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The AUCTION SALE will be continued in our CARPET ROOM

Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights,

this week. The Goods are selling away down below cost but they must go. We have no room for them. Any person wanting BOYS' OVERCOATS, or Refrers, Carpets or anything in the heavy line—would do well to come during the day as we are running these goods out at private sale, and are offering great inducements, as of course it is hard to sell heavy stuff at Auction, however we will offer some remnants of Carpet each night—don't delay, the best bargains go first.

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Amherst, Dec. 15th, 1892.

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## Special Locals.

I desire to thank my patrons for their many favors of the past, and beg to say I hope to be present at the Sackville studio personally on future Saturdays after this week, and will be pleased to give you all the latest and best things in Photography, which I am enabled to do having spent the greater part of the past fall and winter in the best studios of the West. I shall introduce the celebrated Platinum Pictures, which have obtained such a wonderful popularity in the fashionable studios of Europe and America, and which are considered to be the most artistic picture yet produced by the photograph art, and are said to be absolutely permanent. My experience in this line of work enables me to guarantee the finest results in Platinum Portraits, and our motto shall be not "How cheap" but "how good can our work be done."

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## Around Town

The Local House meets to-day.

The Post thanks Mrs. Thompson of Baie Verte for late Chicago papers.

AFRICAN NATIVE CHORUS will be in Sackville Music Hall, Tuesday, March 28th.

PERSONAL.—Capt. Stephen Atkinson arrived home last night from Brazil.

Hon. Senator Botsford leaves for Ottawa this evening.

AUCTION at POBY ELGIN.—Posters are out announcing the sale by auction of the farm together with a large stock of horses and implements of J. A. Simpson, Port Elgin.

Last week while at work about his team Frank Palmer received an ugly kick on the knee which will lay him up for some time.

SLANDER.—It is reported that a prominent citizen of Sackville is to be served with a writ out of the Supreme Court for slander. The plaintiff keeps a popular hostelry in town and on the other day the defendant uttered some malicious aspersions concerning the plaintiff's virtue and integrity which are resented: hence the action.

THE ICE BOATS.—The crossing between the Capes has been exceptionally good during the past few weeks, the boats being able to make round trips nearly every day. The mails to the Island still go by this route. During the week ending 27th ult. 37 passengers crossed and during the week ending the 7th inst. 55 crossed including 7 ladies.

TELEPHONE FOR HILLSBORO.—At a meeting of the directors of the N. B. Telephone Co. held at Moncton last week, the advisability of extending the line to Hillsboro and Hopewell was discussed. Vice-president Plack and Hon. P. P. Thompson went over the proposed line and reported that it would be another business venture, but nothing definite was decided upon.

MISSIONARY MEETING.—A Mass Missionary meeting under the auspices of the W. M. Aid Society, will be held in the audience room of the Baptist church Sackville, on Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock local. An address will be given by Prof. Dalpé, readings and recitations will be given by various ladies and suitable music will be furnished by the choir. A collection in aid of missions will be taken.

MT. ALLISON.—The much postponed At Home to be given by the Senior Class is to be given on Saturday 18th. Those who received invitations will please accept this notification.

The musical faculty have in preparation a Concert to be given toward the latter part of this month. Some novelties in the way of choruses will be presented by the singing class assisted by the school orchestra. Miss Landers will also appear in the program.

TEMPORARILY INSANE.—Last night John A. Luskow, of Charlottetown, who came over from Cape Traverse yesterday, became temporarily insane in the Intercolonial Hotel shortly after his arrival. While at supper he began to make things lively by throwing a sugar bowl at the lamp and a chair at another guest. He shortly afterwards became violent and attendants were secured to take care of him. Dr. Calkin was called in and administered opiates and this morning the patient appeared all right. He says he is Past Grand Master of the I. O. G. T., is connected with the Charlottetown Post Office and is going on departmental business to Ottawa. He gives indignation as a cause of his trouble which he says broke out once before and was yesterday aggravated while crossing in the ice boats, by his falling into the water and getting chilled through. He took the accommodation for Moncton this morning.

## Church Services

MARCH 12.

Episcopal.—St. Anne, 10.30 morning service and sermon; Evening Service, St. Pauls 6.30.

Methodist.—Sackville, 11. Rev. W. Harrison; Sackville, 7. Rev. T. C. Crowell; Upper Sackville, 3 p.m. Rev. W. Harrison; Upper Sackville, 7 p.m. Rev. W. Harrison.

Sackville Baptist.—Standard time, Bath at 10.30; Sackville at 2.30; and mission meeting at Sackville, Sat. 11th, at 2 p.m. Services at Wood Point, Tuesday evening, the 14th inst.

Port Elgin Baptist.—Rev. A. H. Lavers, pastor. Preaching Point de Bute 10.30, Tidnish 3.00, Amherst Shore, 7.30. Conference Point de Bute, Saturday 3 p.m.

Wood Point 2.30 p.m. Y. M. C. A., Andersonville, 10.30 a.m. Cookville, 7 p.m. T. D. Hart.

Rev. D. C. Lawson will preach in Hall at Westmorland Point, next Sunday the 12th at 2.45 p.m. Subject: An answer to the question, do men die, if so will the righteous be rewarded at death or at the resurrection.

Baie Verte Circuit.—Bristol 10.30 a.m. Baie Verte 3 p.m. Port Elgin 7 p.m. Rev. L. S. Johnson.

Captain Fred Curry, of Sheet Harbor, N. S., committed suicide on Friday by hanging himself in his barn with a skate strap.

## Reply to Mr. Fawcett.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE POST:—Sir, I noticed in a late issue of the Post, a communication from a correspondent in Sackville, signed Wm. B. Fawcett, intended to do me the honor to stir up the apathy and indifference, and to give advice to the people in Westmorland in respect to the improvement that might be made in the lowlands, marsh and bog. I shall introduce the celebrated Platinum Pictures, which have obtained such a wonderful popularity in the fashionable studios of Europe and America, and which are considered to be the most artistic picture yet produced by the photograph art, and are said to be absolutely permanent. My experience in this line of work enables me to guarantee the finest results in Platinum Portraits, and our motto shall be not "How cheap" but "how good can our work be done."

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PERSONAL.—CAPT. STEPHEN ATKINSON ARRIVED HOME LAST NIGHT FROM BRAZIL.

HON. SENATOR BOTSFORD LEAVES FOR OTTAWA THIS EVENING.

AUCTION AT POBY ELGIN.—POSTERS ARE OUT ANNOUNCING THE SALE BY AUCTION OF THE FARM TOGETHER WITH A LARGE STOCK OF HORSES AND IMPLEMENTS OF J. A. SIMPSON, PORT ELGIN.

LAST WEEK WHILE AT WORK ABOUT HIS TEAM FRANK PALMER RECEIVED AN UGLY KICK ON THE KNEE WHICH WILL LAY HIM UP FOR SOME TIME.

SLANDER.—IT IS REPORTED THAT A PROMINENT CITIZEN OF SACKVILLE IS TO BE SERVED WITH A WRIT OUT OF THE SUPREME COURT FOR SLANDER. THE PLAINTIFF KEEPS A POPULAR HOSTELRY IN TOWN AND ON THE OTHER DAY THE DEFENDANT UTTERED SOME MALICIOUS ASPERSIONS CONCERNING THE PLAINTIFF'S VIRTUE AND INTEGRITY WHICH ARE RESENTED: HENCE THE ACTION.

THE ICE BOATS.—THE CROSSING BETWEEN THE CAPES HAS BEEN EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD DURING THE PAST FEW WEEKS, THE BOATS BEING ABLE TO MAKE ROUND TRIPS NEARLY EVERY DAY. THE MAILES TO THE ISLAND STILL GO BY THIS ROUTE. DURING THE WEEK ENDING 27TH ULT. 37 PASSENGERS CROSSED AND DURING THE WEEK ENDING THE 7TH INST. 55 CROSSED INCLUDING 7 LADIES.

TELEPHONE FOR HILLSBORO.—AT A MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE N. B. TELEPHONE CO. HELD AT MONCTON LAST WEEK, THE ADVISABILITY OF EXTENDING THE LINE TO HILLSBORO AND HOPEWELL WAS DISCUSSED. VICE-PRESIDENT PLACK AND HON. P. P. THOMPSON WENT OVER THE PROPOSED LINE AND REPORTED THAT IT WOULD BE ANOTHER BUSINESS VENTURE, BUT NOTHING DEFINITE WAS DECIDED UPON.

MISSIONARY MEETING.—A MASS MISSIONARY MEETING UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE W. M. AID SOCIETY, WILL BE HELD IN THE AUDIENCE ROOM OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH SACKVILLE, ON SUNDAY EVENING, AT 7 O'CLOCK LOCAL. AN ADDRESS WILL BE GIVEN BY PROF. DALPÉ, READINGS AND RECITATIONS WILL BE GIVEN BY VARIOUS LADIES AND SUITABLE MUSIC WILL BE FURNISHED BY THE CHOIR. A COLLECTION IN AID OF MISSIONS WILL BE TAKEN.

MT. ALLISON.—THE MUCH POSTPONED AT HOME TO BE GIVEN BY THE SENIOR CLASS IS TO BE GIVEN ON SATURDAY 18TH. THOSE WHO RECEIVED INVITATIONS WILL PLEASE ACCEPT THIS NOTIFICATION.

THE MUSICAL FACULTY HAVE IN PREPARATION A CONCERT TO BE GIVEN TOWARD THE LATTER PART OF THIS MONTH. SOME NOVELTIES IN THE WAY OF CHORUSES WILL BE PRESENTED BY THE SINGING CLASS ASSISTED BY THE SCHOOL ORCHESTRA. MISS LANDERS WILL ALSO APPEAR IN THE PROGRAM.

TEMPORARILY INSANE.—LAST NIGHT JOHN A. LUSKOW, OF CHARLOTTETOWN, WHO CAME OVER FROM CAPE TRAVERSE YESTERDAY, BECAME TEMPORARILY INSANE IN THE INTERCOLONIAL HOTEL SHORTLY AFTER HIS ARRIVAL. WHILE AT SUPPER HE BEGAN TO MAKE THINGS LIVELY BY THROWING A SUGAR BOWL AT THE LAMP AND A CHAIR AT ANOTHER GUEST. HE SHORTLY AFTERWARDS BECAME VIOLENT AND ATTENDANTS WERE SECURED TO TAKE CARE OF HIM. DR. CALKIN WAS CALLED IN AND ADMINISTERED OPIATES AND THIS MORNING THE PATIENT APPEARED ALL RIGHT. HE SAYS HE IS PAST GRAND MASTER OF THE I. O. G. T., IS CONNECTED WITH THE CHARLOTTETOWN POST OFFICE AND IS GOING ON DEPARTMENTAL BUSINESS TO OTTAWA. HE GIVES INDIGNATION AS A CAUSE OF HIS TROUBLE WHICH HE SAYS BROKE OUT ONCE BEFORE AND WAS YESTERDAY AGGRAVATED WHILE CROSSING IN THE ICE BOATS, BY HIS FALLING INTO THE WATER AND GETTING CHILLED THROUGH. HE TOOK THE ACCOMMODATION FOR MONCTON THIS MORNING.

CHURCH SERVICES

MARCH 12.

EPISCOPAL.—ST. ANNE, 10.30 MORNING SERVICE AND SERMON; EVENING SERVICE, ST. PAULS 6.30.

METHODIST.—SACKVILLE, 11. REV. W. HARRISON; SACKVILLE, 7. REV. T. C. CROWELL; UPPER SACKVILLE, 3 P.M. REV. W. HARRISON; UPPER SACKVILLE, 7 P.M. REV. W. HARRISON.

SACKVILLE BAPTIST.—STANDARD TIME, BATH AT 10.30; SACKVILLE AT 2.30; AND MISSION MEETING AT SACKVILLE, SAT. 11TH, AT 2 P.M. SERVICES AT WOOD POINT, TUESDAY EVENING, THE 14TH INST.

PORT ELGIN BAPTIST.—REV. A. H. LAVERS, PASTOR. PREACHING POINT DE BUTE 10.30, TIDNISH 3.00, AMHERST SHORE, 7.30. CONFERENCE POINT DE BUTE, SATURDAY 3 P.M.

WOOD POINT 2.30 P.M. Y. M. C. A., ANDERSONVILLE, 10.30 A.M. COOKVILLE, 7 P.M. T. D. HART.

REV. D. C. LAWSON WILL PREACH IN HALL AT WESTMORLAND POINT, NEXT SUNDAY THE 12TH AT 2.45 P.M. SUBJECT: AN ANSWER TO THE QUESTION, DO MEN DIE, IF SO WILL THE RIGHTEOUS BE REWARDED AT DEATH OR AT THE RESURRECTION.

BAIE VERTE CIRCUIT.—BRISTOL 10.30 A.M. BAIE VERTE 3 P.M. PORT ELGIN 7 P.M. REV. L. S. JOHNSON.

CAPTAIN FRED CURRY, OF SHEET HARBOR, N. S., COMMITTED SUICIDE ON FRIDAY BY HANGING HIMSELF IN HIS BARN WITH A SKATE STRAP.

## The County Court.

TRUCK BILL AGAINST MRS. STEVENS.

The Westmorland county court convened at Dorchester on Tuesday, His Honor Judge Landry presiding. A large number attended beside those connected with the case. The grand jury was as follows: Mr. B. Palmer, H. W. Massars, James McNaughton, Ed. W. Cole, Isaac Hicks, Alfred Bishop, John Cook, Thos. Colwell, Joseph Bishop, Dorchester. Harvey Phinney, James Robinson, Sheldrick Hiron, H. B. Fawcett, Edward Read, Alphens Crossman, Sackville. Wm. M. Spence, Colin Matheson, Port Elgin. Geo. C. Copp, Baie Verte. Wm. Christie, W. D. Martin, W. O. Schwartz, Moncton. Geo. L. Wellings, Edward Balmou, Shediac. M. F. Richard, Memramook.

The petit jurors were: B. A. Atkinson, G. S. Waldon, Benj. Tower, P. F. Goto, Dorchester. Charles Thompson, J. A. Boves, Sackville. Andrew Henry, R. H. Hicks, Sackville. R. C. Donald, J. H. Seaman, Moncton. W. Bent, Cape Tormentine. Edward McDonald, Dominick M. Budro, Thos. Colwell, Sackville. R. O. Carter, Ephraim Murray, Westmorland. R. T. Allen, Botsford, W. Babington, Fox Creek. Dennis Murphy, John McDougall, Scotch Settlement.

There were two criminal cases on the docket. One was the case of Warren D. Walker, charged with forgery and the other Queen v. Jane Stevens. His Honor's address in the latter case was made up by pointing out the nature of the charge and its legal significance, and urged the jury to exercise their unbiased judgment in returning their verdict. A brief recital of the evidence was given and the jury retired. At 11.20 p.m. they returned and brought in a true bill in each case.

Following is the docket:

NEW DOCKET.

Geo. E. Keith vs. City of Moncton—R. B. Smith, Wells and Welch.

Bliss Thibodeau vs. Chas. Boss—E. Givernard, N. A. Landry.

Allen Edwards vs. Daniel Lund—T. A. Kinneer, Powell and Bennett.

Patrick Connelley vs. Wm. Claverty—R. B. Smith, Geo. P. Thomas.

Alexander McEae vs. J. Somers—Geo. P. Thomas, J. G. Gray.

Jacob VanBuskirk vs. James McQuade—R. B. Smith, Borden and Simonds.

Willard E. Bishop vs. John A. Humphrey—R. B. Smith, Wells and Welch.

Angus McLean vs. Sherman Stevens—R. B. Smith, D. Grant.

John F. McLean vs. the city of Moncton—R. B. Smith, Wells and Welch.

David T. Chapman vs. Wm. Storey—A. W. Chapman, Murray and McLaughlin.

James Laurie vs. Geo. E. Ford—R. B. Smith, Powell and Bennett.

Chas. A. Fillmore vs. J. L. Black—Emmerson and Chandler, Port Elgin and Bennett.

SPECIAL DOCKET.

Chas. R. Smith vs. Jos. H. Lowerson—T. A. Kinneer, B. B. Teed.

Irvine E. Murray vs. L. W. Johnson, Trueman and Eider vs. L. W. Johnson—R. B. Smith, D. Grant.

Angus McLean vs. Wm. Gunning vs. Angus McLean vs. was settled. H. Atkinson for plaintiff and C. W. Robinson for defendant.

REMNANT DOCKET.

B. Gagnon, A. Gagnon vs. J. L. Black—W. A. Russell, Powell and Bennett.

THE QUEEN vs. CHRISTOPHER A. HOREMAN—Chas. E. Knapp.

THE QUEEN vs. JAS. HAYWARD—Chas. E. Knapp.

In the case of Irvine E. Murray vs. L. W. Johnson, W. W. Walls, Q. C., moved for judgment as in case of non-suit and that of D. D. Welch and another vs. David T. Chapman, as to service of notice. Lord ordered.

In the case of Wesley Jona vs. A. L. Robinson D. Grant's motion for judgment as in case of non-suit refused without costs.

Sherman Stevens vs. Angus McLean, ordered to be taken up on Friday.

Commented.

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Dorchester.

—W. W. Brownell, section foreman of the C. R. R. is confined to the house with inflammation of the bowels.

—Valter H. Buck, formerly clerk in the dry goods store of Messrs. William Cummings & Sons, Truro, N. S. and who is visiting brother here, was in the States last fall in hopes of procuring a better position. He recently returned and secured his old position at Canada's best enough for him.

—George Warren, son of the late Joseph Warren, who left here in the year of 1884 in the vessel called the "Jakyvuk" built by the Messrs. Palmers of this town, is visiting here from the Fiji Islands. He lived there for some time, and afterwards visited several parts of the world. He was here visiting his mother last week, leaving on Saturday for Chicago.

—At the regular meeting of Sussex Lodge No. 4 A. F. and M. held here last Thursday evening, the president, Mr. J. A. Dickey, presiding, was presented with a suitably engrossed address in taken from the appreciation of the services which he had rendered the Craft to which the visiting Brother suitably replied in a most happy manner. The membership of the Lodge is increasing rapidly owing to the indefatigable energy of its members.

—Christopher Weldon, who has been absent from Dorchester for thirty-one years, arrived in town last Friday. He is the son of the late William B. Weldon and was born and brought up in the stone house on the Fenianary grounds. During Mr. Weldon's absence he has been in California, where he has made a fortune in mining and other speculations.

—An accident occurred at the Railway Station here Monday evening. As express No. 33 was coming in the engine ran off the track, breaking the driving rod. The side of the cab was thrown about sixty feet, the driver's seat was taken down from under him, in consequence another engine had to be dispatched for, the train had to be delayed about three hours and forty minutes. Considerable damage was done to the engine. Luckily no one was injured although the driver narrowly escaped.

Amherst.

—County Court opened on Tuesday Judge Morse presiding.

—Mr. Symmes, of the firm of Dawson, Symmes & Co. of Niagara, Ont. is in town, called here by business in court.

—Mrs. R. B. Dickey returns from her visit in Ottawa to-day (Wednesday).

—Miss Crowe, of Truro, is a guest of Mrs. Alex. Robb.

—Prof. Andrews, of Mt. Allison delivered an interesting and instructive address before the Literary Society on Monday evening.

—The new Roman Catholic Church will be opened on Sunday the 30th April followed by an eight days' Mission, conducted by the Rev. Father of Montreal.

—The "Willing Workers" and members of the "Sewing Guild" in connection with Christ Church, to the number of sixty were hospitably entertained at tea by Mrs. Ketchum, on last Thursday evening.

—Hood's Sarsaparilla positively cures even when all other fails. It has a record of successes unequalled by any other medicine.

## Very Bad, If True.

QUEER STORIES CONCERNING THE DEATH OF MRS. HICKS.

Moncton Times, Wednesday. A correspondent writes from Midgie, Sackville: There is a good deal of excitement and talk now about the very sudden death of a young married woman named Julia Hicks, wife of Charles Hicks. Hicks was a son of John N. Hicks in whose house they all lived together. Mrs. Hicks was confined about eight weeks ago and got well enough to go around the house, and on Friday, the 24th of February, is said to have taken a hearty breakfast with the family. The family say she was found dead in her bed at 10 o'clock, but a neighbor says he was in the house at 12 o'clock and the family did not mention anything about it to him. There was no inquest held and she (Mrs. Hicks) was buried on Sunday, Feb. 28. It is currently reported that the dead woman was treated very badly and it is said there was a black mark around her throat. It is also reported that some of the neighbor women called at the house to enquire what caused her death and received the reply from a member of the family that the—thing dropped off and they did not know what ailed her. The husband of the deceased woman was said to be around home but not in the house when she died. Her brothers, it is said, are determined to enquire what caused her death and an examination made. If her treatment was as bad as reported she is certainly the gainer by the change from life to death. Another report about the family is that one of the daughters had a child about a year ago and that it died in a fit quite suddenly. There are a number of other reports in circulation, which it is to be hoped are without foundation, but an investigation would seem to be necessary in the interest of all concerned. It may be added that the Charles Hicks referred to is not Mr. Charles Hicks, postmaster of this place.

Rev. R. S. Crisp Acquitted.

THE COMMITTEE DIVINE THREE TO TWO ON THE CHARGES.

(Globe.)

The committee of Methodist ministers which has been investigating charges of immorality preferred against Rev. R. S. Crisp by Rev. David Howie at the instance of D. D. Currie, a former minister, reached a decision Wednesday evening, after two days' deliberation. There were three



