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**STEWART & WHITE,**  
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MONT JOHN, N.B.

ARTISTS & DEALERS in Every Description of

**FURNITURE,**  
STYLES AND FINEST CLASS OF GOODS.

W. H. N. B., June 24th, 1881.

**Sutherland & Creaghan,**  
Newcastle, N. B.

Showing the Largest, most Select and Varied Stock of Summer

**DRY GOODS,**

Our Stock is now complete for Summer Trade, every department in full and prices marked down.

**AT AUCTION SALE.**

Entire stock of GOODS at PUBLIC AUCTION, on and after

**HEAP GOODS,**

Large, Good and Serviceable and the best Assorted in Miramichi.

**SELL WHOLESALE IN LOTS AT COST,**

Remember TUESDAY, 28th, at 10 O'CLOCK.

**JUNE 10th, 1881.**

**R. JONES & CO.,**

Imported from Great Britain the past ten days as an Extra Shipment.

**THREE BALES and CASES**

Lowest Rates.

**RECEIVED FROM MR. COLPITT'S**

ESTABLISHMENT,  
CHATHAM, N. B.

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**LOCAL MATTERS.**

**NOTICE.**  
The public are hereby cautioned against paying subscriptions or amounts for advertisements to any person on behalf of the STAR, unless said person hold written authority from me to collect and receive the same.

J. E. O'CALLINS, Ed. "Star."

Salmon. Let our fishermen hurry their salmon into market, now that the prices are booming in New York.

Proceeds of the Bazaar. The proceeds of the Bazaar held by the Presbyterian Ladies in the Masonic Hall, reached over \$300.

Protecting the Fisheries. "La Canadienne," the new government boat, is now in the gulf protecting the fisheries. The former name of this boat was the "Greyhound."

Ordination. Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, son of Mr. Alex. Fitzgerald of Chatham, was ordained to the priesthood in the Seminary of St. Salpice, Montreal, on the 11th inst.

Newcastle Square. Newcastle is shaming Chatham, and we almost have a mind to take our paper up there.

Grit Gamblers. On Saturday morning a man with a whole coat on his back could not pass by the Grit Cheap John's without being shouted after, "Come here. Five to one on Pictou." Now not a drum is heard—not a funeral note.

Personal. Dr. Fortin, M. P. P. has just led the altar Miss Larue of Quebec.

Sir Charles Tupper is to be given a banquet in Ottawa soon. He deserves it.

After a fifth diagnosis of St. John Macdonalds disease, Dr. Clark has concluded his trouble is catarrh of the stomach, which is not necessarily fatal.

Board of Health. The following gentlemen have been appointed a Board of Health: Doctor John S. Benson, Duncan Davidson, John Coleman, James T. Griffin, and Lemuel J. Tweedie.

Creditable Enterprise. The Maple Leaf has now grown from a paper little larger than the page of an almanac, into a first-class 24 column newspaper.

Mr. Blake's Tour. The following is the programme of Mr. Blake's tour in the Maritime Provinces.

Dead Falls. It is well for the Black River bears they never come into town, or they most assuredly would get into some of the dead falls which are to be found here and there on our delightful sidewalks.

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**A BRILLIANT COMET.**

A very brilliant comet appeared last night in the northern heavens. The nucleus was large, and the coma long and distended.

Both the St. John News and the Telegraph misspell the word woolen in their editorials.

The accepted authority in this Province is Worcester, and he uses two 's'. We do not know what Dictionary they use in Nova Scotia, if they use any.

The special correspondent of the Witness still continues to furnish interesting letters from Ireland.

**OUR CHATHAM BUSINESS HOUSES.**

In 1829 Mr. Bannon came to Chatham and entered business. Since that day till the date of his retirement, good fortune followed him.

Mr. Bannon was engaged in the boot and shoe trade, after which he commenced a general mercantile business.

Mr. Bannon always kept a large stock on hand, and so when provisions rose coming on for the spring, or especially if it were a long winter, he found how profitable was his foresight.

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**CO-PARTNERSHIP**

The undersigned would respectfully inform the residents of Chatham and vicinity, that they have entered into a co-partnership under the name of Stewart & White, for the purpose of carrying on a Picture Framing and Photographic business.

J. Y. MERSEBERAU, E. H. THOMSON.

PHOTOGRAPHIC. In reference to the above we would say that we have bought out the Photographic business lately conducted by Mr. J. P. Stevens in the Studio on Duke street nearly opposite the Canada House where we are prepared to take Photographs and Tratypes at the lowest rates.

PICTURE FRAMING. We keep constantly on hand a large supply of Picture Frames & Mouldings, and are prepared to make up any style of Frames to order, at prices that defy comparison.

SEWING MACHINES. I respectfully inform my friends and patrons, that I have by no means given up handling the celebrated

WANZEI SEWING MACHINES and may be found at the Studio above named where all orders shall receive prompt attention. Respecting attended to as usual.

J. Y. MERSEBERAU, Chatham, April 30, '81

**RECEIVED THIS WEEK.**

5 Cases and Bales DRY GOODS.

Consisting of BLACK LACE, FISHBONES, BLACK SILKS, FRINGES, &c., &c. GENTLEMEN'S BOYS' TWEEDS, &c.

JOSEPH'S KID IN BLACK & COLOURED, PRINTS, COTTONS, SHIRTINGS, &c.

Gentlemen's Regatta Shirts, TWO COLLARS.

PARLOUR SUITES. Lounges in Cretones, Tapestry, Damask and Hair Cloth.

CENTRE TABLES, WHEAT NOTS, HAT TREES, &c. &c.

MATRASSES. PILLOWS and BOLSTERS.

Best Brussels, Borders to Match.

& CROSSLEY'S CELEBRATED Tapestry, BORDER TO MATCH.

JAMES G. FAIRY. Newcastle, June 18, 1881.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

To be sold at Public Auction, on SATURDAY the 10th day of September next, in front of the Registry Office, Newcastle, between the hours of 12 noon and 5 o'clock p. m.

All the Right Title and Interest of William E. Hay, and to all that piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the parish of Chatham and County of Northumberland, commencing on the easterly side of the old Napan Road, at the distance of 138 feet 6 inches, from the South West angle of Andrew's Church burying ground, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly side line of the said burying ground, 30 feet; being the northerly boundary, thence southerly at right angles with the said northerly line, 49 feet to the said McGuire road, 80 feet, thence northerly along the said old Napan road 40 feet or to the place of beginning, being the piece or parcel of land conveyed to Rose Anna Hay, wife of the said William E. Hay by John McGuire by deed, dated the 28th August A. D. 1872, and being the land and premises on which the said William E. Hay at present resides.

The same having been seized by me under an execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court by Richard Davidson, against the said William E. Hay, Sheriff's Office, JOHN SHERIFF, Newcastle, Sheriff of Northumberland Co. May 28, 1881.

**THE GREAT GROCERY JAM AT CARMICHAEL BROS.**

Call and see the immense Jam of Family groceries viz: Tea, Tobacco, Molasses, Sugars, &c., &c., &c.

To arrive Wednesday, per Str. "Andover" from Bay du Vin: 500 doz. EGGS, 300 stone BUTTER, 20 bbls. POTATOES.

To arrive Thursday from Boston per L. C. Railway.

Oranges, Lemons, Pine-apples, Cucumbers, Cocoanuts, Rhubarb.

COOL BUTTER. Procure your butter from the palace Refrigerator, only 20 cts. per lb. All Goods kept free from dust and dirt. Full weight guaranteed at the Central Grocery.

**COMMUNICATIONS.**

THE "CUTTLE FISH." [For the Star.]

DEAR SIR:—When the cuttle fish gets in a "tight place" and has no other chance of escape, he ejects a quantity of jelly fluid into the water and fools his pursuer.

A local cuttle fish here this week, has performed a similar act, endeavoring to hide his shame and confusion, and the lugubriousness of his party, by a profusion of his own ink.

Not a word does he say about the whipping the Grits got in Pictou and in Colchester; not a word about what the result boded for the Grit cause, and the "doomed candidate"—it was all the "St. Lawrence," and the "six men" who went away to Pictou to vote.

What a God-send this irrelevant matter was. "Let us no longer talk of graves and tombstones"—give us something to turn away the people's attention from these doleful things!

The degenerate, and fast degenerating organ here to say something about the elections. What could it say? It would never do to say the Grits had been whipped, for we were all told that the "bar-gain" with the syndicate, and the "ruinous effect of the N. P." had alienated Nova Scotia, and in the face of all this a mere youngster, known to nobody, of not much theory and less experience, beats Carmichael who traffics far more in pork and molasses than Mr. Suowball does.

Therefore it had to say something—and it grasps at the six men going to Pictou to vote, to hide its confusion, and the shame of its demoralized party.

It reminds me of the stork who dips its beak in the sand while the storm is abroad, and thinks his whole body is covered.

The poor, poor grits: Whipped in Pictou and Colchester, demoralized and broken spirited here, they could give us nothing about the election on Thursday in their degenerate sheet, but that six men, while their vessel was up for repairs, went to Pictou to vote.

**A SINGULAR ANIMAL.**

A correspondent who resides in the vicinity of Redbank North Esk, thus describes the appearance of an animal which visited that place, on a fishing excursion lately. The animal he adds in a private note, "broke out of a weekly newspaper office in Chatham."

"Quite a sensation was caused last week in the vicinity of Redbank, Northesk, by the appearance of a strange and terrifying animal, which those who seen it describe as a gorilla. It was first seen on Tuesday 14th inst, about three miles from Redbank on the south side of the Little Southwest River, by Messrs. Benjamin Hubbard of Redbank, Thomas Mews of Nelson, and another man whose name we have not learned. It was seen again on last Thursday near the same place by Mr. James Powers, blacksmith, of Redbank, whose horse took flight at it. It had a rod, and other fishing appliances, as if it were a man. Mr. Hubbard was quite near to the creature and shouted at it, whereupon it turned about in an ungainly kind of way and ran off on all fours. It is described as being about seven feet long, but I think its true length is about 5 feet 6 inches with arms and legs, but running on all fours. The head is of a very light mouse color and the face has features resembling those of a human being. The body is...

When Mr. Hubbard shouted at the animal it threw one of its hind feet forward with a kind of lateral motion, overlapping the foreleg or arm and then twisted the body after it and went off in a slouching manner. It was observed that the creature had no tail, a fact which gives color to the supposition that it is an animal of the gorilla family. Prof. Grote, describing the gorilla, says it has no more tail than a porcupine, while the know-

ing from bottom to top of the lofty tower, polished, and black with the grasp of the great army that through the centuries have passed up and down here. The staircase is lighted at intervals by loopholes in the thickness of the wall. Here and there arched doorways lead into small apartments, cells I suppose, where fire place and loop hole window mark that they were inhabited at one time, reached the top panting and tired, and the jacksaws from the ivy enquired impudently what brought us there. From the top of this tower there is a magnificent view of green pastures, shining waters, high hills, and the bay so peaceful, so silent, so undisturbed looking, as if it washed the shores of an unknown country, all spread out before the eye. Coming down from our exalted position we counted the steps which are never counted to amount to the same number as it is said, and made them out 101, which varied from the number made out by our lady companion. We gave large to the boys, of course, who waked for our benefit the acoustical echo which still lingers round the abbey. We had a pleasant interview with the Rev. Mr. Nolan, the kind and patriotic priest of this neighborhood, and we returned to Ballina as gratified and as tired as children after a holiday excursion. I was out next day, the 20th May, to an eviction. There was a strong force to protect the sheriff, but no mob to protect him from the tenant as was at work in England; had not fallen sick there. He was two years behind with his rent, and one could not wonder at it—upwards of a pound an acre on poor stony miserable soil, and then the taxes, which are a crushing burden in this miserable land, to be added to that. There was half a dozen articles put out of the miserable home, a few wretched jokes from the agent the shell of the house looked up and the face was over.

**SHIP NEWS.**

ARRIVED—June 22—bark Christian, 564, Andrews, Havre, A. Morrison.

24—bk Maria, Jensen, Algiers, deals, J. B. Suowball.

[A bark and bark, reported at the bar-bound up.]

CLEARED—June 22—bk Anetta, 370 Heggan, Irvine, deals, W. Muirhead.

23—bk Maria, Jensen, Algiers, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.

24, bk Sulo, Tortensen, Cardiff, deals, J. B. Suowball.

bk Yarra Yarra, Pedersen, Cartagena, Guy, Bevan & Co.

Photographs of the great jam of logs, South West Bridge, for sale at Colpitt's Photograph Gallery, Chatham, N. B.

**STAR BRIEFS.**

Strawberries. The potato bug is here. The Diptheria scourge still lingers.

No. 1 steam-pressed hay at George Stothart's—advd.

Mr. Sinclair has three first class boats for sale. See his advertisement.

Mr. Daly of Daly Brothers, Boston, and family are on a visit to their friends in Chatham.

Dr. McLarn, one of Newcastle's very popular and successful doctors, publishes his card in another column.

See the advertisement of Messrs. Sutherland & Creaghan, Newcastle's go-ahead business firm, in another column.