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## Poetry.

### LINES

ADDRESS TO THE ONE WHO CAN BEST UNDERSTAND THEM.

There's beauty in the merry laugh  
That rings out gay and clear,  
Bespeaking goodness in the heart,  
Which knows not sin for fear.  
The fear that checks the true impulse,  
Upspringing from the mind,  
Lest a cold world should harshly judge,  
With meaning most unkind.

There's music in a merry laugh,  
Melodious, rich and grand,  
Can far surpass the organ's peal,  
The master's mighty hand.  
For while the electric sounds arise,  
The listeners to enchain,  
Perchance the power that called them forth  
Was born of grief and pain.

The world has changes, well we know,  
A time must come to mourn,  
And laugh dark thoughts to scorn.  
For when skies look bright and fair,  
In glorious morning light,  
Anticipate the tempest wild,  
The storm-king's threatening might?

'Tis time to weep when loving friends,  
Who bleed life's early day,  
Become estranged at Fortune's frown,  
And coddle turn away.  
When hearts on which our own reposed,  
Decide our faith's fond trust,  
And radiant hopes that light our path  
Are mingled with the dust.

But until then the merry laugh  
Must ring out clear and light,  
The building fills in summer time,  
To silver fife and bright,  
And "in our own peculiar way,"  
A way unknown to thee,  
We'll pass the pleasant sunny hours  
In joyous laughing glee.

MARJORITA.  
Fort Beau Sejour.

## Literature.

### Sketches from the South.

BY ALBERT J. HICKMAN.

Such are the incidents of this tragedy, that I gleaned during my stay here, and I mention them among other things to show how much of painful interest centres in the palace precincts. One word more of Salnave. I said he was cruel. But he has many vindicators here and it would seem to be generally admitted that he was a man of great force of character, of undoubted bravery and administrative ability. Certainly the revolution that overthrew him appears to have been the result of faults upon both sides.

The foundation of the palace shows the main building to have been long and spacious, its length, fronting the street with two lateral wings and one in the rear. Built originally many years ago, it had been added to by successive rulers, with the usual effect of irregularity in appearance and an absence of architectural pretensions. Intelligent foreigners, English and American, bear witness to the elegance of its interior furniture and adornments. Especially does it appear that this was the case in the times of Shemouque, the Emperor, and Jiffard, the President, who proceeded Salnave respectively, and under whose respective regimes the republic was very prosperous. Its only remnants of grandeur now are its length and breadth, its foundation with paneled front, its marble slatted ground floor and steps leading up to the main building, and either lateral wing. The precise spot upon the floor where the post was fixed and Salnave shot, was pointed out to me by a friend in this place. A stranger, I naturally forgot his errand in memory of his long struggle against adverse fate, culminating in the cruel retribution that met him, and felt a pang of sincere sympathy for the unfortunate president. The grounds of the palace are quite extensive, and were beautifully laid out and made attractive by cool, shady fountains and a rich variety of trees and flowers. Among the trees which remain are seen stately cabbage palms, the beautiful but sad immortal, orange and almond trees, &c. Conspicuous among them all, a great branching mango tree famous for rich green and sweet soft shade, its leaves all in a gentle flutter, at being moved by the breeze among its guarded branches. One of the foun-

tains is exhausted and dry now, the other at the rear of the palace as lavish as ever in its cool overflow. There is yet another, I believe. To the right of the palace looking outwards and running in a straight line across the grounds to Le Tombeau de Salnave, before mentioned, as built into the front wall are the regular brick arches, very thick, and still uninjured which formed the lower part of a fine large building devoted to the departments of the several ministers. The front wall of enclosure is massive and very high, built entirely of brick, covered with mortar. The palace gates do not lack a share of honest state, too. The pillars of the large ones in the centre, partake of the massiveness of the same materials. They are lofty too, and nicely capped. The gates, themselves, large and small, are made of iron pickets, and a piece of graceful iron ornamentation tapers up, surmounting the whole structure in the centre. Further on towards the north the wall lessens in height, and finally becomes a non-picketed fence, with a base of brick and mortar painted, and square pillars of the same, with peaked tops. This fence forms the principal line of enclosure of the palace ground, on a part of the front or western side, and on the northern and eastern sides, running to the gates within the rear of the palace. On the southern side of the front gate, the front wall stretches away in the full proportions and, encloses in its course the spacious grounds of the barracks at the south, which buildings were uninjured by the fire. Passing through the gates in the rear of the palace you meet with a lofty fort, apparently for some time in disuse, verily breaking through the cracks in the wall and carpeting in a wild way the interior.

THE SCENERY.

Walk a very little further on still in the rear of the palace, and in a northerly direction, and you will see a rare bit of prospect which generous memory still lets me see if not with almost the rich distinctness of actual vision, assuredly with more dreamy pleasure. A long low grass grown mound is on the right hand, and on its other side is a deep broad ditch, almost dry. To the eastward lies a majestic plain, the grand parade ground. Perfectly level, a surface of noble extent, of vivid greenness, and short close grass, it might be a cricketer's paradise. A graceful carriage road winds over it, and clumps of beautiful trees are scattered here and there. A grand serenity pervades the place, a divine language, whose sedative influences seize stealthily hold of the senses. The plain seems to bask and doze in the afternoon sun, guarded by the rugged, yet beautiful mountains that tower proudly up from its edges to the south and east, and by Fort Nationale on the hill to the north, which seems like some great natural monster, crouching in the green undergrowth that covers the summit and face of the hill, waiting with a cruel gleam in its eyes, ready to spring upon any intruder.

Majestic sentinels are these mountains which surround the town. I never was tired of looking at them in any phase of their appearance, whether patched with gold by the glorious sunlight, their sleepy nooks and little hills all radiant in their yellow beauty or at gloomy night-fall when the sun had vanished, and a thick, sullen vapor wrapped itself about their summits and lent them an additional frown, and later when the twinkling lights of a hundred little houses on their sides flashed out brightly to tell of humanity's existence away up there in the gloom.

SUNDAYS AT HATTI.

In the latter part of the afternoon on Sunday, the parade ground is animated by the presence of pleasure-seekers of all classes of society, ladies and gentlemen either walking or riding upon horseback. A discordant braying of stray donkeys is painfully observable, and a certain large number of questionable shady individuals, who pay clamorous attention to a cockpit at the north-west-

ern extremity of the ground, who appear to have very hazy ideas as to the sanctity of the Sabbath. These individuals further observe the Lord's day and satisfy their spiritual longings by drinking *tafia* and playing dice. The game is an old and time-honored one, having for its authority the recommendation of kings and princes, and it is probably owing to the climate that it has lost its secular character here, and become an instrument of grace, yet I fear that many who read this will yet be incredulous as to its saving effects. One thing is certain, that they play it with profound devotion and great dexterity always catching the dice with the box in the most surprising way, and carrying on a war of words and gestures, that with honest New Brunswickers would inevitably end in a fight, but here is concluded only by a prolonged succession of grunts and shrugs, interrogative and exclamatory, and the most abundant expectation all around. I may remark here that the Haytien is a very garrulous fellow indeed. In this particular there is an unmistakable resemblance between prince and peasant. The essence of all pantomime is Haytien. It amused me very much one day to see an offender being taken by some policemen to what I suppose we would call the station. To the number of five or six they surrounded the prisoner and the injured party walked along with them. They were shabby looking functionaries and wore a monotonous uniform of blue drill. They carried short sticks, but only in this respect were they like the policemen we are accustomed to. They argued the point of individual great freedom of speech, and a large circle for the unrestrained motions of his arms and legs and head, all of which were the source of his logic, and derived additional piquancy from the fact that his hat was crownless, and that his extremities had struggled far beyond the restraints of mere art, his torn pants' legs fluttering down as far as his knees, and the sleeves of his shirt being left hopelessly behind a little below the shoulders. Apparently this shirt was of lace, of large figure and eccentric pattern.

Although it was Sunday this rare party would stop occasionally and execute a kind of war-dance, which gave additional relish to the discussion, and ended in the usual flourish of national grunts. Then the march was resumed, and long after they were hidden from view I judged from the sounds I heard that the majesty of the law was still being jealously vindicated by its officers. In our drive through the town we visited the public fountry, which was also uninjured by the fire. We did not get out of the carriage, but saw that it was a spacious building, apparently well designed for its purpose, and built wholly or in part of iron. Its machinery is capable of doing any kind of work even to the forging of cannon. On our return home we passed two plain-looking yellow buildings of brick, the counterparts of each other, and each bearing the name *Tribunal Civil*. One of them is devoted to the trial of civil cases, the other of criminal causes. In this last Salnave was tried. We also passed an exceedingly pretty little Protestant Church, partly hidden among trees, where I was told a body of Episcopalians worship in the enjoyment of complete toleration. I have thought it unnecessary to mention that almost all the people here are Catholics. The Cathedral here is situated in the central part of the town, and is a plain, unhandsome building, quite spacious. The steps, which run all along its front, are thronged with penitents, or persons desiring confession, idlers, mendicants, and street vendors. It fronts on the corner of a large open square, devoted to another market, larger in the ground it covers than the first, and if possible more fertile in derelict booths. They looked very weak kneed when I last saw them one Sunday afternoon. I felt very sorry

for them in their desertion, and were it not that the ruins lacked grandeur, I perhaps might have grown pathetic. As it is Volney's beautiful sentiment, yet remain unrivalled, and the world will have lost an invaluable acquisition to its literature. On one side of this square are two square enclosed fountains, the waterjetting out of their sides. Some of the finer portions of the town have been destroyed by fire, during the different revolutions, and insurance companies now positively refuse to take a risk at the most extravagant of premiums.

MINISTER OF MARINE.

The day following my arrival at Port au Prince I had the honor of an interview with His Excellency, the President. My friend and I were accompanied by the Haytien Consul. He first took us to see P. Monplaisir Pierre, the Minister of War and Marine. We went through a low, stone building, with a railed enclosure on either side, at the further end, one of which is occupied by the Minister when affixing his signature to the correspondence, or otherwise attending to the business of his department, the other by his chief assistants. Outside the rails were desks occupied by various subordinates, and benches for the accommodation of such unfortunate as from any cause had to wait the time and convenience of the Minister or his subordinates. From this place we entered upon a small yard, with a few dispirited Bananas and a tangled vegetation enjoying a green old age, with a delicious freedom from care. The place was enclosed by a high brick wall. Through it there was a flagged pathway that led, in a few steps to a wooden house, the residence of the Minister, and where he generally receives his intimates and persons on private business. The house is also within the enclosure made by the wall. The rooms were ushered into was airy and comfortable, with a high ceiling. The furniture was indifferently good, perhaps a trifle sparse. Yet I am not sure, on second thought, that the size of the room and the absence of carpets, which are never seen in the West Indies, did not give this effect. We were introduced to the Minister with much ceremony by the Consul. Politeness on his part, and bad French on ours, made the first few moments painful, but the Minister had an open, assuring countenance, which soon put us at our ease. Shall I describe him? He is a tall, unhandsome negro, very black. He is gaunt and long-armed, with high cheek bones, and a head that might supply an important link in Mr. Darwin's chain.

All these features prove his *pru sang* and undiluted. Ethiopian, as he apparently is, I am bound to say that he is a man of respectable intelligence although personal appearance are rather against him. The Consul and my friend had business to talk with him. They did the principal part of the talk upon one side, and the Minister "kept up his end of the stick" in that line with wonderful vigor. The conversation was frequently and most unobtrusively interrupted by a small boy, whom I learned was the Minister's son and rejoiced in the euphonious name of *Joseph*, also by the occasional expostions of stray hens and chickens which wandered in through the open doors. Joseph was a boy, I should judge, of between three and four years of age. He was coolly clothed in a shirt and a pair of half-boots. His face was very pretty, but fitful. The young intelligence had apparently caught the idea that to be the Minister of Marine's son invested him with peculiar importance, in consequence his manners were as cool as his clothing; and he trotted about in a reckless, indifferent way, that showed, unquestionably, he was a child of blood. Among other things observable in the room were several rifles of the Chassepot, Snider, and other patterns. I saw him, (the Minister) several times afterward, and shared in several conversations between him and my friend in reference to the business before mentioned. We generally had an interpreter when business was talked. To finish with the Minister, in social conversation he is bland and polite. In a matter of business

he is a most unpleasant man to talk to, because he overweighs you with loud torrents of talk and alarming gesticulation. Be careful not to have a money claim of any value against the Government, of which he is one of the heads, especially for the following reasons.—The Government don't properly understand the great law of compensation. They apparently think that their dignity and honor are enhanced by successfully avoiding the restrictions of such an equity. Consistent supporters of this philosophy, they never pay any considerable claims unless they can help it. Diplomacy with them runs into bad faith and statesmanship into theft, for it is a notorious fact that many of the Chief Executive officers, and Ministers of the Republic have appropriated to their own use large portions of the public money unaccounted for. This element of picking and stealing in high places gloriously survives the slaughter of men and principles at each revolution and change of party. Through the various mutations of Government, the jewel might be, and never was it more attentively acted upon than under the rule of the late President Salnave, when it is said a Minister, not satisfied with the proceeds of much gaudy speculation, being entrusted by the President with a large sum of money to buy a war steamer and armament at New York, forgot either to execute the Commission or to return the money, and has not since been heard from. I would be doing injustice to the present Government did I not say that some members of it are, or seem to be honest men. For the President, of whom I will speak shortly, I entertain the highest respect, or the Minister of Marine, etc, I am compelled to say I do not.

(To be Continued.)

[We owe an apology to Mr. Hickman for several printer's errors in his sketches of the South last week. Among the most noticeable of them is the mis-spelling of "in memoriam" and "equal," and the beautiful French quotation, "*Ce ne fut pas à moi que tu fis voler mes larmes*," by introducing the words *mei* and *couleur*. The repetition of the words "the following" should be supplied by "this." We make a special note of this as we are generally correct in the typographical management of this paper.—Ed.]

## THE RECORDS OF LONGEVITY.

### Curious Illustrations.

Physiologists from the days of Galen have established rules and regulations for the preservation of life, which are all included in the mutual laws. Upon a strict observance of these laws, and upon such natural conditions of the parentage, constitution, and form of the individual, longevity depends. Hereditary longevity is regarded by Dr. Noiset as the most important prognostication. Rush said he never knew an octogenarian who could not quote similar instances in his family. From a statistical report of the hospitals and work-houses of London, out of 437 octogenarians 303 were descended from long-lived parents.

Regarding the parentage Bacon makes the curious statement that "those that resemble the mother most are longest lived." The same author describes the most favorable organization for old age "as one with head small in proportion to the body, a moderate neck, wide nostrils, large mouth, ears gristly, teeth sound, a raw-boned body, broad chest, large hand, short foot, eyes large, facilities in holding the breath." Medical authorities, as a rule, rely more on the general physique than on minor details. The celebrated Hufeland favors one of the middle size, with a complete harmony of all his parts, senses not too delicate, pulse slow and regular. Lavater lays more stress upon the countenance. He says "every man destined to reach an advanced period in life has a muscular forehead, furnished with a soft skin, and the nose somewhat curved." With respect to the sex, there has been much discussion; but it is certain that women do attain as great age as men, notwithstanding their inferiority of form and sedentary habits. Tisich explains this want of exercise as being compensated for by their talking so much.

The health of the human race is very dependent upon the external conditions of life, especially the char-

acter of location or habitation and a country geographically situated so as to combine regularity of the seasons with a uniform, mild, and moist climate, is the most conducive to the prolongation of life. The most unfavorable localities are those where extremes of temperature prevail. In Iceland and Siberia, both with extremely cold climates, 70 is the standard of extreme age, while in China, with its enormous population, centenarians are so rare that when the Emperor in 1784 assembled the oldest inhabitants of the empire to the number of 3,000, there were only four whose ages exceeded a century. Mountain—our regions, on account of the purity of the atmosphere, offers superior advantages to those of low countries. Scotland, Switzerland, and Wales are conspicuous in this respect.

It is stated that old Lortan's only food was milk and cakes, with brandy. Jenkins appears to have subsisted on salted beef and sour, leavened bread; De Ouzge lived on cornmeal; Parr drank ale and sterry, and many centenarians have been addicted to the use of liquor and tobacco.

Whatever may be the effect of diet upon longevity it is certain that the occupation or profession exerts great influence. Farmers are generally the most favored, having the advantage of pure air, plenty of exercise, wholesome diet and freedom from excitement. Clergymen are long-lived for their lead regular lives. The celebrated Wesley attained the age of 88, having preached 66 years. Failors, shoemakers, printers and watchmakers die young from the confinement of their pursuits. Masons, plumbers and painters are unusually unhealthy, while carpenters and bookbinders are more fortunate; stablemen and divers live long. One would not suppose that those connected with the stage would survive long, and yet there are many instances of very old actors. Garrick lived till he was 63, Kemble 66, Mrs. Siddons 76, C. C. Gibber 86, and Forest is upward of 70. Poets as a class have lived very early; but it is questionable whether this is due to moderate use of the brain or their own excesses; Byron died at 36, Burns at 38, Goldsmith at 41, Spencer at 46, Thomson, at 48, Dante at 59, Tasso at 52, etc.

The pursuit of the arts and sciences seems to favor health, many of the most illustrious attain great ages. Titon lived to 96; Michael Angelo, 89; Claude Lorraine, 78. Physicians, although exposed to constant risk from disease, usually reach old age. Lawyers are short lived. In short, all professions requiring much study have a tendency to shorten life, and so constitutes the maximum age. With literary men, sleep—the most important auxiliary of health—is too often neglected. Sleep is as necessary after intellectual as physical labor. The loss of sleep has been known to occasion death, as in the case of Lord Littleton, and a newborn infant could not survive twenty-four hours if kept awake. Shakespeare appropriately calls sleep Nature's soft nurse. The married state is more favorable than the single. Buffon declares "that marriage is the proper state of man," and physiologists affirm that nearly all the remarkable cases of longevity were married persons. Old Parr tried wellcock again at the advanced age of 120.

According to the Cologne Gazette, the Prince de Joinville refused recently to become a candidate for the presidency of the French republic as a short cut to the throne. "But," said the prince, "if I were a king I should know how to govern well. The means are very simple. I would have a constitution of two articles. The first should enact that every Frenchman should be a functionary; the second that every Frenchman on reaching the age of five should be decorated."

Statistics collected by English Commissioners of Customs show that during the year 1870 the trade of England was greater than ever before. The imports from foreign countries and British possessions abroad amounted to £303,000,000, and the exports to £244,000,000. The imports from Germany fell off nearly £3,000,000 in consequence of the war, but this was offset by an increase of £3,500,000 in the imports from Holland and Belgium. The exports to Germany fell off £2,470,000, but this loss was partly made up by an increase of nearly £1,000,000 to Holland and Belgium, which was destined, probably, for Germany. With France a larger business than ever was done, though the increase in exports was mainly in munitions of war. The exports to the United States amounted to £28,235,000, an increase of 15 per cent. over those of 1869, while the imports from the United States show an increase of £7,231,000 over those of the previous year.

Woo's of an English Gallant.

The breach of promise trial has been interesting the British public during the intermission in the Tichborne proceedings, the plaintiff being a veteran maiden named Hubbert, and the defendant an elderly gentleman of Lincolnshire, named Coppington. Mrs. Coppington died and the fair Hubbert, who now brings a suit for breach of promise, a young man of thirty, came to the funeral and stayed a few days. When she went home the bereaved widower said to her, "good-bye, Charlotte; don't be in a hurry to throw yourself away." Her conscious heart interpreted these words to mean "wait for your Coppington." She did not have to wait long. The next month he wrote her a letter which ended, "with fondest love and lots of kisses, dear Charlotte, from your ever-loving Wright Coppington," which the learned counsel judiciously observes, "was not bad for the first letter." [Laughter in the court.] He got on beautifully; in his next letter he consults her in relation to some leather belt he is purchasing, not "not caring to please any one but her own dear self." Of course there was "renewed laughter," which was not cured when this conscientious swain, as if realizing that there was something slightly suggestive in that phrase of "Gathered ads," "I mean right." And so proceeding through a wilderness of oiled-boas, his passion unceasing him a poet, and he talks of the strains and the stings of his kisses like a cockney Anacreon. At a later period, when the learned counsel tells us his love was cooling, "he perditionally reinforces his letters with parrot amour. I hope nothing will ever change the love we have had for one another. If I was again you I would give you some good kisses. (Laughter.) I would leave a mark on your dear cheek." (Laughter.) Only a

## CLEANINGS.

NEVADA has a saloon called the "Hearse."

The new postal rates begin in England, Oct. 5. A letter weighing one ounce goes for one penny.

AS old lady, writing to her son out West, tells him to beware of bilious saloons and bowel alleys.

The great tunnel, through the Sierra Nevada is to be five miles long, nineteen feet high and twenty-one feet wide. Its cost is to be \$15,000,000.

He came down town for his morning nip, he raised the glass, he heaved a sigh, and then between each ardent sip, he cried, "Oh, how is that for you?"

SAN JOSE, CALIF., witnessed a fight recently between a pair of antiquated celestial, which terminated in mutual pig-tail entanglement, and eventual strangulation of the twain Heathen aspirants for fistic honors.

They tell of a man out in Dubuque, Iowa, who, during a moment of fit his semi-self, severed from her cranial surface its hirsute appurtenance, and with the proceeds of the sale thereof, procured a barrel of corn-meal and saturated himself into a state of clamorous jollity.

AS a sutored man in Boston, when reproached for the extravagant charges he had made for certain services, claimed, "Well, isn't it better to be a hog and get well paid for your work than to be a good fellow and get kicked from pillar to post?" With that man evidently, business is business.

Why will people continue to soak in gin and kindred enormities? Daily evidences of the disastrous consequences of such proceedings are served up to us, and all, like the one from Cobleskill (N. J.) *Index* teach the same lesson, "Steer clear of benzine." This is the sad extract from the *Index*:

One day last week a man in Windsor, Vt., hitched his team to a freight car standing on the track, and went into a benzine shop to take something. Soon he thought he heard something, and looking up the track, saw a freight train moving out, in the rear of which was a whirlwind composed principally of horses tails, wagon-wheels and harness leather. All he saved out of his establishment was a few horse shoes and a wagon tire.

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Two weeks later he writes: "I am not cross with you, but as I told you before, I can't get on with so much letters-writing; neither will I, if it goes me. Only think of it! My dear Mary, been gone just five months. (Loud laughter.) There is nothing so comical as the perfectly untypical of a middle-aged man, who can afford to pay it. The first reference to the dear departed, is the sympathy of all gentle spirits, sealed his doom with the hard-hearted jury. Nothing now remains but to ascertain how much mending he could endure. "How much are you worth?" asked the counsel. His lordship on the bench could not refrain from his little joke, and asked, "Do you mean him or his property?" a sally which met with great success. When the unfortunate Copping had confessed that he was not a pauper, the counsel indignantly suggested that he had just enough to keep a wife; but Copping loudly protested that he was not rich, though for that, showing that even in the rural retreats of Lincolnshire domestic happiness is considered the most expensive of luxuries. When asked what he had to say for his wretched self, he brought to ward no reason for changing his mind, except that Charlotte's aunt had told him she was deceitful. The jury, thinking very naturally that a man who is so credulous as to believe one woman's report of another, or so unreasonable as to expect that his brother-in-law should be deceitful, deserves a raping lesson, brought him in guilty of larceny to Miss Charlotte's mature affections in the sum of two hundred pounds.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.**  
Hats—R. S. Staples & Co.  
To Sportsmen—Manchester, Robertson & Allison  
Molasses and Syrup—Rankine & Ruggles  
Sugar, Molasses and Syrup—Geo. S. DeForest  
New Goods—John Armstrong & Co.  
Customs Department Notice—R. S. M. Bouchelette  
Business Card—Thompson's Paint Manufactory  
Ready Made Clothing—Andrew Ford  
Sheriff's Sale—Blair Botsford  
Auction Sale—Geo. W. Henshaw  
Hay Press at Auction—J. L. Bent

**Chignecto Post.**  
SACKVILLE, N. B., OCT. 5, 1871.

**New York Civic Affairs.**  
The fight of the citizens against the New York Tammany Ring is progressing with unabated fierceness, although it is broadly asserted by the N. Y. Democrat that the proceedings of the Committee of Seventy are actually in the interest of the Ring, a statement that does not seem to be borne out by the latest telegrams, which will be found below. It is to be hoped the villainies of Tweed, Hall, Connolly, Sweeney, and their satellites, will meet with punishment, and that justice will not be defrauded. It will be remembered that the first blow struck by the Committee of Seventy was to obtain an injunction restraining the Ring from expending any moneys of the city, which injunction was afterwards made perpetual. Afterwards Connolly's office was broken open and the vouchers for enormous sums paid out by the Ring were abstracted. The Ring, no doubt, instigated the theft to cover up their own villainy. In fact the vouchers were afterwards found partially carbonized in a liquor store of an Alderman named John Murray. The last move of the committee has been to take criminal proceedings against the Ring:—

**New York, Oct. 2.**  
Affidavits have been prepared upon which application will be made to-morrow morning to the police justices for warrants for the arrest of prominent officials of the city government, for fraud and malfeasance in office.  
Processes are out against Garvey, Keiser, and Smith, similar to those served upon Messrs. Ball & Co.  
The object of the suit, which is being instituted by the Committee of Seventy is to make them pay back the moneys which may be considered in excess of full pay for work done and materials supplied, and if the claims were dishonest and they did not receive the amount of their claims, to compel them to tell who caused their claims to be made out dishonestly, and who received the money. They will be required to bring all their books and accounts into Court, to be compared with the statement of the clerks in the Comptroller's Office.  
If any attempts are made to flee the country, Judge Barrett thinks they will be arrested.  
The "Times" prints the lists of names of persons drawing monthly salaries from the city in the department of Public Work, from legislative department, Mayor's office, and law office. They aggregate \$61,729. The lists contains names of professional pugilists, and Jim Quisick and

Joe Coburn receive salaries under assumed names.  
Hundreds of it the city roll not only never performed any service, but are utterly incapable of writing their own names.  
Secret accounts of the city show for the first quarter of 1871 an appropriation amounting to \$115,586 was paid; special and trust account, \$2,143,182; redemption of revenue bonds \$308,000; making a total for the quarter of \$9,278,988.

**Agricultural Exhibition.**  
The Exhibition of the S. & W. Agricultural Society takes place on the 20th. The usual preparations are being made by the farming community for the show of fat cattle and agricultural produce, and the building will be set off with the usual amount of useful and fancy articles, displaying the skill and industry of the fair daughters of the farm.  
The S. & W. Agricultural Fairs have hitherto been a failure in the attempt made to bring together the producer and the consumer on the Fair Grounds. Whether the idea is really impracticable here, as in England, on account of our scanty and widely separated population; or that travelers see no advantage in purchasing at these Fairs; or that farmers can do better by holding off their fat oxen, butter, cheese, &c.; or that merits of these Fairs never have been fully agitated and represented to the farming and trading classes, the fact remains the same that our Fairs lack a large amount of that interest and influence they would have, if a great amount of buying and selling and general business transactions of the County were there transacted. Besides such advantages as giving farmers a correct idea of current prices of produce, and enabling them to sell it for cash and often at a higher rate, a more practical knowledge would be given them of the actual requirements of the markets from time to time. A Fair day, with its influx of strangers and busy transactions, would then be the most important in the Calendar, and many farmers could make their contracts and close their business for a season in one day. We hope to see more substantial benefits flowing from these exhibitions than merely the awarding of a few shillings to the owner of the best bull calf, or enabling the proprietor of a fast colt to trot him forth to the admiration of a crowd of boys.

**Local and Provincial News.**  
**Honest Prices paid for Hides.**—See Almer Smith's advt.—  
**WELD SEWING MACHINES.**—I have used a No. 2 Weld Machine, and have had it running four years steadily. For heavy work I believe it is unsurpassed by any Machine in the market. ABNER SMITH, Propr. Sackville Boot & Shoe Factory, 47-48-49.

**THINGS NOTIFIED GRANVILLE** that the Commercial Treaty between France and England terminates at the beginning of 1872.

A well known resident of Woodstock, fell between the cars of the N. B. and Canada Road, at McAdam Junction on 29th ult., and received such injuries that he died in a short time.  
The Italian barque *Losile*, went ashore in the late gale. Six of the crew were saved. Four were striven to death in the rigging, and four were drowned. The gale extended from English and Irish coasts to the Continent, and caused much damage to crops.

**NEW FIRMS.**—At Shelice, Messrs. Bell & Theal have commenced business, and at Port Elgin, Messrs. C. T. Bent and Tinson Bent have entered into co-partnership, and are opening a store.

**STEWART'S QUARTERLY** is about changing its proprietorship. Mr. A. A. Stockton, L. L. B. and Mr. Geo. W. Burbridge, A. M., Barristers-at-Law, will, we understand, assume its management January next.

**THE TANTRAMAR BRIDGE** is being repaired by Mr. Wm. Cole. The stone top of the eastern pier has been taken down and thoroughly rebuilt. As the foundation is considered secure, the present work will, it is believed, preserve the bridge.

People of Yarmouth, N. S., propose to put on a steamer from St. John to Boston, to call at Portland, Me., 100 subscribers at \$500 each, their families to go free, and share in the profits, or make up the losses amongst shareholders.

**A NEW SAW MILL** is being erected by Joseph C. Harper, Esq., Baie Verte, on the Gaspereux River, near his present mill. When completed it will be one of the largest and best in the country. The work is being superintended by Mr. Hannab, Millwright.

On Saturday the Office of W. B. McSweeney, Esq., Insurance Agent, at St. John, was burglariously entered and a large quantity of clothing and other articles stolen therefrom. A man named McDonald, late purser of the Anchor Line steamer *Aerodroma*, has been arrested.

That Iron is valuable as a medicine has long been known, but only since its preparation in the particular form of Peruvian Symplic that its full power over disease has been brought to light. Its effect in cases of dyspepsia and debility is most salutary.

**SIXTEEN DEATHS.**—Wm. Bain, a moulder in Fawcett's Foundry, was found dead in his bed yesterday morning. He was a middle-aged and intelligent man and a good workman. For some time past he has been addicted to intemperate habits, and no doubt rum was the proximate, if not the immediate cause of his death.

**MONTEBON ITEMS.**—Horse races at Montebon came off on the 12th, at 1 o'clock, p. m. There will be three running races and prizes for each. On Tuesday night was made hideous by horns, bells and shouting, in honor of an auspicious nuptial there. On Tuesday Justice Parbury invited Chas. Wortman to donate \$10 to the City Funds for the fun of striking John S. Kincaid.

**FATAL ACCIDENT.**—Eliphalet Reid Smith, aged 14, a son of Edward Smith, Beech Hill, was in the woods with two of his brothers on Friday afternoon last, gunning. He asked an older brother, who carried a gun, for it, and on receiving it the cock caught in his brother's coat, and the contents of the gun were discharged in the inside of his leg, above the knee. He was carried home, and died on Tuesday morning.

**A CRIMINAL PROSECUTION** is being waged by a magnate of one of the North Shore towns against a Merchant Prince of St. John, and is exciting no little interest. The latter, some time since, brought an action on an indorsed Bill of Exchange against the prosecutor, in which he made affidavit. The suit was settled. Afterwards it appeared that the St. John party never had the Bill; hence a prosecution for perjury. There is said to be a good defence. Two adjourned hearings before a Justice have taken place.

**IMMIGRATION.**—At the recent conference between the Dominion and the several Provincial Governments on emigration to Canada, the view taken was that more could be done in the way of disseminating information among European population concerning these Provinces than in any other way. To this end the Dominion Government is to assist the various Provinces by appropriations to supplement similar appropriations from the Provincial Governments for Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, \$20,000 for Quebec, and 30,000 for Ontario. Manitoba being still, as regards its wild lands, in the hands of the Dominion, its expenses will have to be borne entirely by the General Government.

**A ROBBERY** took place on Monday afternoon last, at Mr. C. W. Cole's boarding house. One Patrick Skarkey, a Foundryman, from Montreal, and working at Fawcett's Foundry, broke open trunks belonging to Patrick Dounly and Howard Wallace, also Foundrymen, and abstracted two silver watches, belonging to each of the latter, valued respectively at \$40 and \$22. When the robbery was discovered, Skarkey had disappeared, and constables were despatched in different parts of the country in search of him. Constable Cole next morning found Skarkey at Memramcook and arrested him. One watch was found on him, the other he had sold to a son of S. C. Charter, Esq. He is now lodged in jail.

**BRIEF LOCALS.**—Schr. William is loading for the West Indies with lumber. The brig, *Lucida* is being overhauled and newly sparred.—Flagg's Instant Relief men have been holding Concerts here for several nights past. The music is very good.—Mr. Robt. Fawcett left here on Monday, purposing to make a tour in the States.—Messrs. Frazer's tenders for track-laying the Intercolonial in Nova Scotia, and Messrs. Scovill & Co.'s for spikes have been accepted.—Capt. Elias Nelson was found drowned near Maitland on Sunday. He was much respected. It is surmised he committed suicide.—A man named Sullivan drowned himself in Bedford Basin, Halifax, on Saturday night.—The soldier who hit off the lip of Mr. Jno. Lannigan, at Halifax, recently, has been fined \$70 and 4 months imprisonment.—A Bazaar held at the Bank, Hillsboro, on the 29th ult., to

re-furnish the Wesleyan Parsonage, realized \$284.—A letter mailed at the Post Office, Hillsboro, for St. John, and containing \$263, is missing.—The lowness of water in the St. Lawrence is exciting apprehensions.

**POLITICAL THIEVES.**—Below we clip from "Harper's Weekly" (Sept. 30th), a little thunder for the Halifax "Chronicle." We suggest it might be useful in the present onslaught on Dr. Tupper, and only wonder it has escaped the vigilant eyes of that patriotic sheet:

EX GOVERNOR HAMILTON, of Texas, expresses an opinion that will apply in more localities than Texas when he says he never saw any members of the present State government steal anything; but "when we see a poor, miserable chap who never had a hundred and fifty dollars in his life come to Austin, borrow money to pay his expenses, and presently find him losing a thousand dollars a night at Faro, driving around in a fancy team, making liquor bills, wine bills, and all sorts of bills, and buying a buggy and fine horses to go home in we know he is a thief as well as if we had seen him steal."

**THE NEW BRIG.**—"Northern Star," building by Messrs. Anderson, of this place, will be launched next week. Her dimensions are 113 ft. keel, 28 1-2 ft. beam, 12 ft. in hold. She is salted, essentially copper fastened, thoroughly iron-kneed, and her rig and bottom are fastened with the best treenails. She possesses a fine medium model, being intended to combine both fast sailing with good carrying capacity. On the stocks she is as fine a looking vessel as is owned at the head of the Bay. She registers 350 tons and classes A 1, 7 years at Loyds. She is surveyed and will receive her outfit complete in Sackville, Capt. Chas. M. Anderson will command her and J. L. Black, Esq., has already chartered her to carry deals to Europe.

**THE WESTMINSTER BANK STOCK CASE.**—H. B. Allison, et al. vs. Eliza Crane, et al., was decided in favor of the defendants, on Tuesday, at Fredericton, Judge Wetmore pronouncing judgment. Perhaps our readers will remember that H. B. Allison, et al., filed a Bill in Equity to be refunded by Eliza Crane et al. \$14,000, paid as holders of stock purchased by C. F. & J. F. Allison, with funds of the Crane Estate. This Bill is dismissed with costs. A year or two ago an application was made to Judge Weldon to the same effect, who refused it. An Appeal from Judge Weldon's decision to the Supreme Court was then made, which was dismissed. The decision involves (stock, calls, interest and costs) some \$100,000. The lawyers engaged were C. W. Weldon, S. Thompson, Geo. Botsford, Counsel and A. L. Palmer, Sol. for Plaintiffs, and Chas. Duff and J. J. Kaye Counsel, and C. Milner, Sol. for Defendants.

**United States.**  
**NEW YORK, Oct. 21.**  
The latest report from Cuba is that the insurgents have no thoughts of surrender.  
A dispatch from Constantinople reports 70 deaths here on Saturday from cholera.  
By the breaking of the suspension bridge cables, on Saturday, at Wheeling, three men were killed and three dangerously injured.  
**NEW YORK, Sept. 30.**  
Warrants are out for the arrest of Tweed and others charged with swindling the city of New York.  
It is reported that the editor of the New York "Times" has been presented with a purse of \$50,000 by the Union League Club in recognition of his services against Tammany Hall.  
Mr. Langevin, Canadian Minister of Public Works, was presented with a costly case by the California Canadians at San Francisco on Thursday evening.

**NEW YORK, Oct. 3.**  
Four miners were killed yesterday by an explosion of sulphur in a Pottsville colliery.  
Fifty convicts made a vain attempt to escape from Sing Sing yesterday. Three men were killed, sixteen injured ten fatally, by the fall of a bridge building on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad.  
An arrouant at Paoli, Ind., became entangled in the ropes of a balloon was carried up a mile and fell.  
Brigham Young was arrested yesterday on indictment of Grand Jury of adultery with 16 women. It is reported that the indictment for murder will be presented to-day.  
Ex-Secretary Seward and Mr. Ashbury owner of Yacht *Livonia*, arrived to-day in steamer Java.

**St. John County Market.**  
REPORTED BY C. P. MCCREARY, COMMISSIONER AGENT, 111 UNION ST.  
OCT. 2, 1871.

Flour—Canada super	66.75 a 67.00
Extra State	66.75 a 67.00
Choice	7.25 a 7.10
Corn Meal	3.50 a 3.00
Oats, P. E. Island	50 a 55c
Roll "	48 a 52c
Porkin butter	20 a 22c
Roll "	22 a 24c
Tallow, best	7 a 9c
Lard	12 a 14c
Eggs, fresh	16 a 17c
Smoked Hams	10 a 12c
Shoulders	9 a 10c
Beef	6 a 7c
Potatoes, new	50 a 60c
Beans	5 a 6c
Lamb	6 a 7c

The Market is well supplied with butter and sells very slow.

English newspapers for some time past. The court physicians have been for some time past very uneasy; the ailment being not so much of a physical as of a mental character. They are unable to arouse her from a sort of despondency, bordering on insanity; her former amusements, walking, driving, superintending her household, painting, and cultivating her music at taste, have no interest for her, and no longer divert her mind from morbidly dwelling upon the memory of her husband. She exhibits no tendency to improve. Mr. Disraeli, in a recent speech, is said to have stated that she is morally and physically incapable of discharging the duties of her station and that her seclusion from public life is impairing the power of the throne. Every Englishman would deplore the clouding of the month horizon of so great a Queen, and so good a woman, and we can hardly imagine that so dreadful an event could affect otherwise the power of the throne than bind the people to the children of Her Majesty in closer bonds of sympathy. Difficulties will arise no doubt, but they are of a legal more than a moral character, and a way will be found to cut them by the same bold man, who a few days ago did not hesitate to wipe away the purchase of commissions in the army. Gladstone and the Prince of Wales have gone to Balmoral to see the Queen, and future developments will be anxiously looked forward to.

**FOREIGN SUMMARY.**  
**England.**  
**LONDON, Sept. 29.**  
P. S. Gilmore has presented to the Secretary of War, Mr. Cardwell, the details of his plan for the grand International musical festival to be held in Boston on the 17th June, 1872. Mr. Cardwell has promised the projector of the festival the use of the splendid band of the Guards.  
**LONDON, Oct. 3.**  
Scissors-grinders, cutlers and carpenters of Sheffield, and spinners of Bolton and Dundee have struck.  
French reinforcements for Cuba embarked to-day at Cadiz.  
Ship *James B. Cook* foundered in the Bay of Biscay in late storm. Nineteen men drowned.  
Four hundred women employed in the fax mills at Botten have joined the strikers and quit work.  
Oct. 3.—The alleged ill treatment of German residents of France has called forth a strong protest from the German Government while the continued German occupation aggravated the indignation of Frenchmen.

**MARRIED.**  
At the residence of the bride's father, on the 28th ult., by the Rev. Thos. Todd, Mr. Jose H. C. Bishop, of the Parish of Dorchester, a Miss Maggie S., second daughter of stephus Palmer, Esq., of the same Parish.  
On the 1st inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Dorchester, by the Rev. K. Alder, the Rev. Mr. Calah E. Lewis, of Parsonage, N. S., to Almira, daughter of Mr. George M. Black.  
On Wednesday morning, 4th inst., at Christ's Church, Fredericton, by the Rev. Canon Lee, Rector, Edwin A. Vail, Esq., M. D., Speaker of the House of Assembly of N. B., to Elizabeth, daughter of the eldest daughter of J. N. Murphy, Esq., M. D., of Fredericton.

**DEED.**  
At Amherst, on Friday last, Matilda, wife of W. F. Black, aged 61, leaving a husband and six children, of whom three are lost.  
At St. John, N. B., Sep. 30, of deceased, Wright Wentworth youngest child of Rev. J. R. Narraway, of that city.  
At Windsor, on the 1st inst., Ellen Black, infant daughter of John W. and Rebecca Webb.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**Ready Made Clothing.**  
Just Received—  
CASHING, which we wish to call SPECIAL ATTENTION TO. For Style and Quality UNPARALLELED.  
Call and examine before you purchase elsewhere.  
**ANDREW FORD.**  
Oct 5

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
To be sold at Public Auction, on the Second MONDAY of April next, at the Court House in DORCHESTER, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock, P. M.:—  
ALL the right, title, interest, claim and demand of REUFUS FILLMORE, his necessary right and right of entry, both at Law and in Equity, of, in and to the following Lands and premises, by all those lands and premises situate in the Parish of Sackville and County of Westmorland mentioned and described in a certain mortgage from the said Rufus Fillmore to William K. Chapman, registered in the Westmorland Records the 21st day of November, A. D. 1867, in Liber Y. F. Folio 302 and 307, and No. 26599. Also all other lands and premises of the said Rufus Fillmore, wherever situate or howsoever described within my bailiwick. The same having been seized and taken by vesture of several Executions.  
**BLAIR BOTSFORD,** Sheriff.  
Dorchester, Sept. 28, 1871.—oct 5

**Auction Sale.**  
The Subscriber will sell at Public Auction, at his residence in Amherst, on SATURDAY, the 28th of October inst., commencing at ten o'clock—  
THE whole of his Household Furniture, consisting of TABLES, CHAIRS, Sofas, Carpets, Bed-room Sets, Stoves, one excellent PIANOFORTE, Kitchen Utensils, Garden Implements, REFRIGERATOR, Patent Rotary Churn, one first-class Grover & Baker Sewing Machine.  
Also—1 Horse, 1 Cow and Calf, 2 Carriages, 1 SLEIGH, Buffalo Robes, Harness, and a variety of other articles.  
A credit of 6 months will be given in all sums over \$50, and 3 months on all under \$50 in approved joint notes, under \$10, Cash.  
**GEO. W. HENSHAW,** Auctioneer.  
oct 5

**Molasses and Salt.**  
To arrive ex brig "Mary," from Nevis, W. I.:—  
**100 PUNNS, NEVIS MOLASSES.**  
2000 bush. Coarse-SALT.  
**RANKINE & RUGGLES,**  
27 South Market Wharf, at John  
oct 5

**HATS.**  
LATEST FALL STYLES.  
**R. S. STAPLES & CO.**  
HAVE just opened this day:—One case Latest Styles Ladies' and Children's Fall Hats, Hat and Bonnet Shapes, a nice assortment.  
Inspection invited.  
**R. S. STAPLES & CO.,**  
46 Prince Wm. street, at John  
oct 5

**John Armstrong & Co.**  
**NEW GOODS.**  
THE subscribers have received ex "Alexandra," from Linacria, "Ledy Darling" and other steamers their usual large stock of  
**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,**  
—COMPRISING IN PART—  
**DRESS GOODS.**  
—IN—  
**Made and Figured Poplins,**  
**Clan Sergees Clan Challies Wincoys,**  
**REPS, FRENCH MERINOS,**  
**Coburgs, Lustres, &c, &c, &c,**  
**SHAWLS in great variety.**  
**GREY AND WHITE**  
**COTTONS, PRINTS,**  
**Beaver Cloths,**  
**BROAD CLOTHS,**  
**TWEEDS & DOESKINS.**  
Flannels, Blankets, Towels and Towelling, Hosiery, Gloves, Small Wares, &c., which will be sold wholesale and retail at the lowest prices.  
**The Very Lowest Rates,**  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL**  
**John Armstrong & Co.,**  
St. John.  
oct 5

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**To Sportsmen.**  
**Men's Knickerbocker Stockings,**  
IN HEATHER MIXTURES.  
**MANCHESTER,**  
**ROBERTSON,**  
& **ALLISON,**  
St. John.  
oct 5  
**Sugar, Molasses and Syrup.**  
**100 HIDS.** Refined SUGAR, 50 lbs. Barbadoes Molasses, 350 lbs. Barbadoes Molasses, 200 do. Genoa's Syrup, 60 do. Sugar Refinery Syrup.  
For sale by  
**GEO. S. DEFOREST,**  
11 South Wharf, at John.  
oct 5

**Paints, Paints,**  
**THOMPSON'S**  
**White Lead, Zinc Paint,**  
AND  
**PAINT MANUFACTORY,**  
69 PRINCESS ST. - ST. JOHN, N. B.  
Wholesale Only.  
oct 5  
**Hay Press**  
AT AUCTION.  
To be sold at Public Auction, on the 1st inst. at 2 P. M.:—  
A PORTABLE HAY PRESS, as the Barn of C. Milner, Esq., when it may be seen any day previous to  
**J. L. BENT,**  
Auctioneer.  
oct 4

**CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.**  
OTTAWA, 29th Sept. 1871.  
AUTHORIZED discount on American Invoices until further notice: 12 per cent.  
**R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,**  
Comr. of Customs.  
oct 5

**W. H. OLIVE,**  
INSURANCE, CUSTOM HOUSE, FORWARDING, COMMISSION and Ticket Agent.  
**Tickets Sold**  
For California and all Points West via Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad.  
For all Points in Canada, via Vancouver Central Railroad.  
For New York and all Points South, via Fall River, Stonington and Norwich Line.  
Office—Head of International N. S. Co's. Landing, Reed's Point, St. John, N. B.

**REFERENCES BY PERMISSION.**  
Hon. S. L. Tilley, C. B., Hon. A. M. L. Scully, Hon. Thos. R. Jones, Messrs. J. & F. Burpee & Co., Hon. P. Mitchell, Messrs. Jernin & Co., Messrs. Danis & Boyd, St. John, June 8.

**STAPLES & FIGGERS,**  
Wholesale Grocers,  
**36 Dock St. - St. John.**  
In Store and arrive per 1st Spring vessels:  
**520 CHESTS** of h-c chests Black and Oiling TEAS;  
90 sacks Java and Jamaica Coffee;  
75 Boxes Tobacco, assorted brands; 100,000 Cigars, good quality, very low;  
100 kegs B. Carb Soda;  
100 kegs Washing Soda;  
100 sacks Rice, Kingomg & Arracan;  
200 boxes Layer Raisins;  
240 boxes Tobacco Pipes, assorted; Soap, Candles, Best Cord, Hops, Walzing, Coppers, Vitrol Brooms, Pak Matches, Vinnagers, Black Lead, &c. &c. Also—All kinds of the best Liquors a Case and Cask.  
The above, together with a large stock of unenumerated articles, we will sell at our usual low rates for Cash or good Paper.  
Persons about to commence business depend upon getting a good article at lowest price. Every information given.  
**STAPLES & FIGGERS,**  
Apr. 13 1871. 36 Dock Street.

**WANTED**  
TO keep my business moving—Green Thistles and Crisp Skins.  
All persons having either of both for sale, will be fairly dealt with and receive the highest Market Price in CASH for the same, at the  
**Sackville Boot & Shoe Factory,**  
aprt 27 ABNER SMITH.

**"WEED"**  
**SEWING MACHINES!**  
Manufactured by the  
**NORTH AMERICAN**  
**SEWING MACHINE COMPANY**  
At St. John, N. B.  
**W. S. CALHOUN,**  
General Agent,  
**54 King Street.**  
St. John, N. B.  
ang 10-4f.  
**Lawrence Manufacturing Co.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a Third Call of twenty-five per cent on the Subscribed Stock of the above Company, making 75 per cent, ordered to be collected in this date, has been ordered payable to the Treasurer, J. T. Smith, Esq., Amherst, by the first of August next. Dated, Montreal, July, 1871.  
**F. A. DUNKIN, Presr.**  
**M. L. FOCKER, Secy.**  
July 27

1871. 1871.

GLASGOW HOUSE

J. L. BLACK.

Sept. 21st, 1871.

First of Fall Stock.

2 C Cases, containing White Cottons, Tartan Plaid, Check Poplinets, 3 arled Poplinets, Repps, Figured and Plain Lustras, variety of colors, Figured cords, Fancy Skirts, Print Cottons, &c.

SUGAR, MOLASSES, & C.

ONE Hhd. Golden Syrup; 12 casks Barbadoes Molasses; 2 casks Bright Sugar; 100 boxes prime Layer Raisins.

HERRING. 25 Barrels.

NEWFOUNDLAND HERRING. Excellent quality. sep21 J. L. BLACK.

August 31, 1871.

Cheap Flour & Meal.

JUST received from Boston and Montreal: 40 Bbls Flour, (warranted) \$9.50

35 Bbls Kiln Dried Corn Meal. For sale very low by J. L. BLACK.

Tobacco. 8 BOXES & Caddys, superior quality, by J. L. BLACK.

Coffee and Spices. FOUR CASES CAMPBELL & CO'S. Superior Goods. For sale by J. L. BLACK.

500 lbs. CANADIAN Horse Nails, 8, 9 & 10 dw. For sale very low by 25 lb Boxes. J. L. BLACK.

Carriage Stock. DASHER Leather: Emannelled Leather; Rubber Booting; Emannelled Cloth; Malleable Castings; White Lead and Col'd Paints; Paint Oil and Turpentine. The lowest in the market at J. L. BLACK'S

HAYING TOOLS. SCYTHES, FORKS, HAND RAKES, WHEEL HORSE RAKES. AT J. L. BLACK'S. July 27

Carriage Wood. JUST received and for sale very low 45 sets BENT WHEEL RIMS, 30 sets SPOKES, assorted.

Shafts and Poles. Clocks. TIME PIECES. LARGE Assortment Bronze Case, Plain and Fancy 8 day

Clocks and Time Pieces. ALSO. Wood Case Time Pieces and Clocks, from \$2 upward at Jos. L. Black's.

JUNE 29, 1871.

Ex Ship "Harvest Home" AND NOW IN STORE: 80 BAGS and Kegs English Hot Cut, Wrought and Common

Cut Nails; 1 Cask Zinc; 1200 Bars and refined IRON; 60 Bundles do.; 12 do. do.; 10 do. Spring and Tire STEEL;

50 Boxes Glass. Ad Lowest Rates. J. L. BLACK.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT

Supper under the Auspices of the "Rose of the Valley" LODGE of GOOD TEMPLARS, will be provided by the Ladies of Joliet, in the Hall, at Wry's Corner, on

THURSDAY, the 5th day of October next.

A Refreshment Table, furnished with all the Delicacies of the Season, will be provided.

THE CUMBERLAND CORNET BAND will be in attendance to enliven the occasion throughout.

Doors open to Supper at 5 o'clock, p.m. Admission 30 Cents.

Proceeds to be appropriated in purchasing an ORGAN for the use of the Lodge.

G. O. SMITH, A. A. DOBSON, A. BEDFORD OULTON, Miss MAGGIE DOBSON, Miss FRANCIS SMITH, Miss LOIS S. SMITH, Miss MARGARET WRY, Committee.

Joliet, Sept. 21, 1871-3in.

LADIES' ACADEMY BAZAR

FOR the sale of more than FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS WORTH of Goods, including, besides the articles usually displayed at Bazaars, an assortment of Gilt and Silver Mounted Smelling Bottles, Russia Leather Portmonnaies, Persian Purse, &c., together with some fine Pictures in Oils, Water Colors, &c., will be open on

TUESDAY, 24th October, from 10 o'clock, A. M. to 10 o'clock, P. M. There will be an Auction Table from 5 to 7 P. M.

Refreshment and Supper Tables provided. Should the weather be calm, the grounds will be illuminated with Chinese Lanterns. Sackville, Sep. 20th-21st-22nd-4in.

Barbadoes Sugar. IN STORE-20 hds Barbadoes Sugar. For sale by W. S. CALHOUN. sep28

HOPS-A few bales on hand. For sale at cost. W. S. CALHOUN. sep28

P. E. I. Oats. To arrive ex Railway: 800 BUSH P. E. I. Oats. For sale from the car by BARBOUR BROS., sep28

Choice Dairy Butter. To arrive ex Train: 40 TUBS Choice Dairy Butter. For sale at lowest market rates. BARBOUR BROS., sep28

A cup of Delicious Coffee in one Minute. DUNN'S Essence of Coffee. When one is pinched for time this is what is wanted. J. CHALONER. sep28

50 GROSS of Fellow's Syrup of Hypophosphites. For sale in lots of 10 gross, 5 gross, 1 gross, by the dozen, and retail at lowest market rates. T. B. BARKER & SONS, sep28

Dr. Fiske's Mouth Wash. I GROSS of the above elegant Toilet and Refreshment. Just received, and for sale wholesale and retail by GEO. STEWART, JR., sep28

DENTAL NOTICE. DR. W. W. JOHNSON, Dental Surgeon. WOULD inform his friends and the public generally that he has returned to Sackville, where he will remain until the 1st of October, Only. Those requiring his services will apply at once. OFFICE-Next door to Dickson & Bowser's Store. Sackville, September 21st, 1871-sep21.

New Sweet Cider. JUST received on consignment-16 bb New Sweet Cider. For sale by W. C. TREADWELL, at John. sep21

NEW FALL GOODS. Ex steamships Alexandria, Millbank and Austrian: 147 PKGS. of New Dry Goods, comprising a general Assortment for the Fall Trade, of Staples and an unrivalled assortment of Fancy Goods, personally selected by Mr. Butler. We can, with great confidence recommend these Goods to the notice of buyers, having been purchased from the manufacturers in the best markets. We hope to have them ready for inspection the present week, all of which we will offer at low prices. Wholesale buyers treated on the most liberal terms. EVERITT & BUTLER, sep14

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. THE Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Ford & Godson is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be conducted as usual by Joux FORD, who will pay all debts due by said firm, and all indebted to us will please pay to him. FORD & GODSON. sep24

Walking Sticks.

WE are opening a choice lot of Walking Sticks, (300 dozen), Plain, Mounted and Carved. Wholesale and retail. HANINGTON BROS., sep21

Fresh Leaches. WE have received per steamship to-day -500 Swedish Leaches, in excellent condition. HANINGTON BROS., sep21

NO MORE PLATE POWDER NECESSARY. HASSELYB'S Silvering Fluid, well prepared not to contain any preparation of mercury or other injurious compound. This valuable fluid will be found to be very useful to Plate Dealers, Hotel Keepers, Butlers, House Keepers, &c., in keeping their Silver or Plated Goods in an efficient state. It instantly silvers all articles of Copper, German Silver, &c., by simply rubbing; restoring the original brilliancy and beauty of all Plated Goods. Solid Silver constantly cleaned with this Fluid rapidly increases in weight and value. It is most useful and economical to restore and keep in order all Massive Silver belonging to Noblemen, Clubs, Churches, &c., relating to the Table, Carriage or Harness, and for restoring Clock Dials, Thermometers, and Barometer Plates. For sale by GEO. STEWART, JR., at John. sep21

Lime Juice. ONE Large Cask, fresh and clear, a perfect article. For sale by J. CHALONER. sep21

English Goods. The subscribers have just received per steamers from Liverpool: 3 CASES Purse and Fancy Pipes; 4 cases Druggist's Sundries; 1 case Surgical Instruments; 1 cask Toilet Brushes; 1 case Brushes and Combs; 3 casks Syringes, Glassware, &c.; 1 case Wrapping Twines; 2 cases Perfumery and Soap; 4 cases Stationery; 1 do Feather Dusters; 1 case Pomades, 5 cases Drugs and Chemicals. Wholesale and Retail by T. B. BARKER & SONS, sep21

NEW MANTLES. -NOW OPENED- A Superb Stock of RICH AND FASHIONABLE MANTLES. FROM London, Paris and Berlin, adapted for the present and coming season. EVERITT & BUTLER, sep21

Extra Mess Shad. IN STORE-75 hds No. 1 Mess Shad; 20 hds No. 2 do; 50 hds No. 1 do. For sale at lowest market rates. BARBOUR BROS., sep21

Fire, Marine & Life COMPANIES. RISKS on Hulls, Cargoes and Freight, by Risks on Country Dwellings, Barns and Stores. Life Insurance affected in some of the oldest and best established English and American Companies. Full Deposit at Ottawa. W. C. MILNER, sub-agent at Sackville sep14

NEW YORK STYLE. Satin Hats. FALL-1871. D. MAGEE & CO. HAVE now an assortment of sizes, in good quality Satin Hats, Fall Styles, and will have in a few days an extra quality of same. Price \$5.00, equal to the \$3.00 American Hats. Hat Manufactory, sep14

New Fall Goods. Manchester, Robertson & Allison HAVE received per Anchor Line steam ship "Alexandria": New Mantle Cloths, New Dress Goods, FLANNELS AND BLANKETS. Underwear, Ladies' & Gents' Linen Hdkfs., Corsets, Hosiery, Gents' Scarfs, Scotch Fingering Yarns, Dress Buttons and Smallwares. sep14

Carbonate of Ammonia. LARGE Quantity for sale very low. J. CHALONER, at John. sep21

NOTICE. THE Subscriber has disposed of his Property and Business at Sackville, and intends in a few days to remove to Moncton. Parties owing the Subscriber will please settle immediately. Debts remaining unsettled will be left in the hands of an Attorney for collection. JOSEPH LANDRY. Sackville, August 20th, 1871-sep21

Agricultural FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

WATERTOWN, NEW YORK STATE. A Stock Company, Established 1853.

Cash Assets, \$600,000.00 Deposited with the Finance Minister at Ottawa, \$100,000.00

R. G. TREMAN, Gen. Agent for Maritime Provinces. OFFICE-64 Bedford Row, Halifax, N. S.

The Agricultural Does a strictly non-hazardous business, insures detached Private Residences, Household Furniture, and Farm Properties only, at rates averaging about ONE HALF those of any other Stock Company. Holders of Real Estate in Cities, Towns, Villages and Country, will do well to consult our Agent before insuring elsewhere. FARMERS will find the "Agricultural" especially advantageous for their purposes.

POLICIES ISSUED FOR ONE, TWO, OR THREE YEARS. Losses Promptly paid in Gold.

WM. MURPHY, Agent for Westmorland and Cumberland Counties. Sackville, N. B., July 13th, 1871.-July 13.

THE LOCKMAN. THE LOCKMAN. FAMILY SHUTTLE

SEWING MACHINE! The Cheapest and Best Lock-Stitch Sewing Machine in the Market. NO Machine ever introduced has achieved such extraordinary popularity in so short a time.

EVERY ONE SATISFIED! The Lockman Patent is the simplest Lock-Stitch Machine made. Any child can operate it without much instruction. The Lockman has a patent Automatic Thread Regulator. This contrivance enables the operator to sew the heaviest fabrics and the lightest without any alteration of Tension or of Setting the Needle.

The Lockman has an Adjustable Hemmer, Friller, Braider, &c., &c. All the attachments go with the Machine free of charge. The Lockman carries away the First Prize at the Provincial Exhibition, Toronto, over Forty-Six Competitors.

SHOW ROOMS:--Hoop Skirt Factory, 79 King Street, ST. JOHN, N. B. DAVID MILLAR, General Agent for N. B. and P. E. I.

Agents wanted everywhere. Send for Price Lists. N. B.-Some dealers in the city tell intending purchasers that it's no use buying the Lockman, there is no one to repair it should it get out of order. I keep a mechanic who will attend to repairing whenever necessary. D. MILLAR. (aug31)

Phoenix Mutual LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

HARTFORD, CONN. ASSETS, Securely Invested, \$5,000,000.00 SURPLUS, Free of all Liabilities, 1,761,147.18 RATIO of Assets to Liabilities larger than that of any other Company of equal age, being 14.068 of Assets to every 100 of Liabilities. DIVIDENDS, paid to Policy Holders, \$1,021,217.20 INCOME in 1870, 2,827,538.12

The Progress of the Company for the last Five Years has been as follows: Assets at end of year. Income for the year.

1866 \$1,457,314.95 1867 2,218,344.28 1868 3,644,080.28 1869 5,084,073.60 1870 6,090,562.13

Within the past five years the Assets of the Company have increased more than Five Million Dollars, notwithstanding nearly a Million Dollars have been returned to Policy-holders in Dividends, and One and a Quarter Million Dollars paid in losses by Death during that period.

That this is a progressive Company is demonstrated by the following Comparative Statement of Business in 1865 and 1870, respectively:

No. Pols. Issued. Sum Assured. Income. Assets.

1865 4,302 \$6,779,424 17.89 19.27 1,898,833.94 1870 9,065 19,498,761 2,827,638.18 6,090,562.13

That the business of this Company is managed with the strictest economy is indicated by the fact that notwithstanding the large increase in business, the expenses have been in inverse proportion, as will be seen by the following table:

Ratio of expense to Premium Receipts. Ratio of expense to Gross Receipts.

1870 1869 1868 1867 1866

As evidence of the special care taken by the Company in the selection of risks, it is sufficient to state that its Ratio of Losses paid to amount at risk, is smaller than that of any other Company of equal age, namely, 0.31.

Since the commencement of its business the Company has issued more than 52,000 POLICIES, and has paid in losses One and Three Quarter Million Dollars to the families of those who have deceased while members of the Company.

J. F. BURNS, Secy. E. FESSENDEN, Pres't. \$130,000 deposited at Ottawa for security, of Dominion Policy-holders. W. B. McSWEENEY, Agent for New Brunswick.

FALL-1871. WANTED. 10,000 Lbs. Wool. For which the HIGHEST PRICES will be paid. DICKSON & BOWSER. (aug17)

For Sale. A LOT of Land situate in the Parish of Moncton, on the Shediac Road, known and distinguished as Lot, Number Forty-six and containing One Hundred Acres, with house thereon and other Improvements, the same having been deeded by H. M. Cook and wife to John Henderson, Esq., C. E. in 1854. Enquire at St. John of R. Cruikshank, Esq. of Sackville of W. C. MILNER, Sackville, August 28-31

Chas. W. Smith, BUTCHER. Codfish and Pollock. -NOW IN STORE- ONE Hundred qts. Mixed Cod; 50 qts. large Cod; 50 qts. large Pollock. For sale at lowest rates. BARBOUR BROS., sep21

Mill & Steamboat SUPPLIES.

RUBBER AND LEATHER BELTING. REDUCTION IN PRICES!

Z. G. GABEL, WOULD call attention to his LARGE and SUPERIOR Stock of Leather and Rubber Belting, at Reduced Prices. Agent of the BOSTON BELTING COMPANY and of J. B. Hoyt & Co., New York. Every Belt is Warranted!

Butcher's and Whittman's Smith's Mill Saws and Files. Lard, Olive, Seal and Crude Oils. Lath and Pailing Ties, Rubber Packing, Steam Gauges, all kinds. Flax Hemp, Jute and Lubricating Packing. CLOTHES WRINGERS and CLOTHS WASHERS. RUBBER GOODS, every description. ENDS and HYDRANT HOSE. The Best Belting and the most Superior Goods imported, can be found at No. 90 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. mar30

New Goods -AT- PRINCE WALES HOUSE, FLOUR & MEAL, Ex Schr. "Wild Hunter" from Boston: 100 BBL'S XXXX Flour, 30 bbls Best Corn Meal. For sale very low by A. FORD.

CHAIRS. Ex "Wild Hunter" from Boston: Double and Single Back Chairs, Children's High Chairs, Large Common Rockers.

-IN STORE- Cane Seat Chairs, Cane Seat and Back Nurse-Chairs, Cane Seat and Back Rockers, Common Wood Seat Nurse Chairs, Cane Seat Children's Chairs, Common Children's Rockers, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Sideboards, Fall-Leaf Tables, Kitchen Tables, Centre Tables, Lounges, Wash and Toilet Stands, Wash Sinks, &c., making a complete assortment, which will be sold at the lowest living profits. A. FORD.

New Goods! New Goods! THE Subscriber wishes to inform his customers that he has just received New Goods for the Fall Trade, viz: Dress Goods, Prints, Grey Cottons, White Cottons, Ladies' Hats, Gents' Hats, New Ribbons, Flowers, &c., &c. For sale very low by A. FORD.

Tweeds. Tweeds. ONE case of TWEEDS, all new. Patterns for sale very low by A. FORD.

Sour Flour. Sour Flour. Expected per schr. "Ella" TWENTY-FIVE bbls. Sour Flour. For sale very low by A. FORD.

Wanted. HOMSPUN Socks and mitts, Feathers, Oats, Barley, Butter, Eggs, and all kinds of produce, for which the highest prices will be paid. A. FORD.

F. B. ADAMS & SONS, GEO. MOORE, Successor, 1860. Chronometer and Watch Manufacturers, 31 St. John's Square,--London.

Prize Medals: INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, London, 1862. PARIS EXHIBITION, 1867. SOME of these high class Watches, adjusted in heat and cold and positions, cased in Gold, received per "Austrian". PAGE BROS., 41 King st. sep14

Mill-Owners! Rubber and Leather Belts. PRICES REDUCED. THE subscriber would invite the attention of customers to his New Patent Lat, showing A Further Reduction in the Prices of Rubber and Leather Belting, while the high standard of quality, which has given them so favorable a reputation with our customers, will be fully maintained. GEORGE F. KEANS, 80 Prince William st. mar25

JOHN ARMSTRONG & CO., 54 King St., - St. John, N. B. THE WELL KNOWN CHEAP Dry Goods House. IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN Every Description of DRY GOODS, -ALSO- Boot & Shoe Materials. John Armstrong & Co. (sep7)



J. D. LAWLOR,

MANUFACTURER OF LAWLOR'S FAMILY LOCK STITCH -AND- The Howe & Singer's Family and Manufacturing SEWING MACHINES.

General Agent in the Dominion for the "Etna" and the "Florence" Sewing Machines, and the New England Wax Thread Machines, Egg-Press Machines, and Boot and Shoe Machinery.

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN Every Description of Sewing Machine Findings, &c. DUPLICATE PARTS of all the Popular Machines kept constantly on hand.

Principal Office: 265 Notre Dame Street, MONTREAL. Branch Offices: 22 St. John St., QUEBEC. 82 King St., ST. JOHN, N. B. 103 Barrington St., HALIFAX.

E. HARNEY. Specimens may be seen at the residence of the Rev. Thomas Tool, Sackville. (July 18)

Will Purchase A "Weed" Machine. Call & examine at A. FORD'S. "WEED" MACHINES. \$50.00. \$35.00. \$25.00. \$15.00.

Hardware. C. G. BERRYMAN, Barlow's Corner, 5 King street, JUST received--Nail, Brad & Farrier Hammers, Shingling Hat Bits, Drawing Knives, Planing Tools, Shoe Knives, Aal Hafs, Rules, Picture Nails, Fluting Machines, Sash Fasteners, Mortice and Front Bone Locks, Extra Fast Frunk and Chest Lock Keys, Chain and Cupboard Bolts, Molasses Gutters, Axle Pulleys, Plumbs and Levels, Tea Scales, Apple Posters, Cabinet Screws, Door Knobs, Paint Mills.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. CASH WANTED. -AND- VALUE GIVEN. Sackville Boot and Shoe Factory. WILL retail Boots and Shoes from this date for CASH only. In order to do justice to my numerous cash customers and myself, I have determined to retail my manufactures for the public. ABNER SMITH, P. S.-The above will be strictly adhered to. July 13-3in.

Olive Oil. 5 CASKS Fine Olive Oil, in store--wholesale and retail, at HANINGTON BROS., at John. sep7

Fresh Lime Juice. 156 GALLONS very fine Lime Juice. For sale by the bottle or on draught, whole-sale and retail at HANINGTON BROS., at John. sep7

Dental Goods. THE Subscriber's Stock of carefully selected Stock of Dental Goods has now arrived, and consists of Choice Assortments of the following: Gold Fills, Forceps, Amalgam, Star Rubber, Rubber Dams, Gutta Percha, Artificial Impression Wax, Burrs of every description, Excavators, Collation Cups (Cork and Gold), Cornumbers, Tape, Cornum Wheel, Files, Impression Cups, New Dress Goods for Autumn wear, New Crimson Flannels, New Plain do., New Winceys, New Cashmeres, white and colored. Further shipments of New Fall Goods by following steamers. For sale by GEO. STEWART, JR., at John. sep7

R. S. STAPLES & CO. HAVE just received per steamers Alexandria and in and Millbank--New Striped Shawls, a nice assortment, New Tartan Plaid Shawls, in all colors; New Dress Goods for Autumn wear; New Crimson Flannels; New Plain do.; New Winceys; New Cashmeres, white and colored. Further shipments of New Fall Goods by following steamers. For inspection invited. R. S. STAPLES & CO., sep21

Light of lightning and its effects will penetrate from 150 to 200 miles.

Common hydraulic cement, mixed with oil forms a good paint for roof and out-buildings. It is water proof and uncombustible.

HARNESS BLACKING.—Melt 1 pound of wax, stir in 4 ounces ivory-black, 2 ounces spirits turpentine, 2 ounces Prussian blue ground in oil, and 1-2 ounce castor oil. Make into balls. With a brush apply it to harness, and polish with silk gentry.

PROPERTIES OF CHARCOAL.—Although charcoal is so combustible, it is, in some respects, a very unchangeable substance, resisting the action of a great variety of other substances upon it. Hence pots are often charred before being put into the ground. Grain has been found in the excavations at Herculaneum, which was charred at the time of the destruction of that city, eighteen hundred years ago, and yet the shape is perfectly preserved, so that you can distinguish between the different kinds of grain. While charcoal is itself so unchangeable, it preserves other substances from change. Hence meat and vegetables are packed in charcoal for long voyages, and the water is kept in casks which are charred on the inside. Tainted meat can be made sweet by being covered with it. Foul and stagnant can be deprived of its bad taste by being filtered through it. Charcoal is a great decolorizer. Ale and porter filtered through it are deprived of their color, and sugar solutions decolorize. It is brown strips by means of charcoal, and this makes white sugar. Animal charcoal, or boneblack, is the best for such purposes, although only one-tenth of it is really charcoal, the other nine-tenths being the mineral portion of the bone.

Charcoal will absorb of some gases, from eighty to ninety times its own bulk. As every point of its own surface is a point of attraction, it is supposed to account for the enormous accumulation of gases in the spaces of the charcoal. But this accounts for it only in part. There must be some peculiar power in the charcoal to charge, in some way, the condition of a gas of which it absorbs ninety times its own bulk.

HORSE-POWER.—When Watt began to introduce his steam engine he wished to be able to state their power as compared with that of horses, which were then generally employed for driving mills. He accordingly made a series of experiments, which led him to the conclusion that the average power of a horse was sufficient to raise about 135,000 lbs. one foot in vertical height per minute, and this has been adopted in England and this country as the general measure of power.

A waterfall has one horse-power for every 33,000 lbs. of water flowing in the stream per minute, for each foot of fall. To compute the power of a stream, therefore, multiply the area of its cross section in feet by the velocity in feet per minute, and we have the number of cubic feet flowing along the stream per minute. Multiply this by 62.12, the number of pounds in a cubic foot of water, and this by the vertical fall in feet, and we have the foot-pounds per minute of the fall; dividing by 33,000 gives us the horse-power.

For example: A stream flows through a flume 10 feet wide, and the depth of the water is 4 feet; the area of the cross section will be 40 sq. ft. The velocity is 150 feet per minute—10x150=1500—the cubic feet of water flowing per minute, 6000x62.12=372,720—the pounds of water flowing per minute. The fall is 10 feet: 10x372,720=3,727,200—the foot-pounds of the waterfall. Divide 3,727,200 by 33,000, and we have 113.2133 as the horse-power of the fall.

The power of a steam-engine is calculated by multiplying together the area of the piston in inches, the mean pressure in pounds per square inch, the length of the stroke in feet, and the number of strokes per minute; and dividing by 33,000.

Water-wheels yield from 50 to 91 per cent of the water. The actual power of a steam-engine is less than the indicated power, owing to a loss from friction; the amount of this loss varies with the arrangement of the engine and the perfection of the workmanship.

A CIRCULAR has just been issued by the Evangelical Alliance, calling upon Christians of all nations throughout the world to make arrangements for setting apart the week commencing January 7, 1872, for special humiliation, thanksgiving, and prayer. The circular gives the fact that while 500,000,000 of the population of the world consists of Protestants, Roman Catholics, Greeks, Jews and Mahomedans, the other 788,000,000 are entirely pagan.

THE FASTEST TRAIN IN THE WORLD.—The new express train from Liverpool to London will probably be the fastest train in the world, in the part of the journey which lies over the Bristol and Exeter and Great Western Railways. Leaving Exeter at 10.30, it is timed to reach Paddington at 2.45; including a stoppage of five minutes at Bristol, and ten minutes at Swanwick, the journey of 194 miles, will occupy four hours and a quarter.

Flour, Groceries, &c. 500 BLS. Flour, Reindeer; 500 do. do. Howlands; 100 do. do. Rose; 200 do. Corn-Meal, Best; 100 lbs. Cuba Sugar; 10 boxes Challenge; 20 lbs. Porto Rico; 100 lbs. Java; 200 lbs. Molasses; 200 do. all; 100 lbs. Coffee; 200 do. New Layer Raisins; 15 do. sheet Dried Apples; 45 do. Paradise Oil (best quality); 100 Pops Raw and Boiled Oil; 8 Ton Brand's White Lead; 2 do. Colored Putty; 1 do. do. Putty in Tubs; with general assortment of GROCERIES, will be sold at lowest rates. GEO. S. DEFOREST, 24 King St.

Lubin's Jockey Club. Lubin's Patchouly; Atkinson's White Rose; Grenville's Mocha. A FULL supply of these fragrant companions of the Toilet just received by GEO. STEWART, J.R., Pharmacist, 24 King St.

Gents' Furnishing Goods. FULL AND WINTER WEAR. Ex S. M. McKee. OPENED today, 2 Cases' Furnishing Goods, Shirts and Drawers; Lamb's Wool Socks, White Dress Shirts, Cravat Shirts, Ties, Collars, Braces, Caps, Hats, &c. For sale very cheap. W. W. McPETERS, 24 King St.

Extra Moss Shad. 75 BLS. Extra Moss Shad, 15 lbs. No. 2 Moss Shad, 40 lbs. Moss Shad. For sale at lowest market rates by BARBOUR BROS., 24 King St.

No. 1 Herring. 100 BLS. No. 1 Light Herring; 100 do. No. 2 do.; 100 do. No. 3 do.; 100 do. No. 4 do.; 100 do. No. 5 do.; 100 do. No. 6 do.; 100 do. No. 7 do.; 100 do. No. 8 do.; 100 do. No. 9 do.; 100 do. No. 10 do.; 100 do. No. 11 do.; 100 do. No. 12 do.; 100 do. No. 13 do.; 100 do. No. 14 do.; 100 do. No. 15 do.; 100 do. No. 16 do.; 100 do. No. 17 do.; 100 do. No. 18 do.; 100 do. No. 19 do.; 100 do. No. 20 do.; 100 do. No. 21 do.; 100 do. No. 22 do.; 100 do. No. 23 do.; 100 do. No. 24 do.; 100 do. No. 25 do.; 100 do. No. 26 do.; 100 do. No. 27 do.; 100 do. No. 28 do.; 100 do. No. 29 do.; 100 do. No. 30 do.; 100 do. No. 31 do.; 100 do. No. 32 do.; 100 do. No. 33 do.; 100 do. No. 34 do.; 100 do. No. 35 do.; 100 do. No. 36 do.; 100 do. No. 37 do.; 100 do. No. 38 do.; 100 do. No. 39 do.; 100 do. No. 40 do.; 100 do. No. 41 do.; 100 do. No. 42 do.; 100 do. No. 43 do.; 100 do. No. 44 do.; 100 do. No. 45 do.; 100 do. No. 46 do.; 100 do. No. 47 do.; 100 do. No. 48 do.; 100 do. No. 49 do.; 100 do. No. 50 do.; 100 do. No. 51 do.; 100 do. No. 52 do.; 100 do. No. 53 do.; 100 do. No. 54 do.; 100 do. No. 55 do.; 100 do. No. 56 do.; 100 do. No. 57 do.; 100 do. No. 58 do.; 100 do. No. 59 do.; 100 do. No. 60 do.; 100 do. No. 61 do.; 100 do. No. 62 do.; 100 do. No. 63 do.; 100 do. No. 64 do.; 100 do. No. 65 do.; 100 do. No. 66 do.; 100 do. No. 67 do.; 100 do. No. 68 do.; 100 do. No. 69 do.; 100 do. No. 70 do.; 100 do. No. 71 do.; 100 do. No. 72 do.; 100 do. No. 73 do.; 100 do. No. 74 do.; 100 do. No. 75 do.; 100 do. No. 76 do.; 100 do. No. 77 do.; 100 do. No. 78 do.; 100 do. No. 79 do.; 100 do. No. 80 do.; 100 do. No. 81 do.; 100 do. No. 82 do.; 100 do. No. 83 do.; 100 do. No. 84 do.; 100 do. No. 85 do.; 100 do. No. 86 do.; 100 do. No. 87 do.; 100 do. No. 88 do.; 100 do. No. 89 do.; 100 do. No. 90 do.; 100 do. No. 91 do.; 100 do. No. 92 do.; 100 do. No. 93 do.; 100 do. No. 94 do.; 100 do. No. 95 do.; 100 do. No. 96 do.; 100 do. No. 97 do.; 100 do. No. 98 do.; 100 do. No. 99 do.; 100 do. No. 100 do.

Sheriff's Sale. To be sold by Public Auction on the last Monday in March next, at the Court House, in Dorchester, between the hours of ten and four o'clock, p. m. ALL the right, title, interest, claim and demand of Robert B. Palmer, his personal right and right of entry, both at law and in equity, of, in and to the following real estate, to-wit: All that piece or parcel of Upland, situate in the Parish of Sackville, in the said County, and bounded as follows, to-wit: by the road passing through the Spectacle Island, so called, northerly by land, owned by Elizabeth Miller, and westerly and southerly by lands conveyed to George Palmer to the late Thomas D. Vickery, and containing one-half an acre, more or less, together with one house and improvements thereon. The same having been seized and taken by virtue of an Execution issued out of the County Court of Westmorland, at the Suit of Robinson M. Dixon vs. Hazen B. Bulmer, also at the same time and place.

BLAIR BOTSFOED, Sheriff, Dorchester, Sept. 15th, 1871—sep21

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. THE Commissioners appointed to construct the Intercolonial Railway, hereby give public notice that they are prepared to receive Tenders for procuring and ballasting on 75 1/2 miles of the line, being Sections 4, 7, 12, and 13, in the Province of Nova Scotia. Tenders may be for the distance or for separate Sections.

Specimens and forms of tender can be obtained at the Commissioners' Office, Ottawa, and at the Offices of the Engineers at Toronto and Amherst.

Sealed Tenders marked "Tenders," and addressed to the Commissioners, will be received at their Office in Ottawa, up to 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 25th day of September, 1871.

Tenders will also be received at the same time and place for 200 tons of Spikes, according to samples to be seen at the above named offices.

Tenders to state price per ton of 2,220 lbs. to be delivered in equal quantities at Toronto and Amherst Railway Stations, 50 tons to be delivered at Amherst by the 10th of October, and 50 tons by the 1st of November next. Balance of delivery by 1st July, 1872.

MAGNETIC The Great Internal and External Remedy for the CURE OF ALL PAIN. RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, HEADACHE, CRAMPS, SPASMS, COLIC, SCALDS, BURNS, DYSPEPSIA, CHOLERA, INFLUENZA, COLIC, AND COLDS. Be sure and get the genuine, put up in a blue wrapper and retailed at 25 cents a bottle. The name of the General Agent is printed in red on the label of every bottle, to counterfeit which is felony.

H. L. STENZER, 20 ALBANY ST., ST. JOHN, N. B. Gen. Act. for Dominion.

DUTCHER'S Lightning FL Y PAPER. Every sheet will kill a rat. MAILED, POST FREE, FOR \$1.00. H. L. STENZER, 20 Albany St., St. John, N. B. General Agent. (July 13)

MARBLE & FREESTONE WORKERS. Point Du Chene, WESTMORLAND, N. B. MONUMENTS, GRAVESTONES, Tablets, Chimney Pieces, Table & Counter Tops, Shelves and Brackets.

STEAMER FOR NORTH SHORE. PASSENGERS will be received at this Office until Wednesday, the 20th day of October next, from parties willing to enter into contract to place a good and efficient Steamboat on the North Shore route, to ply between Shediac and Campbelltown, on the St. George's River, calling at Richibucto, Chatham, Newcastle, Shippagan, Caraquet, and Dalmenie.

FRUIT, &c. Now landing ex Steamers—20 BLS. Apples, 4 BLS. Bartlett Pears, 2 BLS. Michons, 5 crates Peaches, 1 crate Catalogs, 10 boxes Tomatoes. W. C. TREADWELL, aug31

PIANOS, CABINET ORGANS, C. FLOOD, 75 Prince Wm. Street, IMPORTER AND DEALER IN GRAND, SQUARE & UPRIGHT

Pianofortes, Cabinet Organs, WM. BOURNE & HALL & SONS' PIANOFORTES, AND—The Smith American Organ, ACKNOWLEDGED

The Best in the World. A large assortment on exhibition at 77 Prince Wm. Street. C. FLOOD, St. John, N. B. Agent for N. B. aug31

Grand Clearance Sale. OF the Stock of Goods in store, belonging to the Estate of the late Thomas D. Vickery, comprising Staple Articles suited to the country Trade. Sale to commence on Tuesday next, 7th day of September and continue until the entire stock has been sold.

The Public generally are invited. Dealers at the Villages and in country surroundings especially so, as it is the intention of offering largely in Lots to the Trade.

The Auction announced for September 9th is postponed until further notice. MARY E. VICKERY, Administratrix of the Estate of the late Thomas D. Vickery, Sackville, Aug. 31.

Notice. ALL Persons having any claims against the Estate of the late Thomas D. VICKERY, of Sackville, in the County of Westmorland, Merchant, will present the same to the undersigned within three months from this date, and all persons indebted to the said Estate will make immediate payment to MARY ELLEN VICKERY, Administratrix of the Estate of the late Thomas D. V. Vickery, Sackville, Aug. 10, 71.

SAWS! SAWS! ALEXANDRA WORKS, Saw Factory, Corner of North and George Streets, St. John. J. F. LAWTON, Proprietor, may26

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. WANTED IMMEDIATELY, 1,000 LABORERS.

ON SECTION No. 44, Intercolonial Railway, to whom the Highest Current rate of Wages and also steady Employment for the season will be given. A number of STONE CUTTER BUILDERS are also wanted, whom Good Wages will be given. Apply to SMITH & PITBLADO, Amherst, April, 1871.

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NOTICE is hereby given that parties having any claims against the Estate of JEREMIAH STANLEY, late of Sackville deceased, will send the same, duly attested to the undersigned within three months from the date hereof, and all persons owing to the said Estate will pay the same to the undersigned.

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