

THANKSGIVING.—His Excellency, the Lieutenant Governor, has issued a Proclamation, appointing Thursday, the 13th of December instant, as a day of general thanksgiving to Almighty God, for the gracious mercies we have experienced as a people during the past year, in having been preserved from pestilential disease and blessed with an abundant harvest; as well as for the eminent success of the Allied Arms in the present war. We cordially approve of this most commendable Proclamation, and hope that its object will be devoutly fulfilled by large numbers of the population of this Province. It is no argument against such occasions of public religious observance, that they are often greatly abused; by being devoted by many to mere purposes of idleness and dissipation. The desecration of sacred duties by the vicious or the foolish, is no reason why they should not be performed by those who are actuated by higher principles. The special mercies mentioned in His Excellency's Proclamation, undoubtedly demand our utmost gratitude; and whatever the thoughtless or the careless may do, let us hope that many thousands of our people will devoutly unite on the 13th instant in fervent thanksgiving to the Author of all Good.—*Observer.*

We understand that the English papers received by the steamer *Pacific* contain the promotion of Colonel Williams to the rank of Major General in the British army. The brave conduct of this distinguished officer at Kars fully entitles him to the step, and the intelligence of its having been conferred will be gratifying to his many relatives and friends in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia—the gallant officer being a native of Annapolis.—*Courier.*

WEATHER REPORT.

December 1st.
Little Falls.—Cloudy, wind West. Ther. 20.
River du Loup.—Fine and clear, strong breeze from S. W. Little Falls.—Clear and cold; wind North.
Grand Falls.—Clear and cold; no wind.
Tubique.—7.30 a. m. G. 10; strong wind from South. Ther. Zero. Some ice in the river.
Woodstock.—8 a. m. Fine morning, little cloudy, wind South. Ther. 14.
Fredericton.—Clear and cold. Ther. 10.
St. John.—7 a. m., Ther. 14, Bar. 29.45.

December 2nd.
Quebec.—Clear, and wind round west; River clear of ice. Ther. 32.
Little Falls.—Weather clear and fine; Ther. 34. Wind west.
Little Falls.—Dull and cloudy; rained last night; wind S. Grand Falls.—Rained last night very hard, almost all snow gone; appearance of more rain. Wind S. E.
Tubique.—7 a. m., mild, snow mostly all off; River clear. Ther. 20. Wind south.
Woodstock.—Thawed last night and yesterday, still thawing, snow nearly all gone; looks as if it would turn to rain. Fresh breeze from west. 8 a. m. Ther. 20.
Fredericton.—Ther. 37. Rained yesterday nearly all day, in this morning. Wind N. W.
St. John.—7 a. m., Ther. 44, Bar. 28.76. Wind west, fine mild, clear weather; heavy rain last night.

December 4th.
River du Loup.—Clear and cold. Wind N. E.
Little Falls.—Fine and clear. Wind north.
Grand Falls.—Cold wind N. W. Sun shining bright.
Woodstock.—8 a. m., Ther. 26. Wind west, snowing little.
Fredericton.—Ther. 26. Wind N. W., old and cloudy. Probably some snow before night.
St. John.—Wind W. N. W., fine clear weather. 7 a. m., Ther. 28, Bar. 29.30.
Boston.—9 a. m., fine morning, cold and pleasant. Wind S. W.
Calais.—9 a. m., fine mild morning. Wind S. W.
Halifax.—9 a. m., weather beautiful; cold wind west.
Sackville.—Ditto.

December 5th.
Quebec.—Clear, wind west. Ther. 33.
River du Loup.—Clear, wind strong west, very cold.
Little Falls.—Clear and cold.
Grand Falls.—Mild appearance of snow. Wind S. E.
Tubique.—Cool wind, south; some ice running in river.
Woodstock.—Fine clear morning, wind south. 8 a. m., Ther. 30.
Fredericton.—Fine, clear. Ther. 29.
St. John.—Calin, fine clear weather, wind northerly. 7 a. m., Ther. 23, Bar. 29.70.

December 6th.
Quebec.—Not cold; no ice in the river; fine crossing with canoes. Ther. 15.
River du Loup.—Clear and fine with wind N. E.
Little Falls.—Weather clear and cold; wind North.
Grand Falls.—Cold and clear, Sun shining bright; no wind.
Tubique.—Beautiful morning; light air from the South; a good deal of ice running in the river.
Woodstock.—8 a. m. Ther. 10. Beautiful morning.
Fredericton.—Clear and frosty morning. Ther. 18.
St. John.—No wind; fine; mild; cloudy. 7 a. m. Ther. 26. Bar. 29.72.
Calais.—Wind S. W. Fine; mild; clear.
Sackville.—Wind N. E. Overcast; hazy; cold; heavy frost last night.
Boston.—Wind N. W. Cloudy and cool.

ANOTHER INSTANCE OF TAPE WORM CURED BY THE USE OF DR. McLANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE.—New York, October 15. This is to certify that I was troubled with a tape worm for more than six months. I tried all the known remedies for this dreadful affliction, but without being able to destroy it. I got one of Dr. McLANE'S Almanacs, which contained notices of wonderful cures that had been performed by his celebrated Vermifuge. I resolved to try it; and immediately purchased a bottle, which I took according to directions; and the result was, I discharged one large tape worm, measuring more than a yard, besides a number of small ones.

MRS. M. SCOTT, No. 70 Cannon street.

P. S. Dr. McLANE'S celebrated Vermifuge, also his Liver Pills, can now be had at all respectable Drug Stores in the United States and British Provinces.

Purchasers will please be careful to ask for and see none but Dr. McLANE'S Vermifuge. All others, in comparison, are worthless.

W. T. Baird, Agent for Woodstock.

Holloway's Pills.—Astonishing Cure of a Bilious Complaint.—Mr. Philip Henderson, of Halifax, suffered for upwards of three years from violent pains in the head, a foul stomach, bad digestion, disordered liver, and general nervous debility, he tried various remedies for the mitigation of this compound disorder, but he only became worse instead of better, although he also consulted several doctors. Finding that the medical faculty could not cure him, he had recourse to Holloway's Pills, by continuing with this remedy for a few weeks, he entirely regained his health, and ever since then he has not had the slightest return of his complaint.

W. T. BAIRD, Agent for Woodstock.

MARRIED:

On the 14th ult., by the Rev. R. H. Emerson, Mr. S. L. Bent to Miss Fanny E. Miles, both of Margerville.

DIED:

In this Village, on the 2nd inst., after a lingering illness, of Consumption, Mr. George Jewett, aged 42 years, leaving a wife and three children, and a large circle of relatives and friends to lament their loss.

At Fredericton, at the residence of his Son-in-law, J. W. Brantley, Esq., on Tuesday morning last, after a long and suffering illness, Richard English, Esquire, M. P. P., in the 62nd year of his age. His remains were brought up to Woodstock and interred in the Wesleyan Cemetery.

On the 5th inst., in the fourth year of her age, Margaret Ann, third daughter of Mr. Sydney Gates of this place. At Fredericton, on Wednesday the 21st ult., of Pulmonary Consumption, Mr. William K. Willox, aged 28, son of the late James Willox, of that City, leaving a widow and one child.

New Advertisements.

Carleton County Agricultural Society.
 THE GENERAL MEETING of the above Society, as provided by the amended act of Incorporation, will be held at the Secretary's Office, Tuesday, the 11th instant, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

H. E. DIBBLEE, Secretary.

Woodstock, 4th December, 1855. 11

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Parish Officers and Rate-Payers of this Parish will take place at the South Corner, on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of settling up accounts, and making other arrangements relating to the Parish. All persons interested are requested to attend.

WILLIAM REID, Parish Clerk.

Richmond, Dec. 3rd, 1855. 15 3w

S. R. MILLER,
 BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER,
 DEALER IN FANCY GOODS, &c.

ALSO,

BOOK-BINDING in every Variety of Style, on the most moderate terms.
 Opposite the Officers' Barracks, Queen Street, Fredericton.

WANTED.

A QUANTITY OF ASH, ELM, BASSWOOD, BIRCH and Maple, of the best quality, in exchange for Carriage or Sleigh Work.

EDWARD KERMOTT,

J. RICKETSON.

Woodstock, December 6th, 1855. 15

DONALD BLACK,

Tin and Sheet-Iron Manufacturer,
 OPPOSITE THE SENTINEL OFFICE.

WOULD respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Woodstock and the surrounding country, that he is now prepared to furnish them with every desirable article suitable for family purposes in his line of business, having enlarged his stock extensively before the closing of the navigation. He would also inform those persons who are about purchasing CLOSE or PARLOR STOVES, that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of the newest and most fashionable styles, which will be sold low for cash. He would also give these persons who favour him with their patronage, to understand that every article sold in his establishment is warranted to be of the very best material. As the holidays are now fast approaching, he would invite all those who are in want of good substantial cake-shops, Pie-dishes, Bake-pans, &c., to give him a call before going elsewhere, as he feels satisfied that he can suit them.

D. B. would also return his sincere thanks to his numerous friends and the public for the liberal support they have tendered him since his commencement in business, and hopes by his punctual attendance to all orders entrusted to him, together with good articles, to merit a share of public patronage.

Wanted.—Any amount of SHEEP PELTS, for which Cash or Goods will be paid.
 Woodstock, 1st December, 1855. 14

WANTED.

A Lad, fourteen or fifteen years old, to serve as an apprentice at the Tin and Sheet-Iron business; one from the country would be preferred.

G. F. PALMER.

Woodstock, 1st December, 1855. 14

Strayed or Stolen.

FROM the Pasture of the Subscriber, an IYON GRAY COLT, two years old. Any person returning it, or giving such information as will lead to its recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

FRANCIS P. SHARP.

Upper Woodstock, 21st November, 1855. 13

TOWN LOTS for Sale or to Lease.

THE Subscriber has several valuable Lots of Land in the Town of Woodstock, which he offers to sell, or to lease for a term of years at a reasonable rent. The situation is in the centre of the village, and forms very desirable sites for residences or places of business. The lots are laid out to the best advantage, each fronting on a street. Persons wishing to procure eligible Building Lots will do well to apply immediately, as they can be disposed of without any incumbrance.

EDMOND POWERS.

* * As he intends leaving the Province, the subscriber requests all persons indebted to him to call and settle without delay.
 Woodstock, 20th November, 1855. 13

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING IN OFFICE, NOVEMBER 15, 1855.
 James Adams, Jesse Brown, John F. Brown, Samuel Brantley, John Cluff, George Crosscomb, Grace Crawford, Mrs. James Connolly, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Asa D. Chase, Robert Davis, Phillips Davis, James Debois, S. J. Gates, Watson Honeywell, James Jackson, Eunice Jerome, Robert Kermichael, Margaret S. Leighton, Robert Moore, Catherine Maguire, Mary Jane McGrady, Samuel Parks, Nathan Parks, James H. Rokowill, S. D. Rice, Matthew Stevenson, Hiram D. Smith, John Taylor, Robert Workman, Thos. L. Esley. JAMES GROVER, Postmaster.

New Advertisements.

M. QUINN'S
 TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT,
 Next door to Mr. John Bradley's, Woodstock.

Fifty Dollars Forfeit to any Purchaser who does not find all that is contained in this Advertisement to be true.

IT is the Fashion of the times to extol the magnitude of HALLS and extent of WINDOWS; I do not approve of it, but for those that do, I would say that I have somewhat of a large Window, and a very small Shop, but yet have done more in the clothing line than any other establishment in the village. My stock, which consists of the best that can be procured in the English and United States Markets, and which can bear the minutest inspection, consists in part of the following:—

Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, Mohair, Beaver, Plushes, Tweeds, Plaids, &c., of all descriptions.
 Vestings.—Silk Velvets and Satins, black, white and fancy colours.
 Silk Pocket Handkerchiefs in every style, Neck Handkerchiefs do., Suspenders, &c. &c. &c.

All of which, together with my large stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, consisting of—

Over Coats in the latest and most fashionable styles, and at prices which defy competition;
 Dress, Frock & Sack Coats, and every other variety of Coat;

Vests in innumerable colours and designs;
 Pants in every desirable shade and texture;

Cannot be surpassed in the Village. I have, and shall keep constantly on hand all colours and qualities of the above named articles, and my facilities will enable me to sell at prices which will give general satisfaction to my friends and the public. I will strictly adhere to my former motto of "Live and let live"—it having been appreciated by my patrons far beyond my expectations; and I will sell upon the same terms, which have been found to be the fairest mode of doing business, viz.—Only one price, and that guaranteed to be as low as can be bought for in this village; all of which goods are warranted to be made by first-rate and competent Journeyman Tailors.

Merchants, Mechanics, Farmers,

In fact all classes of the community, will find it to their advantage to give me the first call, and I feel certain that they will not go away dissatisfied.

All orders for Clothing promptly attended to, and warranted to fit.

N. B.—Persons furnishing their own cloth can have it made up to their satisfaction. Wishing to accommodate every person, CUNNING will be attended to at the shortest notice, by

M. QUINN.

Woodstock, December 1, 1855. 14th

SHEEP SKINS!

Cash paid for Sheep Skins.

SAVE your Cotton Rags and old Rubber, Hogg's Bruses and Side Hair; all of which will be taken in exchange for Tin-Ware by

G. F. PALMER.

Woodstock, 1st December, 1855. 14

CABINET MAKING.

THE Subscriber most respectfully informs the inhabitants of Woodstock and the surrounding country, that after an absence of three years, spent in one of the best Furniture Establishments in New England, he has returned, and now offers his services, and solicits a share of patronage in the Cabinet, Upholstery, and Underlating Business.

He has on hand a large stock of well seasoned Lumber, and other necessary material for the manufacture of furniture suitable for the Kitchen, Chamber, or Drawing Room, as likewise the latest styles of Sofas, CENTRE TABLES, OTTOMANS, &c.

All work offered at as low rates as at any other establishment in the Province, and every article Positively Warranted.

On hand, an assortment of Looking-Glass Plates, of various sizes, which will be framed or set in old Frames, when required, at St. John Prices.

Repairs and alterations attended to as usual. Particular attention paid to Undertaking, and Coffins got up in any style and price.

Orders solicited at the Shop, in the rear of the building adjoining the Drug Store, of W. T. Baird.

Lumber, Fire Wood, and Country Produce taken in exchange.

SAMUEL WATTS.

Woodstock, November 22, 1855. 13th

MORE OF SEBASTOPOL!

THE Subscriber begs leave to announce to friends, customers, and the public in general, that he has just received a new supply of

The Map of SEBASTOPOL.

Giving a correct view of Sebastopol and its fortifications, and the number of guns in each fort, together with a Map of the Black Sea, Danubian Provinces, Circassia, &c.—Also showing the position of the Allied Armies before the fall of Sebastopol, with the population of every City and Town in Europe.

JOHN McKEON.

Woodstock, November 19th, 1855. 13

Saint John and Liverpool LINE OF PACKET SHIPS.

1855-6.

APPOINTED TO SAIL FROM LIVERPOOL AS UNDER:

Ships.	Captain.	Tons.	To Sail.
JOHN BARBOUR,	Marshall,	990,	20th Nov.
EUDOCIA,	Spurr,	1015,	5th Feb.
JOHN BARBOUR,	Marshall,	990,	5th March.
IMPERIAL,	Moran,	1265,	20th do.
JOHN DUNCAN,	Kenny,	921,	5th April.
MIDDLETON,	Cooper,	996,	20th do.
PETER MAXWELL,	Delaney,	1956,	5th May.
JOHN OWENS,	Doane,	1236,	20th do.

These Ships are built of the best materials, sail remarkably fast, classed A 1 at Lloyds, and coppered, and will be despatched punctually on the days appointed. They are commanded by men of the greatest experience and nautical skill, and no expense or exertion will be spared to make this line efficient in every respect for the safe and speedy conveyance of goods and passengers.

Orders for Shipment of goods by this Line are respectfully solicited.

For Freight or Passage apply in Liverpool to Messrs FERRIS, BROTHERS & Co., Walmey Buildings, Water Street, or St. John to

Nov. 27. 14

J. & R. REED.

New Advertisements.



BY AUTHORITY.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, November 23, 1855.

THE right of Licence to cut and carry away Timber and Lumber until the 1st day of May 1856, from Berths applied for by the following persons, in the undermentioned situations, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at this Office, on Wednesday the 12th day of December next.—Sale to commence at noon.

(Not to interfere with any Lots of Land located, or which may have been applied for within one year previous to the date of entry of the application for Licence.)

(In all cases of competition the purchaser must immediately pay the amount of purchase money, or else the Berth will be again offered for sale, excluding bids from the defaulter.)

All Berths within ten miles of the proposed Lines of Railroad will be subject to the prior right of the European and North American Railway Company to take Timber or other material for the construction of the Railway.

No.	Name.	Sq. Miles.	Situation.
171	Robert Swin,	2	S. W. Miramichi.
172	Allan Ramsay,	2	Salisbury.
173	Merrit D. Harris,	2	Nevers' Brook.
174	Do.	2	North River.
175	Richd. Hutchinson,	2	Barnabie's River.
176	Do.	3	McKendrick's Brook.
177	Do.	2	Do.
178	William McLeod,	4	Richibucto River.
179	James Kirkpatrick,	2	Sand Brook.
180	Matthew Parrott,	2	Pockshaw.
181	Robert Jeffrey,	2	Washademoac.
182	John Hutchison,	2	Gaspereau.
183	Thomas Boyd,	2	Swan Creek.
184	David Wark,	3	Trout Brook.

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No expense has been spared in its preparation; and it is confidently expected that this new work will be pronounced, both in its letter press and illustrations, one of the most beautiful specimens of book-making ever issued from the American Press.

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LONDON Lead, Red, Green, Yellow, and Black Paint in Kegs. An assortment of Dry Colours, Furniture and Coach Varnish, Brushes, &c.
 Raw and Boiled Oil, Japan, &c. &c.
 GLASS—6x8, 7x9, 8x10, 10x14, 11x16, 12x16, and to dimension as required.

WILLIAM T. BAIRD.

Woodstock, November 1, 1855. 16th

Furs! Furs!! Furs!!!

CASH, and the highest prices paid for all kinds of Fur.

Woodstock, Nov. 15. 12th M. McGUIRE.

50 CORDS OF DRY SOFT AND HARD WOOD

for sale by the Subscriber,

Woodstock, November 2, 1855. H. B. BAIRD.

Remember the First of January,

Eighteen Hundred and Fifty Six.

THE Subscriber regrets having to notify Publicly, those persons who have not attended to his earnest requests to settle their long standing accounts, that on the First day of January, 1856, he intends handing all Notes, Bills, and Accounts then unsettled, to a Magistrate for collection.

Woodstock, Nov. 15, 1855. 12th G. STRICKLAND.