# Local News.

Dr. Brown and Fred B. Edgecombe returned from their western tour on Saturday evening.

The streets have a deserted appearance since the beginning of the "exodus" to St. John.

The Baptists of Penniac will hold a tea meeting on the 14th inst., in aid of the funds for their new church.

The Gibson Leather Company have a dinner at the Barker House to-morrow night to celebrate the anniversary of their origin as a corporation.

W. Wilson, Esq., M. W. G. M. of the L. O. A., is to pay an official visit to the lodges of the order in Queen's Co. during the present month.

The charge against G. L. Atherton for violation of the Canada Temperance Act was dismissed by the Police Magistrate, on Monday, not a tittle of evidence appearing.

The new Methodist Church at Lincoln is to be dedicated on the 24th inst., Revs. Messrs. Brewer, D. D. Currie and Evans taking part. Three services will be held during the day.

Mr. Bryson's Band have arranged to hold a series of quadrille assemblies in the Masonic Hall during the autumn and winter, the first to be given on the evening of the 14th inst.

A prominent member of the Reform Club Band took to himself a wife on Tuesday, and immediately departed for St. John to spend a few days. We wish his fair partner and himself success in life.

Of the amount of fines collected in the Police Court during the month of September $300 was from the violators of the Canada Temperance Act, and the balance of $44.65 for drunkeness and other minor offences.

Mr. Jennings, merchant tailor, has lately received important accession to his stock of cloths, and is prepared for a brisk autumn and winter trade. We can recommend him as an artist of rare skill and judgment.

The Equity Court, Judge Palmer presiding, disposed of a lot of business Tuesday, and adjourned that afternoon.

Members of the Bar speak with delight of the manner in which Mr. Palmer rushes cases through.

It will be seen from our City Council report, that Collector Woodward is as successful as usual in the collection of Miscellaneous Licenses; $229 having been raised in that way during September. That sum is more than half the amount collected formerly for a whole year.

Mr. J. F. McMurray, of McMurray & Fenety, left this morning for New York on a business trip. We understand that before his return he will make arrangement for the establishment of a book bindery in connection with the large and increasing book and stationery business done by the firm.

We have much pleasure in calling attention to Mr. Stanger's advertisement in another column. "The Imperial House" is an establishment of long standing and excellent reputation. The late arrival of goods there are worthy of inspection. Mr. Stanger gives an excellent fit and at a reasonable price.

Mr. C. Champigny, formerly cutter at P. McPeake's, has opened up business for himself in the shop next door to Mrs. Cameron's millinery establishment. He has a full line of seasonable goods, and with his excellent knowledge of the tailoring business must succeed. We hope he may receive a good share of patronage.

The liberal arrangements made by the Fredericton Railway for the accommodation of people going to the Exhibition and the extremely cheap fares have almost entirely drained this city of its inhabitants. Yesterday and to-day return tickets were issued to St. John for one dollar, and large numbers of people took advantage of the offer.

It is said that policemen Roberts and Kingston will resign on account of the City Council not finding them with clothes in addition to $1 per day which the policemen allege was the agreement with Aldermen Wilson, chairman of the Police Committee. Mr. Wilson on the other hand asserts emphatically that no such promise was made by him.

We observe by the Moncton *Times* that Mr. L. B. Tweedie, formerly a student at law in Fisher & Fisher's office here, distinguished himself one evening last week in club swinging at an entertainment given by the Intercolonial Division S. of T., of which he is an active and zealous member. He is finishing his legal studies in the office of Boardman & Atkinson.

Mr. D. J. Stockford met with quite a serious accident at the Pembroke, Maine, Driving Park last week. He was driving "Tom Hackett" in a race when a team coming in the opposite direction collided with him and his antagonist, breaking the latter's leg in two places, and his buggy into splinters and also wrecking Stockford's gig badly and slightly injuring his horse.

For the Public.—We are now in a position to offer the Maritime Farmer as the best advertising medium in the city, it having a larger circulation than all other local papers combined, which we are prepared to prove. Our circulation is among the very best class of people throughout the country—the progressive and intelligent agriculturists of the Province, who are the solid customers of business men. The scale of prices is most reasonable, and we can satisfy those who advertise with us.

The County Court opened on Tuesday with quite a large attendance. Judge Steadman presiding. Three criminal cases were presented to the Grand Jury:—

The Queen *vs.* Franklin Carr; for assault on Timothy Murphy.

The Queen *vs.* Jas. Smith; larceny of a watch from Mr. Coburn, at Harvey.

The Queen *vs.* Hugh O'Neill, Jr., for assault on Mrs. B. O'Neill.

The indictments against Carr and O'Neill were dismissed, and a true bill was found against Smith.

The civil docket is as follows:—

The Queen *vs.* Close; Fraser, Wetmore, & Winslow.

Mackey *vs.* Currie; Beckwith & Jordan for plff; Wilson & Quinn for deft.

Jordan *vs.* Paisley; Beckwith & Jordan.

Clark *vs.* Overseers of the Poor, Northfield, Sunbury Co.; Beckwith & Jordan.

No causes were taken up on Tuesday, and the Court adjourned till the 28th inst. Judge, barristers, jurors, clients, and all having taken the Exhibition fever.

Lieut. Elliot, of the 7th Fusiliers, Toronto, while at practice with an Enfield rifle, made 99 points out of a possible 105, at 200, 400, and 500 yards; wind variable.

Many years ago the Georgia Legislature put a tax of $10 on "all jackasses, lawyers, and doctors." It was originally only intended to apply to the first, but was finally imposed on the two latter also, in order to tickle the grim humour of an old planter who held the casting vote in the Assembly.

One of the features of Eastern fairs this fall is an exhibit car containing "Products of the Golden Northwest," furnished by the Northern Pacific Railway Company. In the collection are specimens of the agricultural productions of the country traversed by the road, stereoscopic views of scenery, native woods, and other objects likely to interest intending settlers. The car is run from fair to fair, and the exhibit is calculated to make a powerful impression.

France sent 350,293 soldiers to the Crimean war, of whom 10,240 were killed in battle and 85,375 died from other causes. The British contingent numbered 97,864 men, of whom but 4,602 were killed or died from wounds, while 17,580 expired in the hospitals from disease. Peidmont sent but 12,000 men to the Crimea, and lost only 28 men in battle and 2,166 in hospital. The Turks lost 35,000 men from all causes, and the Russians 650,000. The contest cost the allies $793,733,837, and Russia $800,000,000.

"Facts are stubborn things," and it is a fact that *Adamson's Botanic Balsam* has performed more genuine and permanent cures than any Cough remedy on this or any other continent. Try it for 10 cts. Regular size, 35 and 75 cts.

## City Council Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday night, His Worship the Mayor presiding over a full board of Aldermen. The monthly accounts were first taken up and passed, as follows:

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| Roads and Streets | $209 22 |
| Contingent | 19 26 |
| City Hall | 88 70 |
| Public Works | 205 73 |
| Administration of Justice | 13 30 |
| Fire Department | 3 00 |
| Wharves | 1 35 |
| Total | $540 56 |

The return of miscellaneous licenses collected for September, showed the amount to be $229, less commission of collector, $171.75.

The fines, etc., collected by the Police Magistrate for the same period amounted to $344.65 A communication was read from T. L. Simmons, Tax Collector, informing the Council that he, with the City Treasurer, had been sued in the County Court by one Pond, whose goods had been taken in execution for taxes due by the Somerville Estate. The City Clerk, on motion, was authorized to defend the Treasurer.

Ald. Gunter submitted a proposal from D. F. George, to lease the Dowling wharf for a term of years at an annual rental of $25. The City Clerk was ordered to inquire who the present holder of the lease is, with a view to compel him to put the wharf in proper repair.

Ald. Guiou submitted the report of the committee appointed to revise the assessment rolls of 1877, 1878 and 1879, recommending that the following sums be struck off for those years: 1877, $681.70; 1878, $1063.67; 1879, $877.30 Report adopted.

On motion of Ald. Moore, Thos. Morris and David B. Barker were appointed auditors of the school accounts.

Ald. Macpherson submitted a report from the Alms House Committee, in which they announced that the contract for the new building had been given to Thomas A. Barker, the lowest tenderer, for $374, and that John Hodge had been appointed inspector, at a salary of $25. Report adopted, Ald. Gunter and Guiou dissenting.

On motion of Ald. Wilson, the pay of the night police was fixed at $1 per day to date from appointment.

The subjoined balance sheet was then submitted by the Treasurer:

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| Schools | | $859 57 |
| Support of Poor | | 544 01 |
| Roads and Streets | | 575 36 |
| Fire Department | $137 76 | |
| Administration of Justice | 30 89 | |
| Public Works | | 857 51 |
| Street Lamps | 278 45 | |
| Debentures— | | |
| Steam Fire Engine | | 20 34 |
| Funded Debt | | 231 00 |
| Railway Subsidy | | 913 11 |
| St. John Relief | | 253 15 |
| Exhibition Building | | 135 30 |
| City Hall | 46 33 | |
| Geo. E. Fenety | | 1,471 44 |
| City Hall Clock Acct. | 1,711 44 | |
| Ordinary Revenue | | 1,870 87 |
| Cash on hand | 5,526 79 | |
| Total | $7,731 66 | $7,731 66 |

UNPAID CHEQUES.

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| Roads and Streets | $128 46 |
| Fire Department | 37 75 |
| Contingent Account | 46 33 |
| Administration of Justice | 9 30 |
| Public Works | 18 60 |
| City Hall | 4 25 |
| | $244 69 |

Ald. Moore submitted petition of W. R. Logan, asking relief from taxes. Referred to assessment appeal committee.

On motion of Ald. Wilson, $500 was ordered to be transferred from the Ordinary Revenue Account to the Fire Department.

Cheques for the City Marshall's, policemens' and teamster's pay were passed, and a few other minor matters were disposed of and the Council adjourned.

There were several "scenes" during the session, but we forbear particularizing.

Tricket has just issued his "colours" a handkerchief with a blue border and an Australian flag in the centre. He has shipped 400 off to Australia. He fancies his friends there will rally round him. These colours are disposed of for twenty-one shillings each, but are taken on the principle, "no win, no pay." Any person of respectability can obtain one, and if the issuer of the handkerchief wins, he expects one guinea for each. If he loses, he has to abide by the loss of the cost of the trophies.

A man at Antwerp, Michigan, thought he discovered a way to throw his sister-in-law out of his house, without committing what the law would regard as an assault. This was to take up the chair in which she sat and dump it out through a window, including its occupant. He had a legal right, according to his theory, to do what he pleased with his own furniture. He executed this plan with violence. Though he was careful not to touch the woman, she was badly hurt by the fall. A justice disregarded his argument, and fined him $25.

The champion jack-of-all-trades belongs to England, and lives near Chichester. He has served as seaman in the four quarters of the globe, and acted as steward, sailmaker, cook, mate, and navigator. He now hangs out his sign as "Prof. Pullinger, contractor, inventor, fisherman, builder, carpenter, joiner, sawyer, undertaker, turner, cooper, painter, glazier, sign painter, wooden pumpmaker, paper hanger, bell hanger, boat builder, clock cleaner, locksmith, umbrella repairer, china and glass mender, net-knitter, wire-worker, grocer, baker, farmer, taxidermist, copying clerk, letter writer, accountant, surveyor, engineer, land measurer, house agent, vestry clerk, assistant overseer, clerk to the Selsay Sparrow Club, clerk of the Selsay police, assessor and collector of land tax and property and income tax, and collector of church and highway rates."

It seems probable that the proposed channel tunnel between England and France will be built. One shaft has been sunk to the required depth, and it is asserted that in about 18 months at least two and a half miles will have been bored under the channel, and that the work will be completed in four years, probably by boring from each end. There are evidently, however, contingencies, such as a break in the rock, which may destroy the whole enterprise. Meantime another bold scheme for crossing the channel contemplates a line of steel tubes 16 feet in diameter, ballasted so as to make it weigh $1\frac{1}{4}$ tons to the foot less than the water displaced, and held at a depth of 35 feet below the surface (so as not to impede navigation) by being anchored by chains to caissons sunk to the bottom. Through this floating tunnel of 20 miles or so it is proposed that railway trains shall pass.

## The American People.

No people in the world suffer as much with Dyspepsia as Americans. Although years of experience in medicine had failed to accomplish a certain and sure remedy for this disease and its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Liver Complaint, coming up of the food, low spirits, general debility, etc., yet since the introduction of Green's August Flower we believe there is no case of Dyspepsia that cannot be immediately relieved. 50,000 dozen sold last year without one case of failure reported. Go to your Druggist and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. Regular size 75 cents.

## Feels young Again.

"My mother was afflicted a long time with Neuralgia and a dull, heavy inactive condition of the whole system; headache, nervous prostration, and was almost helpless. No physicians or medicines did her any good. Three months ago she began to use Hop Bitters, with such good effect that she seems and feels young again, although over 70 years old. We think there is no other medicine fit to use in the family."—A lady, in Providence, R. I.

Coughs.—"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are used with advantage to alleviate Coughs, Sore Throat, Hoarseness and Bronchial Affections. For thirty years these Troches have been in use, with annually increasing favor. They are now new and untried, but, having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age.

## Fredericton Exhibits.

We append the names of the exhibitors from Fredericton, taken from the alphabetically arranged list given by the St. John *Sun*, which we suppose is quite full and correct. Fredericton might have, and ought to have, made a much larger show, though the show it does make is very good. Fredericton is "facile princeps" in horticultural exhibits, and is strong in agricultural implements. We are sorry that the Gibson Leather Company did not see their way to make a show; if they had, Fredericton would have led the Province in leather; but the display made by the Fredericton Leather Company is the finest of the kind in the Exhibition. Perhaps no single exhibit will attract more notice than that made by Mr. Devereux. Koptographic pictures are a perfect novelty. In the fine art and ladies' fancy work department, Fredericton makes its mark.

James Berry—collections of Pansies, German Asters, 10 weeks Stocks, Coxcombs, and Sweet Herbs: Sage; Summer Savory; Thyme; Sweet Marjoram; Parsley; Wormwood; Hyssop; Potatoes—Snowflake, Early Rose; Squash—Marrow, Hubbard, Mammoth, Acorn, Turban, English Vegetable Cream Marrow; assortment of Cucumbers; Melons—Musk, Citron; Onions—Danvers, Potatoe and other varieties; Pumpkins; White Celery; Salsify; Cabbage—Summer and Late; Cauliflower; Peppers; Tomatoes Red Yellow; Bush Beans; Capsicums; Common and Sweet Corn; Grapes—Black and Early Concord; sweepstakes—assortment of garden produce; Turnips—Green Top Swede, Purple Top Swede, and other kinds; Carrots—Early Horn, Intermediate, Altringham, and Belgian; Parsnips; Beets—Long Blood, Turnip, and Sugar Beets.

John Bebbington—Pansies; Hybrid Perpetual Roses; 10 weeks Stocks; Bourbon and Tea Roses; Verbenas; Geraniums; Perpetual Stock; Hollyhock; Bedding Plants; Ferns; Bouquets for table and hand; Floral Ornament; display of plants in bloom, distinct from all other entries; fine foliage plants, variegated.

Miss Mary Biggs—Specimen of Berlin Work, Fire Screen.

Henry F. Blair—Patent Section Knife Grinder for Mowing and Reaping Machines, called "Cameron's improvements in Grindstones."

Geo. F. Burns & Co.—Canned Tomatoes; Canned Pork and Beans.

S. K. Devereaux—Kotopographic pictures and designs; two Ladies' Workboxes; one Jewelry stand.

Fredericton Leather Co.—6 sides Hemlock Sole Leather; 6 sides Pebble Grain Leather; 12 sides Split Leather; 6 sides Enameled Leather; 6 sides Patent Leather; 6 Calf Skins, satin finish waxed and hemlock tanned; 6 Calf Skins, waxed and sweet fern tanned; 6 Ladies' Oil Pebble do.; 6 patent Calf Skins; 6 Enamel Calf Skins; 12 colored Sheepskin Mats.

Annie M. Hartt—Satin Sofa Cushion and Chair Tidy.

Mrs. F. J. Inches—In domestic manufactures, assortment of knit goods; machine knit Cotton Socks, Ladies' Woolen Hose, Ladies' Cotton Hose; Woollen Gloves, 3 pairs; specimen Darned Netting; Fancy Knitting; work on linen; Point Lace; Honiton Lace; Mexican work; Bead work; knit Garibaldi, greatest variety; specimen Roman embroidery; knit Skirt.

J. L. Inches—grade Heifer under 1 year.

L. A. W. Jouett—grade Jersey and Short Horns.

Johnston & Co.—1 Mower, 1 Reaper, 1 Cultivator, 1 Horse Hay Rake, 1 Harrow, 1 Threshing Machine, 1 Horse Hoe, 3 Ploughs, 1 Hay Press, 1 Seeder, 1 Turnip Drill, 1 Seed Cleaner, Sett iron stable fittings, by Tisdale & Son; 2 Cultivators and Horse Hoe combined, 1 Root Pulper and Slicer, and 1 Straw Cutter made by Jos. Fleury; Cultivator for Corn, made by G. M. Cossitt & Bro.

Ellen Kilner—Darned Netting; Machine made Shirts; Machine Knit Drawers, Sontags, Wollen Socks, Cotton Socks, Ladies Woollen Hose, Ladies' Cotton Hose, Woollen Childs Stockings, Childs Cotton Stockings, Child's Socks Woollen, Child's Socks Cotton; Mufflers, Silk Socks, Woollen Socks with welts, etc.

James Kilner—English Vegetable Squash, assortment of Cucumbers.

McFarlane, Thompson & Andersen—1 Seed Separator; 2 Mowers; 1 Reaper; 1 Steel Plough; 1 Cultivator; 1 Horse Hoe; 1 Hay Rake; 1 Band Saw; 1 Vertical Drill.

Mrs. J. A. Morrison—Fancy Knitting.

Alexander Mitchell—Carpet Stretcher.

S. I. Perley—4 pairs Cotton Socks, hand knit; 4 pairs Ladies' Wool, Hose hand knit; 4 pairs Ladies Cotton, Hose hand knit; Pincushion; Handworked and Glove Sachets in Cretonne Work; nine Illuminated Texts; Fine Arts Collection Illuminated Texts.

H. A. Perley—D'Oyley, Crochet in wool; Braided Apron; Point Lace, 2 pieces; Honton Lace Toilet Sett.

C. H. Perley—Knitted Tidy in wool; 2 Handkerchiefs, pair Cuffs in Muslin Embroidery; Frame Shell Work; Three Pencil Drawings, Amateur; 2 Brackets.

Mrs. Eli Perkins—Honiton Point Lace; Maltese Lace.

Henry J. Phair—4 Water Color Original Landscapes, by Amateur, New Brunswick Subject; Yellow Danver's Onions.

J. W. M. Ruel—Bbl. Mixed Pickles; bbl. Cucumber Pickles; bbl. Piccalilli; bbl. Tomato Ketchup; bbl. Onion Pickles; Snowflake Potatoes; Cucumbers; White Celery; Cabbage—Summer Late and Red; Cauliflower; Tomatoes; Peppers; Red and Yellow Tomatoes; Bush Beans; Capsicums; Common Corn; Sweet Corn, 3 varieties; Indian Corn; White Field Beans.

Alfred Ray,—Long Red and Yellow Globe Mangel Wurtzel; Sweedish Turnips; Early Horn and Long Orange Carrots; Parsnips; Long Blood Beets; Snowflake and Early Rose Potatoes; Marrow and Cream Squash; assortment Cucumbers; Musk and Citron Melons; Danver's Onions; White and Red Celery; Late Cabbage; Red and Yellow Tomatoes; Sage; Summer Savory; Sweet, Margoram; Wormwood; Hyssop; Parsley Perpetual and Tea Roses; Hybrid.

Miss Lizzie Richey,—Crochet Hood in wool, Crochet Tidy in cotton, Pin Cushion Cover of Darned Netting, Braid Work Pillow Sham; Scotch Needle Work.

Geo. W. Schleyer,—Show Case, 2 large framed groups and small frames with Photos.

Thos. Temple,—4 year old Bull; 3 year old Cow; 6 month Bull Calf; Ram over 3 shear; Fife Wheat; White Oats.

E. Miller—Side Bar Covered Buggy with moveable top; 1 Light Covered Buggy with the new patent adjustable top.

H. A. Cropley—Blank Book Bindings in full and half calf.

George Todd,—Twelve Ploughs of different patterns.

Mrs. T. B. Winslow,—Crewel Work.

It's the Height of Folly to neglect those premonitory symptoms of chronic ill health which develope themselves in the shape of debility, loss of appetite and sleep, in nervous sensations, dyspepsia, and an irregular state of the bowels. Remedy them by timely measures or dread the worst. Deal summarily with the minor ailment before the greater assails you. Among the resources of the pharmacopia there is no surer and safer one in cases of debility, nervousness and dyspepsia, than Quinine, provided the remedy is judiciously used. Decisive cures of the above ailments are constantly produced by small doses frequently repeated. These have the effect of increasing muscular power, improving the appetite, and aiding digestion. Northrop & Lyman' Quinine Wine is an excellent substitute for the ordinary drug, and possesses a flavor which renders it peculiarly acceptable. It contains nothing in the slightest degree injurious to the most delicate invalid. Sherry Wine and certain aromatics are combined with the principal ingredient, the whole forming a chemical preparation, harmonious in composition, pleasant in taste, thorough and prompt in action. Besides invigorating the system, aiding digestion and promoting regularity in the habit of body, it relieves depression of the mind, which is an almost nvariable forerunner of dyspepsia and nervous debility. It is extremely beneficial in cases of malarial fever and is a valuable safeguard against those maladies. When buying be particular to ask for the Quinine Wine prepared by Northrop & Lyman. Sold by all druggists.

In Germany and England birds are flying southward very early this year.

The best dentist in Kansas is a woman. She employs her husband as her assistant.

Boston has a bank in which the only eligible depositors are unmarried women. It is conducted in a secret and mysterious manner, doing no advertising and offering no substantial securities. Yet it does a large business, and is said to pay eight per cent. monthly interest upon deposit.

A Yorkshire man is now exhibiting himself in the skittle grounds of the "Bottle and Jug" at Islington, England, who has undertaken the wonderful feat of sitting up night and day for three weeks without sleep, and consuming regularly six meals a day—in the twenty hours—during the entire interval.

A London despatch of the 6th inst., says: The Government has determined to reinforce the troops in Ireland, in view of increasing turbulence among the people growing out of the land league agitation, but the Duke of Cambridge has notified the Government that no troops at present are available for service in Ireland on account of the demands of India.

One of the most thriving industries in New York city is the importation of Italian beggars, for which the market is quoted firm and advancing. The dexterity, insinuating address, and smooth mendacity of this particular brand of beggars have given them the call over all other kinds. If home industries are to be protected at all, there obviously is need of the amendment of the tariff. Italian beggars should stand a specific duty of $100 a head, an *ad valorem* tax being, for reasons unnecessary to mention, out of the question.

A writer in the Providence *Journal* predicts a useful future for the milkweed, which has heretofore been considered only a cumberer of the ground. Its seeds yield a finer oil than linseed; its gum can be used in place of India-rubber; and from its floss a fabric resembling Irish poplin has been made; while the young shoots are used in the spring by some people instead of asparagus, which they resemble in flavour. Now, pertinently adds the writer, if uses can be discovered for the thistle and whiteweed, they may prove friends in disguise.

At the recent French military ceremony at Longchamps, the foreign ambassadors were notified that they must alight at the gate, and walk to the pavillion, only the Presidents of the Republic, of the Senate, and the Chamber being allowed to drive all the way; and that furthurmore they must take their places on the left instead of the right of the Presidents, the right being reserved for the French Ministers. Prince Orloff meekly obeyed instructions; but Lord Lyons said, as the representative of his sovereign, he was entitled to different treatment, and he drove all the way to the pavillion, and took his place on the right side of President Grevy, and not on the left.

In consequence of the reckless and extravagant felling of timber that has prevailed throughout western Russia during the greater part of the present century, several of the streams feeding the Dnieper have become dried up, while others contribute so little water to the great river that its navigation has already suffered serious prejudice, and is, in some portions of its course, threatened with absolute interruption. Rocks and sandy islets in great number, forming sections of its bed, may now be seen, where a few years ago from twelve to fifteen feet of water had hid them from view. As the Dnieper traverses and largely contributes to the prosperity of no fewer than nine Russian provinces, or "governments," this falling off in its dimensions and capacities is in reality little short of a national calamity.

A correspondent sends the following somewhat incoherent account of a duel which was fought in his neighbourhood. Some way or other, we are half in the dark about the result of the duel in question, but we shall leave the decision to our readers: A duel was lately fought in Texas, by Alexander Shott and John S. Nott. Nott was shot, and Shott was not. In this case it is better to be Shott than Nott. There was a rumour that Nott was not shot, and Shott avows that he shot Nott, which proves either that the shot Shott shot at Nott was not shot, or that Nott was shot notwithstanding. Circumstantial evidence is not always good. It may be made to appear on trial that the shot Shott shot shot Nott, or, as accidents with fire-arms are frequent, it may be possible that the shot Shott shot shot Shott himself, when the whole affair would resolve itself into its original elements, and Shott would be shot, and Nott would be not.

The British trades unions, which have just held their annual session in Dublin, claim to have a total membership of upwards of 600,000. Of these the engineers furnish 45,000, the boiler-makers 20,000, the carpenters 30,000, railway employes 15,000, miners 50,000, weavers 24,000, moulders and ironworkers 28,000, tailors 13,000 and stone-masons 30,000. It is commented upon as a singular fact that, while these organizations flourish in England, they are able to make but little headway on this side of the Atlantic. The explanation seems to be two-fold. In the first place, wages as a rule have been so much better in America, and the conditions of life so much easier, that laborers have not had the same object for combination; and secondly, the mixtures of nationalities in the great industrial centres in the New World has not been conducive to harmony of action. It is probable that neither of these causes will operate so powerfully in the future as in the past.

The recovery by Lieut. Schwatka of the remains of Lieut. Irwin, one of the ill-fated members of the Franklin Arctic expedition, has given rise to the reiteration by Commander Cheyne of his charges against the government contractor who supplied the Erebus and Terror with canned provisions. The commander makes no bones whatever about saying what he means, and bluntly accuses the contractor in question of having murdered the members of Sir John Franklin's party. From his own experience when with Sir James Ross's party, from the experience of Captain Mor'e people on the expedition of 1848, and that of the Mediterraen fleet, Commander Cheyne is prepared to prove that the purveyor in question has habitually supplied Government vessels with offal and putrid meats, in the guise of canned beef and mutton, and he is now anxious that an inquest be held on the remains of Lieut. Irwin, and that the dishonest contractor should be brought to book.

Gilbert Frederick Grace, whose death was announced of inflammation of the lungs on the 22nd ult., was the third member of the wonderful Grace family to distinguish himself on the cricket field. He was born at Downend, near Bristol, on Dec. 13th, 1850, and his name has been connected with first-class cricket during the past eleven seasons. His best scores were:—213, 206, not out; 192, not out; 189, not out; 180, not out; 166, 165, not out; 147, not out; 134, 120, 112, and 103, making a total of 1,927 runs. His score of 213 was made on August 11th, 12th, 1876, the same days that his brother W. G. was playing at Canterbury his 344, the highest innings yet recorded in a first-class match. His innings of 166 was played with twenty-two in the field, and in playing 165, not out, he was opposed to the best bowling in England. He hit 180, not out, on August 26th, 27th, 1875, and thereby scored more runs than did the whole Surrey eleven with the bat in either innings. He was a splendid all-round exponent of the game; a fine, free bat, with plenty of hitting power; a splendid fast round-arm bowler; and one of the best fielders in England, being a sure catch, and a long and accurate thrower He had played in many of the great matches since 1870, and had formed one of the English eleven that visited Australia in 1873-74. His probably last appearance on the cricket-field was in the great match between England and Australia, on September 6th, 7th, and 8th, when he was twice retired without scoring.

## Cut it Out.

We beg to direct the attention of such of our subscribers who have not remitted their year's subscription, to the printed form of remittal, on the first page, with the hope, that they will immediately act on the request there given, and cut it out and fill it up, and send it back to us with the money. Attention to this will much oblige us.

A Cough, Cold, Catarrh or Sore Throat requires immediate attention, as neglect oftentimes results in some incurable Lung Disease. "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" will almost invariably give relief. Imitations are offered for sale, many of which are injurious. The genuine "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are sold *only in boxes.*

The Throat.—"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" act directly on the organs of the voice. They have an extraordinary effect in all disorders of the Throat and Larynx, restoring a healthy tone when relaxed, either from cold or over-exertion of the voice, and produce a clear and distinct enunciation. *Speakers and Singers* find the Troches useful.

The Common Expressions, "*I feel so dragged,*" "*My food don't digest,*" "*I do not feel fit for anything,*" which we so often hear during the *Spring and early Summer* months are conclusive evidence that the majority of people require at that season especially a *reliable* medicine that will *strengthen the organs of digestion*, stimulate the *circulation of the Blood*, and "tone up" the debilitated constitution.

Hanington's "Quinine Wine and Iron," taken according to directions, produces *buoyancy of spirits, vigor of mind* and gives *lasting* strength to the whole system. Price 50 cents per bottle—6 bottles for $2.50. All druggist sell it.

**Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!**

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it: there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. 25 cents a bottle. Beware of imitations.


NEW FALL GOODS AT LOGAN'S

5 Bales Grey Cotton,
1 Bale Fine American,
1 Case White Cottons,
1 Case Swansdown,
Plain Grey Flannels,
Fancy Shirting Flannels,
Grey Shaker Flannels,
Shaker White Flannels,
New Prints, in Bordered and Pompadour styles,
1 Case Linen Handk'fs, for Ladies and Gentlemen,
Ladies' Merino Uundervests,
Pompadour Buttons,
Ladies' Belts,
Boys' Belts,
Men's and Boys' Braces,
Brown Holland,
Linen Collars and Cuffs.

PARKS' COTTON WARPS,
in all colors, always on hand.

HOMESPUN, SOCKS and MITTS,
taken in exchange for goods.

☞ New Goods arriving every week!

THOS. LOGAN,
Opposite Normal School.

FOR SALE OR LEASE
For a term of Years.

THE Subscriber's property on Charlotte Street. The Lot is 100 ft. wide, fronting on Charlotte Street, and extends back about 550 ft., containing one acre and three-eights.
The House, Barn and Sheds are in good repair—Well of good Water, Green House 16x28 ft. with brick furnace and flue, easily and cheaply heated, and in good repair. The garden and grounds are in excellent order. To anyone wishing a private residence, with a taste for gardening and the cultivation of flowers, there are few more eligible properties in the City.
JAMES S. BEEK.
July 22.

Stoves and Stove Pipe.
JUST RECEIVED:
500 JOINTS Stove Pipe, 60 Elbows, 7 Cylinder Stoves, 8 Close Stoves.
For sale low by
JAMES S. NEILL.
Sept. 30—Rep.

FOR SALE!
THAT Property situate on Queen Street, at present occupied as a Barber and Hair Dressing Shop, owned by the late Hon. Charles Macpherson. Apply immediately to
FRASER, WETMORE & WINSLOW
September 9, 1880.—2in

TO LET.
SEVERAL OFFICES in the Brick Building in York Street, next adjoining the Corner of Queen Street.
J. L. INCHES.
Fredericton, Feb. 12, 1880

FOR SALE.
THAT Freehold Property situate on Charlotte Street, owned by the late Mrs. Thos. Davis. Terms easy. Apply to
WILSON & QUINN
September 9, 1880.

IMPORTANT To All Who Wear Clothes!

J. R. HOWIE
CALLS the attention of all who wear Clothes to his
SPRING IMPORTATION OF
CLOTHS,
Comprising the latest Novelties and Best Makes.
A FULL LINE OF
ENGLISH WORSTEDS,
in the latest patterns. A large variety of choice patterns of
SCOTCH TWEEDS.
A few very Choice Patterns in
FRENCH GOODS
A full line of
English & Canadian Tweeds
Always on hand a full line of the Best Quality of TRIMMINGS.
Employing a large staff of experienced workmen, I am prepared to fill orders promptly in the LATEST NEW YORK STYLE.
☞ Satisfaction guaranteed or no sale.
JAS. R. HOWIE,
*Merchant Tailor & Clothier,*
QUEEN STREET,
*NEXT DOOR TO BRAYLEY HOUSE.*
Fredericton, May 6, 1880.

CARRIAGE and SLEIGH FACTORY!
King St., - - Fredericton, N. B.
R. COLWELL, Proprietor.
CARRIAGES, WAGGONS,
SLEIGHS and PUNGS
*Built to order in the latest and most durable styles.*
MATERIAL and WORKMANSHIP of the BEST.
PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO
Painting, Trimming and Repairing Carriages, etc
ON HAND:
FOR FALL AND WINTER TRADE
A LARGE LOT OF
IVERS,
PIANO BOX,
TOP PHÆTONS,
WAGON CONCORDS,
GENERAL GRANDS,
AND A LARGE LOT OF
SLEIGHS AND PUNGS
TO BE SOLD CHEAP.
☞ *Terms to give satisfaction.* ☜
F'ton, Oct. 30, 1879.

First Premium
Provincial Exhibition, 1878.
REED & REED
WOULD respectfully call the attention of the GOOD HOUSEWIFE to the superior quality of their
BROOMS & WISPS.
They manufacture an article not excelled by any in the market, either domestic or imported.
MERCHANTS near the upper St. John will find it especially advantageous to deal with them. All orders promptly filled, and satisfaction guaranteed.
REED & REED
Fredericton, April 25th 1879.

WANTED.
300 lbs.
BEES WAX,
for which the highest market price will be paid.
DAVIS, STAPLES & CO.
Fredericton, September 16.

BEES WAX WANTED.
500 lbs. Bees Wax.
Cash, and the highest market price paid, at
GEO. H. DAVIS'
Cor. Queen and Regent Streets,
F'ton, Sep. 23.

CLOCKS. CLOCKS.
JUST RECEIVED:
A LARGE LOT of the BEST AMERICAN CLOCKS, in Carved and Plain Black Walnut Cases, suitable for Parlor, Dining Room, Hall, Kitchen, School Room, etc.
Call and examine at
S. F. SHUTE'S,
*Sharkey's Block.*
F'ton, Sept. 15.

YORK COUNTY ELECTIONS
THE ANNUAL ELECTION of County Councillors for "The Municipality of York" will be holden on the THIRD TUESDAY IN OCTOBER next (19th).
HENRY B. RAINSFORD, Jr.,
*Secretary-Treasurer.*
September 16th, 1880—Rep.

TEAS. TEAS.
*New Seasons Tea of 1880, just received via Anglia, from London:*
75 HALF-CHESTS very choice new Teas—Oolong, Congo and Young Hyson—for sale Wholesale and Retail at very low prices.
GEO. HATT & SONS'
Sept. 23.

SILVER PLATED WARE
4 CASES JUST OPENED. All new and elegant designs, suitable for Wedding and Birthday Presents, at
S. F. SHUTE'S,
*Sharkey's Block, Queen St.*
F'ton, Sept. 16.

TO LET.
THE BRICK HOUSE and premises occupied by Benjamin Atherton, situate on King Street, opposite the Methodist Meeting House. Possession given the first of May.
RAINSFORD & BLACK.
March 30, 1880

Horse Shoes and Nails from Montreal
35 KEGS HORSE SHOES, 100 boxes Horse Nails.
For sale low by
JAMES S. NEILL.
Sept. 23—Rep.

THIS PAPER MAY BE FOUND ON FILE AT GEO. P. ROWELL & CO'S Newspaper Advertising Bureau (10 SPRUCE STREET), WHERE ADVERTISING CONTRACTS may be made for it in NEW YORK.

D. McCATHERIN,
GENERAL AGENT FOR
NEW BRUNSWICK,
FOR THE
QUEEN
OF ALL
SEWING MACHINES,
THE
"RAYMOND!"

☞ Needles, Fine Oil, and repairs for all Machines kept on hand. Old Machines exchanged or refitted.
Come to Phœnix Square and read the sign
D. McCATHERIN.
Fredericton, Oct. 30, 1879

GOLDEN FLEECE.
Spring, 1880.
Just opened:
☞ 22 ☜
BALES AND CASES
NEW
WALL PAPERS!
IN
Tints, Gilts, Marbles, Oaks and Common.
*A few Patterns of handsome*
GILT DADOS.
NEW CARPETS
in all the Latest colorings and designs.
Tapestry Carpets from 55 cents to $1.00 per yard.
Brussels Carpets from 90 cents to $1.50 per yard.
JOHN M'DONALD
Fredericton, April 1, 1880

LUMBER.
The subscriber begs to announce to the public that he has always on hand and for sale a good and varied stock of SPRUCE, PINE, AND HEMLOCK LUMBER, consisting of Dry Pine Plank, $1\frac{1}{4}$, 1, 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 Cedar Shingles of every quality; together with a stock of 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.
☞ *CEDAR SHINGLE STOCK WANTED, by the cord or otherwise.*
R. A. E.
Fredericton, Dec. 4, 1879.

HOOKS, SICKLES,
CUTLERY, &c.
AUGUST 2.
WE have received the following ENGLISH GOODS by late Steamers:
1 Case POCKET KNIVES;
1 Cask Reaping Hooks and Sickles.
4 CASKS CONTAINING
Padlocks, Fry Pans, Gal'd Basins, Buckles;
Carriage Lamps, Plated Ware;
Table mats, Coffin Cord, Heel Plates;
Iron Wire Cloth, Cornice Hooks and Slides;
Emery, Spectales, Fishing Reels;
Hooks and Lines, Military Caps;
Chesterman's Tape Lines, etc., etc.
6 Casks Cable Chain,
$\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ inch.
1 Case Plated Forks and Spoons.
1 Case DRESSING and FINE COMBS
*from Glasgow.*
Also, by Rail and Steamer:
5 Bbls. PALE SEAL OIL,
2 Cases DROP HANDLES for Drawers,
1 Carload TARRED SHEATHING PAPER.
*New Goods daily received.*
CLARKE, KERR & THORNE,
Wholesale Hardware,
St. John, N. B., August 5.

NOTICE.
ALL persons having any legal claims against the Estate of JOSEPH McLAUGHLIN, late of the Parish of Douglas, in the County of York, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months, to WILSON & QUINN, Barristers, Fredericton, or to the undersigned; and all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to the above or the undersigned.
JAMES JOHNSTON,
*Sole Executor.*
Fredericton, September 9th, 1880.

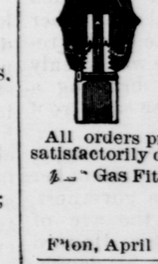
PIANOS AND ORGANS
Tuned and Repaired.
E. CADWALLADER
SUNBURY STREET
Dec. 11—52. (between Charlotte and George Sts).

GREAT TRADE SALE
EDGECOMBE & SONS
HAVE ON HAND, and offer for sale
UNTIL NOVEMBER 15
at prices much below regular rates, and which must insure prompt sales, the following stock warranted first-class in every respect:—
5 Concord Carriages;
4 Piano Box Carriages;
3 Top Buggies;
2 Single and Double Phaetons with Shifting Tops;
3 Jump Seat Carriages;
4 Portland Fancies;
5 Express Wagons, single and Double;
13 Farm Wagons, with from 1 1-2 to 2 inche axles;
3 Slovens.
☞ Contracts will be made for any description of vehicles in large numbers, at favorable rates. Our facilities enable us to produce the best work in the shortest possible time.
Send for circulars and prices, with especially favorable terms.
EDGECOMBE & SONS,
Fredericton Steam Carriage Work
Fredericton, October 11, 1878.

CANNED BEANS
Having added to my establishment, on King Street, appliances for
PREPARING AND CANNING BEANS
I am prepared to furnish as good an article as can be imported, and at a much lower figure.
GEO. J. BURNS.
Fredericton, Nov. 27 1879. 26

PRACTICAL PLUMBING.
AND
GAS FITTING!
ESTABLISHMENT.
THIS establishment now having two thoroughly PRACTICAL PLUMBERS and GAS FITTERS in their employ, are prepared to attend to all work entrusted to them in a thorough workmanlike manner.
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.
A variety of GLOBES and PATENT GAS BURNERS for sale cheap.
GAS, STEAM and HOT WATER FITTINGS, always in stock.
Orders for Tin Roofing promptly attended to. Tinsmiths Work of every discription, and of the best material manufactured to order on the premises at shortest notice.
☞ Prices to suit the times. ☜
J. & J. O'BRIEN,
*Queen treet, Fredericton, N. B.*
F'ton, Aug. 10, 1878.

GAS FITTING,
Plumbing, &c.
THE subscriber keeps on hand a large assortment of
TINWARE.
of every description, and made to order
He has engaged the services of Mr. ILLIAM REID, who is thoroughly acquainted with Gas Fitting, Plumbing, well Boring, and putting in Pumps.



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FOR
ELLIS'
Patent Burner
He makes it a specialty to regulate the above when putting them up.
All orders promptly attended to, and work satisfactorily done.
☞ Gas Fittings always in stock.
A. LIMERICK,
York Street.
F'ton, April 20, 1878.

Waverly House,
*REGENT STREET,*
FREDERICTON, N. B.
J. B. GRIEVES, Proprietor.
☞ Convenient to Public Offices, Free Market, and Steamboat Landing. Terms moderate. Stabling and yard accommodation of the very best.

SEELY & McMILLAN,
BARRISTERS, &c.,
SANDS' BUILDING, 77 PRINCE WM. ST.
St. John, N. B.
*(Opposite Messrs. Barnes & Co.)*
GEO. B. SEELY, T. H. McMILLAN.
St. John, May 6, 1880.

SHOP TO LET.
THAT SHOP situated on Queen Street, at present in the occupation of C. STERLING BRANNEN, Esq.
Apply to
FRASER, WETMORE & WINSLOW.
Fredericton, April 15.

Rope, Axes and Lanterns.
JUST RECEIVED:
25 COILS ROPE, 20 dozen Axes, 12 dozen Barn Lanterns.
For sale low by
JAMES S. NEILL.
Sept. 23.

ECONOMY SHAD.
JUST RECEIVED: a lot of No. 1 Mess Shad, in half barrels.
GEO. HATT & SONS.
Sept. 23.

MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE security in Carleton or Sunbury Counties. Apply to
FRASER, WETMORE & WINSLOW.
April 29 1880.