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CHATHAM, - - MIRAM.CHI, N. B.

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Newcastle-Nov 24-tf

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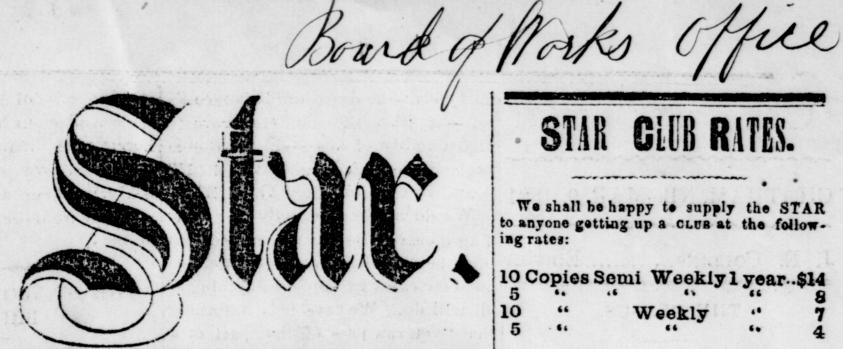
### WORKSHOP making Furniture to Order. We have more Goods than Money, an for

money will give the best value to all who are in want of the Goods we keep.

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Weekly

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and firmly, England could view

tune of the rules of Cabul, and

Lord Enfield, Under Secretary of

War, maintained that the native

princes of India had the greatest

Lord Waveney moved for the ap-

Lord Chelmsford, late commander

of the British troops in SouthAfrica,

defended the abandonment of Can-

dahar from a military point of view.

NOTES FROM THE NORTH-

WEST.

We condense the following from

the creation of a Crown colony.

Russia's advance of Herat.

J. E. COLLINS.

BOITOR & PROPRIETOR

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Chatham N. B.

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Martell Brandy in cases, XXX-Pale Martell Brandy in cases, X-in pints, 2

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November 1st-tf

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New Year

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BANKING FORMS,

INVOICES,

SHIPPING BLANKS ETC., ETC., ETC

# Miscellaneous

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> LETTER HEADS NOTE HEADS, PRICE LISTS,

> > RECEIPT BOOKS,

NOTES,

CHECKS, ORDERS. LABELS

> CARDS TAGS, EUT

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J. E. COLLINS.

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Thunder Bay Sentinel, which has it from the Cleveland Leader. It would appear that Ceylon has not a monopoly of the "gem of the waters."

A locality on the Little Miami river, about sixty miles north of Cincinnati, is known locally as the "pearl region." And the surprise felt by VonHumbolt at the discovery of fresh water pearls in south Anerica has been repeated by the people of this locality. At the places where the pearls are found the valley varies from two to four miles in width. Its borders are defined by undulating hills, thickly wooded The river is a small sluggish stream looking opaque enough to hold its own secrets, which it did until some twenty years ago when a (not the) wandering Jew, who was a practical geologist, chanced to pass that way, and something in the chronological formations suggested to him that it was such stuff as pearls are made of and thus reasoning a priori, he proceeded to investigate the mussel BONDS, ETC., ETC shells of the river. The result justified his theory. Pearls were found in sufficient quantity to make pearl fishery a recognized occupation. After a time the excitement died away, and not much was heard of it except as a half visionary tradition until within the last two years. Last summer a little son of a Cincinnati gentleman was playing about the river, and opening a mussel shell, he found a pearl of extraordinary size and beauty. It was cleaned, sent to Messrs Tiffany of New York for examination, who immediately pur-STOVES! STOVES! chased it for \$350. It was an iridescent pearl of unusual parity. Pearl fishing then became the general industry of that region. Boys and men to the number of 100 or more at once would be seen wad. ing into the rivers at depths reaching from their knees to their neck. in the building known as With their feet they would feel the shells, raise them with their toes to the height where the hand could reach them, and deposit them in on exhibition. miniature canoes, which were tied by a rope to the bank. After col-

lecting a bushe! or more of the shel's the fisher would go to the bank and sit in the shade while he opened them. The pearls were found between a light membrane that lined the shell itself, rarely more than three being found in a single shell. &CALL & INSPECT STOCK Often hundreds of bushels of the shells would not contain a single pearl; again, nearly everyone found might do so. A man might work for days and make nothing; again, he might make \$500 in a single day. The uncertainty may have lent a fascination of the work. The finest pearl ever found in the Little Miami fisheries was the everharn pearl, which Messrs. Tiffanys then sold it Newcistle, Sept 27, 1889 -sep29tf. to a party in France for \$1,500, who finally sold it for \$2,800. This pearl was perfect in its spherical symme. try. It had the brilliancy of the purest tints of the opal. It seemed to rest in an aureole of color. A banker in a town near these eries has made a collection of these pearls, of which he has several hundred. He purchased then as they were taken from the river, the boys ignorant of their value, and for mere ly a nominal sum. He has a cabinet of pearls that is, in itself, a fortune. He will take them to Paris for sale.

The geological conformation of this region is the old silurian. It is like a leaf torn out of Genesis, and is a locality full of revelation to the scientists, aside from the peculiar stack BROOK, developments of the pearl fish-

# Semi-Weekly Star

Donn de donkty Duct.			In the House of Lords on Thurs-
SPACE.	LENGTH OF TIME.	RATES.	day Earl Lytton, late Viceroy of
A Column,	One Year	\$100	India, moved that nothing in the in
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dread of further annexation. Miliupon, must be given in writing; else all tary opinions on the subject of retencentinued "ads" will be charged at the tion of Candahar were divided, and the commercial effects might be The advertising rates in the WERKLY STAR serious, and the financial ambarassments onerous.

### PEARL FISHERIES IN OHIO.

We take the following from the

the Thurder Bay Sentinel : -The Sentinel thinks that the region north of Lake Superior will yield great mineral riches when the railway runs through it. The Sentinel points out that since the N. P. has closed our doors against the American, the latter has come in "and made one among us;" has put his capital into native enterprises, all tending to build up our country. The Catholic Church at Thunder Buy has 'een has been destroyed by fire. It cost \$6,000, and its windows were beautifully stained. Father Baxter was in the church, and heard a crackling sound: going out he looked up and saw flames issuing from the roof. Some of the sacred and most valuable articles were saved. The congregation will rebuild immediately. A storeliouse belonging to a contractor on section B, C P R, worth \$10,000 has also been completely destroyed by fire. WANTED A girl to do general housework in a Cuatham, Feb. 28, '81.

### small family. Good references required. Apply at this office.

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