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the group.' With the awful moment before him and his confidence in God, how simple his course! 'At one o'clock to-morrow morning I head to 57th to storm the Redan.' But mark it well, his is not only prepared for this dreadful task, in so far as he himself is concerned—his love for his wife and children, probably never reached a pitch so strong as when he wrote that letter. It is impossible to conceive of gushing tenderness more

"A man dreamed once that he was going along in the broad road, and Satan was dragging him down to hell; alarmed, he cried for help, and suddenly one appeared in lovely form, and said, 'Follow me.' Immediately Satan vanished, and in his dream the man thought he followed to a heavenly one in a straight and narrow way, until he came to a river, where he saw no bridge.—Pointing in a certain direction, the Angel said, 'Pass over that bridge.' 'I see no bridge,' said the man. 'Yes, there is a bridge, and you must pass over it, for there is no other, and heaven is beyond.' Looking more narrowly, the dreamer saw what appeared to be a hair extending from one bank to the other bank. 'Pass over that,' said the angel. 'O, how can I?' said the man, 'it is too slender and cannot sustain me.' 'It will sustain you. I am from above—I cannot lie; and I give you my word it will sustain you.' And now, while the man was trembling and afraid to venture, he thought that Satan again seized upon him, to drag him down to hell. Urged by necessity, he put his foot upon the bridge, slender as it appeared, he found it plank—a substantial bridge—and he went over safely and entered shouting into the other world."

Tell me where the Bible is, as a household book and where it is not, and I will write a moral geography of the world. I will show what, in particulars, is the physical condition of that people. One glance of your eye will inform you where the Bible is, and where it is not. Go to Italy—decay, degradation, suffering meet you on every side. Commerce droops, agriculture sickens, the useful arts languish. There is a heaviness in the air; you feel compressed by some invisible power; the people dare not speak aloud; they walk slowly, and armed soldiery is around their dwellings; the armed police take from the stranger the Bible before he enters the territory. Ask for the Bible in a book store, it is not there; or is in a form so large and expensive as to be beyond the reach of common people. The preacher takes no text from the Bible. You enter the vatican and inquire for the Bible, and you will be pointed to some case where it reposes among some prohibited book side by side with the works of Diderot and Voltaire. But pass over the Alps to Switzerland, and down the Rhine into Holland, then over the channel to England and Scotland, and come over to their descendants, the people of the United States and what an amazing contrast meets the eye.

A great deal of injury was in fact done by the fire, which was, however, at last extinguished. Now, the boy very probably supposed this offence was against his mother alone. He knew that he was responsible to her authority, and thought of nothing more.

How surprised, then, would he be if some friend of his, after he had done this, should converse with him as follows:—

"Do you know what you have done?"

"Yes, I set my mother's house on fire."

"And what do you expect will be the consequence?"

"Why, perhaps, she will punish me; but I don't care for that."

"I think you will find that that is not the worst of it."

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to so liberally patronize their establishment, and to have been selected, and engaged the services of the most competent men in the city,—that they are now ready to execute all orders, which for neatness and durability cannot be surpassed in this city.

Also, on hand—a lot of superior English and Domestic manufactured Saddles, Bridles, Collars, and Whips, whole sale and retail. Terms Cash.

St. John, April 27, 1854. D. W. & J. R. ADAMS.

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The undersigned, having been awarded the Gold Medal at the *Centennial Exposition, at the head of King Street*—These Instruments, from their superior quality of tone have attracted the attention of the most distinguished Musicians throughout the country. Prices vary from \$16 to 248.

W. C. STEVENS, Agent.
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Messrs. MASON & HAMLIN,
Gents—We have had the pleasure of trying one of your Melodeons this morning. I can strongly recommend them to parties wishing to study the Organ, and can assure you for my own use, I should select one of your make.

Most faithfully yours,
GEO. W. B. HOUTENE MORGAN,
Late Organist of St. Clare, Southwark, the Parish Church of South Hackney, and to the Harmonic Union, Easter Hall, London.

St. John, N. B., March 27, 1855.

MR. STEVENS,—Dear Sir,—It is with pleasure I make known to you my opinion of myself and many others, of the MELODEON purchased from you a few months ago. This instrument manufactured by MASON & HAMLIN, has given me the greatest joy and health to the soul, and I can truly and sincerely, and cheerfully admit it is the best I have

I am dear Sir, yours truly,
R. D. McARTHUR,
Conducting of St. Andrews' Church Choir.

NOTICE.—All persons having any legal demands against the Estate of the late Jane Potters of Sussex deceased, are invited to present the same in the Judge's Court attested to within three months from this date; and all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to
WILLIAM WATSON,
Administrator.

Sussex, Dutch Valley, Aug. 29, 1885.

COUNTRY AGENCY.—The Subscriber begs to inform all who may wish to employ him as Agent to transact business wherever he is in the City of St. John, or to reside in German Street, immediately over the Religious Intelligence Office. Persons wishing to see him on business of any kind can do so by calling at his residence. All letters sent to him by private conveyance must henceforth be left at the above named address.

W. C. FREEZE, St. John, N. B. All of which will receive immediate attention.
E. C. FREEZE.

SOAP AND CANDLE MANUFACTORY.—The Subscriber informs the Public that he is manufacturing, and keeping constantly on hand, at his Establishment in Union Street, a large stock of Soap and Candles, of every description, and of various qualities of tapers, and is prepared to receive orders from all who may wish to purchase. He is ordering from this Establishment may rely on their order being promptly filled, and to their entire satisfaction; the Proprietor being resolved to retain the confidence of his customers.

Those wishing to purchase are respectfully invited to call and inspect his stock.

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Oil Lamps alured to burn Fluid.
Burning Fluid of best quality.
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SADDLES, just received per Packet ship Imperial:
1 case Ladies' SADDLES,
2 " Gents' SADDLES,
comprising 1st, 2d, and 3d quality, price at 4th, and upwards
ALSO—3 casks of Harness Mounting, Hames, Rings,
Bits, Spurs, &c. 1 Bale of Flong.

1st STORE—All kinds of **BOOKBINDING**, Chain Traces,
Hames, Necks Foot Oil, and Oil Blacking, Whips and Whip
Thumps.

P. S.—All kinds of **HARNESS**, Saddles, and Bridles made
to order, and sold with the above cheap for Cash, by
HENRY HORN,
Saddle and Harness Maker,
Union Street, St. John, N. I.

August 20.

MORRIS & DENNISTON,
Manufacturers of
VENETIAN BLINDS AND SASHES,
House Painters,
GLAZIERS AND **PAPER HANGERS,**
Golden Ball, Corner Union Street,
SAINT JOHN, N. B.
ET Sign Boards made and painted. Old Blinds repaired
July 18.

REMOVAL.—Day's Printing Office has been **RE-**
moved to the Corner of Market and German street
opposite D. & J. Leavitt's Grocery Store, where all orders

Corner of Union and Sydney Streets,
SAINI JOHN, N. H.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends in St John and the Public generally throughout the British Provinces, that he has removed his **MABLE CUTTING ESTABLISHMENT** on Union Street to a building lately erected by himself on the **GOLDBALL CORNER**, where he is prepared to carry on business on a more extensive scale, in the execution of Monuments, Tomb Tables, Head-stones, &c. &c. Table and every description of **ORNAMENTAL WORK** required in his line of business.

The subscriber has also to announce that in addition to the large Stock previously on hand, he has recently received a large assortment of **Marble** of a superior quality, which the public are respectfully invited to call and examine.

CHISEL Pieces of a superior style and finish can be furnished less than at former prices.

Work and Stock warranted. Ten per cent discount for Cash.

References—Rev. Wm Armsrong, James Paterson, LL.D., and Rev S. Robinson.

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NOTICE—All persons having any legal demands against the Estate of David Keirstead late of Stroudholm deceased, are requested to have in the same duly attested within three months, and all persons indebted to the Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

THOMAS B. KEIRSTEAD
Sole Administrator

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