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Editor "Miramichi Advance." Chatham N. B. General Ausiness. NOW ON HAND! A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED LINE OF	LEAVE CHATHAM, ARRIVE NEWCASTLE. 4.00 a. m., connecting with regular express for north. 4.45 a. m. 10.50 """"""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""	TEAS, SUGARS, MOLASSES &c. HEAD OF CENTRAL WHARF. UPPER WATER STREET, HALIFAX. N. S. CONSIGNMENTS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. Manuf's., Builders, etc.	PLOUGHS, Also, a nice assortment of Parlor and Cooking Stoves , fitted with PATENT OVENS the inner shells of which draw out for cleaning purposes. Those wishing to bay cheap would do well to give us a call. Fr Shop in rear of Custom House.		hours showers of stones began to fall at Jokjokerta, Surabaya, and Zerang. All through the night showers of red-hot rocks and ashes fell, making complete darkness in all these towns. In Batavia there wa ⁸ an occasional fall, and it was difficult to keep the street lights burning in the Euro- pean quarter. By the next morning al.
CANNED GOODS 	colonial		A. C. M'LEAN. JOHN W. NICHOLSON, WHOLESALE IMPORTER AND Commission Merchant, OFFERS FOR SALE THE FOLLOW.	of all kinds, go to the Newcastle Drug Store. AFDRUGS sold at the lowest possible figure, and PATENT MEDECINES at their regular prices. Flower Pots, Sponges,	communication with Anjer was cut off, all the bridges having been destroyed by the descending rocks and ashes, and the road rendered impassable. A HOT OCEAN. The first eruptions were on Saturday night. On Sunday morning the distur. bances had extended beneath the waters of the strait, and they were soon boiling

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UNTAINS DISAPPEARS. The entire Kandang range of mountains extending along the coast in a semi-circle for about 65 miles, has gone out of sight. The waters of Welcome Bay, Sunda Straits and Pepper Bay, on the west, and of Indian Ocean on the south, had rushed in and formed a sea of turbulent waters. Here and there the peak of a crater was exposed for a moment by the receding of the great waves, and occasionally a puff of brownish gray smoke. or a slight shower of rocks, showed that the volcanoes still continued in active subaqueous eruption. The debris of submerged and destroyed buildings was tossed hither and thither on the water-the only sign left that there had once been inhabited land there. The town of Taverang, within 25 miles of the city of Batavia, was swept away by a lava stream, and fully half the population, mostly Javanese, numbering 1,800 perish-At Spelwyk, near Point Salcis,

