



HARNESS. The subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and customers, and the Public generally, that he has on hand, and is prepared to manufacture HARNESS of every description, from the plain to the most elaborate.

T. FINLAY, (Successor to R. T. Finlay.) CHARLOTTE STREET, SAINT JOHN

General Business. FALL GOODS.

THE subscriber begs to call attention to his supply of STAPLE WINTER GOODS, including BLANKETS, FLANNELS, TWEEDS, WOOLLENS, COTTONS, YARNS, &c. &c.

English & American Glassware, Lamps, in great variety, Decanters, Tumblers, Port, Sherry and Champagne Glasses. A large stock of IRON, Cast-iron Wrought Nails, Spring Blister and Cast Steel.

Improved Cooking Stoves, to burn wood or coal. HALL AND PARLOR STOVES. FOR BUILDERS. A quantity of SEASONED PINE LUMBER, Spruce and Hemlock Boards.

Fine and Cedar SHINGLES. F. J. LETSON, WATER STREET, Chatham, 22nd Nov, 1876

NEW STORE.

THE subscriber would beg leave to intimate to the inhabitants of Chatham that he has opened a shop in the place lately occupied by G. O. Ellison, where he will keep constantly on hand: Dry and Pickled Fish, Corned and Fresh Pork, Corned and Fresh Beef.

STEPHEN WHITE. NOTICE. APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of this Province at the next meeting of an Act authorizing the erection of a Boom and maintenance of the same at the Mouth of Barbery River.

HURRAH FOR HOLIDAYS!

Oranges and Apples. (For Steamer to Halifax) Cases and Boxes Valencia, RAISINS and FIGS. OREGON Apples, \$1.50 per box. Also—3 doz. Apples for Boys. 2 doz. Apples for Children.

50 brls. Spring Extra Flour. (Assorted Brands.) 10 OATMEAL CORNMEAL. 20 Buns and Half-buns. Raisins: 10 Valencian & Seedling do. 10 Brl. Currant. 10 Bxl. Canned Lemon, Orange and Citron Fruits.

LEATHER, SCALE AND ELASTIC BELTS, BALL KNITTING COTTON—White, Black & Brown. BLACK AND COLORED SILK DRESS BUTTONS.

Collars and Cuffs, Trimmings to Match. LADIES' LINES AND LACE. THE LATEST NOVELTY IN PAPER COLLARS, made up in 15 MINUTES.

W. B. HOWARD, COMMERCIAL HOUSE, Chatham, Aug. 30, 1876.

ARGYLE HOUSE. OWING to a proposed change in our business, all parties having accounts with us will oblige by settling the same before.

DR. D. A. BAXTER, Dentist, will be in Chatham FOR ONE MONTH, From January 14th.

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS. A Large Stock of English TEAS, (different grades.) TOBACCO, (different brands.) FLOUR, FISH, MOLASSES, POKE, LARD, &c. &c.

WILLIAM MURRAY, Chatham, Nov. 15th, 1876. 1, 1 1/2 and 2 inch Seasoned Pine Lumber, FOR SALE. WM. MURRAY

Land Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale his property on the Richmond Road, about ten Miles from Chatham, known as the Brough Farm, containing fifty acres, more or less, of which are under cultivation.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

"THE MIRAMICHI ADVANCE" is published at Chatham, Miramichi, N. B., every Thursday morning, in time for despatch by the earliest mail of that day.

Advertising. The advertisements in this paper are placed under classified headings. TRANSIENT RATES. \$1 per square, or inch, for 14t insertion.

Miramichi Advance. SPECIAL NOTICE.—Correspondents wishing to communicate with the Editor personally, during the session of the Legislature, please address him at Fredericton. Ordinary business and other correspondence may be addressed, as usual, to this office and will receive prompt attention.

A few Words in Season.

It should be a source of gratification to the fishermen to know that notwithstanding the strange mixture of truth and error which has been officially communicated to Ottawa, the Fisheries Department has hesitated to act hastily and has been swayed, to an extent that could hardly be expected, under the circumstances, by every consideration for the interests involved.

London House, CHATHAM, N. B. The Balance of my Fall and Winter Stock of Dress Goods, Prints, Cottons, Flannels, Tweeds, Gent's L. W. Underclothing, Hosiery, Scarfs, Corsets, English and French Boxes, Granulated Tobacco, Soap, Paper Bags and Wrapping Paper. A choice lot of Fancy Toilet Soap, at low prices for Cash.

Just Received. LEATHER, SCALE AND ELASTIC BELTS, BALL KNITTING COTTON—White, Black & Brown. BLACK AND COLORED SILK DRESS BUTTONS. Cashmere and Wool Shawls. IN GREAT VARIETY. New Fall Dress Goods—with Trimmings to Match.

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that the Minister considered it proper to make an effort to lessen the reputed injurious effects, which were so strongly asserted to be caused through the use of bag-nets, by applying certain restrictions, without enforcing any prohibitory authority, and he preferred that the officers should take a little extra trouble, and was willing to incur additional expense to assist them in meeting difficulties which though represented by them to be so critical, they had themselves, to a certain extent, occasioned.

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resources for amusement or profit. The lecturing man has not, so far, in an appearance; the singing man has scattered his notes on too barren a surface—every try to gain, and the inevitable "party" with its plays of "Old Maid" "Bachelor" "Forfeits" and "Cracked Maud" is worn as bare as my coat. Under these circumstances "what's an unmarried man going to do?" "He might get married!" you'll say, of course, not having a knowledge of the fact that an all but universal fit of this kind seized the marriageable portion of this community last summer. This has had the effect of raising female charms at least 10 per cent in the market causing the members of that persuasion to assume a dignity and distance which has the effect on a bashful man as a bucket of cold water poured down his back. More anon. K'guac, Feb. 6th, 1877. BOB SHARP.

MOODY and SANKEY. OPENING MEETING OF THE EVANGELISTS IN BOSTON.—IMMENSE CROWDS IN ATTENDANCE.—BOSTON, FEBRUARY 25. BOSTON, JANUARY 28.—Rarely, if ever has there been witnessed such a scene of inspired Christian enthusiasm and sincere devotion as was manifested at the opening meetings of Moody and Sankey at the Boston Tabernacle this afternoon and evening.

THE GRAND TABERNACLE CROWDS. The expense of over \$50,000 and with a seating capacity for 600, could not accommodate more than a quarter of those who came to both afternoon and evening meetings. Indeed, so large were the crowds who came that outside meetings were opened in a couple of neighboring churches, and the limits of these were inadequate to the demands made upon them.

THE GOSPEL IN A FORM. The first and second services were commenced with commendable promptness, the first at three and the latter at a quarter to seven o'clock. A variety of hymns were sung by a large and selected choir, under the direction of Professor Towner, while the audience was being seated, and immediately thereafter the choir and congregation united in chanting— "Nearer my God, to Thee."

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MR. MOODY'S SERMON. Mr. Moody now sang, "Ninety and Nine," after which the choir sang "Rock of Ages," and then Mr. Moody began his first sermon in Boston, taking for his text the thirteenth chapter of Numbers and part of the thirtieth verse—"And Caleb stilled the people before Moses and said, 'Let us go up at once, and possess it.'"

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875. In the matter of Reuben Goggin and Job Goggin, Insolvents. A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT has been issued in this case, and the evening session of the Court will be held in the Parish of Richibucto, County of Kent, on FRIDAY, the Sixteenth day of February next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statement of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit. Dated at Richibucto, County of Kent, New Brunswick, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1877. JAMES McDOUGALL, Official Assignee.