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North Star.

J. E. COLLINS, Editor.

CHATHAM, N. B., OCTOBER 2, 1880.

HOLDING FAST.

The autumn leaves are falling, yet Judge Weldon sticks fast to his resolution to rem in upon the Bench. It may be as well to inform our readers that Judge Weldon is one of our Supreme Court Judges, a very, very feeble old man whose term expires this autumn, and who may if he choose live the rest of his life in retirement upon a pension to which his services have entitled him.

But where one should look for friends of the poor Judge, he finds enemies; and among these enemies is His Honor's own son Charlie. Now Charlie is a Grit member who is representing St. John for the last time in the Commons, and being a Grit, and a firm believer in prophecies, he regards it as a dead sure thing that at next election the Conservatives will be routed, and on Mr. Blake assuming power, he will be made Judge in the vacancy represented now by his father.

Well, they are not likely to dismiss him, though they can if they wish for sufficient cause, and old age must be a sufficient cause, impeach him. But impeachment is a delicate matter and the Government will hardly resort to it; though glancing through the personnel of our Dominion benches a few impeachments would not earn for our Government the name of being over particular.

We understand Dr. Tuck is very anxious to get Judge Weldon off the Bench that he may get the place. He is a great friend of Sir L. Tilley's and he has gone so far as to demand the appointment. Hon. George E. King also thinks the time has come when Judge Weldon should leave the Bench; probably taking this view from the belief that he is so well qualified himself to take a Judgeship.

IRISH MATTERS

MR. PARNELL has left New Ross for Dublin to hold a special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Land League, at which a scheme for obtaining more detailed information in regard to the management of estates will be discussed.

We are glad to put the Charlotte-town Presbyterian upon our exchange list.

RETURNED.

SENATOR MUIRHEAD has returned from a fortnights trip to the Upper Provinces. Part of his mission was in his own interest, for the worthy Senator conjointly with others is largely connected in business enterprises in Upper Canada as well as here. The other part of his mission was in the interest of the people of Northumberland. To this end he appointed an interview with the worthy veteran of Northumberland Conservatives, Hon. Peter Mitchell, on the matter of an extension of Dr. Fortin's costal telegraphic system to Chatham, and other topics bearing on matters of much interest to the North Shore, and Northumberland in particular.

DASTARDLY ASSAULT.

ON Thursday evening about ten, Capt. Barry and two or three gentlemen belonging to town were walking down the main street on their way home. Presently they heard a noise and great shouting, nothing uncommon any night in Chatham, though we have two policemen. The captain made some remark like, that they should be on board their ship; but the gang was of the stabbing class, and turned with fists and stones to make attack upon the party.

THE PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.

THE progress which Mr. Lawlor, contractor for the New Parliament Buildings has made with his work is little short of surprising. We well remember before a sod was turned the predictions that many made. Some thought there was not money enough granted, that any contractor would "burst up" by taking it; and that Mr. Lawlor could not escape the inevitable.

And under one of Chatham's most energetic men, see the results. Already the walls of the building are well high completed, the library is entirely finished and plasterers are at work through covered portions. Instead of finishing next autumn as the contract provides, next June or July at furthest will, we believe, see the building completed, Mr. Lawlor with a handsome margin in his pocket, and with a reputation for push and management established for the rest of his life.

According to the original specification the roof was to have been gravelled, but we learn the Government have decided to use zinc, which properly soldered will be more durable and make the building as tight as a bottle.

A TREMENDOUS EXCOMMUNICATION.

THE Independent Catholics celebrated their third anniversary in New York on Monday evening last. It is our painful duty to inform our readers that at that meeting a document was read by Father O'Connor excommunicating the Pope! Father Chiquery very strongly approved of the excommunication.

GONE.

SEPTEMBER has fled away, and now we have what poets call the melancholy days upon us. Tis true October gives forests of living gold, but these are but the flashes which precede the death of nature. With September we have lost autumn's spicy breath and sober green and the lovely harvest moon which shed its mellow light upon the late workers in the field.

Instead of for roses now, fair maidens go out into the forest and gather autumn leaves, which they wax and put upon their hats and ball room dresses. In England this winter the belles will use autumn leaves as the chief ornament and already the beauties for which Frederickton is famed have begun to appear trimmed in gold leaf. We may remind Chatham fair ones that there is a wealth of trimming in the forest which can be had for the gathering.

UNTRUTHS.

It is untrue and damaging for those papers who state that the business of the country is not increasing. Some papers are hired to state that the deal markets are sensitive and weak; knowing that if these statements are believed, men who would otherwise invest capital in the woods will lose courage and keep their money in their pockets.

CORRECTION

In our last issue we published the following advertisement:

NOTICE.

Any person using the name of the N. York Singer Co. by the name of Chas. G. Paul is to be treated as a fraud. He has no connection with the Company.

H. G. FARNHAM, Manager Singer Co.

In reference to this we gladly publish the following:—

To the Editor of the STAR.

DEAR SIR,—Having noticed in your last issue an advertisement signed by H. G. Farnham, I beg to call the attention of the public to the FACTS. Said H. G. Farnham is in no way connected with the Singer Manufacturing Company. I do not find it necessary to refute the imputation against my own character; but I think it desirable to make the FACTS public in the interest of the Singer Company whose only legal agent in this County I am.

I remain yours, CHARLES G. PAUL.

S. Y. MITCHELL,

—DEALER IN—

GROCERIES

AND LIQUORS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

Pleasant Street,

OPPOSITE MASONIC HALL.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

September 1, 1880.

J. F. CONNORS,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries and Provisions,

At Lowest Cash Prices,

CROCKERYWARE AT COST, AND CHARGES.

Chatham, September 1, 1880.

James P. Mitchell,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.

OFFICE:—Adjoining Telegraph Office, Hays' Building,

NEWCASTLE N. B.

August, 30th, 1880.

JOB WORK executed with Neatness and Despatch at this Office.

A VOYAGE TO CALCUTTA. AND What I Saw There.

While in India I was very anxious to see a Hindoo woman in her native dress, and this I accomplished through our steredore; what his proper name was I do not know, but he went under the sobriquet of "Yanker Dick." Dick was rather a genius in his way and could talk English very fairly but could not get over the coolie way of sitting, which always seemed to me the most uncomfortable position one can get into; it is simply as the children say sitting on their hunkers. The knees are bent until the body almost touches the ground, and the coolies will remain in this position for hours.

The burning place, where the bodies of the dead are consumed is just above the city near the bank of the river. I did not visit it, but could see the smoke from the funeral pile constantly ascending. The Suttee is no longer allowed, and the widow is not burned with the dead body of the husband. The Hindoos still hold to a practice of throwing the dead into the sacred river, as they consider the Ganges, and although it is contrary to law, it is indulged in away from the city when they get an opportunity, and judging from the number of bodies which floated by the ship, I thought that the opportunity occurred pretty often.

On almost all of these bodies, buzzards sat engaged in their ghoul like repast, and it was a common saying among the sailors as they saw a body float by, "There comes a coolie with two or three passengers," according to the number of buzzards upon it. There is a boat and crew employed by the Government in sinking corpses, but great numbers escape them and float in the city, and what the buzzards do not dispose of on the water, the jackalls finish if they come ashore on the river bank. These animals are very numerous along the river banks, and are bold enough to come into the outskirts of the city at night. I had found a burrow to rent on the Barrackpore road not far from the city, and with the assistance of a friend I soon established myself and our servants in it. It was a small den building one story high, with a piazza running around it, and contained three rooms, one of which I used as a bedroom, one as a dining room and one as a sitting and smoking room.

FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS.

A. J. LOGGIE & CO.

The Subscribers have just received from Great Britain and elsewhere a very large and well assorted stock which they offer at the very lowest prices for cash

Bargains may be Expected

LADIES' MANTLES, DOLMANS AND SHAWLS. LADIES' ULSTERS FROM \$3.50 UPWARDS.

Coloured Dress Stuffs.

in great variety. Also a splendid stock of

BLACK FRENCH MERINOES, BLACK CASHMERE AND BLACK CRAPES.

Winceys! Winceys!! Winceys!!!

Ladies' Ulster Cloths, Ladies' Mantle Cloths, Dark Prints, Pompadour Prints. Grey and White Cottons, Hessians, Osnaburgs, Clothings, Towelings, Swansdowns, Sheetings, Gingham, &c. Bleached, Half-Bleached and Coloured Table Linens.

FLANNELS. BLANKETS. SHIRTINGS.

Scotch and Canadian Tweeds and Overcoatings. A vast assortment of Knitted Wool Goods in Wools, Jersey Jackets, Breakfast Shawls, Vests, Slouds, Scarfs, Peg Wollington Wraps, Gaiters, Cuffs, &c. Children's Knitted Wool Goods.

LADIES' FELT, MELTON AND QUILTED SKIRTS

Damask Brocades, Table Covers, Quilts, Toilet Covers, Smoking Caps, Tea Coxies, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Scarfs, Corsets, Frillings, Window Hollans and Table Oil Cloth.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S L W HOSIERY

A beautiful assortment of Silk Fringes and Fringe Collarets.

MILLINERY.

Silks, Satins, Velvets, Velveteens, Plushs, Nets, Laces, Feathers, Birds' Wings, Flowers, Ornaments, Ribbons, &c.

Twilled and Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs.

A large Stock of

LADIES', GENTS' AND CHILDREN'S FUR GLOVES AND MITTS.

Gents Clothing Department

complete.

SHIRTS AND KNITTED UNDERCLOTHING.

A. J. LOGGIE & CO.

Chatham, October 1st, 1880—oct21m.

TREMENDOUS SHOW

OF FALL GOODS!

Sutherland & Creaghan,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS.

DIRECT IMPORTERS,

NEWCASTLE, - - - N. B.

OUR DISPLAY OF SEASONABLE

DRY GOODS & FALL NOVELTIES

Is simply IMMENSE. Our enlarged premises has now double the capacity and EVERY DEPARTMENT is full. We now hold on sale

\$30,000.00 worth of the Best Value and most Fashionable

GOODS that long experience and ample capital can procure. Our purchases are for ready money. Our sales are CASH. Our prices and the quality of our goods defy competition. Compare our goods; that is a severe test. To shopkeepers and Lumbers we offer special WHOLESALE prices, and keep a full stock to suit their trade. Our stock includes everything to be found in any first-class Warehouse.

SUTHERLAND & CREAGHAN.

P. S.—Highest Cash Value given for Country Socks, Mitts and Homespun.

Newcastle, October 1, 1880.

IMPERIAL HALL!

THOMAS STANGER,

TAILOR AND DRAPER,

OPPOSITE THE CUSTOM HOUSE,

Queen Street, - - - Fredericton

Always on Hand a Well Assorted Stock of

UNDERCLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ETC.

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING.

GENTLEMEN REQUIRING NEW OVERCOATS, &c., are requested to leave their orders as early as possible. The last Fashion Plates just received. Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of the "IMPERIAL HALL," both as to fit and general excellence of workmanship. Fredericton, Sept. 25, 1880.—6 mos.