat the size of a dollar over his heart, and the old man would have got demoralized when he saw me drawing a bead on it and missed me, while I would have cut the patch!"

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Sackville, N. B., March 21, 1878.

Local Legislature.

MARCH 14.—Bill to create a fifth ward in Portland, lost by 14 to 14. O'Leary's bill to abolish a property qualification for Candidates for the Assembly and to allow any British Subject to run on payment of \$50 was discussed. The Attorney-General favored it. Elder, Austin, Butler and others opposed it. It was referred to a special committee consisting of O'Leary, Burns, Elder, Johnson, and Phillips. The Secretary laid on the table the financial statement.

ESTIMATED CURRENT REVENUE, 1878.
Subsidies from Gen'l Gov't, \$480,000 00
Casual and territorial Revenue, 150,000 00
Fees, Supreme Court, 2,000 00
Fees, Prov. Secretary, 6,000 00
Fees, Lunatic Asylum, 1,000 00
Fees, of School Loans, 20,000 00
Interest on Loans to School Board, 2,000 00
Miscellaneous receipts, 6,000 00
Total, \$667,000 00

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1878.
Executive Government, \$24,220 00
Legislature, 25,000 00
Lunatic Asylum, 25,000 00
Public Health, 7,000 00
Agriculture, 22,000 00
Judicial, 11,410 00
Auditor General, 1,600 00
Pensions, 700 00
University of New Brunswick, 4,844 45
Elections, 7,000 00
Prize Drawing, 1,000 00
Contingencies, 11,000 00
Public Works, 188,320 78
Survey and Gov't Inspection, 5,000 00
Marriage Certificates Registry, 39,000 00
Prov. Debentures, 7,000 00
Free Grants Act, 2,000 00
Deaf and Dumb Asylum, 7,200 00
Halifax, 500 00
Deaf and Dumb Institution, 1,250 00
St. John, 480 00
Blind Asylum, Halifax, 1,400 00
St. John Public Hospital, 1,400 00
Publication of unfinished portions of Reports, 1,450 00
Bear bounty—no estimate, 2,000 00
Prize Drawing, poor districts, (revote), 2,452 70
Prov. Assayer, 500 00
Consolidated Statutes, Publishing, 6,000 00
Judges' Chambers, St. John, 300 00
Normal School, 500 00
Unforeseen expenses, 3,000 00
In aid of sufferers by the St. John fire, 25,000 00
Total, \$568,927 96

Estimated receipts over estimated expenditure, \$98,072 04
The expenditure of 1877 was as follows:
Executive Government, \$23,584 00
Legislature, 25,000 00
Lunatic Asylum, 25,000 00
Public Health, 6,148 00
Agriculture, 1,000 00
Judicial, 13,115 52
Auditor General, 1,600 00
Elections, 14,200 00
Prize Drawing, 582 85
University of New Brunswick, 4,912 51
Record Marriage Certificates, 32,150 00
Consolidated Statutes, Publishing, 8,156 41
Mining operations, 2,392 87
Normal School, 1,100 00
Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Halifax, 750 00
St. John, 1,250 00
Blind Asylum, Halifax, 2,400 00
St. John Public Hospital, 1,500 00
To close services with law commission, 2,000 00
Tibbott's claim, 889 86
Prov. Assayer, 500 00
Normal School Building, 50,000 00
Unforeseen expenses, 5,623 25
Total, \$681,824 63
Current expenditure, 1877, 26,000 00
Paid on old appropriations, 3,701 70
Printing Consolidated Statutes, 1,500 00
County School Loans, 1877, 21,827 24
Total, \$661,232 56

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1878.
Executive Government, 24,220 00
Legislature, 25,000 00
Lunatic Asylum, 25,000 00
Public Health, 7,000 00
Agriculture, 22,000 00
Judicial, 11,410 00
Auditor General, 1,600 00
Pensions, 700 00
University of New Brunswick, 4,844 45
Elections, 7,000 00
Prize Drawing, 1,000 00
Contingencies, etc., 11,000 00
Public Works, 188,320 78
Survey and Government Inspection, 5,000 00
Marriage Certificates Registry, 39,000 00
Provincial Debentures, 7,000 00
Debate House of Assembly, 1,200 00
Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Halifax, 500 00
St. John, 1,250 00
Blind Asylum, Halifax, 1,400 00
St. John Public Hospital, 1,400 00
Publishing of unfinished portions of Reports, 1,750 00
Bear Bounties Poor Districts, (revote), 2,452 70
Provincial Assayer, 500 00
Consolidated Statutes Publishing, 6,000 00
Judges' Chambers, St. John, 300 00
Normal School, 500 00
Unforeseen Expenses, 3,000 00
Total, \$661,927 96

SPECIAL.
Towards relief of sufferers by the St. John fire, 25,000 00
Grand Total, \$686,927 96
Estimated receipts over estimated expenditure, \$97,734 04
A MONTREAL merchant advertises for tenders for the supply of twenty black bears.

Business Cards.

HANINGTON & WELLS,
Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c.
DORCHESTER, N. B.

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90 PRINCE WM. ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

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GEORGE W. SHAW, Proprietor.

Hopewell Corner, A. C.
T. W. BELL & Co.
Soap Manufacturers, - - - Sackville, N. B.

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22 Germain St., St. John, N. B.

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and Corn Brooms,
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June 14 ST. JOHN, N. B.

George Nixon,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
PAPER HANGING,
Brushes and Window Glass,
KING ST. - - - ST. JOHN, N. B.

New Harness Shop.
THE Subscriber has opened a Harness Shop opposite the Lawrence House, where he intends to

Manufacture Harnesses
and do general repairing, at moderate rates.
NATHAN G. BUMMER,
Sackville, Sept. 9th, 1877.

NEW HARNESS SHOP
I HAVE OPENED, in connection with the old stand, a

Retail and Repair Shop,
in CHIGNECTO HALL, Lower Sackville, where all my custom will be attended to promptly and at cheap rates.—Mr. O. B. Estabrook in charge.

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of good quality.

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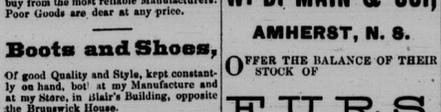
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A good Stock of Fresh Groceries, Suitable for the present season. All offered at Lowest Prices. J. F. ALLISON.

GREAT SALE OF CARPETS!

THE Subscriber being about to remove his business to Larger and Better adapted premises, will offer for sale, AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

CARPETS

the balance of his last Spring's importations. This Sale will continue for one month and a half, and parties in need of Carpets should be quick.

BRUSSELS.

Best 5 frame body Brussels at \$1.40 and \$1.50. FORMER PRICE, \$1.75. Short lengths of same Goods, \$1 to \$1.35.

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Sixty pieces of New and Good Patterns at 70c and 75c per yard. Lengths from 17 to 25 yards at 90c, 95c, to 70c per yard. Former prices, 90c, 95c, and \$1.

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A. B. SHERATON, Market Hall, GERMANTOWN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Local and other Matters.

BENGOON speaks at Amherst next Monday. HAY.—An Lac sent 180 tons of hay to the North Shore and Halifax last month.

J. F. ALLISON has opened a large Stock of Spring Clothing, very nice and cheap. The Tea Meeting at Fairfield on Thursday last evening, the evening being stormy.

FAILED.—At Halifax, Yates & Son, throwing 100 shoe makers out of employment. FARMER'S GRANDES have been formed at Newport, Ashdale, and South Rawdon.

THE AVON MARINE INSURANCE CO., Windsor, declared a dividend of 260 per cent. the other day. LIBERAL.—Hon. A. J. Smith has donated \$25,000 to the new Methodist Church, Fairfield.

BENNETT COAL, fifty cents cheaper per chaldron than formerly, can be ordered at this office.—41. A FEW remarks respecting "B" necessarily deferred till next week. "Unitarian Christian" will be considered.

HAY TRADE.—Messrs. Alfred and Edgar Dixon, presented 900 tons of hay this last season and sold and shipped per I. C. R. 450 tons. ACADIA is about building a large College Hall and Female Seminary to accommodate 75 boarders. It has \$35,000 for the purpose.

THE RINK.—Mr. Beckwith in his commendable efforts to render the Rink more attractive to its patrons had a band night on Thursday last. ACCIDENT.—Hiram Trenholm, of Point de Bute, whose house was burned recently, lost a valuable horse on Thursday last. The animal broke its leg in crossing a bridge on an old unused road and had to be killed.

The Wood Point Quarries are to be worked extensively this season, by Mr. Walter J. Roberts, who proposes having a hundred men quarrying in the spring. The facilities for shipping stone at this place are perhaps unsurpassed anywhere. SHIPPING NEWS.—Bright "Alice Ad." Outdone, arrived at Philadelphia on 16th, from Messina. She has been chartered for Barbadoes.—Barque "Ottavilla," Towas, arrived at Sackville on 16th with a general cargo from Liverpool.

PUBLIC AUCTION.—Mr. J. Cleveland, Point de Bute, will sell at auction, on 30th inst., his entire stock of farm implements and household furniture, comprising wagons, sleighs, carts, cook-stove, tables, chairs, bedsteads, carpets, washing machine, and one EREX ORGAN, etc. Also, oats, cordwood, etc. See Advt. JAN 24 W. D. MAIN & CO.

Hay for Sale!

20 TONS ENGLISH HAY for sale in one lot, or quantities to suit purchasers. Good quality. E. A. WELCH, Botsford, Feb. 5th, 1878.

Grey Cottons!

JUST RECEIVED.—1 Bale GREY COTTONS. These Goods will be found very low in price, and are offered at a decided bargain by the piece. J. F. ALLISON.

MOLASSES.

JUST RECEIVED.—1 Cask New Very Choice article. J. F. ALLISON.

Barratry.

A Vessel and Cargo Stolen.—Apprehensions that Capt. J. F. Campbell, of Sackville, is Murdered.

Intense interest has been created in Baltimore, U. S., by a case of barratry. The British brigantine "Alexis," Capt. George Williams, reached Baltimore on March 7th, from Porto Cabello, Venezuela, with 4,377 bags of coffee, weighing 508,835 pounds, and 822 bales.

J. F. Kinneer, an Englishman, about thirty-five years old, of good address, with his colored servant, came as a passenger. Kinneer presented that he owned the cargo, and said that he had been travelling in South America for his health. He said he bought the cargo for a private venture, and believing the United States offers a better market than that of the home country, he intended to come to Hampton Roads for a day or two negotiated with coffee buyers, at length arranging with Messrs. Levering & Co., of Commercial Street, coffee importers and jobbers, to buy the cargo for him or sell it for him. When the brig reached port she entered it at the Custom House, but her papers were in some respects irregular.

The men were obliged to leave the pumps at the coming of every sea and seek refuge upon the poop deck or in the rigging. At 12 o'clock on the 5th the wind hauled to the westward, and the ship was put before the wind. All hands were still at the pumps, and there were four feet of water in the hold. Six of the ship's iron knees had been broken, the water ways were strained and the vessel had settled "midships." The main rigging had slackened so that we feared that the mainmast would go overboard. All that night the men remained at the pumps. They had no sleep for forty-eight hours. The water was increasing in the hold. At 7 a. m. on the 6th, the "Norwell" was sighted, and a signal of distress was hoisted. The "Norwell" came alongside, but as a high sea was at the time it was impossible to leave the "Alexis." But Capt. Burgess, of the "Norwell," promised to keep by and do all he could to rescue the crew. At 3 p. m. the life-boat of the "Alexis" was launched, and was badly stove. The launch, however, was launched successfully, and with great difficulty the crew transferred to the "Norwell." The latter lay by all night, but the "Alexis" had sunk by the time day dawned, and she must have gone down.

The "Pretty Jimina" was built at Nappan, N. S., in 1876. She was 160 feet long, 35 feet beam and 40 feet in the hold. Her gross tonnage was 304 tons, and she was registered at Sackville. She was owned by J. T. Smith, Capt. Chapman and others, all of Amherst. She was valued at \$50,000. She was loaded with 1,350 tons of phosphate, which was owned by Messrs. Wyllie, Teacher & Co., of London, and the consignors have murdered the Canadian vessels that Capt. Burgess of the "Norwell" has saved.

THE WAY HORSE RACING IS DONE IN SHUNAC.—On the 15th inst. we had quite a lively horse race here between E. T. Sault's black mare and J. D. Weldon's horse, best 3 in 5, mile heats, stakes \$10. The mare won the first heat, and the horse won the second and third heats, making the last heat in three minutes, greatly to the surprise of the spectators who had assembled in large numbers to witness the contest. Considerable money changed hands on the result, and you may imagine how good the backers of the horse were felt when they learned after the race that a bribe had been given their driver to hold the horse and allow the mare to take the race. The driver, being an honorable young man, declined at being so promised in such a way by a leading man of the place, but accepted the money without the slightest idea of carrying out this disgraceful object, and to learn this surprising young sporting man that \$12.50 could not buy his integrity was really laid out. The \$13.00 was immediately handed over to some ladies of the place to be distributed among the poor. This will no doubt be a lesson to not to try to buy a paltry race gotten up for the amusement of the young men, and not as a speculation to gull the innocent. The joke is appreciated by all the inhabitants, and is all the talk of the town. We trust that Shodias has seen the last of horse racing under such circumstances.—OJ.

THE LETTER from Mr. Bengough we commend to "B's" attention. The moon underneath course adopted to us from Mr. W. Bengough, has not proved very profitable.

THE saw mill at French Village, Kings Co., owned by Mr. Samuel McCracken, was burned on Thursday last. A furniture factory in connection, owned and run by Mr. S. Carpenter, of St. John, was also burned.

ROSA, the Fenian, lectured in Toronto on Monday night, and the Orange and Fenian elements came into collision and a good deal of rioting has taken place resulting in loss of life.

THE "NORTHERN LIGHT." Mr. Smith's \$100,000 prodigy, was in the top from Friday till yesterday, five days.

Rescued Just in Time.

How the Crew of the Bark "Pretty Jimina" was Saved in Mid-Ocean.—Trava's Bailors—Koopler's Disabled Vessel Adrift for Days.

(From N. Y. Sun, March 15.) "The bark "Henry Norwell," sixty days from Trieste, arrived at this port yesterday with the officers and crew of the bark "Pretty Jimina," of Amherst, which was abandoned at sea on the 6th inst. in a sinking condition. The rescued seamen are: Capt. J. H. Chapman, Chief Officer Jas. Magee, Second Officer Jas. F. Hancock, Carpenter Young, Steward Young and ten hands. Capt. Chapman said last evening: "We sailed from Bull River, N.C., on the 25th of February, loaded with phosphate, bound for London. All went well till the 27th, when we entered the Gulf Stream. A strong northeast wind sprang up, and the vessel labored heavily. We shipped a good deal of water, and the vessel began to leak. On the evening of the 3rd of March it began to blow very hard, and at midnight the wind had risen to a hurricane. A high sea was running and the vessel labored heavily. The sails were split; the vessel shipped heavy seas that swept the decks and washed the men from the pumps. One man was driven overboard and nearly drowned, but he was rescued. Another had his leg so badly injured that he had to stop working.

"Until 6 a. m. on the 5th inst., the vessel lay in the trough of the sea and entirely unmanageable; only the two lower topsails and foretopmast-stay-sails were left.

"The vessel soon became so strained that the cabin doors could not be shut. The sea came on deck and flooded it sometimes to the depth of three feet. The men were obliged to leave the pumps at the coming of every sea and seek refuge upon the poop deck or in the rigging.

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THE Consolidation of the Statutes of the Province \$18,721.62! WINDSOR has taken action to be incorporated.

NO RISK.

Thomas' Electric Oil! Worth ten times its weight in Gold! Do you know anything of it? If not, it is time you did. Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle cures bronchitis. One bottle cures colds and coughs. One bottle cures all kinds of neuralgia and kidney troubles. Six to eight applications cure any case of scoriated nipples or inflamed breast. One bottle cures lame back of eight years' standing. Daniel Clark, of Brookfield, Tioga County, Pa., says: "I went thirty miles for a bottle of your Oil, which effected a wonderful cure of a crooked limb by six applications." Another who has had asthma for years, says: "I have half of a 50 cent bottle left, and it would not buy it if I could get no more." Rufus Robinson, of Nunda, N.Y., writes: "One small bottle of your Electric Oil restored my wife's health who had been confined to a whispier in five years." Rev. J. Mallory, of Wyoming, N.Y., writes: "Your Electric Oil cured me of bronchitis in one week."

It is composed of six of the best oils that are known. It is a good for internal use, and for external use, and is believed to be immeasurably superior to anything ever made. Will save you much suffering and many dollars of expense. Beware of imitation. Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price 25c. No injurious effects can possibly follow the use of these Indian Remedies, as they contain no minerals, by which the face of the invalid is so often ruined under the form of some temporary sedative or stimulant. These Indian Remedies are widely known, and possess the public confidence after the lapse of sufficient time to test their efficacy.

The Shookones Vegetable Sugar Compound Pills have won for themselves the most favorable reputation of any pill before the public. Their efficacy has been fully proved as a remedy for Biliousness, Sick Headache, and Inactivity of the stomach. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles \$1; in 50 cent bottles, 50c.

It is a rare thing that physicians give any countenance to a medicine, the manufacture of which is a secret. About the only exception we know is ANSON'S Compound Purgative Pills. We believe in all efforts, and many of them use it in their practice with great success.

Persons requiring purgatives or pills should be careful what they buy. Some pills not only cause griping pains, but have the bowels in a torpid, constipated state. Anson's Purgative Pills will relieve the bowels and cleanse the blood without injury to the system.

Latest by Telegraph.

MARRIAGE IN HIGH LIFE!

A Congress Doubtful! Hobart Pasha Recognizing Insurgents!

Nicaraguan Ports to be Blockaded! Russia Unyielding and Buying War Material.

Special to Chignecto Post. LONDON, March 20.—The marriage of the Earl of Rosebery and Miss Hannah De Rothschild was celebrated to-day.

A St. Petersburg official letter declares that England's claim has proved so bad an impression on Russia that the meeting of Congress will meet on the 2nd of April.

A despatch from Berlin says the north and south German newspapers express great anxiety about Austria's future.

Russia is buying large quantities of saltpeetre and torpedoes.

Hobart Pasha having agreed not to bombard the villages on the coast of Thessaly, the Insurgent leaders consented to enter into negotiations with him to enter to day, on conditions that their official status be recognized. It is reported that Hobart Pasha offered the Insurgents autonomy.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 20.—Russian vessels have left Bay Utkere and anchored off St. Stefano.

LONDON, March 20.—The Standard's special from Berlin says that Prince Bismarck is tired of the game of shuffling, and has determined to order the blockade of Nicaraguan ports. The press association learns on excellent authority that within the last few hours the Government has received a hint that Russia will yield no point now at issue.

RELIGIOUS.—Preaching next Sabbath at Westcott Hill at 11 a. m.; Upper Rockport School House, 8 1/2 p. m.; and Westcott 6 1/2 p. m.

SHIPPING MATTERS.—The Minister of Marine has given notice of an alteration of the Deck Load Act permitting live stock to be carried on upper deck.

GOOSE SHOOTING season opened yesterday with great eclat. "Mr. Polly, of Bayside, captured fifteen. SIX CONVICTS escaped from Rockhead, Halifax, on Sunday, three of whom have been recaptured.

MARRIED. On 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. E. Fillmore, Mr. Miles H. Murray, of Hillbrook, and Miss Lucinda A. Fillmore, of Covehead.

On 4th inst., at Newton, Mass., by Rev. J. Simpson, Mr. Rufus Robinson, of Nunda, to Ella, daughter of Mrs. Sophia B. Nelson.

On 4th inst., by Rev. Canon Townshend, Mr. Francis Gould and Miss Catherine Livingston, both of Amherst.

On 5th inst., by the same, Mr. Edwin Lockhart to Miss Maggie Ferris.

On Tuesday, 19th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. D. C. Lewis, James G. Mar, of 1000 Westmorland Point, to Miss Kate, daughter of A. S. Chappell, Esq., of Tidnish, N. S.

DIED. At Economy, on 8th inst., of gastric fever, Florence Nightingale Palmer, only daughter of W. A. Fillmore, Esq., in the 18th year of her age. Her end was peace. At Amherst, on 10th inst., Thomas W. age 21 years, son of Mr. Lewis Chapman.

On 6th inst., at Amherst Point, Mr. Matthew Logan, aged 35 years.

On 28th ult., at Saco, Vt., of pleurisy, Stephen Gooden, merchant, aged 62 years.

At Sackville, on 14th inst., Joseph Carter, aged 62 years.

At Centreville, on 27th of February, of diphtheria, Mary E., daughter of Cynthia and Thomas Hicks, aged 17 years.

Sister, then was mild and lovely, Gentle as the summer breeze, Pleasant as the air of evening. When she was deeply felt, Peaceful in the grave so low, Thou no more will join our number, Thine sweet smile thou hast left us, Here thy loss we deeply feel, But 'tis God that hath bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.

Yet again we hope to meet thee, When the day of resurrection is fled, Then in heaven with joy to greet thee, Where no farewell tear is shed.

NEW FURNITURE AUCTION PRICES!

THE Subscriber purposes to continue running the Furniture Business in SACKVILLE, N. B. Parties having wants in this line, will find, by calling at my Establishment, that I can sell at LOWER PRICES than what importers call fifty and seventy-five per cent. less than usual prices.

Being unable to get established DOWN TOWN for a month or two, and Saturday, 21st March, being too short to dispose of all my Stock, I am now preparing for another GREAT AUCTION, at which I will put off 2 or 3 Walnut Drawing-Room Suits, 5 or 6 Bedroom Suits, Bedsteads, Tables, and Chairs, in 1250 numbers and variety.

J. W. DOULL, March 13.

IRON

Is pre-eminently tonic and peculiarly fitted to improve the quality of the blood when impoverished from any cause.

THE disease, in the treatment of which it is most useful, is ANEMIA, or Deficiency of the Blood, Scrophula, Erythema, indicated by Pallidness of the Face, Debility, Anxiety, and Difficult Breathing.

SCROFULA, or Swelling of the Glands, particularly of the Neck, behind the Ear, and under the Chin, also called King's Evil.

ICKERS, or inflammation of the Spine, peculiar to Children; DYSPEPSIA, or Indigestion, or non-assimilation of the Food; LEUCORRHOEA, AMENORRHOEA, PLEURISY, BLYCHTES, SALT RHEUM, and all troubles arising from impure and thin blood.

QUININE Produces upon the system the same beneficial effects as PERUVIAN BARK, without being so apt to nauseate and oppress the stomach, and is most beneficial in all MORBID CONDITIONS of the system, and in LOW and TYPHOID forms of FEVERS. Hence its use in SCARLET FEVER, SMALL POX, IN CHANCRELS and GONORRHOEA, and in all cases in which the system is debilitated, and the tendency is towards recovery.

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It is the duty of every person who has used BOEHRER'S GERMANY SYRUP to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pleurisy, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all Druggists to recommend it to the poor dying consumptive, at least, as 100,000 bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as BOEHRER'S GERMANY SYRUP cannot be too widely known. Ask your Druggist about it. Sample bottles to try sold at 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. For sale in Sackville by A. Dixon.

Very Sensible.—Horse dealers who are supposed to know what affects their interest, purchase "Darley's Remedy" by the dozen, and feed it to their horses for the purpose of improving their condition, which it always does—others should profit by their example. "Darley's Remedy" is sold by the dozen, and see that the signature of Hurd & Co. is on each package. Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

THROWN from my wagon on the ice, splintering the bones of one wrist, spraining the other, and suffering from severe contusions about the head. One bottle of Great Livingstone's Anodyne reduced the swelling and took away the intense pain. There can be no mistake in regard to its great virtues. W. L. Cook, Islip, Editor Long Island Herald.

MANAGERS. REAR ESTABLISHMENTS. T. H. PRESCOTT, Sackville, March 6th, 1878.

New Spring Goods.

WE are in receipt of invoices containing 23 Packages of New Spring Goods, the purchases of our Mr. McPARLURE, who understands his business thoroughly in all its branches.

2 cases Ladies' Straw Hats and Bonnets; 2 cases Feathers and Flowers; 2 cases Coat and Vest Buttons; 1 case Windsor and Otter Scarfs; 3 cases Ribbons; 3 cases West Tweeds; 5 cases Worsted Coatings; 1 case Silk Velvets; 4 cases Dress Goods; 1 case Corsets.

These Goods shall be open as fast as they come forward by rail, and will be sold at the LOWEST LIVING PROFITS.

EVERITT & BUTLER, ST. JOHN, N. B.

NO LONGER AGENT.—Our Agreement with W. H. OLIVE, of St. John, N. B., has this day terminated by mutual consent. In the meantime, parties desiring Machinery can obtain information from AMOS FISHER, Truro, N. S., or JOHN WELSH, St. Martins, N. B.

What practical men whose judgment and advice can be relied on. Prices Reduced! Great Improvements in our Saw Logs, PORTABLE GRIST MILLS, PORTABLE SAW MILLS. Address WATERBURY WORKS CO., Brantford, Canada. February 1st, 1878. D. A. F.

It Never Fails.

Persons who never been known to fail in performing after a fair trial all that is claimed for it. The most copious ready acknowledgment is its surprising curative powers after taking a few doses, as its action is always rapid and certain. One or two or a dozen doses of Phoszone may not cure them; but if they persevere in taking it a favorable result is inevitable. Sold by all Druggists, and prepared in the Laboratory of the Proprietors, Nos. 41 and 43 St. Jean Baptiste Street, Montreal.

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Shad! Shad!

IN STORE—A FEW Half-Brls. No. 1 Shad, FOR SALE LOW. J. F. ALLISON.

FLOUR!

JUST RECEIVED direct from the mill—100 Barrels FLOUR—Gold "Age" XXX. Very choice. For sale low for cash. JOHN BELL.

MEN WANTED at the Sackville Furniture Factory.

Two good journeymen and a good smart boy for an apprentice. J. W. DOULL, March 13.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

1877-8 WINTER ARRANGEMENT 1877-8

ON and after MONDAY, 15th OCT., Trains will leave Sackville Station at follows:

Express for Halifax, and Way Stations, at 1.30 a. m., 7.21 a. m., and 1.50 p. m.

Express for St. John, Point de Chene, and Way Stations, at 2.40 p. m., and for St. John, and Way Stations, at 12.15 a. m.

Express for Moncton, Riviere du Loup, and Way Stations, at 7.34 p. m.

C. J. BRYDGES, Gen. Supt. Govt. Railways.

Railway Office, Moncton, Oct. 15th, 1877.

Albert Railway.

ON and after MONDAY, the 10th of December, Trains will leave Hopewell Corner for Salisbury at 6.30 a. m., arriving there in time to connect with the morning accommodation from Shediac for St. John.

Returning, will leave Salisbury for Hillsboro' and Hopewell Corner at 11.30 a. m., after the arrival of No. 2 Express from St. John.

A. E. KILLAM, MANAGER.

Railway Office, Hillsboro', Nov. 15th, 1877.

GROCERIES, &c.

210 PUNCHONS MOSASSES; 20 lbs. No. 1 Porto Rico Sugar; 20 lbs. No. 2 Porto Rico Sugar; 150 Barrels Granulated Sugar; 50 Barrels Am. Ex. C. Sugar; 180 Eggs Tea—assorted; 200 Pikes Tobacco—best brands; 100 Barrels Canadian Dried Apples; 250 Barrels White Beans; 50 Bags Rice; 50 Barrels Mocha Pot; 300 Barrels Corn Meal; 100 Barrels Oatmeal; 500 Barrels Flour—assorted; 500 Boxes Layer Raisins; 120 Boxes Currants; 200 Tubs XX Lard; 1000 Boxes Extra Scalded Herring; With a General Assortment of Staple Groceries. For sale at Lowest Market Rates.

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Have in Stock and are receiving by late arrivals—

430 CHESTS and h-chests Superior for Kainow Congou Tea; 110 boxes China Tea for family use; 20 sacks Java and Ceylon Coffee; 75 boxes Tobacco, smoking & chewing; 350 boxes Raisins; 1000 boxes New Figs, lb. & Gals. boxes; 300 barrels Currants; 55 bags Nuts, Filberts, Walnuts, Almonds, &c.; 50 boxes Candied Peel, Citron, Lemon and Oranges; 19 casks Scotch Refined Sugar; 30 barrels Refined Sugar; 80 boxes Confectionery; 40 casks Washing Soda; 75 kegs Baking Soda; 60 barrels Pickles; 45 cases Coleman's Mustard; 8 cases Coleman's Mustard, in tins; 8 cases Bisto Brick; Rice, Pipes, Blacking, Cream Tartar; Bed Corda, Brooms, Pails, Soap; Candles, Castor Oil, Lard; Vinegar, Sella, Senna, Turbine; Paper Bags, Wrapping Paper; Canned Goods, &c., &c.

All of which are offered very low for cash or approved paper.

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BLACK SILK VELVETS, at all prices; Myrtle Green Silk Velvets, at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2;

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HAVE IN STOCK:

500 DOZ. CASTOR OIL, 2, 4 and 6 oz.; 600 doz. Spencer's Violet, Black and Crinoid Ink; 200 doz. Spencer's Vesuvian Lintiment; 80 doz. Spencer's Elixir of Wild Cherry; 80 doz. Spencer's Aniline Dyes; 50 doz. Spencer's Glycerine; 50 doz. Bay Rum; 200 doz. Hair Oil, assorted; 70 doz. Pomades, assorted; 50 doz. Glycerine; 100 doz. Perfumes, assorted; 200 doz. Flavoring Extracts, assorted; 75 doz. Sweet Oil; 50 doz. Olive Oil; 25 doz. Scented Bitters; 1000 gross Taper and Wine Corks. TO ARRIVE—1000 gross Corks, No. 10 to 20.

We sell these Corks 10 per cent. cheaper than they can be imported, being Agents for one of the largest Cork manufacturing houses in America.

All of our Goods are first class and are sold at very low prices to wholesale dealers and the trade generally. Feb 12

Customs Department.

Ottawa, Sept. 21, 1877.

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J. JOHNSON, Commissioner of Customs.

GOODS

RECEIVED AT THE

Sackville Drug Store.

2 GROSS THOMAS' ELECTRIC

1 gross Johnson's Liniment; 1 gross Robinson's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil; 1 gross Syrup of Phosphate (Chemical Food); 1 gross Fallow's Hypophosphites; 1 gross Shobness's Ketchup; 1 gross Vanbank's Sarsaparil; 1 gross Campbell's Quinine Wine; 1 gross Gater's Bitters and Syrup; 1 gross Ayer's Hair Vigor; 1 gross Hall's Hair Renewer; 1 gross Green's August Flower; 1 gross Bosche's German Syrup; 1 gross Gray's Specific Medicine; 1 gross Chester's Cure; 1 gross Constitutional Catarrh Remedy; 1 dozen Wine of Beef and Iron; 1 dozen Dr. Ross's Catarrh Remedy; 1 dozen Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry; 1 dozen Alan's Lung Balsam; 1 dozen Urquhart's Sarsaparil; 1 dozen Burnett's Cocaine; 1 dozen Campbell's Norway Cod Liver Oil; 1 dozen Peruvian Syrup; 1 dozen Evans' Throat Lozenges; 1 dozen Green's August Flower; 1 dozen Lanning's Essence; 1 dozen Fowler's File and Gum Cure; 1 dozen Ladies and Gents' Shoulder Braces; 1 dozen Thermometers; 1 dozen Wire Hair Brushes; 10 gallons Olive Oil; 10 gallons Castor Oil; 10 gallons Nettle Foot Oil; 10 gallons Alcohol; 10 gallons Turpentine.

ALSO ON HAND:

Our usual Stock of Cough Mixtures, Pain Killers, Liniments, Pills, Ointments, etc., etc. ALSO JUST RECEIVED: 100 lbs. Dulce, very nice and fresh; 100 lbs. Castile Soap; 6 dozen Potash, for soap making, etc.; 1 gross Aniline Dyes; 6 dozen Mitchell's Porous Plasters; 12 dozen Assorted Toilet Soap; 1 gross Good Stock Brushes, Comb, Hair Oil, 500 Boxes Layer Raisins; Sundries, Stationery and Confectionery, Apples, Oranges, &c. Prescriptions carefully filled.

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HAIR RESTORER. This standard article is compounded with the greatest care. Its effects are as wonderful and as satisfactory as any ever. It restores gray or faded hair to its youthful color. It removes all eruptions, itching and dandruff. It gives the hair a cooling, soothing sensation of great benefit, and the scalp by its use becomes cool and healthy. By its tonic properties it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, preventing baldness, and making the hair grow thick and strong. As a dressing, nothing has been found so effective or desirable. Paper Bags, Wrapping Paper; Canned Goods, &c., &c.

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New Stove and Tin Shop.

THE Subscriber would intimate to the people of Sackville and vicinity that he has arranged with the Proprietors of the Colonial Foundry for the

RETAIL TRADE OF THEIR

STOVES,

And has now removed to his new Store, near Alex. Gray's house, Sackville, where he is prepared to furnish Stoves of nearly all description. Also,

STOVE PIPE and TIN WARE

OF ALL KINDS.

Persons wanting anything in this line, will be to their advantage to call and inspect my samples before purchasing elsewhere. ALL JOB WORK will be promptly attended to, and charges moderate.

Country Produce taken in exchange for Stoves and work, for which the highest price will be paid.

HARVEY PHINNEY, Sackville, Jan. 8th, 1878.

Marsh for Sale.

70 ACRES OF MARSHLAND For Sale at Westmorland Point.

FIFTY ACRES MARSH on the South-West side of the Road leading to the Landing, having a frontage of six hundred yards on said Road, formerly belonging to Judge Gay, and known as the "Tarnon Marsh." Also, twenty acres Marsh on the North-East side of said Road, having a frontage of two hundred and fifty yards on said Road, and known as "Gay's Island Marsh," being in the Aulac Buoys of Marsh, has been to some extent cleared, and will be sold at a bargain, or left to dyke on shares.

For further particulars enquire of W. C. Milner, Sackville, or to STEPHEN SIDDALL, Westmorland, Feb. 9th, 1878.

REARWARD

Just Received: 5 BBL. TURPENTINE, 315 cases GLASS, 8 BELLOWS, 75 bbls. GLASS TUBES, 20 rolls of IRON PIPE, 5 cases AXE HANDLES, 200 bbls. TAR, 7 c. ROSIN, 1 case WHITES.

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President Inch.

The St. John Globe refers Editorial-ly to Principal Inch's promotion in the following terms: "Promotion in the prime of life, not being more than two or three years beyond forty. He is a native of Queen's County, in this Province, and has for a long time been connected with the Institutions at Sackville. He graduated in the class of 1864, B. A., and took his M. A. in 1867. Since graduation he has been in charge of the Ladies' Academy, first as Vice-Principal and then as Principal, which latter position, as is well known, he now holds. He is a gentleman of fine presence, possesses first-class executive and administrative ability, and has been highly successful in his management of the Ladies' Academy. As a student he took first rank, and since graduation has given much attention to Modern Languages. He possesses large general information, and is what may be called 'well read.' He possesses fine literary tastes, and writes with ease and grace. He has succeeded well as a teacher and Professor. From what we know of his life, and judging from his past record, we feel satisfied the keeping of Mount Allison College in safe hands, and that the friends of the College should congratulate the Board of Governors on the judicious selection they have made.

For the Post. Wedding a Yacadian.

It was recently the happy lot of your correspondent to attend the wedding festivities of a young couple of French extraction and I herein propose to offer to such of your readers as have never had the pleasure of a like opportunity, an account of my visit. A Frenchman's marriage is the great event of his life—a sort of era to which, before the arrival of the happy time, he looks forward, and afterwards from which he dates all the occurrences of his life.

The festivities, consisting for the most part of dancing, are prolonged through the greater part of three days. The first day's enjoyment is entirely anticipative in its character. On the eve of their marriage, the bride and bridegroom, accompanied by bridesmaid and groomsmen, take their places among the assembled company. Of course the indispensable fiddle is in attendance, and dancing constitutes the main part of the programme of the evening. On the following morning, as early as possible, the two couples, unattended by any friends, proceed to the chapel, where the candidates for matrimonial bliss are united in nuptial bonds. After which the wedding party return and partake of the wedding dinner, which is served, as usual, by bridesmaid and groomsmen, take their places among the assembled company. Of course the indispensable fiddle is in attendance, and dancing constitutes the main part of the programme of the evening. 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