On the Wings of the Freshet.

FROM WOODSTOCK TO FREDERICTON BY BOAT.

Effects of the Flood along the River.

"All aboad for down river! Haul in those planks, haul in, haul in! (Whang, whang.) Look sharp there, we can't stay here all day! Hi, you boy with the straw hat, cast off that warp will you! Lively now, lively!" It is Captain Duncan whose voice thus rises above the din of the revolving wheels, hissing steam, bellowing cattle, and the shouts of parting friends. Captain Duncan, the tall, straight, broad-shouldered master of the steamer Florenceville, which vessel is drawing away from the bank at Woodstock, (for alas! wharf or warehouse there is none,) and backing out into the rushing, yellow torrent, that has of late usurped the once peaceful bed of the noble St. John. From which Woodstock aforesaid with its kind-hearted people, its many fine private dwellings, its streets busy with commerce, its maidens beautiful but shy, its horses speedy and spirited, its hotels fortified with iron-clad beef-steak and

SUPPLIED WITH FISH-BALL GATLINGS,

"to repel boarders," we part with violent, but vain regret. Out we go into the raging current, amid the clanging of the signal gong, the rush of steam from the pipes, and the laughter of girls on the bank at the tragic farewell of the bald-headed drummer on the bow. The big wheel astern churns the water into soapsuds, then the rudder is placed hard-aport by "Jo." Winslow, the veteran pilot who has made the river his home for half a century, and like an arrow we go speeding down the boiling flood.

The boat has about fifty passengers on board, and is loaded down with freight, consisting chiefly of cattle, horses, wagons, grain and general supplies for the farmers down-river. The sun is shining brightly and a stiff nor-wester is beginning to ruffle the water. Among the passengers are, a judge of the Supreme Court, an M. P. P., two lawyers, a hardware merchant, three mill proprietors, three drummers, a gentlemen farmer, who owns the finest herd of Jerseys in the Province, several produce purchasers from Fredericton and Woodsteck, a quartette of blushing school-ma'ams, and a crew of stalwart stream drivers *en route* for the scene of operations.

Of course the chief topic of consideration is the freshet, which, however, has not caused anything like the amount of damage on this section of the river, as in the lowlands of Sheffield and Maugerville. As the boat passes down the river, we have an excellent opportunity of observing

THE EFFECTS OF THE FLOOD.

At Woodstock, Drysdales' sash and door factory has shut down for some days, and many of the adjacent dwellings are badly flooded. Last week the warehouse of the Peoples' Line was washed away, and we passed the wreck lying on the northern side of Bear Island. The water works machinery at Woodstock, which was shut down for two days last week, is now in operation, the water having receded sufficiently to allow the fires to be lighted. At and below Grafton, (opposite Woodstock) the highway road is impassable and the same is true of the bridge at that point. Three bridges on the main road in this vicinity are destroyed. Every Island between Woodstock and Fredericton is under water, and over most of them the boat could sail without difficulty. Engineer Johnston informed your reporter that he believed the report in some of the papers that 17 barns had been washed away, to be incorrect. Captain Duncan shares in this belief and cannot account for more than six or eight that have been thus destroyed.

Along the river on both sides are to be seen many trees levelled or displaced by the force of the flood. Many trees also show the effects of the ice jam at various points, more particularly on the Islands in the parish of Prince William. Mr. Richard Estey of Fredericton, who was on board, stated that the chief injury occasioned by the freshet on the upper part of the river

WOULD FALL UPON THE LUMBERMEN

who had already lost a great many logs and will have to drive the lumber down the streams after the water begins to fall. He said that 17,000,000 feet of logs had been carried away by the freshet, 14,500,000 comprising the drives of Stevens and MacIntosh & Kilburn at Seven Islands above Fort Kent, and the remaining 2,500,000 being Nixon's drive at the Aroostook Falls. These logs have been scattered over a vast area. Most of them have been caught down about the Reach, and he thought about half a million had gone out to sea. The Sterling & Mitchell booms below Fredericton, Mr. Estey stated, have been placed in position but none of the Douglas booms have yet been strung. Four and a half millions have been cut on the Keswick this winter, none of which is down yet. All the saw mills along the river are shut down. That of Hill & Berry at Pokiok will resume work on Monday. The freshet in the Pokiok stream by the way is the highest ever experienced there, and for several days last week fears were entertained that the lumber in the booms would break away. The bridges at Eel River, Long's Creek and the Macnaquac have

STOOD THE FRESHET WELL

and sustained only slight damages. That at McNally's is partly carried away and the entire structure submerged. We passed two horse ferries neither of which could be operated owing to the strength of the current.

The consensus of opinion among old residents is that the freshet in 1854 at Woodstock and other points upriver was a foot or two higher than the present one, but that at Fredericton and other points lower down river the water this year is a foot or more higher than its old competitor. As we sped at railroad speed down the Meductic Falls, (which by the way are scarcely recognizable as falls now,) the water rushing through them in a solid body without any visible break in the descent), Richard Bellamy, M. P. P., remarked that in 1854 six steamers remained at the foot of the falls several days from inability to face the current. The Florenceville is, however, the best and fastest boat that ever ran on the Fredericton-Woodstock route and nobly overcomes the pressure She was built at Fredericton in 1878, went on the route the following year and is apparently in as good a condition as the day she was launched,

CAPT. DUNCAN IS DESERVEDLY POPULAR

with the travelling public as well as the river residents. Without doubt the boat would be the best paying property on the river were it not for the shortness of the season during which the water is high enough to allow her to run. A longer season than usual is expected this year. The engines of the steamer were manufactured by James Harris & Co., St. John, and have proved well adapted for the service. Engineer Johnston keeps them looking as bright as a new shilling. An amusing incident occurred at Eel River. A native had brought down a yoke of steers for the boat but had neglected to secure them. The festive bovines naturally objected to walk the plank and made for the hilltops at a rattling gait. For half an hour one judge of the supreme court, two lawyers, one hardware merchant, one gentleman farmer, three drummers, one court stenographer, and a dozen log-drivers, besides the captain and entire crew of the boat, armed with ropes, slabs, fence-rails, poles and bludgeons endeavored without avail to capture the wayward

CANDIDATES FOR THE BEEFERY.

The hardware merchant wielded a large board, and frantically bombarded the rear of the fugitives. Despite the assistance of the natives the animals escaped the lasso, and at last accounts were heading for the back districts at a record-breaking clip. The judge and the stenographer were the only happy men among the vanguished group, each having added ten miles to his mileage claim, payment of which the Government will hardly be able to "steer" clear of.

At Southampton a family named Hamilton boarded the boat with all their house and farm effects. They were removing to the farm recently vacated by Jacob Lounsbury at Prince William, the latter gentleman having gone into the hotel business at Fredericton. As we neared the Meductic rapids, we passed the Southampton (front) public hall which was on fire, and almost burnt to the ground. The incident derived an additional interest from the fact that Messrs. Temple and Gregory both stood at the poll in this building at the last election.

After making about two dozen stops, we reached Fredericton at 3 o'clock, a trifle over six hours from Woodstock. Those who have never seen our beautiful river in all the wealth of its vernal beauty, and there are many such among our population, should patronize the Florenceville. They will find the boat manned by obliging officers, (including a very efficient caterer) and supplied with everything necessary to the full enjoyment of the trip.

Fredericton, May 14. R.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

With this issue of the FARMER, we commence sending out our annual statement of account with subscribers. A prompt remittance of the amount due will be considered a favor. The sum due from each subscriber is small, but the aggregate will greatly assist us in making the FARMER a continued welcome visitor to the family circle.

Remittances may be made either by registered letter or post office order.

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Fredericton, N. B.

Town and Country.

The flood is a thing of the past.

The Gas Works are running again.

Tuesday will be the Queen's birthday.

☞ Try Rex Flour, it makes white bread.

Everybody liked the minstrel show Monday night.

Hon. A. G. Blair arrived home from Ottawa, Friday.

Mayor Fenety's jubilee tree planting has been commenced.

THE MOST EXQUISITE handkerchief perfume—"Lotus of the Nile."

Mr. F. W. Brown is building a shingle mill above Grand Falls bridge.

Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley are the guests of Sir John A. Macdonald at Ottawa.

☞ You will find by calling on Dr. McAllister that his low rates still continue.

Railway communication in every direction, interfered with by the floods, has been restored.

FOR BRONCHITIS and Asthma, try Allen's Lung Balsam; the best cough prescription known.

Thos. O'Leary's unoccupied house and barns at New Maryland, were burned Thursday morning.

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Rev. J. E. Fillmore, Baptist, has resigned his charge in Queensbury, owing his wife's ill-health.

The new Driving Park will be opened July 1st. Mr. Robt. Belyea has the contract for its completion.

Mike McLaughlin, this season, is captaining the Dover, N. H., baseball nine. He plays short stop.

Ald. Smith rendered the ministrels valiant aid lighting up the City Hall Monday night, with kerosene lamps.

A musical and literary entertainment is to be given by the Normal School Student teachers, Friday afternoon.

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The firemen have received the material for their new uniforms, which will be of a handsome and striking pattern.

Rev. Thos. W. Saunders, Baptist clergyman, died at his home in Prince William on the 8th inst., aged 85 years.

Mr. G. Fred. Fisher and daughter, and Mr. William Anderson of the N. B. Foundry, and Mrs. Anderson, have gone to Europe.

Mr. W. M. Botsford, formerly of the Maritime Bank, has been appointed to a position in the Merchants' Bank at Halifax.

Messrs. Blair & Barry are the solicitors for the Bank of B. N. A., and the Central Railway Co., positions held by the late firm of Gregory & Blair.

The address to the Queen passed by the Local Legislature has been very handsomely engrossed by Mr. A. G, Beckwith C. E. of the public works department.

A lad named Jones, who lives on St. John Street, has been sentenced to three months jail, for stealing from his mother. A reformatory is a necessity in such a case.

The Senate of U. N. B., having decided unanimously that residency will be abolished after this academic year, attention is directed to the advertisement of J. S. Withrow, Steward.

☞ The Christian Scientists Miss Whitlock and Miss Balkam, have moved into their office in Wetmore's building, corner of Phœnix square and Campbell street. Their office hours are from 9 A. M. to 12 and from 2 to 6 P. M.

Mr. Edwards of the "Queen," this morning bought the first salmon caught in this section of the St. John river this season. It was taken by Mr. Lunt of Crock's Point at the Short Ferry, weighed eleven lbs. and cost 25 cents per lb,

A "mother goose entertainment" is to be given in the City Hall on the evening of the 24th inst., in aid of the Victoria Hospital funds. The affair is in the hands of Mrs. J. H. F. Randolph and the entertainment will doubtless be very enjoyable.

Miss Marion Risteen daughter of Mr, J. C. Risteen is filling the position of stenographic writer for Messrs. J. A. & W. Vanwart barristers. She is a correct and rapid writer and furnishes one of the first examples in New Brunswick, of the employment of a lady as a stenographer.

The mission girls of the Church of England are to give an entertainment in the City Hall on the 25th inst., in aid of the new church being erected at Ludlow, in which the Bishop Coadjutor is deeply interested. Miss Godard and Miss Halliday of St. Stephen, are to take part in the programme.

The Cathedral congregation have chosen Mayor Fenety and Mr. G. R. Parkin, as delegates to the Church Synod, with Mr. J. S. Beek and Mr. John Black as substitutes, and Mr. A. F. Street and Mr. John Moore delegates to the D. C. Society, with Mr. G. E. Stopford and Mr. S. A. Akerley as substitutes.

At the annual meeting of the York and Carleton Steamboat Company at Woodstock last week, the old board of Directors were re-elected, viz:—F. H. Berry, President; R. Bellamy, M. P. P., Dr. Hagerman, Capt. Duncan, J. W. Boyer, W. Haines, John Fisher. J. A. Vanwart was re-elected Secretary.

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Mr. T. Carleton Ketchum, late of Woodstock, has secured a position on the staff of the Boston *Post*. Mr Ketchum is a young man of excellent parts, and ought to succeed in the newspaper business. The FARMER in the past has been indebted to his facile pen for interesting correspondence from Woodstock.

☞ Nelson Campbell has received another large shipment of American hats from the firm of Moore, Smith & Co., Boston. They have been selected by Mr. Frank Gross, personally, which is a sufficient guarantee for their style and quality. Also a number of cases of English hats of the latest styles have been added to his already large stock. Hats and price guaranteed to suit customers. Give him a call.

Mr. J. W. McCready resident agent of the Citizens Insurance Company, received a telegram last evening from the general manager, authorizing him to subscribe $200 for the relief of the distress from the flood. Although no relief is necessary, this generous and unsolicited offer should be appreciated by the business men of Fredericton. An Insurance Company so willing to tender aid, is deserving of liberal patronage.

A double tenement house on George street, owned by Mr. Daniel Casey, and occupied by William Todd and——Goodine, was destroyed by fire, early Thursdry morning, the fire originating it is said from ashes. Much of the furniture was destroyed. The building was insured with Mr. John Richards. The firemen were prompt in their response to the alarm, and were ably assisted by the men of the I. S. C., under Adjt. Young.

Barlow Bros. and Frost's Minstrels, gave an excellent entertainment in the City Hall Monday evening, to a crowded and delighted house. The programme throughout was one of great merit, and of the kind that has been seldom, if ever, surpassed here. The musical abilities of the troupe, both vocal and instrumental, are first class; the dancing and juggling fine, and the jokes fresh and clean. The company promise to return at an early date.

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The flood at Fredericton reached its greatest height on Wednesday last, when the water covered the floor of the engine-room at the water works to the depth of 35 inches. On Thursday morning it was found that the water had begun to recede, and on Friday it commenced to fall rapidly. At present writing the water is four feet lower than when the last issue of the FARMER was published. The water works engines were not injured in the slightest. They have resumed operations and the brave little steamer "Alexandra," which has done noble service for the public, has been sent to her quarters. The water has left many of the cellars in this city as well as the flooded districts. The only industrial institution in the city still effected, is West End saw mill, which will probably resume operations next week.

The Chicago *Canadian American*, in referring to the mariage of Mr. Slason Thompson, son of Mr. George Thompson of the Education office, Fredericton, and brother-in-law of the Hon. Attorney General, says:—"A few days ago Miss Julia Watson, daughter of Mr. George, Watson one of Evanston's wealthiest citizens, and who was formerly managing director of the Bank of Montreal, Chicago, was married to Mr. Slason Thompson, a well-known editor and playwright, who is now connected with the Chicago *Daily News*. The ceremony was strictly private. One of the wedding presents was a handsome brown stone house on Superior street from the bride's father, which was completely furnished by her mother. They will reside there on their return from the East. Mr. Thompson is a young Canadian, and is well known in New Brunswick."

Our Maugerville correspondent, writing on the 13th, says: "It would be impossible to give a correct pen picture of the situation of this place at this time. From ten to fifteen feet of water covers the whole face of land, from a few miles below Fredericton to Jemseg, an area of nearly 100 square miles. Not a panel of fence left standing, a greater part of which is all carried away, beside everything floatable. The residents have lost cattle, sheep, hogs, poultry and provisions, etc. There appears nothing but one vast waste of waters dotted here and there with buildings and trees. The steamer "Sarah H." which has been sent to the rescue by the Prsvincial Government is doing good wook in removing the live stock to the high lands. Dr. Brown came down in a boat and rendered what assistance he could in advising, directing and administering to the wants of the sick, which happily are few at present.

Thos. H. Perley's dwelling house, occupied by his son Medley and two daughters, caught fire from a spark in the roof and was burned to the waters edge with nearly all its contents. It was a hard fight with the flames to to save the out buildings. It was a long time before help could get to the place as in many cases they had to contend against wind and tide. Mr. Perley's tenement house on another place was burned last Sunday. He is also a heavy losser by the floods and had no insurance on the buildings burned."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

G. W. Hawkins, Upper Keswick, York Co., $1.00; James Tibbitts, Fredericton, $1.00; W. W. Saunders, Prince William, York Co., $3.00; John Anderson, Barony, York Co., $1.00; W. A. Park, M. P. P., Newcastle, $3.00; Leverett Estabrooks, Lower Prince William, York Co., $1.00; F. A. Hubbard, Burton, Sunbury Co., $2.00; Edward Gilmor, Stanley, York Co., $1.00; John F. Miles, Gibson, York Co., $1.00; George R. Burtt, Hartland, Carleton Co., $1.00; House of Assembly, Fredericton, $1.00; John McKenzie, Alnwick, Northumberland Co., $1.00; F. B. Bull, Woodstock, $1.00; Thomas Tomilson, Tay Settlement, York Co., $1.00; Thomas Burke, Hanwell, York Co., $1.00; Chas. Quartermain, Springhill, York Co., $1.00; George J. Colter, Keswick, York Co., $1.00; James Johnson, Tay Settlement, York Co., $1.00; Squire Kilburn, Central Kingsclear, York Co., $1.00; Alfred Ingraham, Mactaquack, York Co., $1.00; J. E. Camber, Springhill, York Co., $1.00; Thomas E. Morehouse, Zealand Station, York Co., $1.00; W. G. Dykeman, Lower Line Queensbury, York Co., $1.00; John L. Fletcher, Nashwaak Village, York Co., 50 cts.; John Ward, Oromocto, Sunbury Co., $2.00; James Rodgers, Fredericton, $1.00; Daniel Casey, Fredericton, $1.00; William Jenkins, Nashwaak Village, York Co., $1.00; T. H. Perley, Upper Maugerville, Sunbury Co., $1.00; D. A. Estey, Mactaquack, York Co., $1.00; William Cameron, Fredericton, $1.00; Mrs, Agnew, Chatham, 50 cts.; Miss Elizabeth Murray, Springhill, York Co., $2.00; Israel Churchill, Temperance Vale, York Co., $2.00; Harry Estey, Nashwaaksis, York Co., $1.00; J. Kent Macpherson, Fredericton, $2.00; Sergt. Gregory, I. S. C., Fredericton, $1.00; Samuel B. Hunter, Harvey, York Co., $2.00; John Good, Fredericton, $1.00; Allison B. Connell, Woodstock, $1.00; H. H. Veysey, North Lake, York Co., $1.00; Mrs. Jacob Barker, Fredericton, $1.00; Mrs. John Grass, Waasis, Sunbury Co., $1.00; W. R. Purchase, St. John, $2.00; Miss Agnes Hoyt, Upper Queensbury, York Co., $1.00; Jeremiah Bell, Nashwaak, York Co., $1.00; Dr. A. B. Atherton, Toronto, $1.00; Isaac Long, Fredericton, $2.00; Police Magistrate Marsh, Fredericton, $4.00; John Peppers, Gibson, York Co., $1.00; J. H. Barry, Fredericton, $1.00; William A. Flannigan, Fredericton, $1.00; William Campbell, Dumfries, York Co., $2.00; Patrick Farrell, Fredericton, $2.00; David B. Barker, Fredericton, $1.00; Miss Annie S. Edwards, Canterbury, York Co., $1.00; John A. Morrison, Jr., Fredericton, $1.00; John A. Morrison, Sr., Fredericton, $3.00; Fred. J. Matheson, East Boston, Mass., $1.00; Sergts. Mess, I. S. C., Fredericton, $1.00; Alexander Smith, Sr., Bloomfield, York Co., $1.00; Mrs. Gertrude G. Yerxa, West Somerville, Mass., $1.00; Miss Jane Long, Newburyport, Mass., $1.00; Mrs. Mary Kirlin, Boston, Mass., $1.00; Mrs. Thomas McDonald, Bloomfield Ridge, York Co., $1.00; W. A. Manzer, Nashwaak Village, York Co., $1.00; G. M. Cossitt Bros., Brockville, Ontario, $2.00; L. W. Johnston, Fredericton, $1.00; S. J. Nealis, New York, $1.00; George Hazen, Fredericton, $1.00; James Farrel, Fredericton, $1.00; Henry Lipsett, Bojestown, York Co., $3.00; Leonard Inch, Upper Keswick, York Co., $1.00; Isaac W. Simmons, Fredericton $1.00; John Rutherford, Tweedside, York Co., $1.00; D. W. Hoegg & Co., New Mills, Restigouche Co., $1.00; James Fraser. Westbrook, Maine, $1.00; David D. Saunders, Tay Mills, York Co., $1.00; Thomas Lucy, Fredericton $1.00; E. H. Wilmot, Fredericton, $1.00.

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Marriages.

At Douglas, York Co., on the 11th inst., by Rev. Wm. Kinghorn, Mr. James Machum and Mrs. Emily Brewer, eldest daughter of Joseph James, all of Douglas, York Co.

On the 9th inst., at St. Mark's church Brooklyn by the Rev. Dr. Haskin, C. E. Ratchford, barrister-at-law, of Amherst N. S, to Lottie, second daughter of Jessie G. Harding, and niece to Judge Fraser, of this city.

At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 17th ult, by Rev. G. B. Trafton, Almon Chipman and Jennie Draper, both of Temperance Vale, York Co.

Deaths.

At Magaguadavic, York Co., on the 28th ult., of diphtheria, Jessie May, child of Isaac and Ann Saunders, in her 10th year.

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THE BRICK HOUSE and Premises on **Regent Street** nearly opposite St. Dunstans' Hall. Will let **Rooms** if required, to desirable tenants. There is a good **Barn** on the Premises and **Water Tap** in the House.

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Fredericton, May 18

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3 Cows, milking, 2 Heifers, 18 and 5 months old, after Sir Harry, No. 6, N. B. Herd Book, bred on Stock Farm, 1 Bull 6 months old, same stock;
1 Horse, 1 light Express Wagon;
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Plow, Harrow, Cultivator and other Farming Tools;
1 Horse Power Woodcutter, complete;
1 Platform Scale, Household and other Furniture.

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Fredericton, May 18, 1887

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2 CAR Loads, containing 400 kegs Steel and Iron Nails, well assorted, and for sale at starvation prices. Just to hand.

R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

May 18

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ANOTHER supply of Christie, Brown & Co's. Celebrated BISCUITS.
Soda Biscuits in 3 lbs. boxes.

W. H. VANWART.

May 18

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1 CAR Load Ten Ton Best Tire IRON, well assorted, just to hand and for sale by

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May 18

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Tickets for Boston.

OWING to the great washout on the Maine Central Railway, traffic to Boston has been suspended for a short time.

I am selling tickets over the Union Line Steamers and the magnificent Steamers of the International Line to Boston, as follows:—

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All of which are Fresh, and will be sold at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE.

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☞ Call and compare samples before purchasing.

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—OF—
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ANDREW G. BLAIR,
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Fredericton, April 30th, 1887—4in

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THOSE TWO DESIRABLE RESIDENCES, one on the Corner of Carleton and Brunswick Streets, at present occupied by H. Sharp, and the other next door below, occupied by John B. Orr. For further particulars, apply to

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Fredericton, May 11

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USE PERRY DAVIS'
"PAIN KILLER"
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BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.
25 Cts. Per Bottle.

Window Glass.

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SPRING Shipment of WINDOW GLASS, which I am prepared to sell at Lowest prices.

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May 18

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JUST RECEIVED from New York—2 bbls. COW BELLS. For sale cheap at

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May 18

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WILKINSON'S one and two horse—steel beam—steel colt ex—steel landside—steel mould board—always First Prize Ploughs.
BELL'S improved reversible mould board Side Hill Ploughs.
GILLIES ALL STEEL—4 Sec.—flexible Harrows, 8 ft. spread.
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F. J. McCAUSLAND,
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Has Removed his place of Business from the stand in Wiley's Building, to the stand lately occupied by C. A. McCausland,

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He has on hand, and will sell Low for Cash, a fine line of

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—AND—
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and a handsome line of Plush Goods.

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Fredericton May 18, 1887—1y

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Makes White, Moist Bread.
It is also unexcelled for Cake.
Try it!
Every barrel guaranteed.

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Fire and Water Proof Cement.

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It can be put on any kind of roofs, old or new, with advantage.

Houses and Barns in the country with shingle roofs, will be insured at a lower premium when covered with this Cement, as they cannot be set on fire by sparks.

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RAILWAY MEN,

Wages $1.50 a Day;
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during the season of 1887, as usual. Leaving

FREDERICTON,
—ON—

TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY mornings at 6 o'clock, and leaving

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on the return trip, at 8 o'clock, on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY mornings.

NOTICE—Way Freight *must* be prepaid.

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Baby Carriages;
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ALL KINDS OF

FURNITURE.

JUST OPENING:

18 Crates of STONWARE.

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April 27

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the last Will and Testament of John Camber, late of the Parish of Kingsclear, in the County of York, was duly proved in the Court of Probate for the said County of York, on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1887, and letters Testamentary were granted unto the undersigned, the Executor's named therein.

All parties indebted to the Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to either of the undersigned, and parties having legal claims against the Estate, will file the same, duly attested, with J. Arthur Freeze, Barrister, within thirty days from this date.

Dated at Fredericton, the 4th day of May, A. D, 1887.

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