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Original Poetry.

[Written for the Post.

"Who Knows the Depths?"

BY IGNOTUS.

The downcast eyes—the heaving breast—
The hand in her's so closely prest—
The faltering voice—the drooping head—
The one last look so swiftly sped
Conveying thoughts she did not tell—
No sound save that sad word "Farewell!"
Who knows the depths?

A coffin black—a shrouded form—
A mother raining kisses warm
On marble lips once cherry red;
No tear o'er that loved one is shed;
But clinched hands and eyes' strange glare,
These tell a *mightier* grief is there.
Who knows the depths?

The dying light at set of sun,
The starry train their course to run,
The silvery moon on heaven's blue
Ope to our tear-dimmed eyes a view,
A darkened view, of bliss to be
Beyond Life's stormy sea.
Who knows the depths?

PARRSBORO, May 19th, 1877.

LITERATURE.

[*From Harper's Monthly Magazine.*]

SOLOMON PODDY'S COURTSHIP.

[Continued.]

Nothing is so apt to establish two strangers on congenial terms as the endurance of mutual misfortunes. When Solomon and the lady sat up and looked into each other's scratched and bleeding faces, all restraint was thrown aside.

"I am afraid, Sir, I have caused you great trouble and pain by my foolish nervousness," said she, as she adjusted her spectacles to her nose and looked at Solomon's face.

"Oh no, madam, I am used to—I mean I could not do otherwise under the circumstances," stammered that gentleman, holding his handkerchief to his bleeding countenance.

The lady smiled sweetly, and held out a hand that he might help her to her feet. The grasses and alpenstock were picked up, and then Poddy, blushing so scarlet as to almost hide the bleeding scratches, intimated that a seat in his wagon was at her disposal for her journey home.

"If you have room, I should like to ride as far as the next turning near Mr. Hicks's house. I am stopping there," said she, as she took the proffered seat. "May I ask the name of the gentleman who has been of such service to me this morning?"

"Poddy, ma'am, Solomon Poddy," replied the owner of the name.

"Oh, indeed! Mr. Poddy," exclaimed the lady with another smile. "I have heard the young ladies at Mr. Hicks's speak of you. Here is my card, and I hope you will call when you are passing, so I can thank you more fully than I can now."

Solomon felt very warm, and hoped those girls hadn't been ridiculing him. The card read, "Miss Tabitha Jones, 1921 West Twenty third Street."

"Ha!" continued Miss Tabitha, "I will stop here, if you please. There are some of our young friends. Thank you, Sir; I can get down better here than from off the wall." And Miss Tabitha alighted, and was immediately saluted with a chorus of.

"Good gracious, Miss Jones! where have you been?" "Mercy! how your face is scratched!" "Did he give you the ferns? Aren't they splendid?" "Do tell us. What did the old gentleman say?" "Oh, what a flirt you are, Miss Jones!" from the surrounding bevy of girls, as Solomon drove rapidly away.

That night he did not sleep a wink, but lay thinking of Miss Tabitha, and congratulating himself on the good impression he must have made. He refused to eat his breakfast, and imbittered Miss Perkins by scowling upon her and mentally comparing her to his new-found heroine. All the morning he wandered around the place, unable to turn his hand to any thing, and at last concluded to brave the battery of sly looks and giggles and ride down to Hicks's to inquire into the effects of the adventure on Miss Tabitha's health.

Acting upon this decision, he adorned himself in his best, ordered his wagon, and drove off, leaving Miss Perkins in a state of mental confusion and under the impression that he had gone mad.

When the love-stricken swain pulled up in front of Hicks's house, Mrs. H. was employed in adjusting a shiny row of milk pans along the fence, and, of course, woman-like, immediately divined his mission, and smiled slyly as she welcomed him.

"Good-day, Mr. Poddy. Just drive round to the front door, and Mary Ann shall open it for you." Then in a loud voice to Mary Ann, in the kitchen, "Mary Ann, tell Miss Jones Mr. Poddy has called to see her, and open the front door for him."

All Solomon's resolution oozed away at this open proclamation of his business.

"No, no, Mrs. Hicks," he said, in great trepidation. "I—I was only driving past, and—and—in fact—Well, where is Mr. Hicks?"

"Never mind, Mary Ann. He wants to see Hicks. You needn't tell Miss Jones," screamed the irrepressible Mrs. Hicks.

Solomon's trepidation increased, and as he noticed the movement of an upper shutter and heard a faint laugh he wished the road would open and swallow him, horse, buggy, and all.

"Oh, it's nothing in particular," stammered he. "Only I was driving past, and thought I should like to see him about—about—oh yes, about that pig."

"He's in the barn, or—here he comes," returned Mrs. H., with a look of supreme disgust on her face.

"That man is the biggest chicken-hearted goose that ever lived. I just wish he had come courtin' of me, Mary Ann," remarked the irate lady to her handmaiden, when she returned to the kitchen.

"How do, Poddy?" said Hicks, as he walked up. "Come to see how Miss Jones got over her fright? Lucky thing you was passing at the time, or she might have hurt herself. It jess beats me how these city folks do gad round in the most unairthly places;" and Mr. Hicks winked in a knowing manner.

"Hang Miss Jones!" Solomon was on the point of ejaculating, but he only smiled in a sickly manner, and asked, as if it was a matter of life or death to him.

"What do you want for that pig, Hicks?"

"What pig?" returned the mystified Hicks.

"Why—ah! that pig. Ah, that pig I passed down the road," stammered Mr. Poddy, with a guilty look, trying to remember if he *had* passed the pig in question.

"Oh, that old hog. Why, you can have him for his keep. He'll break down all your fences, and root your garden to ruins," said Hicks, with a broad grin upon his face.

"You don't see any thing laughable in me buying a hog, do you, Mr. Hicks?" asked Poddy, with mock dignity. "That's a very fine hog. I want him for the breed."

This was too much for the farmer, and he laughed outright.

Well, if you want him, send down and get him. I was thinking of shooting the old rascal," said he.

"I will," said Mr. Poddy, with great earnestness, and then he drove off. Up the road he passed a long-bodied, lean, bristly old boar, rooting in the ditch with his ugly tusk, which he presumed was his rash bargain. Giving the unfortunate grunter a lash of his whip, and cutting poor old Dobbin unmercifully over the back, he rattled home, cursing Hicks, the hog, himself, and all mankind for his own folly.

At home he was so unbearable that Miss Perkins resolved to put the screws on, and adopted her old pushing tactics to bring him to the wall but with no result.

Two miserable days passed, and then he made a desperate resolve to see Miss Jones, or drown himself in the mill-pond on his return if he was a second time so foolish as to forego that pleasure. He would go straight to the front door and ask for Miss Tabitha, without troubling either the master or the mistress of the house. He couldn't very well withdraw after that.

But this ingenious plan very nearly failed. Arriving at the house, he tied his horse in a very careful and scientific manner, who had never shown the slightest inclination to run away. Three times he got as far as the gate, and returned to satisfy himself the knot was safe. At the third attempt to mount the steps and knock, who should come round the corner of the house but old Hicks.

"It's no good," thought Solomon "I can't do it; and here is a loophole for escape."

"That you, Poddy? When are you going to send for that hog?" slyly asked the farmer.

"I—I have come for it now," stammered Solomon.

"Well, it ain't there. Come round to the barn."

Poddy's face assumed an agonized expression, and he turned away from the door, fully resolved that the coroner should have a job and the country a sensation, when a well-known face with a pair of gold spectacles appeared at a window, and Miss Tabitha's voice was heard.

"Is it really you, Mr. Poddy? I was afraid you had suffered from my foolish accident. Do come in."

Mr. Solomon Poddy went in, and was introduced to all the girls, and knocked over several chairs, gave some very contradictory answers to questions, blushed and hesitated, and, in the words of Mrs. Hicks, "behaved more like a big overgrown gawky boy than a man of fifty." All of which furnished amusement for the young lady boarders, who were sternly reproved at supper table by Miss Jones for their heartless conduct.

The ice was broken; and by some mysterious process—he never knew himself just how it was brought about—before the return flight of the boarders to New York in the fall, Tabitha Jones had confided her maidenly heart to Solomon Poddy's keeping, and they were to be married in December.

Miss Jones was possessed of a small income, which enabled her to occupy with comfort the second-floor back room of Mrs. Hasher's fashionable boarding house in twenty-third Street. Here she betook herself on the approach of frost, and decorating her room with the grasses and other spoils of the summer holidays, kept her own counsel, and waited in patience until December should come, and Solomon with it to claim his bride.

The front-room on the same floor at Mrs. Hasher's was occupied by a widow lady, Mrs. Daniel Bankum by name, and her son, Mr. Charles Bankum, was domiciled in a light and airy apartment nearer the roof. Other boarders called Mrs. Harsher's their home, but Miss Jones and Mrs. Bankum were the sole representatives of the fair sex.

Mrs. Bankum was a large, handsome, flashy woman of forty, voluble of speech, always ready to give her opinion or advise on any subject whatever. The late Mr. B. had made a fortune in oil, and then died from over-exertion and excitement in the service of his county during an unsuccessful candidature for member of congress. So the widow gave out. Bankum's assistants or "workers" in that noble fight ascribed his death to too much good nature, and a perseverance in the idea that drinking with every individual among his would-be constituents, and paying all scores himself, must surely result in an overwhelming triumph.

The widow was well supplied with ready money, and her sole need now was a successor for the dead-and-gone Bankkum, and a father, as she told the assembled company at Mrs. Hasher's for her poor boy, who, she feared, was in need of a parental hand to keep him from temptation.

Old Mr. Snuffkins, a bank cashier, and very regular in his habits, muttered to his neighbor, Miss Jones, that he hoped the parental hand would compel that young gentleman to take his boots off before going up stairs at two o'clock in the morning, and trying every door on his way to his own.

Mrs. Bankum had selected for the position of parent a certain Mr. Wilks, a wealthy gentleman in the neighborhood, and by dint of perseverance and the exercise of all her powers of fascination had almost secured his capture. The victim was a sturdy pillar in the Rev. Mr. Heartsease's church, on Fifth Avenue, and the widow had forced herself into the position of what might be called a pillaress, being president of all the ladies' sewing and relief societies, the head of all committees on entertainments, and the chief censor of the reverend gentleman, who had changed his opinion of the true meaning of the text wherein St. Paul alludes to the thorn in the flesh, since making her acquaintance.

Miss Jones also worshiped in Mr. Heartsease's tabernacle, but as an humble satellite in the galaxy that shone around her fellow-boarder.

[Conclusion next week.]

THE State of Maine has prohibited pool-selling, and all lotteries, schemes and devices of chance of whatever name or description at fairs or public gatherings, whether in the interest of churches, benevolent objects or otherwise.

THE submarine and land telegraph lines now in operation measure a distance of more than 400,000 miles, and employ 1,000,000 miles of wire. At present there are 31,000 telegraph stations, sending in the aggregate 80,000,000 messages per annum.

THE Russian royal family are reported to have put 200,000,000 roubles at the disposal of the Minister of War.

Five Hundred Millions, Gold.

THE ESTATE IN ENGLAND THE LAWRENCE-TOWNLEY HEIRS ARE LAYING CLAIM TO.

The Montreal *Witness* gives some particulars concerning the progress of the suit for the Lawrence-Townley estate in England, and says that a bill of rights has been filed in Chancery by the "true heir," William T. Lawrence, and that favorable opinions have been given by "several prominent legal firms both English and American," including Messrs. Blake, Kerr and Boyd, of Toronto, who certainly rank high as Chancery practitioners. The bill of rights is said to agree with the requirements of the Court of Chancery and to answer at all points the chart drawn by Sir William Colles when the Court rejected in 1827 and the first application of the Lawrences declared that the rightful heirs had gone to America.

There are a good many New Yorkers interested in this case, whatever there may or may not be in it. The "true heir," William T. Lawrence, is a resident of Lansingburg, and the principal counsel engaged in working it up were D. B. Carver, of Albany, and George Day, of Troy. The managing heir on the Canadian side has been W. D. Hammond, of Wardsville, Ont. The heirs were advertised for by the English relatives in the *Herald* of February 18, 1859, and November 5, 1874, some forty of them met at Toronto, representing families in Canada, New York, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Ohio, claiming descent from John and Mary Townley-Lawrence, direct or collateral.

According to the reports presented at this meeting the Lawrences have obtained a complete historical record from the middle of the twelfth to the middle of the eighteenth century. The founder of the house, Sir Robert Lawrence, was born in Rome in 1150, but removed to Lancashire, served with distinction in the Crusades, and in 1191 was knighted and received a grant of Ashton Hall. The Lawrences and Townley's intermarried, and subsequently two other large estates were adjoined by the marriage of a female Townley with Sir Francis Howard (afterward Lord Effingham), of Corby Castle, and a male Townley with the daughter of William, Lord Widrington. Towards the end of the seventeenth century a Miss Townley eloped with one of the Lawrences and was disinherited by her angry father; her mother, however, held in her own name and bequeathed her property to her daughter. The girl and her lover came over to the Colonies, their descendants settling in New England and Nova Scotia. The last descendant clearly made out is one Triphenia Lawrence, from whom the descent of any American claimant must be demonstrated. The Canadian claimants seem confident of being able to prove their title, one of them exhibiting a coffer of the said Triphenia Lawrence, and another a deed in which her name occurs. The precise value of the English estate, it may be here said, is $500,000,000.

A Matrimonial Fair.

In the southern part of Ireland a curious custom prevails, which is called "Shrafting," named from Shrove Tuesday, on which day a regular matrimonial "Tattersall" is held, where all the likely boys and girls in the parish are on view, and all the "matches" in the year are made. For days before, there is quite a stir in the neighborhood; and a twitter runs through the entire female population. There is a universal stitching and a buying of ribbons; every girl you meet in the street holds out her hand for sixpence; and you cannot speak to a domestic servant without her hanging out signals of distress.

On the day of the "Shrafting," the girls stand in a row on the village green. There is every expression on their faces—anxiety, curiosity, dull stupidity, timidity, sharp, shrewdish interest; and here and there you come on such a country beauty, with that indescribable half arch, half sly look in the eyes which Maclise has caught in perfection. At a little distance are clustered a lot of shame faced looking men—"the boys"—as they are called—all in their Sunday suits, and evidently ill at ease, eyeing with distrust the superior attractions of the coastguards, who are, like the red-coats, favorites among the ladies. But that, in reality, matters little, as the real conduct of the affair is in the hands of "the powers that be"—the fathers and mothers, who haggle and quarrel over their respective children, sometimes breaking up the negotiation abruptly and carrying off either son or daughter, as the case may be, as they would an unsalable beast from a fair.

Of course little bits of romance crop up here as elsewhere: cases of money *versus* love, and young hearts sold to the highest bidder, just as they are in a fashionable drawing-room.

SCORE ONE TO THE CREDIT of De Witt Talmage. He says that newspaper men see so many shams and so much humbug, and encounter so many bores, that his only wonder is that they believe anything.

M. RENOU, a French meteorologist, has made researches which prove that last winter was the mildest known in France since 1719.

Another Turkish Monitor Sunk.

At midnight on the 25th of May, four Russian gun boats left Ibrail, under command of Lieutenant Denbasoff, with the object of attacking and, if possible, destroying the fleet of Turkish iron-clads which had been stationed further up the Danube in the direction of Matchin. This expedition was organized with great secrecy, and only the higher officers at headquarters knew of its object, though it had been expected for some time that an effort would be made to render the stay of Turkish monitors in the Danube as uncomfortable as possible. About two hours' steaming brought the Russian gunboats to Machin, where three Turkish iron-clads lay anchored in the stream, and without delay the signal of attack was given.

THE ATTACK.

Lieutenant Denbasoff made a most admirable disposition of his gunboats and in the conduct of the action displayed great courage and sound judgment. Taking the lead in the advance, he ran his own gunboat, the Czarovitch, in between the Turkish iron-clads without paying any heed to the heavy fire which the monitors opened on the approaching gunboats. Selecting the largest of the monitors, Lieut. Denbasoff ran his boat alongside and succeeded in exploding a torpedo under her side, causing a bad leak, but not damaging her sufficiently to disable her. This partial failure was, however, remedied by the gunboat Xenia, which had closely followed the Czarovitch, and, approaching close to the Turkish monitor, succeeded in exploding under her another torpedo.

TWENTY MINUTES' WORK.

This brilliant action did not occupy more than twenty minutes from the moment of giving the signal to attack to the withdrawal of the Russian gunboats. During the action the Turks kept up a constant fire on the assailants, but the aim of the artillerists was so bad that not a single Russian was struck. The effect of this torpedo attack is likely to prove very demoralizing to the Turkish fleet in the Danube. It definitely settles the question of the value of the Turkish fleet in preventing the passage of the Danube, and will probably induce the Turkish iron-clads to remove from the too dangerous neighborhood of the Russian gunboats. Torpedoes are evidently going to prove their superiority over armor plates and heavy guns in this war.

ADVICE TO GIRLS.—An exchange says: "Why will girls run away to get married?" "We give it up," answers the Louisville *Courier-Journal*. "But we know a lot here who would be glad enough to stay at home or jump at the chance to walk out and get married. The boys ain't around asking like they did. It takes more money to run one of them now-a-days than it does to run a steamboat. Ah! girls it's your own fault. Swap off your silks and satins for lawns and calicoes; shut up the piano and dive into a wash-tub; throw away your fancy work and tackle a red-hot stove in the kitchen. Instead of receiving Brown, the banker's son, in the parlor, keep your eye skinned for Bill Burns, the blacksmith's son, as he goes home from work; kiss his dirty face thro' a broken pane of glass in the kitchen window, and after a while, when he learns his trade and you know your business, get married, go to housekeeping by yourselves, help each other, live happy, raise a family that will be an honor to your names and a credit to themselves, die happy, and the angels will not turn their backs upon you up there.

THE owners of the "Great Eastern" are, it is said considering the propriety of converting that magnificent vessel into a huge refrigerating chamber for the conveyance of American meat. A recent examination has disclosed the fact that, like the "Great Britain"—another of Brunel's ships—the hull is practically in as good condition as when first built, and the directors consider it would be wise to raise sufficient money to put new and improved engines and boilers in the vessel. They have been empowered to prepare a rough estimate of the cost of the new machinery; and in the fact that the vessel can even now steam as fast as any of the Atlantic liners, the trade of meat which is being developed, not only with the United States but also with Brazil, promises to open a wide field of usefulness—a trade in which the great vessel need never carry only half a load.—*Scientific American.*

THE last murderer hung was Charles Tourmey, who was executed at Americus, Georgia, on 18th May. He outraged and murdered a Mrs. Caraway. A short time before his execution he sold his body to the jail physician for three dollars. On the scaffold he made a profane speech saying "I dream not death. Jesus is with me. Jesus has made my yoke to bear. I will soon be at rest forever." But the poor wretch seems not to have been the worst of the parties concerned. Caraway, whose wife he murdered a month ago, drove into town, and procured a second marriage license, for a second wife and then went to see the execution.

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Sackville, N. B., June 7, 1877.

Westmorland County Court.

The June settings of the Westmorland County Court commenced on Tuesday at the New Court House in Dorchester. There was present the usual array of Counsel, learned in the law, prepared and eager for the legal fights in prospect. They, their clients and witnesses, were on hand, and as soon as His Honor had charged the Grand Jury, the usual swarming of lawyers around the Clerk's table took place. On the causes standing over from the last Court being called, the urbane Clerk politely intimated that the Jury fees, $4 in each case must, under the Act passed at the last Session of the Legislature, be paid in each case, before he entered it. The Judge was appealed to, and confirmed the decision of the Clerk. Then was exhibited a scene never before witnessed in the County, and which, in all probability, will never be seen again. Every lawyer present was on one side, each insisting that a cause once entered for trial and standing over till the next Court did not require a new entry, and these causes having been entered before the Act of the Legislature had passed, the Act could have no restrospective operation. The Judge, however, was firm in his view of the law. Then the hurried whispered consultation among Nestor, Solons and Lycurguses of the Bar—lions and lambs—all united as so many sucking doves in solving the conundrum of how they should manage to keep the demanded fees, amounting in the aggregate to some $300 in their pockets. Quick in resolve, and ready in action, they united in protesting against the decision of the Judge, and as we believe offered as a test case to enter one cause which, being refused without the payment of the fees, will be taken to the Supreme Court on appeal to decide this important question, and in consequence the large docket of Civil causes was not entered, and but one cause, in which the fees were paid before the question arose, was entered for trial and which is set down for trial on Monday next.

DOCKET FOR CIVIL CAUSES FOR TRIAL AT JUNE COUNTY COURT, 1877.

Alexander Easterbrooks and Ruth his wife, *vs.* Harley Sears.
C. Milner, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The Humor of the "Times."

The legal erudition of the Moncton *Times* is only equalled by the startling originality of its jokes. It can congratulate itself in possessing no less than four jokes, and as if to compensate for their paucity in numbers, they are made to do duty often and with great punctuality. One or the other of them is seldom absent from the columns of the *Times;* they occur with the regularity of the moon's changes. They have become so well known that any reader of the *Times* can predict almost in advance the joke of the coming week. It is true they are not quite as fresh as they once were—especially as they were second-hand when the Editor of the *Times* seized them—it is true by long travelling and much work they have become as footsore as a circus mule, still as of yore they delight the ever fresh heart of the gentle Steyens. Can his readers deny him such innocent delight? If a stray reader becomes weary with the oft' familiar story of the Brobdignagian feet—a story redolent with age and ragged with work, can he complain when he considers how much fun the Editor himself has—how, when he wants an afternoon's relaxation, the great Regulator of Albert County secludes himself from the world and ponders over it, until he suddenly quakes and shakes with laughter and opening the vast aperture provided by nature, the whole cavern appears in a most gigantic whirlwind of merriment, and then subsiding, he slaps his sides and says: "Ha, Stevens! What an amusin' cuss you are."

Commercial.

The *Monetary Times* of June 1st, says: In general business we cannot say there has been any marked activity, still, as times go, there is no just cause for complaint in any department of trade. Remittances continue steadily to improve. The flour market is unsettled, and buyers and sellers are apart in their views.

Groceries are in moderate request; tea a turn dearer; sugar, steady; molasses advancing.

For Toronto it reports a marked decline in the flour and meal market during the few days then just past.

Late market quotations are as follows:

New York, June 4.—Flour: "Gilt Edge" $11.25; "Snow Bird" $9.75; "Southern Belle" $6.75; Cornmeal K. D. (best) $3.60; Western $2.90.

June 5.—Flour dull; prices without change though tending in buyers favour.

Montreal, June 4.—Flour: Market inactive. Superior Extra $8.25 to $8.50; Extra $8.00 to $8.15; Superfine $6.90 to $7.00.

New York, June 5.—Gold opened and closed at 105¾, with most sales at 105⅞.

WEATHER, CROPS, &c.—The weather since the beginning of June has been warm and farmers have been enabled to make up for delay in sowing, occasioned by the backwardness of the spring. Potatoes and cereals are mostly in, and preparations for the turnip and mangel crop are in a forward state. Grass, especially broadleaf, is looking well on the marshes; but rain is much needed. The surrounding country was visited with copious showers on Monday, but only a few drops fell here.

THE Governor General leaves Ottawa for Manitoba July 25th. Preparations are being made to give him a hearty welcome.

Municipal Elections.

Albert County.

ELGIN.

The election of Councillors took place on 29th ult. The following are the returns:

John McGee	190
William Howard	159
Thos. A. Colpitts	158
Jas. H. Horseman	87
James Aiton	17

Everything passed off very quietly, though the party feeling was strong. The great question was the collection of the railway taxes. Mr. Aiton was in favor of the parish paying the tax, and this accounts for his small support; for the most popular man in the parish could not get fifty votes on that ticket. The other four were all anti-railway men, and the choice was merely a matter of form. After their nomination each of the candidates made a short speech. Mr. McGee spoke first, and was well received. Mr. Colpitts next took the platform, and made a fair speech, but being nervous did not do himself justice. The other candidates were very brief. Squire Hopper, of Salisbury, acted as Sheriff for the day. When the votes were counted and the result made known, each of the candidates again made short speeches. In the early part of the day some of the Elgin rowdies sat up a bar in a retired part of the village and began vending rum of the vilest quality, but their customers soon began to make a noise, when W. P. Robinson, S. M., gave the parties notice to stop their work, or he would force them to, and in a short time the disgraceful work was ceased. Squire Hopper made a good speech at the close of the election.

HARVEY.

The following were the candidates and returns:

G. R. Smith	181
Israel Wells	170
J. W. Turner	128
Edwin Copp	118

HOPEWELL.

The candidates and returns were as follows:

M. B. Palmer	128
Elisha Peck	113
Jas. Carworth	106
Gilbert Peck	101

COVERDALE.

The candidates and votes were as follows:

Chambers Gashin	67
Lewis J. Steves	64
E. Outhouse	60

Westmorland County.

SHEDIAC.

The returns were as follows:

Galland	453
Harper	257
Pelletier	209
Harshman	168

Plumpers were polled as follows:

Galland	183
Harper	36
Harshman	15
Pelletier	10

THE MONCTON *Times* thinks that Messrs. Rogers and Ryan had little or nothing to do with the Albert Railway. In this it shows it possesses a very bad memory. It apparently forgets the fact that the old Ring, of which Mr. P. R. Cook was boss, and the Editor of the *Times* Fugleman, has been dead many months. It has forgotten that it is not Lewis and Turner but Rogers and Ryan who represent Albert County. It has forgotten that its frantic appeals to the people of Albert to elect Lewis and Turner, because it would be dangerous to hand over the Railway to its archenemies, Rogers and Ryan, were treated with merited contempt by the electors. It has forgotten that all its doleful predictions with reference to the fate of the Railway, should Rogers and Ryan be elected, have all been falsified by the logic of events. It has forgotten that in spite of all the confidence it has so often expressed in Mr. P. R. Cooke, in his credit and ability to carry out the work to a successful issue, that he, after humbugging and delaying the work for years, left the country in a hurry between two days, with creditors for large amounts to mourn his absence, and that it is not Mr. P. R. Cooke for whom it acted as trumpeter, who is building the Albert Railway, but the men whom it denounced and slandered as determined enemies of the enterprise, have exercised their political power and placed the Railway in its present position. To these men belong the credit and not to P. R. Cooke, the *Times*, Hon. J. Lewis, et. al., the Albert Ring.

Our Fisheries.

The report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for 1879 has been issued, and shows that this interest is in an encouraging state. The gross value of the fisheries is given:—

	1875	1876
Nova Scotia,	$5,573,851.58	$6,029,049.94
New Brunswick,	2,427,654.16	1,953,388.49
Quebec,	1,596,758.15	2,097,667.18
Ontario,	453,194.00	437,229.70
P. E. Island,	238,927.49	494,967.08
Manitoba.		30,590.75
British Columbia,		104,697.00
Total,	$10,350,385.29	$11,147,590.14
Increase in 1876 less Manitoba and British Columbia,		$662,917

For the fiscal years ending June 30th, 1875 and 1876, exports and imports of fish and fish oils were as follows:—

	1875	1876
Exports,	$5,380,527	$5,591,221
Increase in 1876, $120,694		
	1875	1876
Imports,	$1,600,200	$1,455,851
Decrease in 1876, $144,438		

The number of officers at the close of 1876 was 582. There are seven fish-breeding establishments, situated as follows: Two in Ontario, three in Quebec, one in New Brunswick, at Miramichi; one in Nova Scotia, at Bedford. The total number of *ova* that would be hatched this spring was nearly 14,000,000.

The Commissioner claims that the success of this department is shown by the number of fish now taken in waters, supplied by this agency, after having become depopulated. The necessity of measures for the protection of the oyster and lobster fisheries is strongly enforced.

CHARLOTTETOWN is becoming ambitious. It has now a daily paper—the *Examiner*.

Mr. Gladstone's Resolutions.

HIS SPEECH.

This debate was in many respects the most important that has taken place in the House of Commons for years. It was known that a large portion of the Opposition was prepared to oppose the resolution, and hence the great statesman was led to omit the offensive portion thereof. This caused a storm, especially in the Government benches, as Government supporters were, of course, anxious to see a split in the Opposition. It was only after the enactment of many scenes, generally supposed to be inconsistent with the dignity of a British House of Commons, that Mr. Gladstone was able to proceed. His speech, at many points, proved that the spirit of the old war horse was but little abated, and Gladstone still may rank as the prince of British orators. We give some interesting extracts. Referring to Lord Derby's despatch he says:

"What did it demand? It demanded reparation for the past and security for the furture. But now twelve months have passed away, and, in fact, very little progress had been made in rebuilding villages and other steps of reform indicated. The men whom Lord Derby pointed out for condign punishment either roam about with impunity or have been actually rewarded. There is everything to prove that these massacres were originally designed by the Turks. After the massacres, and when the Turkish government was perfectly well informed about them, they proceeded not to punish the malefactors, but to imprison and hang more Bulgarians, and when a stir began to be made, illusory inquiries were set up, and from these illusory inquiries there proceeded reports which I cannot describe except as lying reports (cheers). They were described as lying reports by the United States Consul, and in language exactly equivalent, though rather more civil, by Mr. Baring and by Sir Henry Elliot as untrustworthy reports.

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Now what are British interests? and for what purpose is that phrase being used? The phrase is the most elastic in the world. Consider the position of this empire. Consider how far from this little island we have stretched out our arms into every port in the world,—Consider how our commerce finds its way into every port on the surface of the earth. And then I ask you what quarrel can ever arise between any two countries, or what war in which you may not, if you be so minded, set up British interest as a ground of war. That is the case in India in particular. We go to the other end of the world as a company of merchants, we develop the arts and arms of conquerors, we rule over a vast space of territory containing 200,000,000 people, and what do we say? We lay a virtual claim to a veto upon all the political arrangements of all the countries and seas which can possibly constitute any one of the routes between England and the East. We say to one State, you must do nothing in the Black Sea at Batoum, because Batoum and Erzeroum may one day become a route to the East. We say you must do nothing in Syria or Bagdad, because we may finally discover the valley of the Euphrates to be a route to the East. The Suez Canal was made for the benefit of the whole world, but it is thought by some of these pretenders that we have rights there which are quite distinct in kind from those of the rest of the world, and that we are entitled to assert our mastery there without regard to the interest of the rest of mankind.

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Ought we not to look, not at sentiment, but at the hard facts of the case, which Lord Derby told us fifteen years ago—namely, that it is the population of those countries that will ultimately possess them—that ultimately determine their future condition? It is to this that we should look, and there is now before the world a glorious prize. A portion of those people are making an effort to retrieve what they have lost—I mean those in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Another portion—a band of heroes such as the world has rarely seen—stand on the rock of Montenegro, are ready, as they have ever been during their 400 years of exile from their fertile plain, to meet the Turks at any odds for the re-establishment of justice and peace in those countries. Another portion still, the five millions of Bulgarians cowed and beaten down to the ground, hardly venturing to look upwards, even to their Father in Heaven, have extended their hands to you, they have sent you their petition, they have prayed to you for help and protection. They have told you that they do not want alliance with Russia or with any Foreign Power, but that they want to be delivered from an intolerable burden of woe and shame. That burden of woe and shame—the greatest that exist on God's earth—is one that we thought united Europe was about to remove, that in the Protocol united Europe was pledged to remove, but which for the present you seem to have no efficacious means of contributing to the removal of. But, Sir, the removal of that load of woe and shame is a great and noble prize. It is a prize well worth competing for. It is not yet too late to try to win it. I think there are men in the Cabinet who would try to win it. It is not yet too late, I say, to become competitors for that prize; but be assured that whether you mean to claim for yourself a part of the immortal crown of fame which will be the reward of true labor in that cause, or whether you turn your backs upon that cause and your duty, I believe, for one, that the knell of Turkish tyranny in those Provinces has sounded. It is about to be destroyed, perhaps not in the way or by the means that we should choose: but come the boon from what hands it may, I believe it will be accepted gladly by Christendom and by the world.

NOT LOCAL AIMS, not local objects, but the general good ought to be the govering principle with editors as with statesmen. A paper in Amherst panders to local prejudices and selfishness by the following gem:

"If Tupper was over-reached and outwitted by a selfish and defunct old politician like Chandler in Dorchester, and our Town so near the Spring Hill Coal Mines, cheated out of the Railway Machine Shops at Moncton, how, when disliked by the Government and daily opposing them, can he assist East or West either in obtaining the 'Northern Light' or securing a reparing shop for Amherst."

THAT CHROMOMETER.—The *Times*, so bold and defiant a month or two ago *in re* Todd, and so ready with its $300 chromometer offer, has of late doffed the lion's skin to put on that of a calf. Ever since the offer made in the *Times* was accepted, that paper has been dumb and speechless as an Egyptian mummy, with respect to such offer. When we ask how and when it is proposed to carry out the offer, that paper is mum. How much real, honest sincerity prompted the offer?—or was it done to throw dirt in the eyes of and blind the public?

WHERE ARE THE CONSOLIDATED STATUTES?—Every person is interested in the laws of the land, and the mentioned delay in their publication (which can only result from mismanagement or neglect of the Government), creates great inconvenience and is stirring up universal disgust against the powers that be.

OUR ST. JOHN LETTER.

The cry is hard times. Relief is afforded to a large portion of the laboring classes by the work afforded in loading vessels with deals, but it is after all only temporary. Last winter was one of much distress, and many people look forward to the coming winter with doleful anticipations. The large shipments of deals has been a great blessing. The ship-owning interest does not at present look encouraging. Shipping agents all complain at the state of freights. No freight for grain, oil or anything are to be had from American ports. One ship-owner told your correspondent this morning that he had not seen such poor times for shipping in a thirty-four years' experience, and a member of another large firm said he was never before at a loss what to do with his ships, until now. Outside the shipping interests the trade, etc., of the city seems to be healthy. Merchants complain of poor times, but then most of them are doing less than former years. The importations of some of them have been reduced one half since the inflation times of two and three years ago. The generally sound state of country business is encouraging.

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SIMONDS VS. GILBERT

still drags its slow length along. The Plaintiffs are the children of the late Henry Simonds, married and single, who have brought an action of ejectment against Thomas Gilbert, Esq., Vice-President of the Bank of New Brunswick, for lands willed to latter by the late Richard Simonds, a brother of Henry. They contend that their uncle Richard, being drunk for a period of nearly six years previously to his making his cousin Thomas, his heir, he had become so besotted by alcoholism of the brain, that he was incapacitated from making a will. The case has occupied twenty-five days. The Judges' notes number 300 pages, and yet they do not appear to be nearly through. Your correspondent dropped into Court this morning. Judge Wetmore was presiding. The Counsel ranged on either side of the table, were for Plaintiff, Palmer, Weldon and Sturdee, for Defendent Thompson, Baker and Gilbert. Although the case excites much interest—involving as it does a present rent roll of $20,000 per anum and the title to a property that in twenty-five years time may be worth a million of dollars—only one or two spectators were present, the Chamber was almost empty. The only one of the parties present was the Count de Bury, the husband of a daughter of Henry Simonds. Mr. Palmer was cross-examining Dr. Preston, who attended Richard Simonds. The evidence of the Dr., though called for the defence, is understood to have disclosed facts shewing the demented mind and sympathies of the testator. Opinions are divided as to the probable result.

Two of our enterprising mechanics, viz: Price & Shaw, carriage makers, were

BURNED OUT

for the second time within a few weeks, on Sunday morning. The last fire destroys the last remnants of a business built up by twenty years of industry. The worst of it is, it is believed to be the work of an incendiary. The buildings on Prince William street, burned out some time ago, are being rebuilt and will be re-occupied in a month or so.

Amongst the new buildings in St. John, that are really creditable to the City and Province, is the North British building in Canterbury street, occupied by

EVERETT & BUTLER,

which is 48 x 52, and five storeys, brick with a stone front. It is perhaps, the most convenient and perfect building of the kind in the Maritime Provinces. It has the only elevator in Canada, the motive power for which is furnished by water. The cellar is occupied by the firm for storing grey cottons, etc.; the first floor, with offices; the second with millinery and small goods; the third with clothes; the fourth with dress goods and clothing, and the fifth for packing and reserved stock. Messrs. Everett & Butler are to be congratulated on having within a few years established a business that demands such spacious premises.

The boat race between

ROSS AND PLAISTED

to-day excites but little interest, except amongst sporting men. There is not the universal hegira from the city as in the days of Bob Fulton and Renforth. Ross is a little giant from Memramcook. He stands 6 ft. 1 in., and weighs 190 lbs. His friends believe that the laurels of the boat-racing world will within the next few years crown him, as he is yet very young.

Amongst the new industries of the place, just starting is

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Mr. Nannery has a company at the

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

The play on Saturday evening, Nick of the Words, was a "beastly affair," but something better is promised to night—"Around the World in Eighty Days." X.

THE LADIES' ACADEMY report in our paper last week, contained a slight error with respect to the Alumnæ. Natural Science Prize was awarded to Miss Lizzie McGregor, Cape Breton. Mathematical Scholarship, to Miss Josephine Smith, Coverdale, N. B.

THE *Sentinel* (Amherst), has of late improved and become more like a live newspaper. But it must not again impose upon its readers by taking up half a column, in "blowing" about a $2.50 War Map.

Two Great Men Gone.

On the 29th of May, Americans were called to mourn the death of two countrymen, who, in seperate departments of literary works, had been eminently successful. The one, in language grand and stirring, has portrayed the picture of a brave and determined people throwing off the yoke of the most crushing tyranny the world has ever seen,—the other made it his life's work to give to all such a pure and elevating literature as would tend to make men better.

JOHN LOTHROP MOTLEY

was born in Massachussetts, in 1814. He studied at Harvard where he took his degree in 1831. He afterwards spent several years in European universities returning to America in 1837. He studied law, but soon abandoned that profession to enter upon that literary career which has proved so brillant. After writing several minor works he commenced a history of Holland, and in 1856, appeared, "The Rise of the Dutch Republic." In 1860, he published two volumns of his "History of the Netherlands," and in 1867, the remaining volumns of the same work. At the time of his death he was engaged on what promised to be the greatest work of his life, "The History of the Thirty Years' War." He in 1874, published an introductory volume stating the causes of the war. Like those other historic lights, Prescott and Macaulay, he died young, having only attained his 63rd year: and like them he died leaving his self-assigned work unfinished. It is to be hoped that this work is in such an advanced state that the world may profit by his last five years' labour.

FLETCHER HARPER,

the last and youngest of the great publishing firm, was born in 1806, on a farm in Long Island. He received a good English education, and in 1817, was apprenticed to his brothers, John and James, who had started a printing establishment in New York. In 1825, he was admitted to partnership as his brother Wesley had been two years before. In 1833, the firm assumed the style of Harper & Brothers, by which they were ever after known. Their aim has ever been to provide a literature at once gratifying popular taste and supplying solid mental food. Several "libraries" have issued from their presses, the last of which, "The Library of Select Novels," comprising many of the most valuable of English and American works of fiction, now numbers 470 volumes and is still receiving additions. The *Magazine* was originated in 1850, and later the *Weekly* and *Bazar*. In 1853, the firm suffered the only serious loss in its history. Their publishing house, with all its plates, &c., was totally destroyed by fire. With a determined spirit they at once set about the work of repairing their loss, and soon arose the great building, still to be seen on Franklin Square. Fletcher, received a better education than the other brothers, and, though he made no pretentions to literary skill, his judgment was sound and to his common-sense ideas of the popular want was due, in a great measure, the success of the firm. At his suggestion the *Magazine* was started, which in its class is without a rival.

Having been for some time a great sufferer, he at length breathed his last, honoured alike for noble characteristics of heart and mind.

CUSTOMS RETURNS.—the following is a comparative statement of the Customs returns in St. John for the month of May:—

	1876.	1877.
Customs,	$82,386 18	$93,079 16
Sick Mariners' Fund,	949 54	706 54
Miscellaneous,	102 02	100 16
Total,	$83,437 74	$93,885 86
Increase in 1877. $10,448 12		

The Halifax returns for the same period are as follows:

	1876.	1877.
Customs,	$70,908 18	$84,021 32
Signal Tax,	114 00	94 00
Sick Mariners' Fund,	469 61	454 03
Other revenue,	391 85	472 58
Total,	$71,883 64	$85,041 93
Increase in 1877, $13,158 29		

GRANT IN EUROPE.—The ex-president is being received with distinguished honors in his European tour. At Queenstown he was presented with an address and invited to visit Ireland previous to his return to America. He was feasted and *feted* by the Mayor and other dignitaries in Liverpool, and in company with the Prince of Wales he attended the Epsom races. This may be all intended as the expression of international courtesy and good feeling, but is it not possible that the General himself, and his ardent friends have ulterior prospects in view? It is barely possible that Grant might be induced to listen to proposals for a "third term" after his four years vacation. Our American cousins with all their republican sentiment, are not blind to the halo that surrounds a titled head. These attentions begun in England will probably be continued in continental countries, and with all the *eclat* which such associations must tend to give, General Grant may return to the United States a more popular man than at any time since the day he entered Richmond, the hero of the war and the crusher of the rebellion.

PAPAL FORESIGHT.—It is said that a large portion of the $600,000, Pilgrims' offerings to his Holiness has been deposited in England to provide against possible needs of the Holy See.

ANOTHER DEFAULTER.—*Ottawa, May* 31.—It is rumored that one of the Pacific Railway surveyors, who was recently dismissed, had overdrawn his account $30,000.

ROME, JUNE 3RD.—The Pope today, at the celebration of the fiftieth anniversay of his episcopate received about 5000 pilgrims.

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9 cases GENERAL HARDWARE;
1 cask do. do;
12 dozen PAILS;
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3000 lbs. Dry & Tarred Sheathing Paper;
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30 doz. prs. Ladies' & Misses' Serge and Fine Leather Boots and Slippers—Serge Boots 75c. to $2.50;
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12 TONS full assortment sizes, for Blacksmiths & Carriage Builders.

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ONE CASK SUGAR;
25 qls. POLLOCK;
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Timothy and Clover Seed!

100 BUSHELS TIMOTHY SEEDS;
400 lbs. Red Clover Seed;
100 lbs. Alsike Clover Seed.

For Sale at Lowest Rates.

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Advertisements This Day.

CHURCH OPENING.

THE TRUSTEES OF COOKVILLE METHODIST CHURCH have great pleasure in announcing that the NEW CHURCH BUILDING will be

DEDICATED

on SABBATH, JUNE 10th, by Rev. C. STEWART, D.D., at 10 a. m.; also, service at half-past 2 p. m.

About $160 are required to clear the Church of debt. An effort will be made to raise this amount on the day of opening. Friends will please prepare.

(june 7)

TENDERS

WILL be received by this Department at Ottawa, up to the 25th June next, for the construction of a Brick Reservoir at the Cape d'Or Fog Whistle Station, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia.

Specifications can be seen at the Agency of this Department, at Halifax, and St. John, N. B., and at the Custom House, Parrsboro, where also forms of tender can be procured by intending contractors.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside, "Tenders for Cape d'Or Reservoir."

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine, &c.

Department of Marine, &c.,
Ottawa, 28th May, 1877. } june 7—11

Sheriff's Sale!

To be sold at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the fifteenth day of December next, at the Court House in Dorchester, between the hours of twelve and four o'clock in the afternoon:—

ALL the right, title, interest, claim, property and demand of Eneas Lean, his possessory right and right of entry, both at law and in Equity, of, in, and to all those lands and premises, situate lying and being in the Parish of Botsford, in the County of Westmorland, described as follows:—"That piece, or parcel of land, on which the said Eneas Lean resides,—bounded northerly by the Emigrant road; easterly by lands of Timothy Lean; southerly by lands of Thomas Trenholm, and westerly by lands occupied by John Lean, and containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES more or less; also, a piece of Marsh Land, bounded north-easterly by the road leading to the Light house; southerly and easterly by marsh of William B. Allen, and westerly by the creek running through the Bayfield marsh, and containing TWO ACRES more or less. Also, a piece of Upland, bounded northerly by the Emigrant road; westerly by land of Andrew Mitten; southerly by lands of William McGlashen and the said Eneas Lean; and easterly by lands occupied by Timothy Lean. The said last mentioned piece of Upland being in the occupation of John Lean, and containing One Hundred Acres, more or less. Also, another lot of Marsh Land, bounded northerly by the Marsh occupied by the said Daniel Lean; easterly by the said marsh occupied by the said Eneas Lean; southerly by a Creek; and westerly by lands formerly occupied by Benjamin Trenholm, and containing Four Acres, more or less.

Also, all other real estate of the said Eneas Lean, wheresoever situate, or howsoever described, within my bailiwick. The same having been taken and seized by virtue of several executions issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province against the said Eneas Lean.

BLAIR BOTSFORD,
Dorchester, June 5, 1877. Sheriff.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,

Saturday, 26th day of May, 1877.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under the provisions of the Act passed in the Session of the Parliament of Canada, held in the 31st year of Her Majesty's Reign, chaptered 60, and known as "The Fisheries Act,"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Fishery Regulation adopted by the Governor General in Council on the 10th May, 1876, relating to the Lobster Fishery, be rescinded and that the following be substituted therefor:

"In the Province of Nova Scotia, "Prince Edward Island and that part of "the Province of New Brunswick comprising the Counties of Charlotte, St. "John and Albert, no person shall fish "for, catch, kill, buy, sell or possess any "Lobsters from the 1st to the 31st day of "August in each year.

"And in that part of the Province of "New Brunswick comprising the Counties "of Westmoreland, Kent, Northumberland, Gloucester and Restigouche, together with the Province of Quebec, no "person shall fish for, catch, kill, buy, "sell or possess any Lobsters from the "20th day of August to the 15th day of "September in each year."

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
june 7—2i Clerk, Privy Council.

Customs Department.

OTTAWA, Feb. 2, 1877.

AUTHORIZED discount on American Invoices until further notice, 5 per cent.

J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

To Arrive!!

250 TONS HARD COAL,

Lump, Egg and Chestnut.

For sale on arrival.

may 31 A. & W. OGDEN.

The MISSES McLEOD,

Dress & Cloak Makers,

(LATE OF BOSTON)

TAKE this opportunity of thanking their friends and the public for the liberal support they have received since coming to Amherst and informing them that they have taken Rooms in

THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE CO.'S STORE,

where they will be pleased to serve all who may favor them with their patronage, and where ladies intending to purchase will have the advantage of a selection from a large variety of Dress Goods, Cloths, Trimmings, &c., if they wish.

Ladies wishing to do their own Dress Making can have Suits or Garments cut and fitted, or can be furnished with Patterns.

Dresses, Cloaks, Costumes and Wedding Trousseau made to order at short notice and in the most fashionable styles.

WANTED—Several Apprentices.

A. McLEOD,
may 29 J. McLEOD.

DISCOUNTS!

CASH WANTED.

Clearance Sale

—AT—

C. A. BOWSER'S.

ALL GOODS MARKED

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Tremendous Discount.

Call and Examine Stock.

apr 12 C. A. BOWSER.

TEACHER WANTED.

☞ A Second-class Teacher wanted at Cookville.

JNO. LUND,
JAS. McAFEE, } Trustees.
JNO. COOK,

Sackville, April 19, 1877.

White & Fancy Shirts.

JUST RECEIVED—2 cases of WHITE and COLORED, containing 20 dozen, most of them made to order, and can guarantee them a perfect fitting SHIRT. The colored Shirts are all nice, neat and new patterns, and very cheap.

For sale by
may 17—4i GEO. E. FORD.

CHEAPER

Dress Goods!

CHEAPER

MILLINERY!

CHEAPER

Dry Goods

THAN EVER!

AT

W. D. MAIN & Co'S.

—ALSO—

Nottingham Lace Curtains;
250 Fr. pcs. of Prints to select from;
LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING;
Gent's Drawers and Fancy Shirts;
GENTS' FELT HATS, &c.

Amherst, N. S., May 31, 1877.

UNION HOTEL.

GEORGE W. SHAW, Proprietor.

Hopewell Corner, A. C.

(may 24)

Crockery Ware!

3 CRATES WARE—including

WHITE TEA SETTS;
GILT TEA SETTS;
CHAMBER SETTS;
CUPS AND SAUCERS, VEGETABLE DISHES, &c.

Far below recent high prices.

may 10—4i J. F. ALLISON.

GROCERIES.

PRIME Barbados MOLASSES, TEA, SUGAR, DRIED APPLES, OATMEAL; together with usual Stock of first-class GROCERIES.

may 10—4i J. F. ALLISON.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having any claims against the Estate of the late HENRY OGDEN of Westmorland, farmer, deceased, will please render their Accounts, duly attested, to the subscribers within Three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate will please make immediate payment to

NELSON OGDEN,
ANGUS McQUEEN, } Executors.

Jollcure, May 2nd, 1877. (may 10)

Ready-made Clothing!

A FURTHER supply of CLOTHING has just been received, making the Stock one of the most complete in the place, which is offered at right prices.

may 10—4i J. F. ALLISON.

Boots & Shoes.

IN STORE:

8 CASES BOOTS AND SHOES, comprising a good assortment for Men's, Women's and Children's wear, at prices fully ten per cent. cheaper than last year.

My stock of LADIES' SERGEE BOOTS is well worth examination.

may 10—4i J. F. ALLISON.

1877 Spring & Summer. 1877

THE AMHERST WAREHOUSE CO.,

M. SLEEP, J. E. PURDY, C. H. BENT,

General Importers.

Received by late arrivals from LONDON, MANCHESTER, BIRMINGHAM, BRADFORD, LEEDS and LIVERPOOL on the other side, as well as from MONTREAL, BOSTON, NEW YORK, ST. JOHN and HALIFAX on this side of the water, a great variety of NEW and SEASONABLE GOODS, which, being added to our various Departments, enables us to place before the public one of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks of General Merchandize ever shown in this place. The whole bought from FIRST-CLASS HOUSES on most favorable terms and for sale at BOTTOM PRICES.

WE DIRECT THE ATTENTION OF BUYERS TO THE FOLLOWING LINES:

DRY GOODS!

Grey, White and Printed Cottons,

English and American makes.

GREY AND WHITE SHIRTINGS.

A lot of English Cottons of superior quality and value, imported expressly to meet the wants of parties requiring an extra good article.

Table Linens, Napkins, Towels; Osnaburgs, Beddings, Quilts, Tickings; Fancy Shirtings, Lace Curtains; Curtain Nets, Window Damasks; Black and Fancy Cloths;

Straw Hats, Wool Hats, Fur Hats, Caps.

Gent's White and Colored Shirts; Undershirts and Drawers, Ties; Braces, Bows, Scarfs, Collars; Trimmings and Small Wares;

BOOTS AND SHOES.

FANCY DRESS GOODS!

Over 100 Pieces—Latest Patterns—Most Fashionable Shades.

Most desirable materials at a great range of prices.

BLACK ALPACAS, LUSTRES; BRILLIANTINES and CORDS; BLACK and COLORED SILKS.

Mourning Dress Goods.

Baratheas, Kenrietta, Cloths; Cashmeres, Matelasse, Metz Cords; Paramattas, French Twills; FRENCH MERINOS; Washing Dress Goods; Linen Costumes.

☞ DRESSMAKERS ON THE PREMISES. (Rooms lately fitted up.)

DRESSES, MANTLES and COSTUMES made to order at short notice.

Black & Colored Kid Gloves, first choice; Rouillion's, Josephine and other makes.

CARPETS.

UNION CARPETS, TAPESTRY CARPETS, WOOL CARPETS; HEMP CARPETS, STAIR CARPETS, HEARTH RUGS; DOOR MATS AND FLOOR OIL CLOTH.

These Goods being very low this season, Housekeepers should take advantage of this opportunity to buy cheap.

ROOM PAPER—120 Patterns.

The Excelsior Window Shades,

JUST THE THING WANTED!

Hardware!

POCKET and TABLE CUTLERY.

Building Material. Paints, Oils, Glass, Nails, Screws, Hinges, Locks and Bolts.

Saddlery Hardware. English and American Jap'd, Brass and Silver-Plated Harness Mountings.

Carriage Hardware. Springs, Axles, Shafts, Rims, Spokes, Castings.

Iron and Steel. Chains, Traces, Saws, Files, Planes, Chisels, &c.

Earthenware and Glassware!

JUGS, CROCKS, MILK PANS.

House Furniture!

Bedroom Setts, Bedsteads, Chairs, Tables, Parlor Suits, Hat Trees.

GROCERIES.

TEAS direct from London, selected with care for this market; SUGAR, MOLASSES, Starch, London Spices, Vinegar, Pickles, &c., &c.

☞ As our Stock is heavy and times hard, we are marking all Goods at a small advance on COST, and invite an inspection of Goods and Prices.

The Amherst Warehouse Co.

Fancy Bazaar

—AT—

CRA E'S CORNER.

GEO. E. FORD

HAS RECEIVED:

20 Cases and Bales

OF

SPRING & SUMMER

Dry and Fancy Goods!

ALL THE NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON!

Latest and most Fashionable Goods from English, American, and French markets.

IN DRESS GOODS, the Stock is complete:—

Black French Merino; Cashmere, Cashmerette; Barathea Cloth, Crape Cloth; Empress and Swiss Cords; Lustres, Coburgs, &c.

Fancy Checks, Stripes & Brocades

In all the New Shades.

Striped and Checked Grenadines,

Grey and Striped JAPANESE SILKS; SILK MIXED GOODS: SICILIAN CORDS; MATALASSE GOODS;

Variety of colors and makes.

Linens for Costumes,

In Plain and Fancy Checks and Stripes, and Matalasse; Trimmings to match in Linen and Embroidery, (colors), etc., etc.

COLORED GALATEA STRIPES; MUSLINS; BRILLIANTS; MARSEILLES; PIQUETS, &c., &c.

White and Grey Cottons, Prints and Cambrics.

All the leading styles and qualities—American and English manufactures—at extremely low prices. From 7½ cts. upwards.

Shawls and Mantles!

ELEGANT SHAWLS, in Stripes and Plaids, which far exceeds any ever offered in price and style. A few Black and White SILK SHAWLS at a bargain.

Handsome Mantles,

in Plain and Fancy Cloths and Matalasses. Cloths in newest styles and very cheap.

Forks, Hoes, etc.

GARDEN RAKES, HOES, SPADING FORKS, Straw and Manure Forks, Potato Hooks, &c., &c. For sale low.

GEO. E. FORD.

Sundry Articles

COLORED and BLACK SUN SHADES and PARASOLS; TABLE MATS; Wall Screens; Shawl Straps; MOTTOES all sizes; new styles Book Marks, Bouquets, Flower Baskets, Perforated Card-board, White, Silver and Colors. Worsteds in all colors for filling in; Berlins and Allusions all shades; Scotch Fingerns all colors; Brown, Blue, Silver, Drabs, Slate, White KNITTING COTTONS; Linen Collars and Cuffs, in White and Fancy colors; Ruffilings, White Curtains, Lamberquins; Ladies' Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs; New Silk and Fancy Ties.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

A FULL STOCK of Ladies', Misses' and Children's SUN HATS,—very new styles and at very low prices.

SPRING and SUMMER HATS; Boys' and Children's HATS.

All very low—for better value than ever offered before.

New Goods! New Goods!

NEW SPRING HATS, Flowers, Ribbons, Fancy Silk Scarfs, Sun Shades, Boy's Straw and Felt Hats, New Trimmings, White, Grey and Brown Knitting Cottons, Hair Braids, Switches.

MILK PAILS, PANS, etc

JUST RECEIVED:

MILK PAILS, PANS, CROCKS, Flower Pots, Butter Tubs, Brooms, Mop Handles, &c., &c. For sale low.

Boots, Shoes & Slippers.

IN addition to the large Stock already advertized. I have received this morning, 9 Trunks of Fine Goods, including—Ladies' French Kid Button Fine Serge; Button & Congress Fine Slippers, for Ladies, Misses and Childrens; Gent's and Ladies' Strong Slippers; Children's Boots and Slippers in great varieties.

☞ Come and inspect our Stock and buy a nice Serge Boot, Balmoral or Congress, at 75c; worth $1.00. We have sold a thousand pairs or more, and have given entire satisfaction.

Furniture. Furniture.

BEDROOM SUITES, elegantly painted, from $24.00 upwards; Hair Cloth, Easy Rocking and Seat Chairs; HAIR SOFAS and LOUNGES; Walnut Centre Tables, Extension Tables; Fall-leaf Tables, Toilet Tables; Wash Stands, Bedsteads, Spring Beds; Settees, Cradles, Children's Chairs—wood seat; Nurse & Rocking Chairs, Common Chairs; Cane, Rockers, Nurse and Seat Chairs, Cribs; Office and Dining Room Chairs, &c., &c. For sale very low.

China Tea Setts, &c.

2 CASKS and 10 BRLS. of CHINA TEA SETTS—in White, Gold and Colors—this Spring's Pattern, at 25 per cent less than former prices; White Stone Tea Sets; Pitchers; Milk Pans; Crocks; Flower Pots; Jugs; Tea-pots, &c. Very low prices.

GEO. E. FORD.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Tenders, Wm Smith
Church Opening, at Cookville, June 10th.
Fisheries Notice, W. A. Himsworth
Customs Department, J. Johnson.
New Spring and Summer Goods, The Amherst Warehouse Co.

LANDS, &c. FOR SALE.

Hotel—J. R. Lamy, Amherst; private sale.
Farm—Blair Botsford; Auction, 9th June, Dorchester.
Sheriff's Sale—Blair Botsford; 15th Dec., Dorchester.

Here and Hereabouts.

WOLFVILLE ANNIVERSARY to-day.

THE Fredericton *Reporter* has been enlarged and improved.

A HORSE was killed by lightening on Tuesday at Amherst Point.

A BAZAAR is to be held by the leaders of Christ Church, Amherst, in July.

PRESIDENT ALLISON delivers the Alumni Oration at the Encœnia at Fredericton this week.

THE loss of Mr. Harvey Ayer of his mills on Monday week was $5000. Insurance $2,500

CHIGNECTO HALL, for concerts and meetings and public gatherings of all kinds. (tf) BLAIR ESTABROOKS.

Mr. A. K. MOORE, of Central Economy, N. S., is about to build a bark of 800 tons.

THE River Hebert mills of B. Young, Esq., will saw this season about 3,000,000 superficial.

I. O. OF G. T.—The Grand Lodge meets at Hillsboro', on 10th July. About 100 representatives will be present.

AQUATIC.—The Ross-Plaisted four mile scull race on the Kennebecasis was rowed yesterday afternoon—Ross the winner by five lengths.

RUN OVER BY THE TRAIN.—The body of a man was found on the track near Truro yesterday morning with skull crushed. Particulars unknown.

A NEW STOCK of the Warren Hoe, which was introduced here three years ago, and which was so favorably received, can be had on application to Thos. Pickard, Esq.

CHIGNECTO POST AGENCIES, where orders will be taken and receive prompt attention:—
MONCTON—at the Bookstore.
AMHERST—at J. C. COLE'S, Picture store.
PARREBORO'—at Miss REED'S, Book Store.

LAND SLIDE.—A land slide took place on the Intercolonial between Campbelltown and St. Flavie impeding the progress of all trains. Much inconvenience and delay were occasioned.

A NEW VESSEL BURNED.—A brig of 340 tons, in course of construction by A. Rice & Sons, Bear River, N. S., was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning. Loss $7,000; partially insured.

THE potato bettle has made its appearance in the Upper Province in large numbers. A circular from the Agricultural department warns farmers to make war on it at the earliest possible moment.

JAMES GIVAN, Moncton, is going through the Court. Liabilities, $5,000; principal assets, a claim on the insolvent firm of Parker, Burgess & Co., Boston.—David McCleave, of Moncton, has compromised, paying 40 cents on the dollar.

CHURCH OPENING.—We direct attention to the Church Opening, advertised in our columns. The parties interested have made earnest efforts to build a Church free from debt and we trust the good wishes of the community will lead to a practical manifestation of sympathy.

DIPTHERIA IN BOTSFORD. — The family of John Joyce on the Emigrant Road has been visited by this fearful disease. One son, aged 22, died after two days' illness. Another son died a few days after, and the rest of the family, five in number, have all been attacked and two are lying very low.

A LODGE of I. O. G. T., was formed by Mr. John Meahan, G. W. C. T., at Elgin on —th ult., with 26 Charter members. The following are the officers: Rev. John K. King, W.C.T.; Miss Nettie McCluskey, W. V. T.; Miss Jessie A. Collicut, W. S.; E. S. Steeves, P. W. C. T.; Dr. C. Sayre, Deputy.

ON Monday afternoon, just after setting up a new circular saw in the Amherst Wood-working Factory, Mr. Rhodes, one of the proprietors, had a finger amputated by the saw. The cut was diagonally across the first joint of second finger of left hand.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. — A correspondent writing from Richibucto says:—It is currently reported in Kent, that one McKendrick, who was a juryman in the Kingan case, attempted to commit suicide by hanging himself with a rope. He was caught by some of his friends while in the act.—*Miramichi Advance.*

THE "R. B. Chapman" was driven ashore and wrecked at Pabellon de Pica some weeks ago. She was a barque of 982 tons, built at Dorchester in 1876, by R. A. Chapman, Esq. She was owned by the builder, Hon. E. B. Chaddler, Luke Stewart & Co., Gideon Palmer, E. V. Godfrey and others. She was valued at $50,000. She was insured for a small amount.

BUSINESS NOTES.—Mr. John Bell is making a considerable addition to his store.—Mr. J. R. Ayer has fourteen hands at present employed in making larakins and moccasins. He expects to sell 10,000 pairs the coming season.—Doull's Furniture factory has of late turned out some very fine work in walnut and ash, including no less than four drawing room setts. He has filled the place up with all necessary machinery to enable him to save labor. He is now making up a large lot of Venetian blinds.—J. T. Carter, Esq., the Inspector of Weights and Measures, occupies the office next door to C. A. Bowser's.

WALLACE ITEMS.—The Wallace Huestis Gray Stone Co. are shipping some 1200 tons of free stone for Charlottetown, to build a church at that place.—The lobster factories at Horton's and Marleguish points are in operation and fish plentiful.—The weather continues fine for the farmers, and they are making hay while the sun shines.—*Chronicle.*

BURNED OUT AT UPPER ROCKPORT.—J. W. Pick Ward's house and barn were reduced to ashes last Sabbath afternoon, while he and his wife were visiting at an adjoining settlement. As the fire had extended too far before it was discovered nothing was saved. Sympathy is felt for Mr. Ward as he has recently commenced life. The frame of the house, although old, was sound, and during most of the spring a carpenter had been at work upon it.

MOUNT ALLISON PERSONALS.—The many friends and former pupils of Miss Gaylord will regret to learn that she does not return next year.—President Kennedy left on Monday for a visit to his friends in Ontario.—Dr. Stewart leaves next Monday for a trip to Newfoundland.—Dr. Allison and Principal Inch will attend the meeting of the University of Halifax Senate which is to be held on Tuesday next.

A LUNATIC caused a lively time on board the "St. Lawrence" on a recent trip from Pictou. He went on board apparently sensible, but when a short distance out, with a bar of iron, he smashed a number of panes of plate glass and then "went for" the crew in such a way as to put them all *hors du combat.* He was at length knocked down and tied by the mate, and, on the arrival of the steamer at Charlottetown, was handed over to the Police.

THE sale of the Boultenhouse estate took place on Monday. The Jonathan Black establishment was purchased by John T. Carter for $2075; 5 acres of marsh by Jas. D. Dixon for $400; 5 acres of marsh by E. B. Dixon for $375; 7 acres by Jos. Bulmer for $567; 5¾ acres by John Ford, Esq., for $253, and the ship yard by Hon. A. J. Smith for $450. The amount realized was $4120. The homestead and land adjoining were withdrawn as no purchaser appeared for the property at the price for which it was offered.

PUGWASH ITEMS.—The ice all gone—the trees in bloom—birds have come—deals do float—every one happy in the town of deep water—Sunday was hot—churches were full—listeners did sleep, but the Parson stopped and aroused them from their slumbers—no deaths in town nor marriage bells to ring but of births there are some—Lewis Smith's big barque is here—Mockler's "Condor" arrived—lime schooners have started—Douglass sold in iron furniture—Politicians commence to wink and nod (look out for a squall)—Police are idle—the courts are dull—deals firm @ $18, hay $10, Irish Lemons 40cts., oats scarce—weather dry—tides low—moon will change—then for a blow.—*Pug-nose.*

SHIPPING.—*Port of Sackville.*—Messrs. Wood & Ogden's new barque "Onaway," Wilmott, now lies at Wood Point ready for sea. She is loaded, principally by owners, with about 230 standard deals and 7000 palings. Her destination is up the Clyde.—The brig "Alice Ada," Outhouse, is hourly expected with a cargo consisting part of sugar and molasses from Barbadoes; the balance flour and meal from Boston.—Schr. "Wild Hunter," Buck, loaded by G. W. Mitten with deals, for St. John left on Saturday.

Port of Pugwash.—Arrived 30th ult. barque "Condor" Mockler, from Liverpool, to Black & Co., 31st, barque "Lewis Smith," Wright, from London, to J. W. King.

At Boston 28th ult., brig "Alice Ada," Outhouse, from Barbadoes; at Londonderry, 28th ult., barque "Mariner," Thermott, from Baltimore; at Baltimore, 29th barque "Annie Maud," Reed, from Tralee.

FIRE IN MONTREAL.—*Montreal, May 30th.*—About one o'clock this morning a fire broke out in some stables on Dalhousie St. A high wind prevailed, and in an incredibly short time the fire had spread to an immense pile of lumber near by; thence to a number of sheds and tenement houses. Maxwell's planing mill was destroyed and the fire proceeded on through William, Nazareth and Ottawa Sts., destroying many buildings in its course. It threatened at one time to carry all before it on Duke St. but the firemen succeeded in stopping its course after only four buildings had been destroyed in this street. The loss is estimated at $150,000. Many prominent citizens, among them Sir A. T. Galt and Hon. Peter Mitchell were present and rendered every possible assistance.

MUTINY IN A BRITISH SHIP.—*London, June 1st.*—The Government has received a despatch reporting a serious mutiny on board the ironclad "Alexandria," flag-ship of the Mediterranean squadron. The men, complaining of overwork, disabled the guns by throwing the sights overboard. Three insubordinates were sent home to undergo a punishment of forty-two days' imprisonment. A despatch from Athen reports another mutiny which was quelled by marines summoned from other vessels of the fleet. The cause of the second out-break was dissatisfaction because of refusal of shore leave whereupon the men disabled the guns. The mutineers were arrested and a court-martial convened.

A despatch dated June 5th, says: Secretary Egerton stated in the Commons to-day that it was nothing but a case of insubordination on board the "Alexandria," and not a mutiny.

RECENT TELEGRAMS state that Sitting Bull, the Sioux chief, with his warriors, has crossed into Canadian territory. We trust that Canada will be able to teach the republic a further lesson in problem of Indian government.

WAR NOTES.

The news from the seat of war during the past week has not been very stirring. The belligerents are marshalling their forces, preparing for the "tug of war" which is yet to come. Reports of a possible peace have come to hand. Though very few believe that anything short of stern necessity can put an effectual termination to hostilities, yet there are influences which may be brought to bear with this end in view. Germany seems to be desirous of mediation and British interests would thus doubtless be best subserved provided that the autonomy of Turkey were guaranteed.

London, May 30th.—A semi-official Berlin paper thus concludes an article which in connection with peace rumors is significant: "The prospects of the preservation of peace in Europe have within the past few weeks rather increased than dimished. The German policy has an honorable share in this."

The Porte is said to have made levies on Christians for two hundred thousand troops.

Russian voluntary subscriptions for war purposes amount to five million roubles.

London, May 31st.—Bashi-Bazouk cruelties on Roumanian Militiamen are reported.

It is stated that Mukhta Pacha will be court-martialled for representing that he had equipped 66,000 men when the correct number was 30,000.

Erzeroum, May 31st.—The further operations at Kars are prevented by heavy rain. An official despatch says that the General commanding against Batoum o deed his advance guard to carry the heights on the left of the Turkish line. This was accomplished and a detatchment was established in a position cutting off communication between Batoum and the Kabeth districts. Russian loss: four killed, thirty wounded.

Constantinople, May 30th.—It is officially announced that Ardahan has been re-captured. The correctness of this despatch has been denied.

A Batoum despatch of Wednesday says: The Russians attacked the Turkish position and after ten hours were repulsed, leaving a great many dead and wounded.

The Porte has issued notice to mariners of its intention to place torpedoes in certain portions of the Dardanelles and Bay of Smyrna.

London, May 31st.—In the Commons this afternoon Lord Elcho urged the Government to prepare for the eventualities of the present war. The Secretary of war said that though the Government maintained the army on a peace footing it had not overlooked any possible contingency.

London, June 1st.—Servia has decided to remain neutral in the present conflict.

The Czar is impatient at the slowness of the campaign and bad management of the troops. He has ordered the mobilization of three more divisions for the Caucasus, where the Circassian insurrection causes anxiety.

The Turkish army is reported to be in want of everything but arms, and consequently is unable to take advantage of Russian delays.

St. Petersburgh, June 3rd.—The Czar and Czarovitch left for the Danube last night.

Erzeroum, June 1st.—A slaughter of 3,800 out of 4,000 Circassians is reported.

London, June 3.—Kars is now completely invested and is amply provisioned, but the garrison put on half rations as a precautionary measure.

A Constantinople despatch reports the capture of Fort Fil, near Soken Kaleh, by the Turks.

The passage of the Danube delayed by heavy floods, will not be attempted before the middle of the month.

London, June 4th.—The Grand Duke Nicholas is reported to have said: "Neither Bismark nor Lord Derby will prevent us entering Constantinople—only to leave it again.

Owing to the breaking of bridges, occasioned by the floods, the Czar will remain at Kischeueff for the present. The Danube at Galatz is fifteen feet above the ordinary level.

The Russians are assembled in great numbers opposite Tartoir on the Danube but not a man has yet crossed.

Rustchuk June 5th.—The Turks bombarded and damaged some of the vessels which the Russians were preparing to cross the Danube.

The Greek Patriarch recommends the orthodox to remain faithful to the Sultan.

AN Irishman called at a drug store to get a bottle of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* for the Rheumatism: the druggist asked him in what part of the body it troubled him most, "Be me soul," said he, "I have it in every houl and corner in me.

MORMON CONVICTIONS. — United States District Attorney Howard has secured evidence to convict of frauds and crimes the principal Mormon leaders. He has gone to Washington to secure money to pay expenses. Meantime it is reported that the Mormon regiments are drilling, so that if it becomes too hot Brigham and his associates will have an armed force to escort them beyond the reach of danger.

THE *Times* in a leading article says:—"Mr. Gladstone is now preeminently the Liberal leader. All that has the true and clear ring of Liberalism in the country—all that may be counted upon to endure and have weight in any future contest between the two great parties of the State—now attaches itself to his name."

SHARP OFFICIALS.—The gold watch presented to "Uncle Tom" (Rev. Joseph Henson) in England was seized by the customs officials in Chatham, Ont. This, though probably a strictly legal proceeding, seems almost too strict an adherence to the letter of the law. The *Globe* condemns it and thinks if application were made to the Minister of Customs he would order a refund of the money ($17) demanded and paid.

LOSS OF THE "SAN FRANCISCO."—A San Francisco despatch of May 30th, reports the arrival of the passengers from the lost Steamship "San Francisco." On May 16th, steamer struck on an unknown rock cutting her hull to the length of 60 ft. She was at once turned to the shore, but grounded when 30 miles distant. The best of order was preserved and at once the passengers, to the number of 137, were put in the boats, not a pound of luggage being taken. On reaching the shore the boats were upset by the surf, but all hands were saved. They were taken off by the gun-boat "Mexico," and thence transferred to the Pacific Mail steamer "Costa Rico," which landed them safely at San Francisco. The captain reports that he had frequently crossed the same place and can only account for the presence of the rock by the up-heavals of the great tidal-wave earthquake which recently visited the Pacific coast.

DIED.

On 23rd ult., at Barronsfield, of Diphtheria, Elizabeth Bourgeois, aged 11 years.

On 30th ult., at same place and of the same, Frank Como, aged 18 years.

On 30th ult., at Amherst Head, Mr. Richard Mason, aged 77, a native of England.

TO THE PUBLIC!

Read what the people say in regard to the Great Shoshonees Remedy & Pills.

LEVI JONES, Markham, says—"I had a very severe attack of Bronchitis. I was so bad that I could hardly get my breath. I sought for a quick remedy, and seeing the "Shoshonees Remedy" so highly recommended, I procured a bottle, and am happy to say, that by the time it was taken, I was entirely well and have remained so, although I was much exposed through the winter in travelling.

REV. F. B. STRATTON, Demorestville, writes—"I have found your remedies particularly beneficial for liver complaint, dyspepsia and bronchial affections, and would advise all similarly affected to give them a trial.

JOHN FINLAYSON, Athol, says—"When travelling one of my feet got sore and broke out. I could not cure it and had to return home. It became better and afterwards much worse. I finally purchased a bottle of the "Remedy" and a box of "Pills," and before they were half gone I commenced to improve, and before they were finished my foot was completely cured. It is now 17 months since, but have had no further attack. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box. [jne 7 1m

From Hon. W. H. Jones, of Vermont.

"I have been troubled from boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since early in the Winter, I took cold which as usual settled in a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I experienced no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the Spring following, I was induced to try WISTER'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days' time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it. 50 cents and $1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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Some horse dealers have discovered that by the use of "Darley's Condition Powders and Arabian Heave Remedy," their horses are so much improved in every respect that they will readily sell for from $25 to $60 each more than they would otherwise, and at a cost of not more than $1 each. We consider this a secret worth knowing, and one which all who own horses should not fail to profit by; it is unquestionably the best horse medicine ever sold. Remember the name, and see that the signature of Hurd & Co. is on each package. Northop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

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AN oriental traveller describes this busy scene, witnessed on historic shores: "Our steamer landed on a beach which was the port of Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians. There was no town at the water's edge, no people, no wharf. The passengers and the merchandise were put ashore in lighters, which ran up into the sand. A troop of camels, with their drivers, lay on the beach, ready to transfer the goods into the interior. Among the articles landed were boxes marked 'Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.,' showing that they contained medicines and whence they came. These with other goods were hoisted on the backs of camels, for transportation to Antioch. Thus the skill of the West sends back its remedies to heal the maladies of populations that inhabit those eastern shores, whence our spiritual manna came." —*Windsor (Vt.) Chronicle.*

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

Railway Office, Moncton, May 5th, 1877. } may 10

SPECIAL FISHERY REGULATIONS FOR NEW BRUNSWICK.

Counties of Westmoreland, Albert, St. John, Kings, Queens, Sunbury, York, Carleton and Victoria.

SALMON FISHING.

Sections 2, 3 and 4 are repealed and replaced by the following:

2. Before any Salmon net shall be used, the owner or person interested in such net shall cause a memorandum in writing, setting forth the name of the owner or person interested, the length of the net, and its intended location, to be filed with the local Fishery Overseer, who, if no valid objection exists, may, in accordance with instructions from the Department of Marine and Fisheries, issue a Fishery License for the same; and any net used before such License has been obtained, and any net used in excess or evasion of the description contained in such License, shall be deemed to be illegal and liable to forfeiture, together with the fish caught therein, and the owner or person using the same shall be also subject to fines and costs under the *Fisheries Act*.

3. The owner or owners of any net or nets used for the purpose of taking Salmon, shall, on receiving such License, pay an annual License fee of fifty cents on each net so legally used, which License fee shall be paid to the local Fishery Overseer, for transmission to the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

4. All Salmon nets shall have the name of the owner or owners legibly marked, on two pieces of wood or metal attached to the same, and such mark shall be preserved on such nets during the fishing season in such manner as to be visible without taking up the net or nets; and any net used without such mark shall be liable to forfeiture. [may 31

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People may talk as much as they please about the exquisite diplomatic skill of Gortchakoff or Bismarck in a long correspondence, but there has been a correspondence going on during the past week between a young lady who lives near Union park and a clerk in a big dry goods store down-town, which, for tact and fertility of resource, would extort, were fully known, the admiration of all urope and America. He has been paying the young lady marked attention for the last ten months, and, as she would like to take a wedding trip to the East this summer, or else enter her suit for breach of promise before the courts take their vacation, she wants to hurry up things. Accordingly she began writing letters to him, aided by her affectionate brother, who is studying for the law; and he, being of a suspicious disposition, is giving him most guarded replies. Last Saturday week she wrote to him as follows:

SATURDAY, May 5.—DEAREST HOWARD: Mamma will not be in this evening. I shall be at home after 7 1-2, and am afraid I shall be terribly lonesome if no one calls.

Ever yours, ADA.

When the young man got this he winked and said to himself laconically, "Not much she dosen't," and wrote back:

Dear Miss Ada: I regret that your respected mother will be absent, as I had intended to call this evening to see ifher health had improved. Your note, however, reassures me. You speak of being lonesome. Ah, I know too well the feeling; but in the company of our beloved authors, Milton, Shipkespeare, Jeremy Taylor, Watts, and all those immortal friends who are never from home and never out of temper, how can we be lonesome?

When the young woman read this as far as "company of our beloved," she felt rather triumphant, but at the next word she bowed her beautiful head on her hands and burst into tears, saying: "He's just as mean as old get-out." Her brother Algernon read it reflectively, and said: "He demurs; we must join action and plead to the jurisdiction. This is a deep serpent, sis: he doesn't wear his sting upon his sleeve; but I'll fetch him." Then she dried her tears and wrote:

It was unkind of you not to come last night, but Ferdinand was here, and stayed till nearly 11. He is such a darling fellow; I just dote upon him. But don't be jealous. The Sabbath bells are ringing sweetly. Do you not love the mellow music of the bells? At night I often in my dreams seem to hear the chiming of a bell—you must know which one.

"There," said the brother, "I guess we've got him where the hair is short. If he answers that in a letter two lines long. Wirt Dexter couldn't save him from $10,000 damages." The clerk read it, sat down thoughtfully and replied:

"Don't be jealous." Why should I? True friendship is never selfish; and under all circumstances, no matter how far apart we may be, or how different our lot in life, I shall be your friend. Ferdinand is, indeed, a noble fellow, and worthy of your love. When is it to come off? P. S.—I cannot say I do like the bells, for I like to sleep late on Sunday mornings. The bell you say you hear at nights must be the alarm bell on the West Lake street engine house. As you say, I know it, for I often used to hear it when I boarded over on Warren avenue.

The young man did not conclude this letter without some misgivings, "because," said he to himself, as he read the rough draft, "it looks a little bit forced—too plain to be artistic. It might be construed that I was trying to beg off. Then, too, I don't quite like the beginning. 'Why should I?' seems if I was so confident of her love that I couldn't be jealous. Well, I'll chance it." So he sent the letter, and when she received it the girl had a fit of dry hysterics, and said: "Algernon, you must redress your sister's wrongs. You must imbrue your hands—." Then she wept again. "I don't know," said her brother, doubtfully; he's bigger'n I am, and tossing about pieces of calico and boxes of thread and playing the counter with a set of parallel bars is powerful in developing the muscle. He's a brazen, fiery serpent, and I always said he was, but if you will go on nursing brazen serpents in your bosom you must expect them to turn again and rend you. He must have a counsel learned in the law to advise him; besides has he taken an impression of his letter in a copying-press. He is a three-ply traitor. Perhaps though, we can scoop him yet," and so they tried, and, after a session of three hours, produced the following ultimatum:

How fanny your last letter was! Congratulating *me* on my engagement to Ferdinand! The idea! Who better than yourself knows where my affections are unalterably placed? Won't you come up to night? Pa and ma will be at home, and *they* will be glad to see you.

"That's pretty good, I guess," she said, "and italicizing that 'they' will make the jury think that all our allusions to the old people were put in to be interpreted the other way. I guess, young man, that'll make you sick." It did, too, for a while, for when the young man got the letter he read it over backward and forward, and whistled soft copious selections from thirty-five standard operas before he saw his way clear to an answer. "Yes," he said bitterly, "her pa and ma will be at home, but the old man'll go up stairs to bed at a quarter to 8, and the old woman'll go out and tell the servant about putting the dry codfish to soak, and forget to come back—O, I know the old frauds like a book. Bully, I'll take a witness with me! That's it!" So he sat down and wrote:

Thank your parents for promising to be at home, and tell your respected mother that I shall expect her to teach me whist. And so Ferdinand isn't the happy man; who is? I was just beginning to think that we might, when we know each other better, come to be a hopeless adorer of yours, but it seems I have no chance. You can't have told me whom the groom expectant is to be, or I should surely have remembered.

The poor girl did not find much consolation in this, but she had her parents well drilled in their parts, she looked forward hopefully to the night, being pretty sure that she could keep him there pretty late, make the weakness of her eyes the execuse of turning down the gas, "then," said she, "my word 'll be as good as his before a jury with marriageable daughters." When the bell rang at 7.30 she started up with a beating heart; and when he entered with a companion and said, "I have made bold to bring my friend, Mr. St.——," she screamed wildly, "Lost! lost!" and fell fainting to the floor. That is how the matter stands at present. The young man thinks that he turned her position very neatly in his last letter, and placed it on record that up to that time he hadn't been paying any attentions to her. As for the future, that must look out for itself

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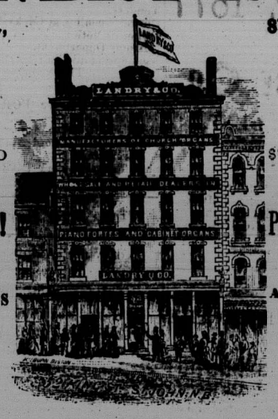

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