Literature.

MR. BROWN'S OFFER.

"I do think it's to bad for anything! The idea of a man I've never seen, having the insolence to write to Uncle Josiah that he is coming all the way from out West to ask me to marry him?"

Kitty Clover's blue eye flashed, and something very suspiciously like angry tears were glimmering on her long, curling brown lashes. Her cheeks were flushed, and her lovely mouth dimpled into a look of scorn and rage that did not at all suit Aunt Susan's view of the case, as she looked over her spectacle rims, and took Kitty quite sharply to task.

"I can't see what there is so terrible about it. Brother Josiah and I have known Archie Brown ever since he was knee-high to a grasshopper, and a nicer boy and a finer man you'll never find than he was and is now. He's goodlooking and rich, and wants a wife; and he's seen your picture and fallen in love with you, and he's written to know if brother Josiah has any objection to his coming to ask you to marry him. We take it as a great compliment, and a streak of luck you wouldn't come across twice in your life, and here you must set up contrary to it, and consider yourself almost insulted. Kitty I'm ashamed of you."

Miss Susan Clover jerked her needle so emphatically that the strong thread snapped viciously, Kitty, perched in the wide, shady window seat, pouted her red lips.

"Well, I don't care—it is a shame! And Mr. Archie Brown needn't think I'm to be bought and sold like a cow or a pig, just because he happens to have the cash. And I won't have anything to do with it, now! I know I'll just hate him—yes, I hate him already: and when he comes you can tell him my opinion of him!"

And then, after she had flounced out of the pleasant sitting-room, her wavy brown hair all a tumble over her low white brow her pretty blue eyes all a gleam with genuine girlish indignation her white dimpled fingers playing furious havoc with her ruffled apron, and Aunt Susan sat chewing away almost as vexed as Kitty herself, thinking what silly fools the young of to day were, Kitty went up to her room, and went directly to her dressing-glass, and took a long eager survey of herself.

"Yes, I am pretty, and I don't wonder this horrid Mr. Brown—ah, what a name, Brown! I don't really feel surprised that he has fallen in love with my photograph! and Uncle Joe and aunt Sue both say he is good-looking—and for all that I perfectly despise him? I've a good mind to just fix myself up as irresistibly as possible and see him when he comes, at eight o'clock, and then pay him for his impudence by completely crushing him. Yes, I will!

The anger was all gone from the blue eyes now, and the scorn from the luscious scarlet lips; and instead there were gleams of merry mischief, and dimpling smiles at prospect of the glorious triumph so near at hand.

"Archie Brown! The idea! But would be revenged! Oh, is he here already?"

For the one maid-servant of all-work in the Clover household was handing Kitty a card, and on it she had read a name that sent warm flushes to her cheeks despite her determination.

"Tell Mr. 'A. Brown' that Miss Clover sends her compliments, and will see him presently."

Then she turned to her glass for a parting critical survey, and saw a very satisfactory reflection of a slender, graceful girl, with a fresh, sweet face and blue eyes that were half-roguish, half-indignant, and a saucy mouth that struggled between the expressions of cold contempt and haughty indifference—a lovely, lovable girl, in a dark blue silk costume, whom it was little wonder Archie Brown, away out in Kansas, had come all the way back to win, if he could.

And he was down stairs—come to bargain with her, come to buy her as he would buy a load of hay! The thought sent flashes of suppressed indignation to her eyes, and more beautiful flushes to her cheeks, as she went slowly down stairs and into the parlor, her train rustling after in a sort of eloquent protest—to see standing in the bay-window, curiously examining a luxurious pot of smilax, a little dumpy gentleman, with a bald chiny spot on the back of his head, and wearing a suit of clothes that were neither especially new nor wellfitting.

Katy; gave a little silent grasp, as she took her rapid survey, with the thought that for this horrid-looking man she had taken so much trouble to dress, so she might have the delightful triumph she planed. This odious, vulgar 'A. Brown!'

As her train rustled over the carpet, Mr. Brown turned suddenly around, showing Kitty a good-humored, middleaged face, small twinkling eyes behind eyeglasses, and a little bristling tuft of a beard on a fat, double chin.

"Is this Miss Clover? Ah, yes!" so Kitty bowed, frigidly. "I am Mr. Brown."

"So I presume. Will you sit down, or—"

She was about to suggest that Uncle Josiah be sent for, but Mr. Brown acted so suddenly on her suggestior, and took a chair so near her, that she was momentarily dumfounded.

"I daresay you were looking for me?"

Kitty flushed almost painfully at having to admit she had been expecting this; but she was as brave as could be.

"Oh? That is, I thought it very probable you'l'd come."

"Just so; and when anybody makes an appointment, they cannot be too paompt in keeping it. So I'm here, and—excuse me—but suppose you've your answer ready for me?

Kitty almost shrieked. An answer for this man! Whatever could Uncle Josiah and Aunt Susan mean, to have exposed her to such cruel degradation.

'I don't know what you mean!' she flashed at him, almost beside herself.

'You don't? Well, now, that's strange Why, old Mr. Clover understands it all, and he agreed to tell you the offer I made you—the offer I made you, through him.

Mr. Brown's matter-of-factness almost overcame Kitty. Her words of hot indignation stuck in her throat; and yet this odious fellow sat there placid, at ease, as he went on:

'I will say I am disappointed in your appearance, Miss Clover; agreeably disappointed, for I expected to see quite a—a different—quite an elderly lady!'

'Indeed!' she flashed out tartly. 'Then it seems we are both surprised—although I am sorry I cannot be so complimentary as yourself, seeing that I had certainly expected a very much younger man.'

Her language, her manner did not seem to annoy him in the least.

'Oh, well, age and looks don't count for much, if there's the hard cash to back 'em. Come, Miss Clover what is it to be—yes or no? I won't deny I've come quite a way to have you answer, and, now I'm here, I'd like it settled at once You'd better agree to it, here and now; for, if I say it who shouldn't I don't believe you'll ever get another such chance."

Then Katy jumped up from her chair, raging at his cool, calm impudence.

"How dare you speak to me, sir? As if any man in possession of even half his senses would know there would be but one answer! No—a thousand times no!"

She fairly shrieked it at him, as he stood staring at her.

Then, as she hurriedly rushed from the room, he frowned inquiringly at her strange conduct, and then slowly gathered his hat, gloves and walkingstick together, and went out, astonished, non plussed.

While Kitty tore up stairs, to her room which so lately she had left in mischievous, half-indignant triumph—her cheeks crimson with fury, her eyes so full of disgusted tears she could scarcely see what she was doing, as she almost frantically tore off her laces, her ribbons, her lovely dress, tossing them angrily on the bed.

'To think I really thought of trying to fascinate him—oh, oh! A nasty, stumpy, greasy, impudent, intolerant old man! To think he dare come trying to make love to me! I'll plaster my hair down to my face, and wear the most horrid calico wrapper I can find, to do penance for the insult I have permitted myself to receive. Oh, Mr. A. Brown, how I hate you!'

And this naughty, wilful heroine of mine sat down in her favorite rocking chair, and cried until her blue eyes were all red and swollen, and her nose almost as bad; so that, when Aunt Susan, called her to come down a moment, she was as sorry a sight to see as ever a girl was before.

But she went down, so angry and miserable to care for Aunt Susan's remarks, or Uncle Josiah's quizzical looks—went down in her wrapper, with her swelled eyes and nose, and occasional sobs welling defiantly up from her chest—went down in the parlor, to meet a tall, elegant gentleman dressed just as a handsome, graceful fellow should dress; a gentleman whose splendid gray eyes looked just a trifle astonished at the sight of her; a gentleman who came easily forward to respond to Uncle Josiah's introduction, while Aunt Susan gave a little scream of horrified surprise at the girl's appearance.

'Why, Kitty!'

'Kitty, here is our friend Archie. Miss Clover, Mr. Brown,'

Poor Kitty Clover! She wondered if she were dreaming or crazy. Archie Brown? This Archie Brown—this splendid fellow, that almost fastidious girl could not have failed to almost fall in love with at first sight? Who then, what then, where then, was that horrid man?

Great banners of scarlet shame were hanging out like signals of distress on her cheeks as she extended her dimpled hand to the gentleman—such a fair, shapely, dimpled hand he noticed, as he took it, with a smile that was sweetness itself.

'I am afraid there is somebody for me to fight, Miss Kitty—some one has been annoying you.'

Kitty flashed him a grateful look from her swelled eyes.

'I—I cannot quite understand it! There was a horrid old man here, and—and he was—awful! And his name was Brown—A. Brown; and—and I thought it was—you; and there he goes past the window now!'

Just then Aunt Susan craned her neck inquisitively, sprang from her chair, and rushed to the door.

'It's old Andy Brown, come to buy my house-lot down by the timber-land. I told his folks to send him, to close his offer for it. Hi, there, Mr. Brown!'

And then while Uncle Josiah and Aunt Susan were arranging for the, 'offer' poor mistaken Kitty had supposed was an 'offer' of marriage for herself, she and the genuine Mr. Brown, had a remarkable-confidential fifteen minutes' interview, and after the old people had come back, and were enjoying a hearty a laugh with Archie over the blunder, Kitty stole back up stairs to don her toilet again, and came down to show Mr. Brown what a really pretty girl she was.

And she succeeded to profection—not only in convincing him of that fact but also that, with all her little human faults of temper and disposition, she was just the girl he wanted for his wife: and when he returned to his plenteous, promising Western home, three months later, Kitty went with him, his happy wife.

The Guelph *Herald* says:—At the world's fair at Erin, on Wednesday, they had a baby show. A maker of plows offered a $22 plow as a prize for the finest baby under 18 months old. The judges were appointed; but they request that their names and addresses be not published—they fear the vengence of the ladies whose babies didn't take the prize. It is rumored that they have gone to the States to remain until the excitement abates. There were six babies shown. They were all the handsomest. Each one was much handsomer than the other. None of them looked alike but one, and it was just alike. There was some discussion as to whether the babies were to be classed with the fine arts or the domestic manufactures. They were finally put in a class by themselves. The udges looked at them. They felt their ribs, tickled their chins, said "tootsy wootsy izzy sing," examined their mouths for symptoms of teeth, and finally withdrew and "drew cuts" to see which was which. One baby was chosen as the winner, and the prize ticket was fastened to its ear. A man came forward, grabbed the child, and swinging it aloft, cried ecstatically, "Be jabors, I am the father of that child." The child was wise and knew its own father, and made approving demonstrations with its fists, finally concealing them in its mouth. The sex of the prize baby is not given; but one of the judges—a doctor—says he thinks it's a boy, judging from the fact that it had very little to say.

"Doctor," said a lady, "I want you to prescribe for me." "There is nothing the matter, madam," said the doctor, after feeling her pulse; "you only need rest." Now, doctor, just look at my tongue," she persisted; "just look at it—look at it, look at it! Now say what does that need? "I think that needs rest too," replied the doctor.

A RICH ADVERTISEMENT.—Roger Giles, surgin, purish clark and skulemaster, groser and hunkertaker, respectably informs ladys and gentlemen that he drorsteef without wateing a minit; applies laches every hour, blisters on the lowest tarms and visiks for a penny a peace. He sells Godfathers kordales, kuts korns, bunyons: dokters hosses, clips donkeys wance a munth and undertakes to look arter everybodys nails by the ear. Josharps, pennywissels, brass canelsticks, frying pans and other moosikel instruments hat greatly redooced figures. Young ladies and gentlemen larns their grammur and languidges in the purtiest manner; also great care taken off their morrels and spellin; also sarm singing, tayching the base vial and all other fancy work.—Squadrils, pokers, weasils and all other country dances tor at home and abroad to perfeckshun. Perfumery and snuff in all its branches. As times is cruel had I begs to tell ey that I has just beginned to sell all sorts of stashonrey ware, cox, hens, vouls, pigs and all kinds of poultry, black-in-brishes, traykel, Godly bukes and bibles; mise traps, herrins, Coles scrubbing brishes, brick-dist, whisker seeds, morrel pockter hanchekers, and in all other kinds of swatemates, including taters, sassages, and other garden stuff; baky, sigars, lamp oylef, tay kittles, and other intoxzicatin likkers; a dale ef fruit, hats tongs, hare oyle, pattins, buk hits, grinde stones, and other aitables; korn and bunyon salve, and all hard ware. I has laid in a large assortment of trype, dogs mate lollipops, ginger beer, matches and other pickles, such as hepsom salts, hoysters, Winzer sope, anzetrar. Old rags bort and sold here and nowhereelse; new laid heggs by me, Roger Giles. Singing burdes, such as howles, donkies, paycox, lobsters, crickets; alse the stock of the celebrated brayder. Agent for selling gutty parker souls.—P. S. I tayches gography, rithmetic, cowsticks, jimnastics, and all other Chynees tricks.—*From the Leamington (England) Chronicle.*)

THE EARTH INSURED AGAINST FIRE.—According to a fantastic hypothesis of German astronomers, says the New York *Graphic*, the universe is inhabited by dead suns, scattered here and there, now nearly dark and invisible, but liable at any moment to flame up into bright bonfires in the heavens. The *World* is very much excited about this theory as foreshadowing the conflagration of the earth, if such a body as the dark companion of Sirius (the dog star), should happen to catch fire. That globe is said to be seven times as large as our sun, and the *World* thinks that "no imagination is strong enough to conceive the amount of heat which would be thrown out from it should it wake from its inactivity and once more become a living sun." It might, it hints, set fire to this earth and burn it up, by an expenditure of seven times as much heat as our sun. But the *World* forgets that Sirius itself is alive and on fire, and it is one thousand times as large as our sun, and probably expends one thousand times as much heat, and yet it does not scorch terrestrial vegetation to any appreciable extent. The fact that both Sirius and its sable companion (if the latter is not altogether a creature of fancy) are a *million times* further off than our sun, may have something to do with their lack of fervency. And the other fact that the nearest to the "fixed" stars, which are moving toward us at the rate of fifty miles a second, will not get within our solar system till the lapse of thirty thousand years, even if they keep coming right along, is rather reassuring is such weather as this. As far as inflammable stars are concerned, this earth seems to have a pretty safe corner of the universe.

The clerks of the Bank of France have been forbidden to wear the mustache, an appendage which has frequently been the subject of legislation. In February, 1792, soldiers were forbidden to wax their mustaches or wear them in sharp points, and in June the wearing of the mustache was limited to the grenadiers.; ten years later it was extended to all the cavalry but the dragoons. In 1822 the infantry, grenadiers, carbineers and voltigeurs were allowed the coveted ornament, as well as all officers, and in 1832 its wearing was made obiigatory. In the French navy the mustache is forbidden as likely to arrest saline particles and ulcerate the lip. The decrees of 1810 and 1822, regulating the costume of lawyers is silent as to the mustach, but any advocate who should appear in court wearing one would in all probability be refused a hearing. The French clergy have shaved since 1789, though up to that time the neat little abbe wore a natty little mustache powdered and pomaded, and in the days of Richelieu and Mazarin the priests wore chin whiskers like the courtiers. Missionaries priests on service in the colonies and chaplain however not only wear the mustache but the beard. Among civilians the mustache did not come in till after the fall of the empire, whose military regime t was taken an recalling with mockry. The outbreak of the Romanticists in 1830 established it firmly in popular favor. No first class restaurant or cafe will employ a waiter with a mustache.

HARD ON JAKE.—A few days ago two sable gentlemen, the one in the clam and the other in the smelt line, met in the market, and after passing the time of day with each other, the smelt vendor, who is known as a great extortioner in his charges, and a giver of small measure, was asked by the clam merchant how he sold smelts. "Well, Pete, smelts am sellin' fo' thirty cents a peck, they be scace this season, Pete." "Thirty cents a peck! Jake isn't I a 'lation to you? Yes, sar, I is. Wasn't my uncle Jake your own fadder, and wasn't you named after him?" "Eberything." "Jake you am a stortioner of the wus kind. Now look here, sposen you am taken sick, and sposen, you neber gets well, how do you spose this culled pusson am to feel when he am set down 'mong the mo'ners, in front of the meetin' house, and the minister finds the tex' and gib it out, and splains 'pon it; and when he comes to 'dress the mo'ners, he hab nary word to spress hisself with in faber ob the corpse. Jake, you am a bauld-headed ole stortioner!" "Pete, the 'clusion 'rived at am pow'ful. From hensforth smelts am only twenty cents a peck, 'perial measure.

The relationship of a man and woman in rainy weather is discovered. If they are lovers the woman will have all of the umbrella, and the man won't care how wet he gets. But if they are married it is just the opposite. Marriage makes the difference, that is all.

A schoolmaster tells the following story: "I was teaching in a quiet country village. The second morning of my session I had leisure to survey my surroundings, and among the scanty furniture I espied a three legged stool. "Is this the dunce-block?' I asked a little girl of five. The dark eyes sparkled, the curls nodded assent, and the lips rippled out, "Suppose so! the teacher always sits on it." The stool was unoccupied that term.

A man who has the elements so mixed within him that he naturally, as one says, borrows trouble, and crosses bridges before he gets to them, and permits things small or great to fret him, is bound to worry. He may as well attempt to alter his complexion, or change the thickness of his skin, as to stop worrying. The most he can do is to control the expression of his mental state within himself—and that is often more wearing to him than to give vent to his feelings.

THE SEA.—The sea is the largest of all cemeteries, and its slumberers sleep without a monument. All other grave yards show some small distinction between the great and the small, the rich and the poor; but in the great oceau cemetery the king and the clown, prince and peasant, are all alike distinguished. The same wave rolls over all; the same requiem by minstrels of the ocean is sung to their honor. Over their remains the same sun shines, and there, unmarked, the weak and the powerful, the plumed and unhonored, will sleep on until awakened by the same trumpet.

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The above goods will be made to order in first-class style, and a perfect fit guaranteed.
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Fredericton 6th July, 1878.

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A good stock of GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS kept constantly on hand as heretofore.
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Parties desiring to have their houses fitted with all the modern improvements in the above business, would do well to apply to us for estimates before going elsewhere.
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GAS, STEAM and HOT WATER FITTING, always in stock.
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FRESH GROUND BUCKWHEAT MEAL, CRANBERRYS, &c.
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In store now for the "people" a large stock of goods, at remarkably low prices; and I am receiving, almost daily, fresh lots of Flour, Corn and Oatmeal, Pork, Fish, Salt, Molasses, Teas, Tobbaccos, &c., which will be sold at lowest market rates, as usual.
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THE Subscriber begs to return thanks to the Citizens of Fredericton and the public generally, for the liberal patronage extended to him since commencing business, and would respectfully inform them that he has purchase d the Stock-in-Trade, and leased the premises of Joseph Mystrall, Esq., where with improved facilities for carrying on his business, he hopes to merit a continuance of the favor which he has heretofore enjoyed.
His Stock will always comprise all the popular Brands of Wines and Liquors usually kept in a first-class establisement, also
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He is also agent for Jones' celebrated Ale.
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ALSO FOR SALE,
A SECOND-HAND
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Fredericton, August 3, 1878.

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60 DOZ. Pails; 2000 lbs. Cheese;
50 doz. Burnett's Extracts;
1 doz. Smoked Beef Tongues;
20 " Salmon; 10 doz. Tomatoes;
5 Barrels Graham Flour;
1 Case Epps' Cocoa; 25 Cases Corn Starch;
30 Boxes Ground Pepper;
2 Barrels Golden Syrup; 30 doz. Bed Cords;
2,200 lbs. Confectionery;
July 20th 1878.

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200 barrels of Flour. Meal. and Fish.

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6 DOZ. Pair Waggon Shafts.
25 Setts Waggon Rims;
1 Piece Rubber Drill, and
3 cases Carriage Bolts from New York, containing 11,500 assorted lengths.
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LARGEST Lot, best assortment, nicest variety in the City. Scrap Book Pictures and Bordering.
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A change having been made in the management of the business of this old established first-class Company, by which the undersigned is allowed more latitude than heretofore, he is prepared to effect insurance against loss or damage by fire on nearly all descriptions of property on as reasonable terms as any other office of equal standing.
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H. RUTTER,

SADDLER and HARNESS MAKER,
DEALER IN
WHIPS,
BRUSHES,
CURRY COBS,
BLANKETS,
BITS, Etc., Etc.
Repairing done with neatness and despatch.
AT THE OLD STAND,
Opposite the County Court House,
Queen Street, Fton., N. B.
Fton, April, 20, 1878.

Organs & Pianos.

The subscriber is prepared to furnish
PIANOS & ORGANS
(EACH INSTRUMENT WARRANTED)
at Lowest Prices and favorable terms.
E. CADWALLADER.
Residence Sunbury Street.
Fredericton, July 6, 1878.

NO. 4. COY'S BLOCK. NO. 4.

WE will have in a few days a full line of Gents' Furnishing Goods.
Give us a Call.
SCULLY & COLLINS.
Sept. 31, 1878.

House For Sale!

THAT beautifully situated HOUSE and PROPERTY, belonging to the Estate of the late Wm. A. McLean, Esq., is now offered for sale. The property has a frontage of about 70 feet on Sunbury Street, and runs back 200 feet. It includes House and Barn, with a Good Stable and Carriage House, Woodshed, Ice House, and Garden, and is one the most desirable localities in Fredericton.
It is now offered for sale on VERY EASY TERMS.
For urther information apply to A. A. STERLING, Esq., or to
Wm. A. McLEAN,
Sunbury Street.
Fredericton, July 27, 1878.—tf.

T. W. SMITH,

FISHER'S BUILDING,
Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.

WOULD beg leave to inform his numerous friends and customers, and the public in general, that he has received from
EUROPE CANADA, and the UNITED STATES
One of the best and cheapest stock of

CLOTHS, CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS,

— AND —

Gents' Furnishing Goods

ever offered in this market and will be sold
CHEAP FOR CASH.
Call and examine for yourselves.
F'ton, April 13, 1878.

Notice of Removal

C. T. WHELPLEY,

WOULD respectfully announce to his friends and the public generally that he has removed THREE DOORS BELOW THE OLD STAND, where with increased facilities to carry on a first-class Grocery Store, he hopes to merit a continuance of the very liberal patronage he received for the last twelve years.
F'ton, May 25.

SALT AND MOLASSES.

—AT—

ELY PERKINS'

Landing this day:—
100 SACKS SALT. Also, a choice lot of Molasses for the people.
April 27.

PER SCHOONER

MAUD & BESSIE.

60 ROLLS Roofing Felt.
10 casks Roofing Pitch;
12 Pitcher Spout Kitchen Pumps;
12 Reams Flint Paper.
Just received and for sale by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS.
May 4.

PER S. S. DIRECT.

230 BOXES Window Glass, running from 7x9 to 36x42. Just received and for sale by
May 11, 1878. R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

BEVERLY'S

Bookstore and Bindery
HAS REMOVED
TO THE
Corner of QUEEN and CARLETON STS.
May 4.

HARDWARE.

Just Received:
4 DOZEN GLOBE PANTERNS
6 doz. Glass Globes for same;
80 kegs Cut Nails; 20 kegs Cut Spikes;
6 Double Mould Board Plows;
2 Heavy Jack Screws;
60 pair Japanned Shelf Brackets;
1 superior Refrigerator;
600 gross Wood Screws; 60 gross Brass Screws
60 gross Plated Screws, round heads—
and for sale low by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS.
F'ton, May 25.

SHAD AND SALMON TWINE, MILK Pans, Lamp Chimneys, Crocks, Flower Pots. For sale at
BENJ. EVANS.
Queen Street.
Fredericton, May 4, 1878.

HARDWARE.

60 DOZEN T Hinges;
75 Pair Barn Door Hinges;
6 Dozen Garden Rakes;
2 " Extra handles;
3 Turnip Seed Drills—(a new thing here;)
3 Lawn Mowers;
6 Patent Churns—(splendid article);
Just to hand and for sale low by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS.
F'ton, May 11, 1878.

CUT NAILS.

Just Received and in Stock:
160 KEGS Cut Nails and Spikes.
JAMES S. NEILL.

SPLINTS, SPLINTS at
BEVERLY'S.

MY friend stop that cough. If you can't stop it, G. L. Atherton's Cough Mixture can. If you don't believe, try it.
G. L. ATHERTON & CO.
June 22.

Haxall Flour.

100 BARRELS HAXALL FLOUR.
Just received at
GEO. HATT & SONS.
July 20, 1878.

Received to-day,

1 CASE

WHITE PIQUES,

Hamburg Edgeings

AND

INSERTIONS.

DEVER BROS.
July 13.

WAVERLY HOUSE FREDERICTON.

THIS well known hotel has been improved on, and the premises enlarged. The Stables are the best in the city. Charges low.
JOHN B. GRIEVES,
Proprietor

HUGH McMONAGLE,

Sussex Corner, King's County,
NEW BRUNSWICK.
breeder of Ayrshire Cattle, and Leicester Sheep

ALLEN & WILSON,

Barristers and Attorneys
AT LAW.
Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c., Loans Negotiated, Accounts Collected.
OFFICE up-stairs in Wiley's Building, next below Logan's Store.

BECKWITH & SEELY,

Attorneys-at-Law, Notaries Public, etc.
Office in
CITY HALL, FREDERICTON
Attend at Oromocto and Fredericton Junction, alternate Saturdays.
Accounts Collected, and Loans Negotiated.

Fraser, Wetmore & Winslow,

ATTORNIES and BARRISTERS at LAW,
Solicitors, Conveyancers, etc.
MONEY NEGOTIATED and LOANS MADE.
Fton., April 13th, 1878.

JUST RECEIVED BY RAIL FROM BOSTON.

4 CASES READY MIXED PAINTS, from 1 to 5 lb cans.
2 cases VARNISH, in ½ Pints, Pints, Quart tins for retail;
1 bbl. hite Frozen Glue;
1 bbl. Com. Frozen Glue;
1 bbl. Pale Glue;
1 bbl. Common Black Glue
2 cases containing Burnt Umber, raw Umber. Burnt Sceanna, Raw Sceanna; Drop Black; Indian Red, Chromo Yellow, Vermilion, (grund in oil and dry); 50 lb. Rose Pink.
1 keg Borax; 1 case Potash; 1 keg Alum;
1 keg Saltpetre; 2 cases Axle Grease;
3 reams Sand Paper; Shellace;
Points, etc. For sale by
JAMES S. NEILL.

Paints. Paints.

75 KEGS BEST WHITE LEAD;
90 kegs Yellow, Red, Green, Blue and Black;
4 kegs Pure Zinc White;
50 One pound cans Best light Shutter Green
50 lbs. pure Bright Red (new color);
100 " One pound Tins hite Lead;
50 " Five pound tins hite Lead;
50 " Five pound Drabs;
50 " Five pound Grays—
and for sale by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS.
May 4.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

The Subscriber begs to announce to the Public that he has always on hand a good and varied stock of

SPRUCE, PINE and HEMLOCK LUMBER,

CONSISTING OF

Dry Pine Plank, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, thoroughly seasoned and planed.
Dry Pine Boards, well seasoned, planed on one and both sides, and tongued and grooved.
ALSO,
Good Dry Laths and Sawed Cedar Shingles of every quality, together with a stock of Spruce and Hemlock Logs, from which we are prepared to saw to order at short notice.
Bills of Scantling of any dimensions.
A large quantity of Refuse Lumber on hand.
All orders promptly delivered.
Please call at my yard, West End Mill.
RICHARD A. ESTEY.
F'ton, June 22, 1878.

TO PAINTERS AND OTHERS.

SOMETHING NEW.

SAMPLE case of PREPARED KALSOMINE, in packages of 6 lbs. each. Makes the handsomest and smoothest Wall or Ceiling of any article in use. Any person can use it. Superior to paint and lasts for years.
One package will cover about 400 square feet. Can be mixed for use in five minutes.
White and two tints in case.
JOHN RICHARDS,
Ticket Agent.
F'ton, May 18, 1878.

JOHN RICHARDS, Insurance Agent,

(Next door to People's Bank, F'ton.)

Representing the following first-class Offices:
English.—QUEEN, LIVERPOOL AND LONDON & GLOBE, NORTHERN, IMPERIAL.
American.—ÆTNA, HARTFORD, AND PHŒNIX.
Canadian.—BRITISH AMERICA, AND NATIONAL.
ALSO:—Agent for the sale of Railway Tickets to all parts of North America.
F'ton, April 13, 1878

BROOMS, PAILS, CEMENT, and LIME.

50 DOZ. Brooms, 50 doz. Pails;
10 doz. bbls. Cement;
50 casks Lime;
1 bbl. Boston Sugar Cured Hams.
April 27. GEO. HATT & SONS

YORK COUNTY DEBENTURES *FOR SALE.*

FROM $8,000 to $10,000, in denominations of $200, $300 and $500.
HENRY B. RAINSFORD, JR.,
Secretary-Treasurer.
Fredericton, June 29, 1878.—Rep.

Just Received.

40 GRINDSTONES;
12 Doz. Cast Steel Scythes;
50 Kegs Cut Nails; 1 Barrel Pale Seal Oil;
1 Barrel Codfish Oil; 1 Barrel Olive Oil;
1 Dozen Eureka Clothes Wringers;
6 Dozen Hayfork Handles;
And for sale by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS.
July 13, 1878.

TAKE NOTICE!

The Highest Prices in Cash paid for
HIDES & BEEF TALLOW,
BY
F'ton Leather Co.,
KING STREET, FREDERICTON.

STRAW GOODS, STRAW GOODS, STRAW GOODS.

50 DOZ. Mens' Youths' and Boys' Straw Hats. Best value in the market. They will be sold from 10 cents upwards.
Inspection invited.
April 27. THOS. W. SMITH.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills,

For all the purposes of a Family Physic, and for curing Costiveness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Foul Stomach, Breath, Headache, Erysipelas, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Biliousness, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Neuralgia, as a Dinner Pill, for Purifying the Blood.

Are the most effective and congenial purgative ever discovered. They are mild, but effectual in their operation, moving the bowels surely and without pain. Although gentle in their operation, they are still the most thorough and searching cathartic medicine that can be employed: cleansing the stomach and bowels, and even the blood. In small doses of one pill a day, they stimulate the digestive organs and promote vigorous health.
AYER'S PILL