

my best won't you try the soup before it is cold?"

The others stared and Emma cried, but Mr. Maye laughed uproariously.

"The best joke of the season! Sit down, everybody! Emma, you foolish girl, don't cry Arthur doesn't care. And as for your Florentine—Arthur, tell Nanny to bring it in. The proof of the pudding is the eating, you know."

"Miss Emma won't cry when she tastes my soup," remarked Arthur, ladling it out promptly with an air of pride.

And then they all fell to tasting and praising, and urging Emma to taste, and praise, until she laughed and cried all together.

But Mr. Arthur was so delightful, so winning and so witty, so kind to his agitated young hostess, and he'd cooked such an excellent dinner—from the pigeons to the pudding, everything was perfect.

By-and-by Emma was herself again.

"This has taught me a lesson," she said. "I never will be so desperately situated again. I will learn to cook."

"Let me teach you," said Arthur. He did.

THE DAILY HERALD.

HARLES H. LUGGIN, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

FREDERICTON, N. B., JUNE 29, 1882.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The gentlemen assembled in this city as the representative men of one of the largest churches in Canada (we believe the largest Protestant church), will continue their deliberations for about a week. We shall furnish our readers with daily reports of the proceedings of this body. A great deal of interest centres now-a-days in the proceedings of ecclesiastical gatherings. Despite what is often averred to the contrary the people generally are more concerned about religious matters than they have ever been in the history of the world. In days not very long gone by the clergy of the different churches claimed, and were allowed to enjoy, almost the exclusive privilege of thought in matters affecting religion, the people receiving what fell from the lips of their ministers as though it came direct from the fountain of inspiration. There was much passive belief, if the expression is allowable, in those days, but we question if there was more genuine piety and true Christianity than there is to-day, when almost all men pretend to think for themselves and refuse to accept anything as true, merely because it is old. This freedom of thought is the outcome of Christianity itself; for it cannot be denied that individual freedom and individual responsibility are its fundamental principles. In proportion as the churches recognize this and conform their teachings to it, they will be successful, not only in extending their own influence, but in spreading the Kingdom of Him whose name is their watchword, and whose life is their great example. Men will not to-day be bound by cast iron creeds, no matter in what ecclesiastical foundry they have been constructed.

The strength of Methodism lies in the fact that it permits of freedom of thought in everything except the cardinal principles, without which there can be no such thing as religion. It has before it a field of labor as boundless as the world itself. Humanity is more concerned to-day about the great question, "What shall I do to be saved?" than it has ever been since the Publican offered the prayer nearly two thousand years ago. It is not seeking for a sentimental salvation or an emotional regeneration. It is seeking for a salvation from the consequence of the violation of the laws of God, as exhibited in social relations, the rights of men disregarded, the tyranny of statecraft and the oppression of priestcraft. It is seeking to know what the future of mankind is to be and how men can be the best assured of happiness. It is seeking for a regeneration of mankind from selfishness, evil speaking, uncharitableness, narrow mindedness, bigotry and intolerance. The world abhors crime as much as the churches do. It has perhaps a different standard of morality from that which the churches set up. It judges of men more by what they do than what they profess. Perhaps in this it comes nearer the Divine Master than its professed teachers imagine.

The *Maritime Farmer* calls Mr. Fraser's speech on declaration day "the most spirited he ever delivered." We beg to say for the benefit of those who never heard Mr. Fraser before, that such a statement is ridiculous nonsense, and that Mr. Fraser is not in the habit of making as unfortunate exhibition of himself as he did on Tuesday.

FRENCH DOMINATION.

Canada is now ruled by the French. Those who opposed Confederation used to foretell this; but Mr. Tilley of those days repudiated the idea with contempt and said that we in the Maritime Provinces would hold the balance of power. But like most of his other prophecies this has proved only empty words. The French rule the Dominion. In proof of this let any one examine the returns at the late election. Quebec gives the Government fifty-three and from New Brunswick five representatives owe their election to the French vote, making in all fifty-eight votes or the whole majority of the Government. We are not desirous of raising any sectional cry; but it is well worth the consideration of the whole people if they intend to remain under the rule of this solid phalanx of Tories, whose political ideas are entirely foreign to the cardinal principles of popular government. The rule of Toryism, backed up by the French vote, means the disregard of provincial rights. It means the concentration of power at Ottawa, and the perpetuation of the harvest of corruptionists. No one will deny that the French population of Canada have equal rights with their fellow citizens; but as they have combined in order that they may possess an overwhelming control, it becomes the duty of those of our people who have learned to value representative institutions, who favor the free expression of public opinion, the maintenance of provincial rights, and the individual independence of the electorate, to take steps to counteract the domination of Quebec in the councils of the Dominion.

Mr. W. E. PERLEY wishes us to say that the report which we published yesterday about \$200 being drawn from the bank by the Sheriff and sent to Northfield is not true. We cannot say that the statement is not true; but we publish Mr. Perley's request, and the public can form their own conclusions.

NOTES AND NOTIONS.

—The St. John editors are quarrelling over the question of whether any of them deserve hanging. This is an elevated theme, and no doubt meets with the approval of the whole community.

—A failure of the crop in Great Britain is said to be probable. The demand for breadstuffs which this will occasion will be attributed by the Tories to the N. P. The enormous amount of 1—, we mean misrepresentation, indulged in by the advocates of this policy was enough to have blighted the crops, even three thousand miles away.

—There is a comet prowling around and it would be visible in the day time if it were bright enough. This is not according to the programme.

—The *Advocate* is "devoutly" thankful over the result of the Dominion elections. In common with its Tory brethren it will probably express its devout thankfulness and exclaim, "let us pray!"

—The Government journals affect to be shocked because Mr. Blair has conferred with his political friends since the elections. If he did not do so, he would be a poor leader of a party. We do not know what Mr. Blair went to the North Shore for; but if his errand was expressly to see the gentlemen who have worked with him in Opposition, he has only done exactly what he ought to do.

—The same papers cannot find words contemptuous enough for Mr. Blair. When the next Government is formed they will be in such a hurry to eat their words, that they will be choked in the effort.

—And now the *Farmer* repudiates those circulars. They must, like Jopsy, have grown by inches.

"Mr. Hanington's style as a leader will be different from his predecessors," says the *Farmer*. It will. About this there is no doubt. Mr. Fraser's rule was of mild words, honeyed promises and timely tears. We have reached a regime of bullying; but it will be very short.

"Mr. Blair has been the victim of self-confidence," says a Government sheet. Mr. Hanington will be the victim of want of confidence.

—If Mr. White presses his election petition in Sunbury, he will pay off W. E. Perley for leaving him in the lurch at the late election, for, if Mr. Sterling is unseated the latter will be also, and, it is said, this is what Mr. White is aiming at.

A correspondent of the *Times* at Portsmouth says it is well known to military authorities that an expeditionary force for Egypt has been organized. It is reported that arrangements have been made for the embarkation of troops at Cyprus and Aden without delay to guard the Suez Canal.

News of the World.

Late storms in the West resulted in the death of 130 persons and the destruction of property to the value of \$3,500,000.

France will co-operate with England in armed intervention in Egypt, if it becomes necessary. Great Britain will protect the Suez Canal. The fleet on the Mediterranean station is being considerably reinforced.

A London special says preparations are actively though secretly being made for a military expedition to Egypt. In view of the attitude of Italy, the chances of success for the Conference are almost hopeless, except by England and France withdrawing their pretensions of a controlling influence in Egypt, a course which would lead to the immediate fall of Gladstone's and De Freycinet's cabinets. The Government is not likely soon to forget the exhibition of temper by the House at the mere suspicion that English interests in the Suez Canal were in danger.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* publishes an article in reference to the organization of the military expedition to Egypt, in which it assumes that the expedition has been already decided on. This belief is very general among members of Parliament. Additional proof of the imminence of war is the heavy fall which has taken place in British securities during the week.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CARD OF THANKS.

MR. ELISHA VANWART desires to thank the friends and friends of Fredericton and St. Mary's for their kind assistance in saving his property from fire in St. Mary's on Tuesday afternoon last.

COAL.

TO ARRIVE TO-DAY:

200 TONS EGG COAL.

FOR SALE LOW.

John Richards & Son.

June 26

Before buying your Milk Pans

Come to Lemont's.

He is retailing them at wholesale Prices.

June 28

3 WALNUT SIDEBOARDS;

1 NICE Walnut Book Case;

1 EBONIZED Lady's Secretary;

A LARGE lot of Walnut Centre Tables;

210 BEDSTEDS, various kinds, for sale at

LEMON'S House Furnishing Store.

June 28

Lobsters. Lobsters.

LION BRAND.

I will receive to-day, ex I. C. Railway, from John Windsor, Petit Rocher, Gloucester Co.,

20 CASES LOBSTERS LION BRAND.

For sale in lots at Market Prices.

GEORGE E. SNIDER,

83 Prince William Street, - - - St. John

St. John, June 22, 1882.—2w

FREDERICTON RAILWAY.

Summer Time Table.

ON and after MONDAY, JUNE 26TH, Trains will run as follows:

7.00 A. M.

Train leaves Fredericton for St. John and intermediate points without change of cars. Due in St. John 9.50 a. m.

10.00 A. M.

Train leaves Fredericton for Fredericton Junction, making connection with Express Train for McAdam, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock, Houlton, Bangor, Portland, Boston and all points West.

11.25 A. M.

Train leaves Fredericton Junction for Fredericton, after connecting with Express Train leaving St. John 9.00 a. m. Due at Fredericton 12.25 p. m.

1.40 P. M.

Train leaves Fredericton for Fredericton Junction and St. John, arriving 4.55 p. m.

3.00 P. M.

Train leaves Fredericton Junction for Fredericton, after connecting with Express Train from all Western points, arriving at Fredericton 4.00 p. m.

4.00 P. M.

Through Express Train leaves St. John for Fredericton, arriving 7.10 p. m.

THOS. TEMPLE, President. F. B. EDGECOMBE, Superintendent. Fredericton, June 24, 1882

FLY TRAPS. FLY TRAPS.

Just received:

ONE gross FLY TRAPS. For sale low.

June 5

Z. R. EVERETT.

RUBBER BELTING.

Just received:

A LOT of American Rubber Belting, all sizes from 12 inches down. For sale low.

may 29

Z. R. EVERETT.

Change of Business.

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE subscriber would beg leave to inform the public that they have this day associated with them in the

GASFITTING, PLUMBING

AND

Tinsmithing Business,

Mr. William Reid, who has been in their employ for the past nine years, and that they will be hereafter known under the name and firm of

LIMERICK, REID & CO.

They feel confident that with the above addition they will be more competent to fulfil any work entrusted to their care.

A. LIMERICK & CO.

Cheapest Shop in Town to buy TINWARE.

We are now prepared to fill any orders in the Tinsmithing, Gasfitting and Plumbing Business.

WROUGHT IRON FURNACES

on hand, and fitted up in the latest and most improved manner.

PUMPS, PIPES AND FITTINGS of all kinds Well Driving done to order.

A full stock of Tinware always on hand. Stoves and Stove Pipe.

Gas Fixtures on hand, or imported to order. Jobbing in any of the above branches promptly attended to.

All work guaranteed.

LIMERICK, REID & CO.

Fredericton, May 4, 1882.

Just Received.

1 case Horn & Rubber Dressing Combs;

5 gross Tooth Brushes (English manufacture);

5 gross Davidson's Rubber Nipples;

5 gross Alcock's and Seabury & Johnson's Porous Plasters;

18 dozen Wade & Butcher's Razors;

1 gross Packer's Tar Soap;

1 barrel Peppermint Lozenges;

For sale low, Wholesale and Retail at

Geo. H. Davis'

Drug Store,

Cor. Queen and Regent Streets.

FREDERICTON.

CARPETS,

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ENGLISH

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and

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CARPETS

The largest and best Stock

in the City to choose

from,

ALL SELECT PATTERNS

VERY HANDSOME.

DEVER BROS

Fredericton, May 12

LADIES' & CHILDRENS'

RUBBER GOSSAMERS,

From 40 to 60 Inches,

VERY LOW.

White Honeycomb Quilts,

AT \$1.20.

DRESS GOODS--10 cents a Yard, Extra Value.

John J. Weddall,

(Successor to the late Thos. Logan.)

OPPOSITE NORMAL SCHOOL.

NEW BOOK STORE.

Our Motto—"Best Goods for the Least Money."

McMURRAY & FENETY.

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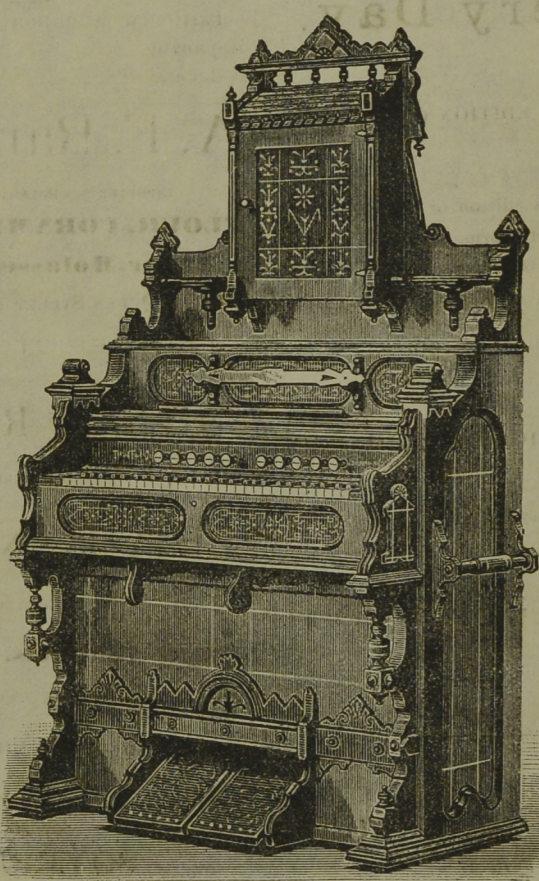
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We have sold a large number of the above patterns,

which have given the best of satisfaction,

as our testimonials will show.

McMURRAY & FENETY.

IRON.

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BOILER PLATES.

RECEIVED AND IN STORE, EX. BARQUE "PARAMATTA," AND S. S. "HIBERNIAN" AND "CASPIAN"—17,762 Bars Refined and Spike Iron; 580 Bundles Plating and Hoops, various sizes and gauges; 210 Bundles Navy and Hand-picked OAKUM; 318 Bundles Nos. 20, 22, 23, 24 and 26; 310 Sheets, Nos. 10, 12, 14, 16, and 18 SHEET IRON; 3 Cases GALVANIZED SHEET IRON.

I. & F. BURPEE & CO.

230 BOILER PLATES, Best B. B. B. and Lowmoor; Boiler Tubes and Rivets; 471 Bbls. Sled Shoe Steel; 151 Steel Plow Plates; 47 Bbls. Toe Calk Steel; 37 Bbls. and 15 Bars Mounted Machine Steel, 15-16 to 3 inch.

TO ARRIVE PER "PHOENIX," FROM ANTHWERP: 15 Cases SHEET ZINC, Nos. 6 to 10.

Sled Shoeteel.

Sheet Zinc.

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VARNISH.

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Mixed Paints ready for Use.

Just received from the manufacturers:

RUBBING Body Varnish; Gearing Varnish;

Wearing Body Varnish; Black Walnut Stain.

For sale low.

Feb.

Twenty different Colors, in all sized Tins, from one

One Pound to One Gallon.

24 cases of the above just received from Boston

and Montreal. For sale wholesale and retail by

JAMES S. NEILL.

April 21