

The next great European war will probably be between Italy and Austria. The Italian Government is concentrating large bodies of troops in the north of Italy, and the Austrian forces are anxious to know what it means. From a table lately published in a Vienna newspaper, it appears that while the Austrians have only 9,000 infantry, 940 cavalry, 1,400 field artillery, 700 engineers and 200 engineers, or altogether a force of 12,740 men quartered in the neighborhood of her Italian frontier, Italy, on the other hand, has now assembled 40,700 infantry, 10,380 cavalry, 7,200 field artillery, 2,700 garrison artillery, and 3,750 engineers, or a total force of 73,710 men of all arms of the service near the Austrian frontier. The four fortresses forming the famous quadrilateral being especially strongly garrisoned. It is also well known that much attention has been lately given by the Italian military authorities to perfecting the organization of the so-called Alpine troops—the forces which, permanently quartered in the mountains on the northern frontier of Italy, were in the event of the latter country becoming involved in hostilities with either of her neighbors on the north, be called upon to cover the mobilization and march for hundreds of miles in the forest or act as an advanced guard to any force made by them in the prosecution of an offensive campaign.

HERMITAGE.
Ladies of St. Dunstan's Church intend holding
A PICNIC
at the HERMITAGE, on
WEDNESDAY, 6th INST.
THE USUAL SPORTS
Will take place under the management of an efficient committee.
REFRESHMENTS
To be had on the ground during the day.
Music by 71st (Bryson's) Band.
Admission to Grounds, 25 Cents.
Children, 10 Cents.
FRANK McPEAKE, Secretary to Com.
August 2.—11 a.m.

YORK COUNTY RIFLE ASSOCIATION!
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE YORK COUNTY RIFLE ASSOCIATION for the session of officers and transaction of other business, will be held at the
"Agriculturist" Office,
on
TUESDAY EVENING, 12th INST.,
at 8 o'clock.
E. A. SMITH, Secretary.
F'ron, August 2, 1879.
NAILS. NAILS.
160 KEGS Cut Nails assorted: 2 Cases Ironed Putty, for Roads, containing 75 per cent. of Iron; 37 Grindstones, fine grit; 3 Cases Putty Oil; 2 doz. Carpenter's Bench Axes; 20 lbs. Brown Smalts; 20 lbs. Blue Smalts; 25 lbs. pure Paris Green; 75 papers Finishing Sails; 25 papers Carpet Tacks; Just received, and for sale lower than ever by
F'ron, August 2. R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

NEW PLATED WARE!
Two cases just opened, containing
BUTTER DISHES, SPOON HOLDERS, PICKLE STANDS, CASTORS, CARD RECEIVERS, SALVERS, CHILDREN'S CUPS, VASES.
Prices Extremely low.
AT
S. F. SHUTES'S,
August 2. Sharkey's Block, Queen Street.
Powder, Shot, Caps, &c.
Just received from the Manufacturers, and in stock:
50 BAGS Shot, 10 Cases Powder in one pound and half pound Flasks; Blasting Powder, Gun caps; Powder Flasks and Shot Bags, at bottom prices.
August 2. Z. R. EVERETT.

IRON. IRON.
Just received from Boston:
460 B Refined Iron; 40 Bundles Fire Steel, for sale by
August 2. JAMES S. NEILL.
DON'T
LINGER where "your love lies dreaming." Wake her up, and tell her to go to Chestnut's Hardware Store and get a set of Mrs. Pettit's double pointed improved SMOOTHING or SAIL IRONS, or two pairs of the NEW YORK SAIL IRONS, machine made with a true face, at very low prices; or even a Clothes Wringer, which is a useful article in a family.
F'ron, August 2nd. R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

HALL'S BOOKSTORE.
Just received from Wm. Collins, Son & Co., Glasgow
25 Reams Foolcap paper for Schools, 20 " Flat Cap for Printers, 8 " Demy, heavy weights for Books.
35 " Note paper, 25,000 Envelopes, different sizes, 20,000 Slate Pencils, 22 doz. Ink, Carters, Thomas' French Violet, 4 Cases Slates.
These will be sold low. Wholesale buyers will find it to their interest to call.
CROQUET—a large lot daily expected from the manufacturers direct, and at prices to suit the trade. BALLS, ARCHERY, and FISHING TACKLE.
M. S. HALL.

Now is the time
FOR A
GRAND DISPLAY!
TO ARRIVE the 1st of August, the largest and best assortment of
Fireworks, Blue Lights, Chinese Lanterns, Balloons, Colored Boquets, Vertical Wheels, Roman Candles, and Rockets,
ever brought to this city, and will be sold very low, wholesale and retail, at
McMurray & Co's Bookstore,
Parties wishing to illuminate will find these goods just what they want, and at prices to suit them.
F'ron, July 26. McMURRAY & CO.
"Just what the doctor ordered."
Dutcher's Lightning Fly Killer,
SURE DEATH FOR FLIES at
GEORGE H. DAVIS' Drug Store,
Cor. Queen and Regent Sts.
F'ron, July 19.

THRESHING MACHINES
WOOD CUTTERS
SMALL & FISHER
WOODSTOCK, N. B.
Fraser, Wetmore & Winslow,
BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS,
Accounts collected and Loans negotiated.
F'ron, August 4, 1879. Z. R. EVERETT.

MUNICIPALITY OF YORK.
NO ICE TO COLLECTORS,
THE COLLECTORS OF RATES are hereby notified that they are required by law to make their returns on the first Monday in every month.
Dated this 26th day of July, 1879.
HENRY B. RAINSFORD, Jr.,
Secretary-Treasurer.

POTATOE BUG.
PARIS GREEN
A sure cure for the POTATOE BUG.
GEO. GILMAN,
July 19 21 a.m. York Street, Fredericton.
CASH SALE.
AS WE are determined to reduce our present stock, we will sell for a short time at greatly reduced prices, everything in our line for CASH ONLY, notwithstanding goods are steadily increasing.
We will be pleased to see our friends and customers, one and all, as this is no sham sale. American goods in exchange for goods.
CALL AND SEE US.
F'ron, July 26. R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

HARDWARE.
CALL AT JAMES S. NEILL'S Hardware store and get the figures on Builders' Hardware, such as Saws, Axes, Planes, Files, Putty, Oil, Locks and Hinges, Turpentine, Putty, &c., before purchasing elsewhere. You will be to your advantage. I am bound to sell at such figures as will defy competition.
JAMES S. NEILL.
July 26—Rep.
COFFEE.
Just received per S. S. "Nova Scotian": 18 SACKS Java Coffee; 1 Case Gelatine.
F'ron, July 26, 1879. GEO. HATT & SONS
Table and Pocket Cutlery.
A LARGE and well assorted stock of Table and Pocket Cutlery.
SCISSORS AND RAZORS on hand and for sale very low for cash, wholesale and retail.
F'ron, July 25, 1879. Z. R. EVERETT.

SUGAR. SUGAR.
JUST RECEIVED:
25 BAGS Toppat's Granulated Sugar; 1 Bag Excellent Ground Sugar.
F'ron, July 25. GEO. HATT & SONS.
\$66
A WEEK in your own town, and no capital risked. You can give the business a trial without expense. The best opportunity ever offered for those willing to work. You should try nothing until you see, for yourself, what you can do at the best of us offer. No room to explain here. You can devote all your time or only your spare time to the business, and make great pay for every hour that you work. Women make as much as men. Send for special price terms and particulars, which we mail free, \$5 worth free. Don't complain of hard times while you have such a chance. Address H. H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

CHEAP DRY GOODS.
CLEARANCE SALE
OF
Dry Goods, &c.
LUSTRES, PERSIAN CORDS, REPPS, MERINOS AND CASHMERES, GRASS CLOTH AND LINENS, VERY CHEAP.
P. McPEAKE.
MILLINERY, &c.
Trimmed Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons, Laces. Prices all reduced to clear.
P. McPEAKE.
CORSETS, &c.
Corsets, unshades, Kid Gloves, Hosiery, All at Reduced Prices.
P. McPEAKE.
CHEAP COTTONS!
TICKINGS, DUCKS, JEANS, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN PRINTS, Reduced Prices.
P. McPEAKE.
Canadian Tweeds.
For real hard wear. Very cheap.
P. McPEAKE.
CARPETS, FLOOR OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, CRUMB CLOTHS, DAMASKS,
At Low Prices.
P. McPEAKE.

CUSTOM TAILORING
ALWAYS IN STOCK:
SCOTCH, WEST OF ENGLAND, AND CANADIAN CLOTHS
of the very best quality.
A Perfect Fit in any case.
P. M'PEAKE.
Fredericton, July 26, 1879.

DEVER BROS.
Are opening to-day, July 23rd,
BROWN CAMBRICS,
BLACK CAMBRICS,
NEW FRILLINGS,
AND PIQUES.
HAMBOURGS,
Black Satins,
CHECKED DUCKS,
DRESS BUTTONS,
Dress Linens,
BLACK MERINOS
DRAB
CORSETS,
BLACK GRASS FRINGS,
BLACK AND BROWN
SUNSHADES,
BERLIN
SLIPPER PATTERNS,
AND
Table Linen.

DEVER BROS.
Fredericton, July 26, 1879.

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Paris Green
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DAVIS & DIBBLEE'S.
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FULLY PREPARED NEW TARIFF!
FOR THE
T. W. SMITH,
Merchant Tailor,
HAS one of the largest and most fashionable stocks of Cloths and Clothing ever offered in this market, consisting of
Extra Fine German Worsteds,
ENGLISH, SCOTCH, IRISH,
GERMAN, FRENCH, CANADIAN, AND DOMESTIC CLOTHS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING
HATS, CAPS,
FURNISHING GOODS,
IN GREAT VARIETY.
LATEST FASHION PLATES JUST RECEIVED.
With a CUTTER who can give a perfect fit every time. Inspection solicited.
T. W. SMITH,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
April 19.

NOTICE.
WE, the undersigned, having this day entered into co-partnership for the purpose of carrying on the BOOT & SHOE BUSINESS, lately conducted by Mr. Robert Sutherland, Sr., beg to solicit from Mr. Sutherland's former customers and the public generally a continuance of the favors he enjoyed.
Having a thorough knowledge of the Custom and the Boot & Shoe Business, keeping only first-class stock and having our work made up in style that cannot be excelled in the city. We hope to give entire satisfaction to every one who may favor us with their orders.
CHARLES SUTHERLAND, SUTHERLAND BROS., P. S.—Expected in a few days, a new set of Lasts, "French Toe" Pattern.
F'ron, May 3, 1879. SUTHERLAND BROS.

NOTICE.
ON the 1st of May I will retire from the Boot and Shoe Business, which in the future will be conducted by my sons, RICHARD C. and CHARLES SUTHERLAND, and respectfully ask for them from all my customers and the public generally, the patronage so liberally bestowed on me for the past forty years. All parties with whom I have accounts will have their bills rendered to that date.
In the shop adjoining, I will keep a supply of sole and Upper Leather, which I will sell in quantities to suit purchasers, also a selection of SHOE FINISHERS.
Just received from England, a Fine Stock of Latest Style Lippers in Baltimore, Elastic Button and Lisle Shoes, also, Ladies' Uppers in Side, Last and Button, made of Seal Skin and Glove Kid.
I am retiring from the Boot and Shoe Trade, I wish to thank my many customers for their patronage extended to me during my long term of business in this city.
F'ron, April 28, 1879. ROBT. SUTHERLAND.

NEW GOODS!
JUST received from England, one case containing
ELEGANT JEWELRY
IN
SUITS OF BROOCH AND EAR RINGS, BRACELETS, PENDANTS,
Lockets, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Rings, Scarf Pins, &c., &c.
Rich Gold Chains,
STONE CAMEO RINGS,
Gem Rings, Engraved Band Rings, Wedding Rings.
All kinds of Jewelry made to order. Call and see prices before purchasing at
S. F. SHUTES,
Sharkey's New Block, Queen St.
Fredericton, June 7, 1879.

NEW WALL PAPER
Over 25,000 Rolls,
which I will sell at old prices, as I received them before the LARGE ADVANCE of duties on this class of Goods came into operation.
NEW CARPETS
BRUSSELS, TAPESTRY, WOOL AND HEMP RUGS to match.
NEW SILKS, SATINS, VELVETS, VELVETEENS, RIBBONS, GLOVES AND HOSIERY, DRESS GOODS, and a general assortment of
STAPLE & FANCY GOODS.
JOHN McDONALD.
Fredericton, May 10, 1879.

E. B. KIERSTEAD & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FRUIT,
CONFECTIONERY,
CIGARS AND TOBACCO,
REID'S BUILDING,
Opposite R. C. Rooms.
WE make a specialty of the manufacture of Genouv Bros', St. Stephen. Also, Fine Havana Cigars and Tobaccos.
We are in a position to sell at wholesale Havana and Domestic Cigars at BOTTOM PRICES.
GIVE US A CALL.
F'ron, June 21, 1879.
PER SCHOONER "GLAD TIDINGS" FROM BOSTON
40 BUN DLES Refined Iron; 4 Bbls. Spirits of Turpentine; 1 Case Refined Borax.
Just received and for sale low by
R. CHESTNUT & SONS,
July 9.

SUMMER GOODS
Received and now showing at
LOGAN'S
FANCY DRESS GOODS,
DRESS LINENS,
GRENADINES,
BUNTINGS,
DEBAZES,
Colored Hamburg Trimming,
LINEN FRINGES,
Prints,
Muslins,
Plain and Printed
CAMBRICS.
25 DOZ.
UMBRELLAS.
Drab and White
CORSETS.
Double and Single Busks
Kid Gloves,
Silk Gloves,
Lisle Gloves,
BLACK LACE MITTS.
Ladies' and Childrens'
CORSETS
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
Small wares and all kinds of seasonable Dry Goods

THOS. LOGAN,
OPP. NORMAL SCHOOL.
Fredericton, June 26, 1879.
FREDERICTON LIVERY STABLE
Westmorland Street.
FIRST-CLASS TURN OUTS!
CHARGES MODERATE.
GEO. I. GUNTER, Manager.
Fredericton, June 28, 1879.
BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS
F'ron Auxiliary Bible Society,
THE DEPOSITORY is now at the Book Store of McMURRAY & CO., Queen Street, next to Davis and Edmond's Drug Store.
BIBLES from 25 cts. to \$10.00.
NEW TESTAMENTS from 5 cents to \$3.00
Pulpit Bibles, Family Bibles, Paragraph Bibles, etc. Bibles, Testaments with Cassides, Bibles and Testaments in French, German, Italian, Greek, Welsh, Spanish, Gaelic, Hebrew.
Separate Books of the Bible.
M. MURRAY & CO.,
Fredericton,
July 12, 1879.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS indebted to the undersigned, are requested to make immediate payment by calling at my Photograph Rooms, Queen Street, Fredericton.
All debts that remain unpaid by August 1st, will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. These steps are taken in order that I may be able to pay all demands due by me and that the year's business be squared up.
F'ron, July 5, 1879. GEO. W. SCHLEYER

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HAYING TOOLS.
30 DOZ. Clippers, Silver, Steel, and Cast Steel Scythes;
30 doz. Hoes;
3 " Forks;
10 " Fork handles;
3 " Saws;
12 Boxes Scythe Stones, Bush Scythes, Grindstone Cranks and Bitures.
Cheaper than ever, wholesale and retail.
July 12, 1879. Z. R. EVERETT.
HAYING TOOLS.
NOW IN STOCK.
47 DOZ. Scythes (assorted) as follows: Clipper (3 or 4 inch edge); Black Snake, 10 doz. Scythe Stones; 30 doz. Scythe Handles; 30 doz. Fork Handles; 30 doz. Fork Handles; 1 doz. Large Hand Rakes; 1 doz. Large Hand Rakes.
For sale wholesale and retail at low prices.
JAMES S. NEILL.
P. S. I would call your attention to my new scythe called the Black Snake. Call and see it.
F'ron, July 3.

OLD MINE SYDNEY COAL
TO ARRIVE.
150 CHALDRONS, warranted the pure, best quality article, for sale the low price, \$6.00 PER HALDRON.
Orders left at my office will receive attention.
F'ron, June 28.
JOHN RICHARDS.
Valuable Building Lots FOR SALE.
I AM directed by the Trustees of the Methodist Church, to sell their very eligible Building Lots in this city, situated on the corner of Charlotte and Church Streets, being 35 feet by 110 feet each. Terms easy.
GEO. A. FERLEY,
Land Agent
June 28, 1879—11 a.m.

A. A. MILLER & CO.
NEW GOODS! NEW STORE!
Our Motto:
THE BEST GOODS FOR THE LEAST MONEY
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
INCHES' BUILDING DIRECTLY Opp. City Hall AND COUNTRY MARKET.
We are Daily Receiving from the Foreign Markets our New **SPRING GOODS.**
We have just laid in our Store the following Goods, and will give our customers the benefit of our large purchases
16 Bales Grey Cottons.
5 Cases White Cottons.
6 Cases Prints.
4 Cases Ducks.
2 Cases Bed Ticks.
2 Cases Cotton Flannels.
1 Case Cottonnades.
2 Cases Shirtings.
1 Case Corset Jeans.
1 Case Knitting Cottons.
24 pieces Plain Cambrics.
8-4, 9-4, 10-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings.
Window Hollands.
Table Oil Cloths.
Small Wares, &c., &c.,
All will be sold at LOWEST PRICES.
REMEMBER THE NEW STORE,
Directly opposite City Hall.
A. A. MILLER & CO.
Fredericton, February 22, 1879.

SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER,
And a full assortment of
Gents' White Shirts,
Gents' Night Shirts,
Gents' Regatta Shirts,
Gents' Collars and Cuffs,
Gents' Scarfs, Bows, Ties, &c.,
Gents' Socks and Braces,
Gents' Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs,
Gents' Driving Gloves,
Gents' Silk and Alpaca Umbrellas,
Gents' Kid and Lisle Thread gloves,
Gents' Sleeve Elastics,
Gents' Shirt Studs,
Gents' Turtle Sleeve Buttons.
And a variety of other furnishing goods, which we will sell very low. Call and examine our Stock and Prices.
C. H. THOMAS & CO.,
Gents' Furnishers and Shirt Makers,
NEARLY OPP. REFORM CLUB ROOMS QUEEN ST.
Fredericton, August 2, 1879.

ALBION HOUSE.
1879. SUMMER 1879.
NEW SUMMER DRESS GOODS,
At very low prices.
Linen Suitings,
P. K. and Jaconet Suitings,
DRESS TRIMMINGS,
NEW CORSETS IN ALL DESIRABLE MAKES,
Gloves and Hosiery,
SUMMER UNDERWEAR,
MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS, &c., &c.
A STOCK OF COTTON GOODS,
Unequalled for choice and quality.
New Goods arrive weekly.
F. B. EDGEcombe,
QUEEN ST., FREDERICTON, OPP. NORMAL SCHOOL.
Fredericton, July 19, 1879.

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