

CHIGNECTO POST AND BORDERER

SACKVILLE, N. B. SEP. 11, 1890.

An Encouraging Outlook.

The Transcript of the 3rd inst. gives most encouraging reports from all parts of the county, for Mr. Blair's government. Reports were also given by the same reliable authority of the "most encouraging" character up to polling day on January 1st, when Mr. "Thad" Stevens was to be snowed under by an overwhelming majority, and Mr. "Affidavit" Powell's candidature was held in derision, but the people put Mr. "Affidavit" Powell in a substantial majority and Mr. Stevens closely followed him, while the Transcript's prodigies were elected to stay at home. We have not the slightest doubt that the casting of the political horoscope by the Transcript, and its prophetic guesses are quite as accurate and reliable as they were at last election and will be fulfilled in quite as satisfactory a manner.

Why should not the reports be "most encouraging" for the Blair Government from all parts of the county? Surely the tax payers cannot but cordially approve of the action of Mr. Blair in appropriating \$25,000 per year, of the Crown Land's revenue to purchase the Tweedie gang of Northerners, necessitating among other things, the withdrawal of special bridge grants on Bye roads. This of course is a small item. What matters it whether we have safe bridges and good roads so long as the ideal corruptionist is maintained in power at Fredericton. The tax-payers of Westmorland strongly approve of Mr. Blair's attempt to buy the county of Victoria by appropriating \$70,000 for a wildcat railway there, on the eve of the election; a proposal which the people had the honest manliness to throw back in the face of the proposer. The men of all parties, who favor honest straightforward dealing and an administration of the public property, faithfully and honestly in the public interests, are all enthusiastic at Mr. Blair's desperate gambles with the people's property and the people's offices, and his private interests to bolster himself in power for a few short months.

There is room for wonderment, however, in the fact that while the prospects are so "encouraging," that the usual shoal of candidates are not forthcoming and willing to offer themselves as sacrifices in behalf of the government, and contest the seats with Messrs Powell and Stevens. Can it be possible that within the pale of Westmorland county, there can be found men with acknowledged political standing, who are willing to take the stump as supporters of Mr. Blair and his practices, if the prospects are most "encouraging"? If such men exist let the Transcript bring them out, or cease preaching the "encouraging" news. The intelligent electors of this county have once rendered their verdict, and that verdict will remain unchanged so long as the reins of the government are held by Mr. Blair. Happily for this county and creditably to its citizens, the standard of political morality is too high, the people have too much self respect, too much regard for the integrity of their public men, too much of a desire to have the best standards of public honor and honesty set before the world, to enforce the deals with rings, the larding of public property, and the reckless disregard of pledges and principles that have of late characterized Mr. Blair's government.

This Canada of Ours.

Year by year Canadians are becoming more thoroughly familiar with the extent of the country they claim as home, and are justly becoming more proud of it, and more confident of its future as one of the valuable portions of the globe. The parliamentary committee have taken evidence bearing on the nature and capabilities of the famous Mackenzie Basin, and the results as compiled in a recently issued blue book, would lead us to suppose that we have yet to become acquainted with a large part of the most valuable mineral and agricultural lands in the North West. The recent surveys that have been made, show that there are areas many times the size of New Brunswick, upon which all kinds of farm produce can be grown profitably, and where there are indications of an unlimited quantity of coal and oil, and should these be developed we have reason to hope that our Dominion will take strides in advancement such as the world has never yet seen. The area of the Dominion according to the latest survey, is 3,519,000 square miles, fully 500,000 square miles larger than the country at the south that clamors to absorb us.

The Toronto Telegram has aptly summed the situations up, and claims the following for Canada:

Among the countries of the world, Canada is first in coal development. Second in the production of copper. Third in iron. Fifth in mercantile marine. Eighth in railway mileage. Ninth among coal producing nations. And tenth in the production of iron. This is all in wealth produced. In undeveloped wealth the Dominion takes a still higher position as compared with other countries. The largest deposits of coal in the world are in the North West. The richest petroleum beds are along the Mackenzie and Athabasca. The greatest copper mine is at Sudbury, Ont.

The best iron ore is in Nova Scotia, and Canada as a whole, possesses a supply sufficient for the whole world. We have a glorious heritage and although we have a few croakers, who would grumble no matter where they are, yet we have men who look upon the future of the country as a bright one and are not afraid to decline the proffered offers of assistance from those who wish to see the Stars and Stripes flying over the land.

The total taxation required in the year of New York this year is \$33,212,034. This is about \$20 a head for every man woman and child in the city.

The Sherman Resolution.

The motion introduced into the American Senate a few weeks ago by Senator Sherman of Ohio, and bearing upon the trade relations between the Dominion and the Republic, is exciting so little comment in political and commercial circles on both sides of the boundary. Senator Sherman is an avowed believer in the idea that it is necessary for the welfare both of Canada and the States, that the Dominion should be absorbed, and in this respect he is entirely in the line of his fellow-laborers who seek the annexation of Canada, and writes that he does and offers this first step as a means towards the completion of his end, while the Butterworth Wiman-Hitt combination are after the same thing.

I want Canada to be part of the United States and will give good deal of emphasis to that within ten years, in his judgement, the Dominion of Canada would be represented either in the Imperial parliament of Great Britain or in the congress of the United States. About six weeks later he introduced into the senate a resolution in which he added greatly to the development of the empire into and report upon the state of the relations of the Dominion with Great Britain and the United States of America, and the Dominion of Canada, with a view to the promotion of friendly commercial and political intercourse between these countries and the United States.

Just how far we are from being represented in the congress of the United States all true Canadian fully knows. The Pennsylvania coal men are naturally opposing the measuring on the grounds that while they can easily undersell the Nova Scotia miners in the American market, it will have to be done by a serious reduction in their profits, and the manufacturers of the New England States are quite as anxious for the successful passage of the bill, as the coal men, and the withdrawal of special bridge grants on Bye roads, was expedient to promote friendly commercial and political intercourse between these countries and the United States.

In Canadian circles the expressions of opinion by those best qualified to know have been very guarded. The New York Star in the course of an article says:

"Perhaps the most significant utterance was by Sir John Thompson, the Minister of Justice, the brightest member of the Dominion Cabinet, and who has been pretty generally spoken of as a successor to Sir John Macdonald as premier of the Dominion Government and leader of the Conservative party in Canada."

It is a delicate matter to speak without consultation with the Premier and his colleagues. All that he could say was that the proposition, as he understood it, was an improvement on former proposals emanating from Washington, inasmuch as it did not commit either party to any particular method of plan to promote the object in view. In this regard the resolution seemed to him to be unobjectionable. As to the distinct proposal for free trade in coal he said he did not think the feeling of the mining interests in Nova Scotia, his own province, would be in favor of free trade with the United States in coal. It was asserted that the coal trade in Nova Scotia was depressed for want of free trade, but this was a mistake. The coal trade was growing and was not at all depressed.

Mr. Foster the minister of Finance, expressed no decided opinion. The Sherman proposition was the best proposition made since the old reciprocity treaty. It seemed fair to ward Canada. As to reciprocity in coal alone, he was not in favor of a rule of these single-class reciprocity treaties. No doubt if the Senate, which was the controlling body of Congress, passed the resolution it would be considered by the Parliament of Canada. The Hon. Edgar Devaney, Minister of the Interior, and noticed that a portion of the Conservative press spoke favorably of Sherman's resolution, and on the face of it the resolution appeared a reasonable one.

The Slave Trade.

It is not generally known that there still exists in the interior of Eastern Africa, a traffic in slaves that is probably as revolting as the world ever knew. For years the Arabs have followed the habit of making incursions upon African villages and making large raids upon the natives and carrying off to the coast large numbers of captives to be sold to traders. The British East Indian African Company with commendable energy have done a great deal toward stopping this terrible traffic. They have been successful in the slaves from the Arabs at the rate of \$25 each, giving them their freedom and presenting them with a piece of land on which to live and keep themselves. They have also given the trade with the Arabs in exchange for goods and merchandise in exchange for ivory, and the latter are finding the business so profitable that the slave business is rapidly declining.

Says the Montreal Star:—Side by side with accounts of an impending famine in Ireland and accounts of semi-starvation among striking dockmen in New York, we read the wholesale destruction of thousands of pounds of fish in London and New York in order to keep up the price of food. Not long ago we read of the dumping of large quantities of bananas into New York harbor for the same purpose. This seems to be the most modern way of circumventing the law of supply and demand. Surely there ought to be some way of disposing of the food surplus so that it may not be criminally wasted while thousands are in want, and starvation staring whole communities in the face. "Waste makes woe," says the old proverb. The question now asked in local elections in Westmorland, is not who are the best men among the candidates, but who among the candidates can procure through the medium of the French candidate the French vote? I shall not as I am writing about a party bias, say one word about the coming contest, or the families. In the same number will appear a short story by H. Butterworth, entitled "Mrs. Freeman's First Lecture."

COMPLIMENTS.—The Times invents the story of a meeting of the local government faithful in the Brunswick Hotel prior. It is a meeting without the aid of the opposition, it would be held in the bar.—Transcript. This is rather severe on the opposition, yet it is generally believed in some circles, that just a few of the government supporters are in the habit of drinking just a little—water.

Letters From the People.

Should New Brunswick Be Divided into Electoral Districts? Each Containing about the Same Number of Electors.

AND EACH RETURNING BUT ONE MEMBER TO THE LOCAL ASSEMBLY.

Mr. Editor.—No one will venture to dispute the correctness of the axiom that in all civilized communities the majority should rule, and that every obstacle to such rule should be removed. Some have gone so far as to say that the voice of the people as expressed by the majority is the voice of God. I cannot go that far, as I believe that when the majority is not properly instructed, or has been influenced by corrupt means, its voice is more like that of his Satanic majesty, who, I fear has more to do with the determining political contests than he gets credit for. I concede however that the voice of the majority of the electors should decide all political contests, that majorities should make and unmake governments, that no better rule has been discovered than government by the will of the majority, that any infringement of that rule is subversive of the peoples rights, and that all legitimate means be instituted to make such infringement impossible. As the electoral divisions now exist in our province, government in accordance with the will of the majority is almost impossible, and the minority too often controls the legislature.

To make my proposition that the minority too often rule, more plain, let me suppose that the representatives of York, combine with the representatives of Sunbury, Victoria, Restigouche, and New Brunswick, Madawaska, Gloucester, Carleton, and Albert. After a speaker was elected from one of the other counties this combination would give a majority of four, and the combination would rule the province in all matters within the limits of the local legislative enactment, ignoring the will of the remaining more populous counties having a large majority of the electors of the province. Such a combination could say, and has more than once said, to the representatives of the larger, and more populous counties, you have no right to interfere with the will of the majority of the electors, and the growth of the province, but we have the majority on the floors of the house, and therefore we will control the local affairs of the province, and you are entirely at our mercy, and the voice of the majority you represent is not to be heard in the halls of this legislature, when we see fit to drown it.

I cannot in this letter give all the many reasons that exist proclaiming that the representation of the province should be redistributed, and the province divided into electoral districts, each returning one representative. The injustice of having seven thousand inhabitants in one county represented by three times that number in another requires no argument to demonstrate. I shall now enter the ground seldom trodden on and pursue a path that may expose me to the ill will of all local politicians. I will preface my remark by saying that politicians, more especially the local politicians, place party or limits between right and wrong, and seldom hesitate to pass over those limits when it will conduce to success. This could easily be demonstrated by matters within the memory of any one who has lived, and taken part in the history of the province, and local politics within a decade. My purpose is not to go without the bounds of Westmorland, and to conduct my inquiries from no particular stand, but on the contrary to throw all party bias to the wind, and briefly look at the political history of Westmorland through unprejudiced glasses.

It unfortunately happens that in Westmorland we have two nationalities, and from present indications these nationalities will never be blended into one. The electors of one of these nationalities, the British, largely outnumber those in the other, the French. During the long contest for responsible government the old "tory faction," in Westmorland, more than held its own against the liberals through the efforts of the English out-numbered it two to one, and defeated nearly every liberal candidate. This, the "old compact," accomplished this at first by its ledger influence, the French electors being formerly in the way largely under its control. Afterwards when the French electors became a measure free from debt, or had their indebtedness transferred to others, and when the old regime saw that they were slipping from its grasp, it riveted the fetters more securely by promising the French a share in the representation of the county, a promise it well might make for without the support of the French electors its existence would have terminated in the most summary manner. The French electors acquiesced, and the late Mr. Lanfry for two decades carried the tory members into the house. The tory party disappeared with confederation, which split both the old parties and out of the two formed the present parties in Dominion politics. In the new arrangement one of the new parties got about as many of the old tories as the other. Since confederation the light between local politicians in Westmorland has been for the support of the French electors, and to-day the latter hold the balance of power. When they remain united they determine the contest in favor of the candidates they place on their ticket, or rather of the candidates who place their man on the ticket. Once in a while they make a mistake and by a division among themselves lose their candidate. The question now asked in local elections in Westmorland, is not who are the best men among the candidates, but who among the candidates can procure through the medium of the French candidate the French vote? I shall not as I am writing about a party bias, say one word about the coming contest, or the families. In the same number will appear a short story by H. Butterworth, entitled "Mrs. Freeman's First Lecture."

Dorchester, Sept. 4th, A. D. 1890.

Maritime Matters.

Two men were arrested for robbing the C. P. R. safe at Halifax on Saturday.

The British steamer arrived at New York the other day having on board two sailors of the wrecked schooner Lion from Lunenburg to Jamaica.

The Frederick Farmer last week celebrated the eleventh anniversary of his birth by donning a new dress of type. It is a credit to the province.

A thirteen year old boy was accidentally shot in the neck near St. John, last week by some of his playmates who were fooling with a revolver.

An exhibit of products from Trinidad has reached Toronto and will be on view at the exhibition. It will afterwards be exhibited at St. John.

Mr. & Mrs. James Burns, of South Branch Kent Co., celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding the other day. Mr. Burns is 91 and Mrs. Burns 78.

The body of a man was found near Kingston, Ont. having been it is thought run over by a train. His name was given as McKenzie and he hailed from St. John.

A woman suffering from alcoholism broke from the Halifax hospital on Sunday last and was very difficult to induce to return. She claimed to be afraid of poisoning.

The Churchill's new steamer was launched on Tuesday and is at present at the wharves of the Halifax Streets. Captain T. C. Masters of the St. Hiawatha will command her.

The mining fever has struck St. Stephen. Numerous rich deposits have been found and several experts are on the ground prospecting. Several good leads of Silver have been found.

The Eastern Electric Light Co. of St. John has been awarded the contract for lighting the Halifax Streets. They will supply 1200 candle power lamps for \$62 per year each.

A steamer has been chartered to load potatoes at Kingsport for Havana. She will carry 5,000 barrels. It is expected that 50,000 barrels will be required for this trade during the season.

Five specimens of gold are daily taken out of the "Gowan mine," Kemptville, Yarmouth Co. The crusher will resume power next week and considerable "panning out" is expected.

An adopted son of Mr. Geo. H. Harburt, Canada, Yarmouth Co., was drowned while bathing one day last week. He was about 13 years of age, and is said to have been a very promising boy.

On Monday last when Conductor Ayer's west bound special was about a mile or so from Kent Junction driver and four or five passengers were on the track eating a sheep. He says it was an immense brute.

Mr. McNutt a farmer of Bay Side Charlotte Co., committed suicide last week by a revolver shot in his head. He had been in the asylum and discharged as cured but for some days had been suffering from a relapse.

On Friday last a sad drowning accident occurred on the Yankus river. Que. Miss Nettie Jamieson in company with her brother Stewart went out for a walk for a trip brought to a sad end several young men who saw the boat go over the dam with its occupants. The boat crashed on the rocks and was overturned. The boy floated down the stream and was rescued. The girl's body was found.

Industrial and Commercial.

The Nova Scotia steel works has declared a dividend of 10 per cent. on last year's business.

Sir J. Henniker Henson M. P. of England has interviewed the Postmaster of the United States with a view to having a two cent ocean postage.

An assay has been made of the silver mine at Stephen, N. B. and the value of the ore placed at \$20.00 per ton. There are prospects of a good lead in the vicinity.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has given contracts for the immediate construction of 1000 box cars for the moving of this season's wheat crop in the North West.

The Trades and Labor Council at Montreal passed this resolution: "That we request the Minister of Railways to increase the wages of the laborers and carpenters on the Intercolonial Railway."

A despatch from Zanzibar published in Berlin says that the influx of poor Germans into that region is causing a rapid reduction of wages and that only mechanics with some capital have a chance of success.

Application has been made for incorporation of the Barclay Clements company, limited, for the purpose of carrying on a general commission shipping and brokering business with headquarters at Yarmouth.

Superintendent Wilnot who has just returned from British Columbia, says the British Columbia that province is quite equal to last year. The canneries will turn out at least 400,000 cases, or about 20,000,000 cans.

Several Springfield men claim to have struck a zinc mine near Fugwash. They have taken out the necessary right of search and are now prospecting. The lucky men are Dr. Cove, Wesley Herriot, and Herbert J. W. Smith. An assay made in Halifax has proved highly satisfactory.

The net debt of Canada decreased \$1,000,000 during last month. Completed returns for the fiscal year ended June 30th, show a surplus of \$4,000,000, being more than \$1,000,000 better than estimated returns. The taking part of the present fiscal year shows a surplus of \$2,250,000.

During the last two or three weeks a party of gold-hunters have been prospecting in the vicinity of Tobique, on the Saguenay. They have certainly struck it pretty rich, and are now satisfying themselves that gold and silver actually exist in paying quantities before they form a company and proceed to develop the mine.

The largest cargo of coal ever loaded at any Cape Breton port was taken August 22nd by the steamship Scotia from the Sydney & Louisbourg Co., pier consisting of 4,000 tons. The Scotia is 7300 tons register to the S & L Pier was one of the handiest and swiftest ports ever hit into.

The strike on the Panama railroad continues. The strikers will not allow work to be done by outsiders. The telegraph wires were cut several times and attempts were made to tear up the rails. Troops have been sent to Colon to maintain order. Steamers will probably be detained on both sides of the isthmus in consequence of the strike.

The Montreal Board of Trade has sent a memorial to the Federal Government asking, in order to prevent smuggling in the lower St. Lawrence, that coasting vessels bound for Quebec and Montreal be compelled to report at one or more places below Quebec, and that a revenue cutter be detailed to cruise in the suspected district.

Advertisements.

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1 Car Admiralty, 150 Bbls.
1 " Five Roses, 150 Bbls.
1 " White Eagle, 125 Bbls.
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We have just received a full assortment of first-class Guns and Implements, Double Barrel Breach Loading Guns, No. 10 and 12, top and side action with all the latest improvements.

Prices ranging from \$10 up. Single barrel breach loading guns, automatic ejector, perfectly safe. A Grand Gun for Boys. Price \$3.80.

Brass and paper shells, Wad and all necessary implements on hand.
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We are now offering a very Liberal Discount on Summer Dress Goods, PRINTS, GLOVES, HOSE, UNDERWEAR, ETC., ETC.

In order to make room for Fall Stock, 20c. saved on every dollar spent at J. L. BLACK'S.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

Just received Fall Stock Ladies and Children's BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS, in French Kid, Dongola Kid, Calf Kid, Goat Kid and Oil Pebbled Goat, Laced and Buttoned.

New York Styles, Superior Quality and Finish. Also large stock Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes.
Prices cannot fail to please.
July 31. J. L. BLACK.

Just Received

1 Car SUGAR
7 TONS WEST INDIA SUGAR,
25 Bbls. Granulated Sugar,
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Choice Barbados Molasses,
1 Car Factory Filled Salt, One Car Dry and Tanned Sheathing Paper.

One Car Steel Nails, Assorted sizes, One Car Cedar Shingles.
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New Advertisements.

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TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 16TH!
Under the Auspices of the Ladies of St. Paul's Church!

The Celebrated PETERS AMATEUR ORCHESTRA, of Moncton, have kindly consented to be present, and will render a SELECT PROGRAMME.

Refreshments,
Consisting of ICE CREAM, OYSTERS, HOT COFFEE, CAKE, Etc., will be on sale during the evening.

This being the first public appearance of the Peters Orchestra in Sackville, it is hoped they will be greeted with a full house.
Admission to Hall 20 Cents.
Sackville, Sept. 11.

THE P. E. ISLAND
PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION
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RACES!

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WILL BE HELD ON THE
Driving Park & Exhibition Grounds
CHARLOTTETOWN,
—ON—
30th Sept., 1st, 2nd, 3rd
OCTOBER.

The Exhibition will be OPENED ON TUESDAY, 30th SEPTEMBER.
The exhibit of LIVE STOCK will be a splendid one.

The display of AGRICULTURAL and INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS will be large and will embrace many new and important features.
At the RACES and in the Horse Parade some of the finest and best horses will be shown.

THE RACES
WILL BE HELD ON
Wednesday & Thursday, 1st & 2nd Oct.
On the evening of the 1st and 2nd October, Grand Concerts will be held in the EXHIBITION BUILDINGS. The buildings and Grounds will be lighted by Electric Light.

CHEAP EXCURSION RATES
by RAILWAYS and STEAMERS, via Freetown, Point du Cap, Cape Town, and other ports, will be arranged.
The LODGING COMMITTEE will give special attention to the comfort and pleasure of visitors.
A. B. WARBURTON,
BENJ. ROGERS, Secretary.
Charlottetown, Sept. 11th, 1890.

NOTICE!
MARITIME AGRICULTURIST.
Whereas by agreement of the 27th of May, A. D., 1889, the subscriber undertook to print the above paper in consideration of possession a lien thereon: The extent of any default in payment of the cost of the same; and whereas Robert Jarvis-Gilbert, the publisher thereof, has made default therein; now this is to notify all concerned of such lien, and to warn subscribers, advertisers and others against making any payment to the said Gilbert.
Dated September 3rd, A. D. 1890.
ELLIOT WORTH,
Sackville, Sept. 11th, 1890.

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Aug. 21.

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Qualified TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Carriage Works," will be received until Friday, 21st day of September next, in consideration of the construction of a public landing at "Hartington" near the upper end of Carleton Place, Gloucester Co., New Brunswick, according to a plan and specifications to be seen at the office of the Collector of Customs, Carleton, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.
Accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the estimated cost of the work, must accompany the tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party tendering fails to execute the work within the time contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.
The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
A. GORELL,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 25th August, 1890. Sept 11

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Aug. 28th, 1890. 1m.

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Two Bargains—Ladies Serge Lace Foxed for 85 cents. Misses Kid Boots for \$1.00.

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

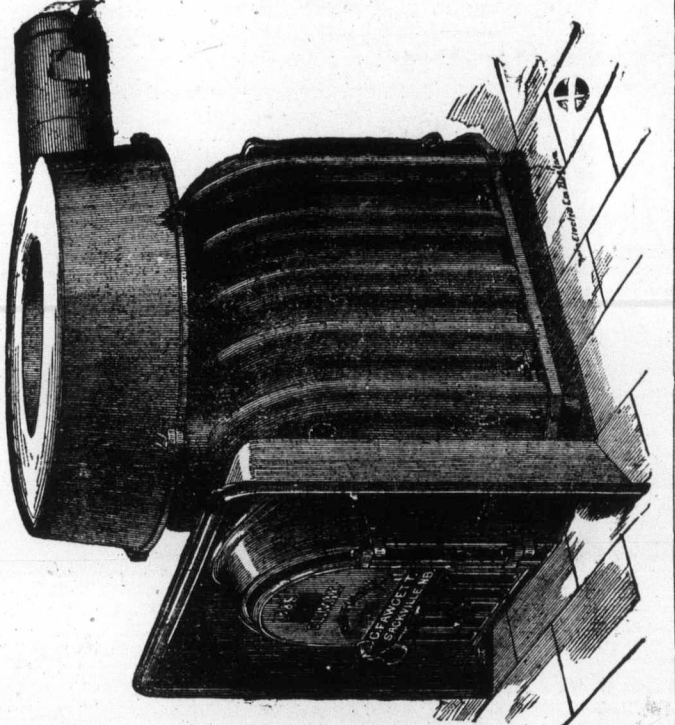
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Sackville, N. B., Sept. 11th, 1890.

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Call at Jos. W. Dobson's for your Nickel Driving Harness, Team Collars, and all other fittings in his line.

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SACKVILLE TELEPHONE CO.

Around Town.

YESTERDAY was pay day on the Eastern Division of the I. C. R. and the railway men are consequently happy.

The new Conservatory is progressing favorably. It is doubtful if it will be in readiness at the time appointed by contract.

STONE.—Three cars of stone were shipped this week by the New York Freeport Quarrying Co. to Toronto. During August 50 cars were shipped.

LAWN TENNIS.—The Sackville Tennis Club has been asked to take part in the tournament to be held in Amherst next week. It is not decided yet what will be done.

COW RUN OVER.—On Monday last the outgoing train for the Cape, struck a cow belonging to Frank Morice, at Middle Sackville, and so injured her that she had to be killed.

NEW POST OFFICE.—A Post Office has been recently opened at Cape Tormentine. This will be a great convenience to persons living at the Cape, heretofore those living there had to go to Bayfield for their mail. The office at Cape Spear has been reopened under different management.

BASE BALL.—A game of ball was played on Monday last between the Charter Oaks and a nine from Mt. Allison. The game was called at the end of the 4th inning with a score of 4 to 0. It was expected that the Memramcook team would have been here to play that afternoon.

THE TWO ADAMS.—The new steam tug Atlas built at Portoford last spring and recently launched was given a trial trip on Monday. She is a 16 ton vessel and fitted with 130 horse power engine by the Burrill Johnson Co. of Yarmouth. She is owned by Judson and Shepherd Trenholm and Alfred Polley, of Port Elgin.

PERSONAL.—G. O. Fulton, from Truro N. S. is in town representing Real Estate investments in Pueblo, Colorado. He has sold over one hundred city lots in that city. This city is the only one in United States that has doubled in two years and is the centre of the vast Coal, Silver and Iron mines.

Mr. Fulton has resold property and returned fifty per cent on an investment of five months.

PROF. J. HERCHEL SMITH.—It was an audience that listened to that well-known elucidator of practical truths, Prof. J. Herchel Smith, in the Town Hall, Middle Sackville, on Tuesday evening last. Mr. G. Chappell Fawcett was elected chairman, and in a few introductory remarks introduced the speaker of the evening, while, as the speaker was appointed sergeant-at-arms to curb any excessive exhibition of enthusiasm attending the learned professor's right of address, he was of consequence. Prof. Smith proceeded to take his hearers with the aid of a magic lantern, back to the early ages. He explained the history of the world, and how Moses made an eight foot swath through the Red Sea for the children of Israel. He then went on to the history of the world, and how Moses made an eight foot swath through the Red Sea for the children of Israel.

Mr. Allison notes.—The attendance at the Ladies College is larger than ever anticipated. Already a number of students in the residence equals that of the fullest attendance of last year with the prospect of more coming.

Prof. and Mrs. Mack, Miss Mack and Prof. Curry returned last Friday. The former spent the summer in Connecticut and Prof. Curry in West Virginia.

Miss King returned last Friday. During the summer she took a supplementary course in gymnastics in the Harvard Summer School under the celebrated Dr. Sargent.

In the College the additional rooms provided have been found inadequate to accommodate the students and arrangements will be made to board some outside.

The attendance at the College is over 70.

The new Professors have all arrived. Dr. Inch left last night for Montreal to attend the general conference. He will be gone about three or four weeks. Dr. Stewart left on Monday also for the conference.

It is proposed to light up the College Chapel and Memorial Hall with the electric light.

The Gymnastic class will this year be under the instruction of Mr. King, the gold medalist of last year at the Boston Games.

In the Male Academy the attendance also is better. The students are well pleased with the cuisine concerning which some dissatisfaction existed last year.

PERSONAL.—Rev. E. O. Read of Lockport has been visiting friends in this vicinity. He preached in Salem on Sunday.

Another New Brunswicker has distinguished himself abroad. The London Times of the 11th, contains the honor list for Oxford University. The Honor School of Modern History, Mr. G. B. Dibble, of Balliol College is in the first class, and stands first in that class, leading some 120 students. Mr. D. is a son of the late Fred Dibble, C. E., of the East Indian Service, and of a daughter of the late Stephen Binney, Esq., of Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black left for Toronto last evening.

Mr. S. L. T. Fawcett, son of Mr. Albert Fawcett, left on Monday for Calgary. He intends taking up land there.

H. T. Stevens, M. P. P. and Mrs. Stevens were in town on Monday.

Mr. Phinney, M. P. P. of Kent, spent Sunday in Sackville.

D. L. Hanington M.P.P. was in town yesterday.

Josiah Wood Esq., M. P. has gone to Whitby, Ont. to take Miss Daisy Wood to the Methodist College Institute there.

Rev. Prof. Brecken and family arrived at Sackville on Monday night.

Rev. Geo. J. Bond, M. A., who a few years ago was a "boy" at the Academy here; returned last week as president of the Methodist Conference of Newfoundland and preached an eloquent and impressive sermon at the Methodist church on Sunday evening. He went west on Monday.

K. D. C. for Everybody.

Local Matters.

The Reformed Baptist Church, at Moncton was formally opened on Sunday last.

PARISBRO has now one of the smartest weeklies in Cumberland. Since manager Woodworth took charge, it has materially changed in its appearance, make up and newsy qualities.

I. T. STEVENS is working 20 men at his quarry at Notre Dame on the Moncton and Beuchette Railway.

He ships stone to Halifax and Montreal. The stone is of a very superior class and is a favorite in the market.

A Block of stone, upwards of seven feet in length, five in width and nearly two in thickness, was brought by rail today from Stevens quarry at Cocagne River. It is to be used for the Bank of Montreal vault in the new Y. M. C. A. building.—Moncton Transcript.

A LARGO mose made his appearance near Tidnish last Tuesday, and leisurely made his way across Bay of Fundy. It is to be used for the Bank of Montreal vault in the new Y. M. C. A. building.—Moncton Transcript.

EDNA SIMPSON, the sleeping beauty of Moncton has awakened. She is slowly recovering her strength. Some of the Upper Province newspapers say her comatose condition was due to eating old newspapers. This is entirely false as she limited her favors to brown paper.

ABOUT 21-30 on Sunday night a fire was discovered in the old building removed from the Allan property on Main Street to front on West Market Street. A defective alarm was rung, and the brigade and steamer turned out. Some delay was experienced in getting a full force of water and the shell was considerably burned before the fire was put out. It was the work of an incendiary, who was probably controlled by esthetic notions.—Transcript.

AN exchange says.—A man in Paris, about two months ago, purchased a lot of land from a woman in that place for the sum of \$600, for which he was to give her note for that amount. Instead of the note being made payable to the woman, it was made payable to the maker himself.

The man received his note, and he and all the women had to show for it was the note made out to the man which was made payable to himself. A town official prepared the document. Legal proceedings have been taken in the matter.

Amherst.

—Senator Digby, and Mr. N. Curry are on British.

—David Miller while shingling a house fell to the ground a distance of about 20 feet. He struck upon a porch a distance of about 20 feet. He was not hurt.

—Two small boys amused themselves by throwing stones at the C. P. R. as it was nearing the station the other day. Policeman McDonald arrested them and brought them before Magistrate Davis, who in consideration of their extreme youth discharged them with a caution.

—Within an incredibly short time Messrs Robb have produced order out of the chaos of their property and are working some of the best of their work as if nothing had happened. A large number of men are at work clearing up the ruins of the stone plates and picking out what will do, and the value of the An office has been established near by where all business is being transacted. They will rebuild but on a slightly different scale than the old.

—The other day a young woman named Helen Downing secured the arrest of a man named Wm. Davidson who became violent to her at Port Lawrence about three months ago. He lately expressed his intention of leaving for the States, and the girl intended to first sue for breach of promise, but was advised not to do so as the man had no property. Policeman Madden had quite a chase after him but he was finally caught and committed to the jail of the woman. The marriage took place in the jail.

Over the Joggins Railway.

—Mr. Leake, accompanied by Mr. Randall, Mining Engineer of New York, visited the Mines on Monday.

—Mr. John Hunter, Lower Cove, left three days ago for Great Britain. He has been left a fortune of \$5,000 sterling by a relative and was sent for by the solicitors of the estate.

—A new firm at Macan, Higgins, Allan & Co. have purchased J. W. Smith's grist and shingle mill at Lower Macan. They have purchased and added to it a rotary mill from A. McPherson & Co. of Oxford, and a planer from McGee, Gouley & Co. of Galt.

This business will be a great convenience to local building operations.

—The many visitors who have been luxuriating during the last term in the invigorating atmosphere of the Joggins, have been fitting away. Mrs. Sherman and family departed for home on Monday.

On the same day Mrs. Barnhill, senior, left for Portland, accompanied by Mr. Clayton, of Halifax, and her cousin, Miss Livingston, of Boston. Miss Cornier of River Hebert and Mr. Weed left en route for Boston.

Over the Cape Railway.

—Six ships in the Bay Verte.

—Rev. E. O. Read, of Lockport, N. S., and son of Deacon E. Read, Sackville, has been on a visit to his friends at Baie Verte.

—Mr. Richard Wall of Boston, and Mr. Horatio Wells, of Oregon, both natives of Portoford, have been home on a visit, after a number of years.

—The proposed new woolen factory at Port Elgin is to be 145x25 feet and one story only. The Elgin people are most anxious to see this most important industry re-established.

—The temperance cause at the Cape has been suspended some days for lack of lumber. The energetic contractor, Mr. M. Murphy, deserves great credit for the vigor with which he has pushed the work. All visitors are pleased with its solid and substantial appearance.

By reference to the proper column in to-day's issue, will be seen in the advertisement of the Exhibition to be held in Charlottetown on the 30th September, and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd of October. The reputation of the Exhibition in the way of getting up good exhibits needs no comment here, and the additional facilities in the form of new buildings, and in attractions as pure bred trotting and other stock will doubtless guarantee a large share of patronage.

K. D. C. Will Cure You.

Around Town.

Tax Sackville Rifle Club, will hold their Sept. shooting on Smith Range Tuesday 16th inst. The competition will be very interesting as the Palmer medal will be shot for.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—Methodist.—Sept. 11th.—11 A. M. F. W. Harrison, 7 P. M. Rev. Mr. Stoney, Upper Sackville, 3 p. m. F. W. Harrison.

Rev. D. C. LAWSON, will preach in Cookville next Sunday the 14th at 10:30 A. M. at the school house on the Abouhagan road, at 2:30 p. m.

SCOTT ACT.—Stipendiary Magistrate disposed of the following Scott Act cases yesterday. Augustus Gooden of Portoford was fined \$50.00 and cost for selling liquor, and \$50.00 and costs for exposing for sale. Alfred Polley Port Elgin was fined \$50.00 and costs for selling C. W. Keworth's case was proceeded with and adjourned until next Wednesday in order to enable him to make defence. A number of other cases are pending.

SHIPPING NOTES.—Cleared from Baie Verte 9th inst., Bk. Helene for Moncton with 615 m. spruce deals for Geo. McKee. Same place and date Bk. Hiawatha for Belfast, 399 m. spruce deals for Hazen Copp. From Rockport, 8th inst., schr. Richard Peterson for New York with 700 pieces of piling for John G. Read. Same place and date schr. B. C. Keworth with 545 pieces, piling for A. E. Melanson. August 8th, schr. Walter Miller for New York with 600 pieces piling for Simon Outhouse.

HOW THEY MET.—During one of the Scott Act cases yesterday the following amusing piece of evidence was given by a prominent witness from Portoford.

"I get all my liquor from St. John in a little brown jug and drink it at pleasure and according to law. But when I want anything especially fine I go to Bill C. the vendor in my locality for it, and furnish the certificate myself. I know that Bill C. is a lawbreaker, but I believe Bill C. comes nearer the law than any of them. I believe in the National Policy but not in the Scott Act."

BADLY BEATEN.—The other day Mrs. Christopher Richardson of Point Midgie laid complaint before Stipendiary Magistrate Joseph Buchanan, her brother-in-law, for unlawfully beating and bruising her. It appears that Mrs. Richardson went to her brother-in-law's house to get her trunk and arms bear traces of the rough usage she received. The case has not been settled yet.

Dorchester.

—Mr. S. McDowell, who for the past fifteen years has been carrying on a custom and ready-made boot and shoe business here, finding that the decrease in Dorchester's population was seriously affecting his business, and seeing a favorable opening in Springfield, has closed his business here, and is going to settle in that city with his family, to open a store at Springfield. Mr. McDowell, during his residence in Dorchester, has always been a most popular citizen, and as well as a first class man in his branch of trade, and his departure will be severely felt by his many patrons.

—Mr. W. W. Wells, barrister, has also decided to close his office here, and remove to Moncton where he will conduct his law business with Mr. D. I. Welch. His departure will create a blank in Dorchester which will be hard to fill, though his many friends here cannot but wish him an increased measure of success in his new home.

—Contractor Reid is making good progress with the new goal which is approaching completion. The work is being done in a most satisfactory manner, and presents a most substantial and striking appearance.

—The annual excursion of Trinity Church Sunday school to Point de Chene took place on Thursday last. The weather was fine and the day most enjoyable one, though the number attending was not quite as large as on previous occasions.

—Dr. J. F. Teed, who has for some months been absent on a sea voyage to South America, has returned to Portoford, and is expected to have good health. He is about to open an office in the building to be vacated by Mr. Walter Dubson, and will no doubt secure the practice here by Doctor Church before the removal of the latter to Moncton. During the time that he practised in Moncton Dr. Teed was much respected for his skill as a physician and surgeon, and no doubt he will be as successful in Dorchester.

Trinity church are progressing rapidly. The basement has been excavated and the furnace put in position, at a cost of \$250.00, and the new pews, of which about \$500 are daily expected here and will be put in place within a fortnight. These, together with eleven new windows and stained glass, a new pulpit, cost \$450.00, and presented by Lady Smith in memory of her late husband, a stone font, also presented by Lady Smith, rounding up the present value of the old church quite a different appearance, as well as adding greatly to the comfort and satisfaction of the rector and congregation.

Baie Verte.

—There seems to be quite a boom just now over the N. B. & P. E. I. Railroad. The smoking car and the weed whither stony outside on the bridge take comfort or go without.

The Baie Verte hotel under the management of Orkney Phelan and his amiable wife is well conducted and travellers can at all times make themselves perfectly at home at this popular and favorite resort.

The W. C. T. U., lately formed, is adding to its forces slowly and surely. It is an institution calculated to bring about many reforms in society. Its founders at the Baie are well worthy of the Christian name they bear and are most indefatigable in their zeal to bring all into their ranks.

The temperance cause has been fairly successful but I cannot say that there is no liquor to be obtained as the Vendor is at all times most eloquent and only too ready to supply the ardent to any body who may approach him with a piece of paper having the signature of a M. D. a certificate that he is at all scrupulous about the quantity dispensed, whether it fifty cents worth or six dollars worth at a time as was the case only a few days ago when then glory and in his shame, made his brags about the town that he had given it; even on the Sabbath day to a poor fallen brother.

—Temmyson's back yard is said to be strewn with clay pipes that he has smoked and discarded.

K. D. C. Worth millions.

This Beats Chicago.

(Moncton Times.)

On Monday evening the Police Marshall Foster was called up to the house of James M. Kay, who lives on Telegraph street, on complaint of a neighbor that a man named Robert Leeman and a married woman named Prosser were conducting themselves improperly. The woman was found, but she protested that she had done nothing wrong. She said that she had been married, but that she had obtained a divorce and intended to marry Leeman. Being questioned by the marshal she produced a document which she called her "divorce." With this spelling corrected it read as follows:

MONCTON, West. Co., N. B., Aug. 29, 1890.

We, the undersigned, do hereby show that we are and have been lawfully united together in marriage as man and wife, and that we are now lawfully joined together as such man and wife. And we do hereby mutually agree and abandon all claims of any action whatever against each other in all matters that may hereafter arise or against any person that either of us may marry. Witness whereof we, the undersigned, do hereby set our hands and seals this day and the year above written in presence of James M. Kay.

TRUMAN X. PROSSER, mark.

SURAN C. PROSSER.

This wonderful document Mrs. Prosser said had been given her by Squire Garland of Albert County. The parties had previously visited several magistrates in Moncton, but being unable to get what they wanted had hired themselves away to Albert County with the above result. It is said Leeman and Prosser woman are to be married tonight.

The Provincial Normal School.

The examinations for entrance to the Normal school were held at Fredericton last week. The following from West-norland were successful. Out of 184 applicants 20 failed to pass.

Anderson, Royd S., Port Elgin, Allan, David J., Port Elgin, Allan, Austin J.,

Basky, Geo. M. J., Petitediac, Bishop, Edith M., Monaramook, Brown, May, Petitediac, Brownhurst, Ada, Moncton, Colpitts, Weldon A., Point de Bute, Colpitts, Julia, Point de Bute, Cole, Orissa, Dorchester, Dupuis, Agnes, Moncton, Finnis, Grace, Moncton, Gantreau, Melinda, Camneau Station, Henry, Belle, Salisbury, Mc Ladden, Minnie, Johnson's Mills, Mc Lerer, Fanny, Moncton, Oulton, Flora J., Jolicure, Price, Edward L., Petitediac, Read, Albert M., Port Elgin, Reid, Janet, Little Shumogus, Sharp, Maude, Petitediac.

Bayfield.

—Mr. Chas. N. Raworth, was badly hurt on the 4th inst. While threshing the belt came off, the big wheel flew off, and of which struck Mr. R. in the face, breaking the nose and cheek bones. Dr. Goodwin, of Bayfield is attending him. Mr. Raworth has the sympathy of this community.

—Mr. Horatio Wells, of Oregon, is home visiting his friends. He expects to remain two or three months. Mr. Richard Wall of Boston, after an absence of sixteen years, has been visiting this native place, Bayfield. He has returned to Boston.

—Editor Steven, and Mr. Humphrey of Moncton, were in Bayfield over Sunday.

—Farmers are busy with their marsh hay. English hay is not as good as last year, though a few report a better crop than last year. Oats will be much better than expected. The corn crop, the rust has not been doing much harm, wheat will be a fair crop. Potatoes are looking exceedingly well.

Joggins Port, N. S.

No. of vessels entered Foreign for month of July and August, at the port of Joggins. 51

No. entered coastwise. 88

Total. 139

No. cleared Foreign during July and August. 69

No. cleared coastwise. 70

Total. 139

No. of vessels entered during first week in September. 23

No. of vessels cleared during first week in September. 17

Several vessels are loading lumber and piling. The piling is nearly all shipped. Some lumber, laths, etc., to be shipped yet.

BORN.

On the 29th ult., to the wife of BLISS ALLEN, Bayfield, a son.

KINSKAR.—At Cookville, Sept. 10th, to the wife of HORATIO KINSKAR, a daughter.

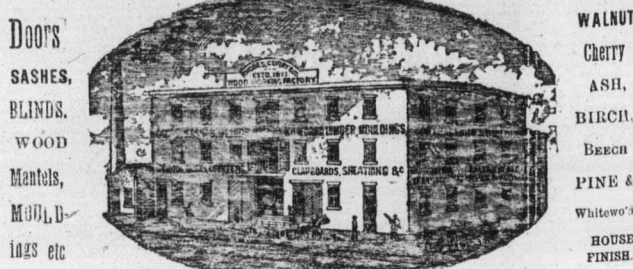
PUBLIC AUCTION.

THERE will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises of ALFRED DIXON, Sackville, at 1 o'clock on

TUESDAY, 16TH DAY SEPTEMBER, the following HOUSEHOLD GOODS, and FARMING UTENSILS:

RHODES, CURRY & Co.

AMHERST, NOVA SCOTIA,
Manufacturers and Builders.



SCHOOL, OFFICE, CHURCH AND HOUSE FURNITURE.
Manufacturers of and Dealers in all kinds of Builders Material
Send for Estimates.

Boots and Shoes!

FALL AND WINTER!

AMHERST BOOT & SHOE CO. (Retail)
MOFFAT'S BLOCK.

WE have now on exhibition a Complete Stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which will be sold at prices which cannot fail to please. The Stock includes
Ladies' Skating Boots, from \$1.50 upwards,
Walking Boots, in Button and Lace,
Felt Boots and Shoes,
and Gents' Solid Comfort German Felt
Slippers, sure cure for cold feet,
Ladies' and Gents' American Rubbers, 1st quality.

Also a Fine Assortment of
GENTS' ENGLISH BOOTS,
Including the Celebrated "K" WATERPROOF BOOT. Every Pair Warranted. Do not fail to see these Goods.

Custom Work a Specialty.
REPAIRING PROMPTLY & NEATLY DONE.

Port Elgin Woolen Co
Custom Carding.

HAVING made arrangements with the Port Elgin Furniture and Wood Co., to allow us to place a set of Wooden Carts in this factory, we will be ready to do Custom Carding on the 20th of THIS MONTH.
We have a large stock of Cloth on hand which we will exchange for Wool as formerly.
Port Elgin, June 16, 1890.

SACKVILLE Meat Market.

The Subscriber has opened a MEAT MARKET, IN THE HENRY ALLISON BLOCK, Opposite MacMillan, and is prepared to supply the Sackville public with

MEATS of all KINDS!

Fresh Fish

WILL ALSO BE SUPPLIED.
All Orders Will be Delivered by the Subscriber.

O. A. MILTON & Co.
Cash Paid for Fat Cattle.
Sackville, Jan 20th, 1890.

BETTER THAN EVER.

MRS. C. W. MAIN'S
STOCK OF
MILLINERY

Is going to be finer than ever this season. New Goods arriving daily. The best and most complete.

STOCK OF FEATHERS
In the Country, and our Whole Stock most complete in every particular. A Complete Line of
Art Needle Work Materials

Call and inspect our Goods, and be satisfied that we mean what we say.
Orders for Trimmed Work promptly attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.

MRS. C. W. MAIN,
Douglas Block, Amherst.

NEW MILLINERY.

Having just returned from the millinery openings with all the latest novelties in
Laces, Flowers, Feathers,
Hats and Bonnets

in great variety. We are now prepared to execute all orders and guarantee satisfaction.

We have also an immense stock of
Ladies and Children Underwear,
Pinfades, Aprons, O. sets,
Gloves, Hosiery, etc.

Call and examine our stock, we shall consider it a pleasure to serve you.
MRS. M. D. HUBBES,
-121 Victoria St., Amherst.

Cattle in Pound.

IN POUND at Joliceur: Three young cattle about one year old, One steer and one heifer, color red and white, the steer color black and white, all three marked, two notches on top side right ear and left, or swallow tail in and-side left ear. The above mentioned cattle if not claimed and charges paid thereon, will be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, 26th day of September, at two o'clock local time.
CLARENCE L. HICKS,
Joliceur, Sept. 8, '90 Pound Keeper.

The Burglar's Blunder.

(By RICHARD MARSH.)
Continued from last week.

As Miss Jones said this—which she turned and adjusted the pillows so as to form a support to her back. Against this she reclined at ease. She placed the revolver on the bolster at her side. From a receptacle in the nature of a tidy, lying down, she drew a small leather case. From that she took a cigarette and a match. With the most charming air imaginable she proceeded to light the cigarette and smoke.

Mr. Bennett watched all her movements, feeling that he must be playing a part in a dream. It was a perceptible relief when she removed her eyes from his face, though they were such pretty eyes. Yet although she was not looking at him, he felt that she saw him all the time—had a hidden smile on her face, that she saw what was passing through his mind.

"I wouldn't think about my revolver. You won't be able to fire it, you know."

He had been thinking about his revolver, a faint notion had been growing in his mind that he would like to have just one shot at her. Miss Jones made this remark in the most tranquil tone of voice, as she was extinguishing the match with the lighted cigarette.

"And I wouldn't worry about that chloroform—it is chloroform, isn't it in the right hand pocket of your coat?"

As she said this Miss Jones threw the extinguished match from her on to the bed-room floor. A great cloud of horror was settling down on Mr. Bennett's brain. Was this fair creature a thing of earth at all? Was she a witch or a fairy queen? Mr. Bennett was a tolerably well educated man and he had read of fairy queens. Miss Jones had lighted the cigarette to her satisfaction and had fixed her eyes upon his face again.

"I suppose you were hardly prepared for this sort of thing?"

"Hardly."

The word came from Mr. Bennett's stammering lips.

"When you heard about the theft—observed the damsel—at forty five or so."

Miss Cecilia smiled. Mr. Bennett immediately smiled, too. But there was this difference—while the lady's smile was a thing of beauty, the gentleman's was a mere grimace.

Miss Jones remarked Mr. Bennett's facial contortions with an appearance of considerable interest.

"I never had them smile quite so sympathetically before. In that respect, Mr. Bennett, you are unique."

Charmed to have met one so pleasant, the young lady knocked the ash off her cigarette with her dainty finger and turned her attention to Miss Welsh.

"Don't think, Hannah, that we will have any scratching out of eyes."

When she had thus delivered herself, Miss Jones reclined in silence for some moments on her pillows, discharging the smoke of her cigarette through her delicate pink nostrils.

When she spoke again, it was to the gentleman she addressed herself.

Mr. Bennett would you mind closing that box of diamonds, and replacing them in the drawer?"

Mr. Bennett shut the box with a little snap, and carried it across the room. There was something odd about his demeanor as he did this—an appearance as though he were not engaged in this sort of labor.

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There was a slight tapping against the bedroom door.

"Come in!" exclaimed Miss Jones. The door opened and Miss Welsh came in. She was not exactly in full dress—in fact, rather the other way.

Mr. Bennett, who through it all was conscious in a horrid, nightmare sort of way, thought that he had never seen any one look so extremely unpossessing as Miss Welsh looked in disarray. The instant she was inside the room Miss Jones raised her hand to her forehead.

"I have her entirely under control. Some of the results I have obtained with her are really quite remarkable. But you shall see for yourself and judge." The young lady addressed Miss Welsh.

"Well, Hannah, here is Mr. Bennett, you see."

It was evident that Hannah did see. She seemed struggling to give expression to her feelings in speech. Miss Jones went calm on.

"This is here a business—he is committing burglary in fact. You were right in supposing that was his profession. The mistake you made was in imagining that he would have shared the spoil with you. I think, Mr. Bennett, I am right in saying that you would not have given Hannah much."

"Not a sou."

"Probably you did not even intend to marry her?"

"I would have seen her hanged first."

Mr. Bennett made this plain statement with quite curious ferocity. Miss Welsh rubbed her eyes with the sleeve of what we will suppose, for courtesy's sake, was her night dress.

"That makes nine of 'em," she said.

"That makes nine of them," as Hannah says. Hannah, Mr. Bennett is a woman of experience. She has had nine promises of marriage, but not one of them came off. But I don't think, Hannah, that you ever had a promise from a burglar before?"

"Then, at least, that is a new experience and a new experience is so precious. Is there any remark you would like to make, Hannah, appropriate to the occasion?"

For a moment it did not appear as though there were. Then it seemed that there at least was one.

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He regarded her with a look which was the reverse of amiable. She eyed him with what were doubtless intended to be soft, pleading glances. When she reached him she placed her hand timidly against his chest.

Mr. Bennett looked particularly grim. She raised the other hand, which held the sheet of foolscap paper, and spread it out upon his breast. It was legible at quite a considerable distance:

"I AM GEORGE BENNETT, The Burglar."

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It was hardly the sort of inscription a chivalrous spirit would wish to have displayed upon his breast by the object of his heart's desire or even by the woman he had promised to marry in the course of the following morning.

She first looked at it around the edges; then she sewed it up and down and across from corner to corner with a hundred careful stitches in such a way that he would have to tear it to fragments piecemeal in order to get it out. It would have been quite impossible to make it so secure while he had that inscription on the process seemed to Miss Welsh extremely sad. It made Mr. Bennett sadder still. When she had finished her conscientious piece of work she crossed her hands meekly in front of her.

Mr. Bennett did not seem to feel rapturous at all.

"Now Hannah take the sack which Mr. Bennett wore beneath his coat, hold it open for him and enable him to step inside."

The sack, lying on the floor, Miss Welsh with a half uttered shriek picked it up and held the mouth wide open. Mr. Bennett scowled first at the lady, then at the bag. He raised his left foot gingerly and placed it in the opening. Miss Welsh assisted him in thrusting his leg well home. Then she was at a pause.

"Perhaps, Mr. Bennett you had better put your arms round Hannah's neck observed Miss Jones. She was engaged in lighting a second cigarette at the ashes of the first.

Mr. Bennett put his arms about Miss Welsh's neck and thrust his other leg into the sack.

"Draw it up about the waist," remarked Miss Jones. By now the second cigarette was well alight.

"Miss Welsh drew it up about her waist. It was a good sized sack so that although it was not at all the average height, being drawn up it reached his loins.

"Mr. Bennett hold the sack in that position with both your hands." Mr. Bennett held the sack in that position with both hands. Hannah, in the bottom of the long cupboard, you will find some cord. Get it out.

In a mechanically melancholy way Miss Welsh did as she was told. The cord, being produced, took the shape of a coil of rope about the thickness of one's middle finger.

"Make two holes in the front of the sack and thrust the cord through them." With the same aid, Mr. Miss Welsh acted on Miss Jones' fresh instructions. She made two holes in the front of the sack and passed the two ends of the cord through them.

"Now pass the cord over their shoulders, make the knot in the back of the sack pass the cord through them then draw it tight."

Again Miss Welsh obeyed dutifully yet conscientiously withal. The result was that when the rope was tightened—and Miss Welsh in the most conscientious manner did so—the tight as she possibly could—Mr. Bennett's lower portions were imprisoned in the sack in a manner which was hardly dignified. He might have been about to engage in a sack race, only he did not appear to be in a sack-racing frame of mind.

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Our New York Letter

NEW YORK, AUGUST 18, 1890

Dear Editor:—Being in this great wilderness of brick houses and millions of people known as the American metropolis, with its grand boulevards and drives, its magnificent parks and beautiful gardens, its monuments, public libraries, museums, galleries of art and kindred places, it seems to us that some description of these places from our mental picture of view may be interesting to the multitude of your readers, who may never be able to see them for themselves as well as instructive to those among them whose good fortune it may be to some day visit America's chief city.

The journey hither would alone repay one for the time and trouble taken, if there was not a great and magnificent city at this end of the route, for the road lies through some of the prettiest portions of our picturesque country and in these days of modern railroading traveling is a comparative luxury. Despite the almost perfect equipment of the trains however, and notwithstanding every precaution is taken to guard against accidents, they will sometimes occur, and it happened that we were to experience one of the inconveniences which every traveler is sometimes subjected to.

Our iron steed, in its eagerness to cover the distance and complete its day's work, injured some portion of its intricate mechanism which took the engineer's eye, and he was obliged to stop during which time the passengers amused themselves by walking up and down the track and exploring the adjacent fields. The good nature which Americans display under such circumstances was not wanting, and the break repaired on our way again, the delay and all else soon forgotten and our pleasant surroundings.

The city was reached in due time, and bidding our fellow travelers whose acquaintance we had made during the trip, we stepped forth into the promised land. The prospect was anything but encouraging. Night had descended on the city. The rain was falling in torrents; the wind whistled and howled as it came in gusts through the house-walled streets, and the lurid glare of the electric lights gave every moving object a spectral aspect. The streets were deserted save for an occasional belated wayfarer or weary traveler seeking a room in a state of absolute oblivion. That ride of a mile from the depot to the hotel through the silent streets, between the darkened houses, with the rain beating on the roof and windows of the carriage, was one to be remembered. The thoroughfares were paved streets, the stiff springing cabs, the noisy horse and his impatient driver, the solitary policeman, pacing his lonely beat despite the weather, reminding us that even in these degenerate days there are those who are faithful to their trusts, the electric lights avenues stretching away as far as one could see, the quiet churches, the noisy saloons, the terrible downpour—all indelibly impressed on our memories. Having telegraphed ahead to have rooms reserved for us at the hotel, a precaution, by the way, which we would advise every intending visitor to take, everything was in readiness for us when we arrived. Without waiting to compare notes, the famous pilgrims wished each other a hearty good night, turned in, and were soon in the land of dreams.

The next day was the Sabbath. We were up early, and went for a walk in the Madison square park, which at this early hour was almost deserted. Later in the day this park is crowded with people from all parts of the world, guests of the surrounding hotels.

Travelers have pronounced this park the most cosmopolitan spot on the face of the earth, and we certainly never saw such a congregation of assorted humanity in all our lives.

There are six hotels facing this park. The Fifth Ave., Albemarle, Hoffman, Victoria, Everett's, and Bartholdi; the St. James, Coleman, Gilsey, Grand, Clarion, Brunswick, and Delmonico's, are but a block or two distant. Another block or two and you are in the heart of the city.

Returning from our walk with appetite that enabled us to do justice to the tempting breakfast in waiting, we decided to attend morning service at "Trinity," and receiving directions from the clerk which way to go, we started out on our walk, having plenty of time to reach there before service would begin.

Trinity church is situated on Lower Broadway at the head of Wall street, about one mile south of Madison square and within a quarter of a mile the Battery the extreme southern point of Manhattan island. Surrounded by a burying ground it looks strangely out of place in the midst of this busy section. It is a grand old church though, inside, and it would be a pity to remove it, as there is something in its history, and because it could never be replaced. After listening to an excellent sermon, we took a handsome cab and were whirled rapidly back to our hotel, arriving in time for dinner. In the cool of the evening we were driven up through Central park and some distance into the country by way of the Hudson river, to a beautiful view of the city from the Battery.

General Grant. This drive which is the most popular with those who ride for pleasure, is a magnificent beyond question, and though of course we got only a glimpse of the beauties of the park we saw enough to convince us that it is fully as good as the good words that have been written in praise of it.

It was about nine o'clock when we reached the hotel again, and acting on the advice of the genial clerk, who seemed to consider it his special duty to see that we enjoyed ourselves, we attended the sacred concert at Madison St. garden, and listened to such music as we had never before heard, given by the famous Strauss orchestra. This mammoth temple of amusement beggars description. It covers an entire square, and is the largest amusement hall in the country, the principal arena accommodated about twelve thousand people, and the connecting halls and galleries many thousands more.

It has a sliding roof which is kept open during pleasant weather admitting the air, and during away with the heavy reverberation of the sound of music into the air is subjected to most music halls. The hall is filled with rare and beautiful women, and the place is very popular with all classes.

Light refreshments are served by foreign looking waiters and in certain portions of the building smoking is permitted which latter freedom, it is unnecessary to say, greatly appreciated by the masculine element of Gotham. On the evenings of week days there are two grand ballets, that are reputed to be something more than mere exhibitions of feminine depravity. The prices are not exorbitant, and the place is very popular with all classes.

But we must reserve the account of any more of our sight-seeing for the future lest our letter be too long.

J. J.

Moncton, N. B.

U. bearable Agony.

For three days I suffered severely from summer complaint, nothing gave me relief and I kept getting worse until the pain was almost unbearable, but after I had taken the first dose of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, I found great relief and the pain soon fell to a minimum.

Wm. T. GLINZ, Wilford, Ont.

For further particulars apply at Acacia Villa."

Mr. Bennett wrote as she dictated, displaying the above legend in a striking round hand right across the sheet of paper. Miss Jones addressed Miss Welsh.

"Hannah, in my work basket you will find a needle and some good stout thread. Get it out."

Miss Bennett took off that sack which you have worn round your neck beneath your coat."

"Batton up your coat again. Mr. Bennett buttoned it up."

"Hannah, take that sheet of foolscap paper on which Mr. Bennett has written at my dictation and sew it firmly to the front of his buttoned up coat."

Miss Welsh took the sheet of foolscap paper. She approached Mr. Bennett holding it in her hand. Mr. Bennett

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For further particulars apply to

AMOS B. ATKINSON, Sackville, April 20th '90.

GRASS FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale the BROADLEAF GRASS, on 8 acres of Marsh, in Anzac road, Westmorland Point.

WARREN CARTER, Sackville.

NOTICE.

I am instructed to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, by Eliza B. Knapp, the GRASS on the Bush Lake Marsh, on

WEDNESDAY, 10TH INST., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, also I will sell ten Stacks of Hay at the same place, by ROBERT BELL, Auctioneer.

Sackville, Sept.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of the late Anne Hike, are required to make payment, and all persons having claims against the estate of the said Anne Hike, are requested to present the same, duly attested to the undersigned within three months.

GEORGE CAMPBELL, Administrator. Dated the 1st day of August, 1890.

LAND.

A PRIVATE SALE, two small Lots UP LAND at Westmorland Point, N.B., after the 24th of