NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spicy Complications in the Williamson Stabbing Case.

Charles H. McAlpine's Residence at Upper Hampstead, Queens Co., Destroyed by Fire.

Died at Portland, Maine—Presentation at Andover—Salmon Creek Coal Mine—Projected Cheese Factory at Head of Millstream—School Teachers Settling Down.

MILLSTREAM, Kings Co., Jan. 6.—Miss Ida M. Beals has charge of the school in district No. 5 for the current term.

John A. Leiper of Carsonville has purchased a lot of land from Edward Goggin of this place.

A meeting was held at the head of Millstream on Thursday, 6th inst., to consider the advisability of erecting a cheese factory. A. J. McPherson was appointed chairman. Joseph Hornbrook in an interesting speech pointed out the principal features of the factory. James Law, Harry Hayes, John Little ,Edward Barrett, Robert Adamson, A. J. McPherson and Mr. Johnson were appointed a committee. They will meet on Monday evening, 10th inst., at A. J. McPherson's, to consider where it will be located.

COLLINA, Kings Co., Jan. 7.—Collina division, No. 129, S. of T., has elected the following officers; Mr. Edith Northrup, W. P.; Iola Northrup, W. A.; Walter A. Keirstead, R. S.; Lucy Gamblin, A. R. S.; Pansy Chamberlain, F. S.; Jennie Joynes, Treas.; David Rees, Chap.; Newton Sharp, Con.; Mabel Smith, A. Con.; Fred Gamblin, I. S.; Harry Gamblin, O. S. The following delegates were appointed to attend the district division, which meets with Lakeside division on Jan. 18th: Jacob I. Keirstead, Walter A. Keirstead, Weldon Smith, M. Edith Northrup, Jennie Joynes and Iola Northrup. The alternates are: Harry Hamilton, David M. Keirstead, Newton Sharp, Pansy Chamberlain and Lucy Gamblin.

HAVELOCK, Kings Co., Jan. 5.—The minstrel concert which took place on New Year's evening was well attended and over fourteen dollars were realized.

The schools opened on Monday. M. Sterritt and Miss Minnie Coates have charge of the central school, Ross A. Keith continues in charge of the Canaan Road school, and A. J. McKnight has taken the Steeves Settlement school for another term. Miss Belyea will teach at Springhill and H. V. Alward at Lower Bridge.

Mrs. B. N. Hughes has moved into her new house on Station avenue. Mrs. B. Fownes and Miss Blanche Fownes, late of Sussex, have taken rooms at Price's hotel.

SHEFFIELD, Sunbury Co., Jan. 6.—The district schools opened on Monday, with Miss Laura Chase, from Upper Gagetown, in charge of the school at Lakeville Corner. The school at French Lake is suspended until spring. The school at Little River, taught by Miss Helen Stewart of Queens Co. last term, is also suspended until April. The three districts on the front along the St. John river have now dwindled down to one school of seven scholars in Sheffield Academy, district No. 2. This school is now taught by William, son of the late Joseph Barker, a portion of the time.

C. Spurgeon Bridges & Co., lumbermen, on Burpee's mill stream, recently purchased a suitable horse for a certain purpose, but he at once unfitted himself for his task and had to be shot.

J. Stewart Jewett has opened up a new factory, where he is prepared to carry on all kinds of work out of iron, wood or steel, from a needle to an anchor.

UPPER KENT, Carleton Co., Jan. 4.—Henry Bloodsworth, a young man of this place, died on the 27th ult. of typhoid fever, which he contracted while working in the woods for McNair on Tobique. His funeral took place on the 30th. The services were conducted by Rev. S. J. Perry, assisted by Rev. A. E. Lepage. The deceased leaves father, stepmother, seven brothers and two sisters to mourn. They have the sympathy of the whole community.

A marriage recently took place at Clearview, in which Mrs. Alice Ahern, a pretty young widow, and Joseph Vallale were the principals. Rev. A. E. LePage tied the knot.

The Kent parish Sunday school convention was held at the Bath Free Baptist church on Dec. 30th. The devotional exercises were conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. J. Perry, and the speakers were Revs. D. Fiske and A. H. Hayward The following officers were elected: D. V. Boyer, president; Robert Squiers, vice-president; and Disraeli B. Perry, secretary-treasurer.

The Orserites held their quarterly meeting at Giberson Settlement on Saturday and Sunday last. There were a number of ministers present and several licentiates.

Union meetings are being held during the week of prayer by Rev. A. E. Lepage, Methodist, and Rev. S. J. Perry, Free Baptist.

Frank and Avard Kearney, sons of Jonas Kearney of Beechwood, are very sick with typhoid fever. Charles Tupper, an aged resident of Beechwood, died yesterday.

Miss Jennie Squiers has taken charge of the school here again.

QUEENSTOWN, Queens Co., Jan. 5.—The comfortable residence and homestead of Chas. H. McAlpine of Upper Hampstead was destroyed by fire at an early hour today. The eldest son, Frank, made the morning fires as usual, and almost immediately after was alarmed by a strong smell of smoke. On going to the chambers he found that fire had made quite a headway in one of the rooms. Those of the household who were not up were immediately awakened, and the effort of saving the household effects was begun under great difficulties. The fire had complete possession of one room, where the clothing and other goods were stored, from which nothing was saved. The dense smoke and tongues of flame could be seen for miles around, and soon the neighbors of the immediate vicinity and the adjoining parish of Cambridge came to the family's assistance by the score. The family succeeded in saving a considerable portion of the household effects before friends arrived, but the assistance of many willing hands was a great boon and ensured the saving of a greater portion of the furniture and household effects. The wood house (where a goodly supply of winter's fuel was stored) and which was connected with the house, the upper floor of which was accupied as a granary with a considerable portion of the year's grain crop took fire, and a portion of the grain could not be removed. The barns, which stand in easy distance of the dwelling house, were saved with great difficulty and with much hard labor, as the water supply had to be drawn from the river with teams. Mr. McAlpine is quite a heavy loser, and will be put to much inconvenience by his loss. Universal sympathy is felt for the family.

WELSHPOOL, Jan. 5.—The Campobello Debating Society was organized last night with the following members: M. A. Patch, Silas Mitchell, J. F. Calder, Dr. Robert Limond, A. Mitchell, jr., H. Stuart, G. M. Bryon, Everett Parker, F. E. Mitchell, T. O. Mitchell, Henry Calder and Walter O. Calder. M. A. Patch was elected president; Silas Mitchell, vice; J. F. Calder, sec., and R. Limond, M. D., treas.

A. Judson Mitchell, late of Canterbury Station, has taken charge of the school at Snug Cove.

A pie supper was held by the F. C. Baptist church at Wilson's Beach on the 3rd inst.

BLISSVILLE, Jan. 6.—Court Sunbury, No. 1239, I. O. F., has elected the officers for the year as follows: Archelaus H. Worden, C. D.; A. J. Murray, M. D. C.; W. Dell Smith, C. R.; Charles L. Clark, P. C. R.; Wm. Bell, V. C. R.; Pennington Mersereau, Chap.; Winifred P. Hoyt, R. S.; Herbert H. Smith, F. S.; Joseph Hoyt, Treas.

Hartley McCutcheon has taken charge of the school at Mill Settlement, west. Burrill Roberts left yesterday to resume his studies at Sackville.

MONCTON, Jan. 6.—At yesterday's meeting of the Westmorland municipal council the report of the auditor was submitted, showing the finances of the county to be in a very healthy state. The bonded indebtedness of the county has been reduced from $12,000 in 1890 to $3,300, and the sinking fund provides for the wiping out of the debt in 1910. The receipts on general account last year were $35,135.74, and the expenditure $34,334.08. Arrears of taxes, etc., returned since the close of the year bring the amount at the credit of the county up to $2,639.79, as compared with $2,620.28 same date last year. The liabilities of the county on current account amount to only about $2,000, and there are assets of about the same amount. After reading the report Auditor Trueman tendered his resignation, which was accepted after the council had placed on record its high appreciation of the gentleman's service, he having filled the office with every satisfaction for ten years past. In this connection a rather remarkable coincidence may be mentioned, the retiring auditor, the warden of the county (Mr. Kay), and the clerk of the peace (C. E. Knapp), each being 72 years of age and the last surviving brothers of their respective families.

The bills in the famous Sullivan murder trial amount to between $3,000 and $4,000.

Jake Scott, 15 years old, of Moncton, pleaded guilty of burglary before Judge Wells at Dorchester today, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He received the sentence smilingly, and listened to the judge's timely advice with apparent unconcern.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 7.—Rumor says that four more guards at Dorchester penitentiary are to be dismissed; that Deputy Warden Ross is to be removed and Warden Foster and Accountant Grey transferred to St. Vincent de Paul.

Thos. L. Bourke of St. John recently obtained an order from Judge Wells requiring A. E. Killam, the newly appointed Intercoclonial railway bridge inspector, to pay five dollars per month until the amount of the debt due Mr. Bourke, about three hundred dollars and interest, was paid. Justice Landry yesterday granted a rule nisi calling upon Mr. Bourke to show cause why the order should not be quashed, the principal ground being that the salary of a dominion official cannot be taken to pay a private debt. The matter will be argued next term of the supreme court.

MARYSVILLE, York Co., Jan. 7.—The officers of Nashwaak lodge, No. 72, I. O. O. F., were installed as follows: George A. Tapley, N. G.; J. J. Hazlewood, V. G.; William T. Macpherson, R. S.; F. S. Murray, P. S.; C. F. Morehouse, treas.; Chas. McLean, war.; George W. Brown, con.; F. Gilbert, R. S. N. G.; Thos. McDowell, L. S. N. G.; George Holmes, O. G.; Edward Whelen, I. G.; S. J. Hallett, R. S. V. G.; Rainsford Black, R. S. S.; Albert Buchanan, L. S. S.; Prescott McDowell, J. P. G. Oysters were served in the lodge room after the ceremony was over, Messrs. Hallett, Hazlewood and Tapley doing the honors.

Miss Sara A. Christie, daughter of the late John Christie, died on Thursday morning at the home of Richard Donalds of Penniac in the fifty-second year of her age. She leaves two brothers and one sister, John and William Christie of Penniac and Mrs. Jeremiah Tracey of Fredericton Junction.

George Walker lost a valuable horse of congestion this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Handley are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little daughter in their home on Jan. 4th.

PETERSVILLE CHURCH, Queens Co., Jan. 7.—The death of Charles N. Smith occurred very suddenly on Sunday at the Raymond hotel, Portland, Maine, from heart disease. Deceased, who was only 31 years of age, leaves a widow, four sisters and one brother, William A. Smith of Portland, Maine. Much sympathy is extended to the widow in her sad affliction. She was formerly Miss Louise Mahood of this place and had been united in marriage only since last May. A very impressive service was held at the Raymond hotel, Portland, Maine, on Tuesday afternoon, which was conducted by Rev. S. Pearson. Maine lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., of which Mr. Smith was a prominent member, also held a very impressive service. The body of the deceased reached here on Wednesday accompanied by the widow and Mr. Smith's brother. The funeral services were conducted both at the residence of John Jones and at St. Peter's Episcopal church on Thursday afternoon by Rev. W. B. Armstrong. The remains were interred at St. Peter's Episcopal cemetery.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Jan. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Ferris of Madora, North Dakota, who have spent several weeks here visiting friends, left on Monday for home. Miss Annie Molasky of Portland, Me., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Molasky.

The school teachers of this section have taken schools in the following places: W. W. Wright at Boiestown, Bertie McLean at Gaspereaux, Gordon B. Knight at Lower Jemseg, Samuel B. Orchard at Robertson's Point, and Miss Mary Orchard at Upper Jemseg. Miss McFarlane of Kings Co. will take charge of the school at White's Point, and Inglewood Flowers of McDonald's Corner the school here.

John Mullin while working in the woods at Lower Jemseg on Saturday cut a severe gash in his foot.

Eben Scribner has sold his trotting mare to John Mullin of Robertson's Point.

George and Hiram Alward are doing a large cordwood operation at Central Cambridge.

Two of LeBaron Hanselpacker's children are prostrated with typhoid fever.

SALMON CREEK, Queens Co., Jan. 8.—The entertainment given by the ladies in Red Bank church, New Year's eve, netted $30.

The Band of Willing Workers gave a concert in the hall at Chipman on Sabbath evening. The collection and mite boxes amounted to over $20.

The new coal mine opened by George Burradge of Carleton is proving a success.

The company of Loyal Crusaders, although few in numbers, have raised $50 towards furnishing the hall and paying for the Sabbath school library.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Albert Co., Jan. 6.—The Herbert Williamson stabbing case has been a most eventful affair from the outset, and every day or two furnishes a new phase and a new sensation in connection therewith. The several elements of society have each contributed characteristic peculiarities. The pulpit has spoken, the press has announced, there has been official fiddling and political pulling. Two justices of the peace, one police magistrate, one judge of the supreme court and one judge of the county court have been called upon to administer duties of their several offices in connection with this affair. One or more briefs have been circulated to excite the sympathy and benevolence of the populace, the result of which was a cause of satisfaction to some and of surprise and deep regret to others, as it lined up citizens in a manner surer than words can affirm, for—money talks. The latest and possibly the most spicy sensational ripple is just now stirring the social puddle. A few days ago, Williamson, who was confined in the coounty jail, was taken by the sheriff before Mr. Justice Wedderburn at Hillsboro, and given the option of a speedy trial, which he declined, as already stated in the Sun, and on being taken back to jail Williamson decided to give bail in the amount offered to be taken by the committing magistrate, and mentioned Mr. Prescott of Albert and Mr. Pearson of Riverside as bondsmen. Before those gentlemen reached the shiretown word was received by one of them that the clerk of the peace had been heard to say that he had advised Williamson that, in the event of bail being given, he (Williamson) had better "skip or get out." Judge Trueman hearing the rumor, immediately wrote the clerk of the peace asking as to its truthfulness. The clerk of the peace replied promptly, emphatically denying the accusation against him, and stated that some conversation was had before a person whom he suspected of placing a wrong interpretation upon his words, and mentioned the name of the man in his letter. And in the Albert Maple Leaf of this date appears a communication from the clerk of the peace, which abundantly speaks for itself:

UNQUALIFIED DENIAL.

To the Editor of the Maple Leaf:

I have just received a letter from a friend which says: "It is circulated around here that you advised or suggested to Williamson that he had better skip in the event of bail being put in." Permit me to give the statement a most unqualified denial.

It is wholly false, and it is most unfortunate that our county is cursed with some person or persons whose business in life seems to be the manufacture and dissemination of falsehood. Yours truly,

(Signed) JOS. H. DICKSON,
Clerk of the Peace, County of Albert.
Hopewell Cape, Dec. 30, 1897.

Mr. Prescott did not go bail for Williamson, but the same has been given and Williamson is out of jail. Today the gentleman whose name was mentioned in the letter to Judge Trueman called on Mr. Dickson, and after satisfying that gentleman that the matter complained of had neither directly or indirectly been communicated to Mr. Prescott by him, accepted the ample apology of that official, who claims to be far above making false accusations against any man.

It is probable that the matter will be fully investigated, and Mr. Prescott's informant will be called on to verify or retract his statement, and that Williamson will be interrogated as to the origin of this affair.

HOPEWELL HILL, Jan. 6.—Miss Laura Peck has been engaged to teach the intermediate department of the Salisbury superior school. Mr. Corbett of Woodstock has assumed the principalship at the Cape; not Mr. McKnight, as before intimated. The school at Woodworth settlement has been closed for the winter.

Mrs. McClelan, wife of the lieutenant governor, was presented with a handsomely bound pictorial Bible on Sunday, by her class at Riverside. On New Year's, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Camp were made the recipients of a handsome chair each by a number of their friends in Hillsboro.

Four cases of typhoid fever are reported at Demoiselle Creek.

John A. West went to St. John this week to take a course at a business college.

The ten-months' old child of Joseph Milton of this place died last night from an attack of croup.

The schr. Carlisle, probably the last catster of the season, came into the Five Fathoms the first of the week, badly iced up, and remained through the cold snap. Ice is now making fast.

ANDOVER, Victoria Co., Jan. 6.—The ratepayers of Andover met last evening to further consider the matter of providing a system of water and fire protection purposes in the village. The matter has been under consideration for some time, and last night a decisive step was taken. The report of the committee, F. N. Welling, A. E. Kupkey and M. S. Sutton, who had been appointed at a previous meeting to make enquiries and obtain information relative to the matter, was read and considered. A motion was made by T. J. Carter, seconded by M. S. Sutton, that the necessary legislation be obtained for the incorporation of the village of Andover for fire and water purposes, according to the scheme submitted in the report of the committee, with power to issue bonds to the extent of and not exceeding $10,000. The motion was carried almost unanimously, and votes of thanks were rendered to the committee and to W. B. Hoyt, who had given his time and services in making the necessary surveys.

The New Year's eve ball given under the auspices of the Masonic order in Beveridge's hall, was very successful. About fifty couples were present. The hall was handsomely decorated. An excellent supper was served.

There is an unusually large amount of sickness in the woods this year and a large number of men have been forced to leave camp. Wages are lower than for many years.

ANDOVER, Jan. 3.—The members of the Presbyterian church at Andover met in their church on the evening of December 28th and presented Mrs. S. P. Waite with a chair, as a token of their esteem for her long services as the leader of church music in the village of Andover. The village of Andover is fortunate in having a lady of such rare musical talent as Mrs. Waite, especially as she has, during her whole life, devoted so much of her time towards the encouragement of musical education. The following address was also presented Mrs. Waite:

Dear Mrs. S. P. Waite—Permit me on behalf of the choir and congregation of Saint James Presbyterian church to present you with this chair, as a token of their appreciation of your services as leader of the choir.

We are not unmindful of the length of time you have filled this position, not only since the opening of the present church, where we now worship, but even before that date, when we were not so comfortably situated as we now are.

We also remember that in this work you have not spared any personal inconvenience, but have opened your house for practice during the winter, have zealously been at your post on all possible occasions, have had an eye to our needs and suggested and taken measures to secure the best selections of music, even outside of that prescribed for the service of praise in this church.

Moreover, we are not unmindful of the fact that you have brought into the work a rare proficiency and ability. This, together with systematic drill and patience, which yourself and those associated with you have bestowed on the work, has done much to raise the standard of praise in this congregation. Your training has done and is doing much to prepare your associates to fill places of usefulness in this important part of the worship of Almighty God.

We may not omit to note the sacredness of that part of the worship which yourself and the choir are privileged to lead. The service of praise is higher than preaching or even prayer. It not only ranks with these in preparing the heart for communion with God, but in the highest and ideal form praise is the outgoing of redeemed souls in actual communion with God. Therefore, an able, efficient and godly choir is of great assistance in the worship of the sanctuary.

As a choir we join in the warmest and best wishes to our leader; as a congregation we feel proud of our choir, and join in the warmest and best wishes to both choir and leader; and as choir and congregation we take much pleasure in presenting Mrs. S. P. Waite, the leader of the choir, with this token of our regard and appreciation.

Yours cordially,
H. G. GRATZ, Pastor,
On behalf of the choir and congregation of Saint James Presbyterian church, Andover, December 28th, 1897.

RICHIBUCTO, Jan. 8.—William Kinread, a well known farmer, died at Mill Creek on Tuesday, after a prolonged illness, aged seventy-five years. The remains were interred at St. Nicholas River on Thursday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev. Wm. Lawson.

Rev. H. A. Meek, pastor of St. Mary's church, was presented with a baeutiful slegh robe by the congregation a few days ago.

W. W. Short, who has been ill for ten days, is able to be out again.

The week of prayer is being observed by union meetings among the churches.

A large auction sale in connection with the estate of the late Henry O'Leary was conducted on Wednesday by Auctioneer James Hutchinson of Kingston.

A Christian Endeavor society was organized here recently with a large mmebership.

The smuggled liquor seized here last summer, consisting of nineteen cases of brandy and seventeen cases of gin, are advertised to be sold on the 27th inst.

The three tramps who escaped from jail on Sunday night have got safely out of the county. They reached Coal Branch station on the I. C. R. on Wednesday. They suffered considerably during their journey up the country, the weather being very cold the first of the week, but they were well provided for with food and clothing at their various stopping places.

A partial eclipse of the moon was visible here last night.

HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL

To be beautiful we must have pure blood and a clear skin. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood and makes the skin bright and clear. It cures all skin and blood diseases. Witness the following: "I had scrofula on my face for some time, and could get no relief until I tried B. B. B. One bottle healed me and left no scars. It is the greatest blood purifier in existence."

MARY C. BERRY, Toronto, Ont.

THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday for the Weekly Sun.

COUNTRY MARKET.

There is practically no change is quotations. Eggs may be expected to have an easier tendency. Potatoes are firm, with real choice stock very hard to get. Potatoes that look well on the outside are very apt to show a poor quality when cooked. In consequence, the price for the better kinds is likely to go higher. The market is too heavily stocked with dairy butter and it moves slow.

Wholesale.

Beef (butchers') per carcass	0 07	0 09
Beef (country), per qr lb	0 02	0 05
Lamb, per lb	0 05	0 07
Pork, fresh, per lb	0 04	0 06
Shoulders	0 08	0 09
Hams, per lb	0 11	0 12
Rabbits, per pair	0 08	0 10
Butter (in tubs), per lb	0 12	0 15
Butter (lump)	0 12	0 15
Butter (creamery)	0 00	0 20
Dairy (roll)	0 16	0 18
Apples, per bbl	2 00	4 00
Fowl	0 20	0 60
Chickens	0 20	0 60
Geese	0 50	0 80
Turkeys	0 11	0 12
Eggs, per dozen	0 16	0 18
Cabbage, per doz	0 60	1 00
Mutton, per lb (percarcass)	0 04	0 06
Potatoes, new, per bbl	1 20	1 60
Potatoes (Snowflakes)	1 80	2 00
Calf skins, per lb	0 07	0 08
Lamb skins, each	0 70	0 80
Hides, per lb	0 07	0 07½
Beans (yellow eye)	1 60	1 60
Beans (white)	1 00	1 10
Carrots, per bbl	1 00	1 25
Beets, per bbl	1 00	1 20
Parsnips, per bbl	1 25	1 50
Turnips, per bbl	0 60	0 75
Squash, per lb	0 02	0 02½
Cheese	0 08	0 09
Cranberries, per bbl	4 00	5 50
Horse radish, per doz bot	0 90	1 00
Horse radish, pints, per doz	2 25	2 50

Retail.

Beef, corned, per lb	0 06	0 10
Beef tongue per lb	0 08	0 10
Roast, per lb	0 10	0 18
Lamb, per lb	0 07	0 10
Pork, per lb (fresh)	0 07	0 10
Pork, per lb (salt)	0 07	0 10
Hams, per lb	0 12	0 16
Shoulders, per lb	0 08	0 10
Bacon, per lb	0 12	0 16
Sausages, per lb	0 10	0 12
Tripe	0 08	0 10
Rabbits, per pair	0 15	0 20
Butter (in tubs)	0 14	0 18
Butter (lump), per lb	0 14	0 18
Dairy roll	0 20	0 21
Butter (creamery)	0 20	0 23
Eggs, per doz	0 20	0 24
Eggs (henery), per doz	0 28	0 30
Cranberries, per quart	0 00	0 06
Apples, per peck	0 20	0 45
Lard (in tubs)	0 12	0 14
Mutton, per lb	0 08	0 12
Beans, per peck	0 25	0 50
Potatoes, per peck	0 20	0 30
Cabbage, each	0 05	0 10
Fowl, fresh	0 40	0 70
Chickens, fresh	0 40	0 70
Turkeys, per lb	0 12	0 15
Geese	0 70	1 00
Lettuce, per bunch	0 00	0 07
Parsnips, peck	0 25	0 30
Celery	0 06	0 08
Squash, per lb	0 03	0 04
Turnips, per peck	0 16	0 18
Beets, per peck	0 25	0 30
Cauliflower	0 05	0 25
Horse radish, small bottles	0 00	0 10
Horse radish, large bottles	0 00	0 25

FISH.

The fish market presents no features of interest. The demand at present is chiefly for fresh fish, of which the supply of cod and haddock continues equal to the requirements of the market.

Wholesale.

Codfish, per 100 lbs, large, dry	3 25	3 50
Codfish, medium shore	3 00	3.25
Codfish, small	0 00	2 00
Shad, per hf bbl	5 00	5 50
Pollock	0 00	2 00
Smoked herring	0 06	0 07
Kippered herring, per box	0 00	1 00
Grand Manan, hf bbls	1 85	2 00
Finnen haddies, per lb	0 00	0 05
Canso herring, bbl	5 00	5 50
Canso herring, hf bbl	2 75	3 00
Shelburne herring, bbls	4 00	4 25
Herring, Wolves, hf bbl	0 00	2 50
Bloaters, per box	0 50	0 60
Cod, fresh	0 00	0 02½
Haddock, fresh	0 00	0 02½

GROCERIES.

The molasses market continues strong, and sugar is also very firm.

Coffee—		
Java, per lb, green	0 24	0 26
Jamaica, per lb	0 24	0 26
Matches, per gross	0 26	0 30
Rice, per lb	0 03½	0 03⅝
Molasses—		
Barbados, new	0 25	0 26
Porto Rico (new), per gal	0 28	0 32
Nevis, per gal (old)	0 20	0 21
Fancy Demerara	0 32	0 33
Salt—		
Liverpool, ex vessel	0 40	0 43
Liverpool, per sack, ex store	0 47	0 50
Liverpool butter salt, per bag, factory filled	0 90	1 00
Spices—		
Cream of tartar, pure, bbls	0 18½	0 19
Cream of tartar, pure, bxs	0 21	0 25
Nutmegs, per lb	0 50	0 70
Cassia, per lb, ground	0 18	0 20
Cloves, whole	0 12	0 15
Cloves, ground	0 18	0 20
Ginger, ground	0 15	0 20
Pepper, ground	0 12	0 15
Bicarb soda, per keg	2 30	2 40
Sal soda, per lb	0 00⅞	0 01¼
Sugar—		
Standard, granulated, per lb	0 00	0 04½
Canadian, 2nd grade, per lb	0 04⅛	0 04¼
Yellow, bright, per lb	0 03⅞	0 04
Yellow, per lb	0 03¾	0 03⅞
Dark yellow, per lb	0 03⅝	0 03¾
Paris lumps, per box	0 05¾	0 06
Pulverized sugar, per lb	0 05½	0 06
Tea—		
Black 12's, short stock, p lb	0 41	0 44
Congou, per lb, finuest	0 22	0 28
Congou, per lb, good	0 18	0 22
Congou, per lb, common	0 11	0 15
Oolong, per lb	0 30	0 40
Tobacco—		
Black 12's, long leaf, per lb	0 57	0 61
Black, highest grade, per lb	0 61	0 62
Bright, per lb	0 57	0 73

PROVISIONS.

The market is steady at unchanged prices.

American clear pork	14 50	15 00
American mess pork	0 00	0 00
Old American light clear pork	12 00	13 00
P. E. I. mess	0 00	13 50
P. E. Island prime mess	9 50	10 00
Plate beef	13 25	13 50
Extra plate beef	13 50	13 75
Lard, compound	0 06¾	0 07½
Lard, pure	0 07½	0 09

GRAIN, SEEDS, HAY, ETC.

Quotations are without change in this list.

Oats (Ontario), car lots	0 34½	0 35
Oats (Carleton Co)	0 28	0 29
Beans (Canadian), h p	1 05	1 10
Beans, prime	1 00	1 05
Improved yellow eye	1 65	1 75
Split peas	3 35	3 50
Round peas	3 00	3 25
Pot barley	3 00	3 25
Hay, pressed, car lots	10 00	10 50
Timothy seed, American	1 75	1 90
Red Clover	0 08¾	0 09½
Alsike clover	0 08	0 09

FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

Ontario flours have lately turned easier, also cornmeal.

Buckwheat meal, gray	0 00	1 75
Buckwheat meal, yellow	0 00	1 25
Manitoba hard wheat	5 75	5 85
Canadian high grade family	4 90	5 05
Medium patents	4 70	4 85
Oatmeal, standard	3 75	3 90
Oatmeal, rolled	3 75	3 90
Cornmeal	1 90	1 95
Middlings, bulk, car lots	15 50	16 50
Middlings, small lots	17 50	18 00
Middlings, bag'd, small lots	18 50	19 50
Bran, bulk, car lots	15 00	16 00
Bran, small lots	15 50	17 00
Cottonseed meal	[illegible]	[illegible]

FRUITS, ETC.

Currants, per lb	0 05¾	0 06½
Currants cleaned, bulk	0 06½	0 07
Evap. apples, per lb	0 10	0 10½
Dried apples	0 06	0 06½
Grenoble Walnuts	0 13	0 13
Popping corn, per lb	0 07½	0 00
Brazils	0 12	0 12½
French walnuts	0 09	0 10
Prunes, Cal.	0 06	0 09
Peanuts, roasted	0 09	0 10
Prunes, Bosnia	0 00	0 05
Apples, new, per bbl	3 75	4 00
Raisins, Cal., L. L., new, 20 lb boxes	0 00	0 00
Malaga, new	1 50	1 60
Black Basket	0 00	2 25
Malaga Clusters	3 25	3.75
Raisins, Malaga, Muscatels 3 Crowns	0 06½	0 07
Raisins, Sultana	0 10	0 11
Valencia layers, new	0 06½	0 07
Valencia, old	0 03½	0 04
Valencia, new	0 05½	0 06
Lemons, Messina	3 00	3 50
Figs, per lb	0 09	0 14
Figs (bags)	0 00	0 05
Almonds	0 11	0 12
Cocoanuts, per sack	0 00	4 00
Cocoanuts, per doz	0 60	0 70
Filberts	0 08	[illegible]
Pecans	0 12	0 00
Honey, per lb	0 00	0 20
Bananas	1 50	2 00
Cal. Navel oranges	4 00	4 30
Can. onions, per bbl	0 00	2 25
Val. oranges, case	4 00	4 50
Oranges, per bbl	6 50	8 00
Malaga grapes, per bbl	6 50	7 50

LUMBER AND LIME.

Birch deals	0 00	0 00
Hemlock boards	0 00	6 00
do., planed	0 00	6 50
Birch timber	0 00	3 50
Spruce deals, B Fundy mls	0 00	8 00
Spruce deals, city mills	0 00	0 00
Shingles, No. 1	0 00	1 00
Spruce boards	6 00	6 50
Shingles, No. 1, extra	0 00	[illegible] 40
Shingles, clears	0 00	2 40
Shingles, extra	0 00	2 75
Aroostook P. B., shipping	0 00	14 00
Pine shippers	0 00	10 00
Common	12 00	13 00
Pine clapboards, extra	35 00	40 00
Shingles, second clears	0 00	1 80
No. 1	0 00	30 00
No. 2	0 00	20 00
No. 3	11 00	12 00
Laths, spruce	1 00	0 00
Laths, pine	0 00	1 00
Lime, casks	0 90	1 00
Lime, barrels	0 60	0 65

FREIGHTS.

Liverpool (intake measure)		
London		
Bristol Channel		
Clyde		
West Coast Ireland	45	50
Dublin		
Warrenport		
Belfast		
Cork Quay		
New York	0 00	2 50
Boston	0 00	2 00
Sound ports, calling VH fo.	0 00	2 25
Barbados market (50c) nom	5 00	5 50
N. Side Cuba (gld), nom	0 00	5 25
New York piling	0 01¾	0 02
Boston, piling	0 00	0 02
Boston lime	0 00	0 18
New York lime	0 00	0 21

OILS.

American water white, Chester A (bbl. free)	0 18	0 19½
Canadian water white Arclight (bbl. free)	0 16½	0 17½
Canadian prime white Silver Star (bbl. free)	0 14½	0 15½
Linseed oil (raw)	0 45	0 47
Linseed oil (boiled)	0 48	0 50
Turpentine	0 45	0 47
Cod oil	0 26	0 28
Seal oil (steam refined)	0 42	0 45
Seal oil (pale)	0 38	0 40
Olive oil (commercial)	0 85	0 95
Extra lard oil	0 55	0 65
No 1 lard oil	0 50	0 60
Castor oil (commercial) per lb	0 09¾	0 10¾

COALS.

Old Mines Sydney	0 00	5 75
Foundry (anthracite) per ton	0 00	5 50
Victoria (Sydney), per chal	0 00	5 00
Spring Hill round, per chal	0 00	5 50
Glace Bay	0 00	0 00
Caledonia, per chal	0 00	5 00
Acadia (Pictou), per chal	0 00	0 00
Reserve mine, per chal	0 00	5 00
Joggins, per chal	0 00	5 75
Broken (anthracite), per ton	0 00	5 25
Egg (anthracite), per ton	0 00	5 50
Stove or nut, per ton	0 00	5 50
Chestnut, per ton	0 00	5 50

IRON, NAILS, ETC.

Nails (cut), base	0 00	1 85
Nails, wire (base)	0 00	2 15
Refined, per 100 lbs. of ordinary size	1 60	1 80
Common, 100 lbs	1 50	1 70
Ship spikes	3 10	3 90
Patent metals, per lb	0 00	0 12
Anchors, per lb	0 04	0 05
Chain cables	3 60	7 00
Rigging chains, per lb	0 03½	0 04

FREDERICTON.

An Exchange of Pulpits—The Governor and the Capital of the Province.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 9.—The pastors of St. Paul's, the Methodist and Baptist churches exchanged pulpits this evening. Rev. Mr. Hartley, pastor of the Free Baptist church, is ill, suffering from a severe cold.

The York county court opens on Tuesday. Judge Forbes will preside.

The Assembly club lately organized for social recreation and the cultivation of the terpischorian art will hold its first function at Windsor hall Tuesday evening.

Fredericton has no record of Lord Aberdeen's "visit to the capital of the province" during the tour in New Brunswick last autumn. As a matter of fact the governor general and his estimable lady have only paid one visit to the capital of this province during their term of office in Canada.

FOR THE KLONDYKE.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Lieut. D. B. Devore, military secretary of the United States secretary of war, has chartered the Allan line steamer Manitoban, on board of which he sails for Allan, Norway, on Monday next. The Manitoban will call at several Norwegian ports to embark reindeer and Laplanders, after which she will sail direct for New York. The reindeer are to be used by the Yukon relief expedition.

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