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MIRAMICHI ADVANCE.

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General Business.

NEW DRESS GOODS AND PRINTS. NEW HATS BOOTS & SHOES. NEW CLOTHING MEN'S & BOYS.

WHEN YOU GO TO
NEWCASTLE,
—AND WANT—
DRY GOODS & GROCERIES,
—TRY THE—
PEOPLE'S HOUSE.
You will there find the
LARGEST, CHEAPEST AND BEST ASSORTED STOCK.
JAMES BROWN.
NEW GROCERIES, A SPLEND'D STOCK.

For Sale.

All that tract of Land and premises known as Lot No. 36, situate in the Parish of Nelson, Semiwagan Ridge, beginning at a stake placed on the southern angle of Lot No. 35, granted to Patrick O'Brien, thence by the magnet south 45 degrees East 68 chains of 4 poles each, thence south 45 degrees West, 15 chains, thence North 45 degrees, East 68 chains to a hemlock, then e North 45 degrees, East 15 chains to place o beginning.

Containing 100 Acres More or Less.

There are from 12 to 15 acres cleared and a good barn 30x40 nearly new on the premises. The Highway runs in front of the said land, which was formerly owned by the late Ellen Regan, widow.

If not previously disposed of, will be sold in front of the office of Wm. Wilkinson, Chatham on Saturday, 1st of May next, at 12 o'clock, noon, by Public Auction. For further particulars apply to

CHARLES REGAN, } Trus s.
MICHAEL MORAN, }

Dated 26th Jan. 1880.

Brandy! Brandy!

50 HHDS. Martell BRANDY, pale and dark.
110 qr. casks do. do.
20 octaves do. do
800 cases X do. do.
100 cases XXX do. do.
125 cases Martell Brandy, flasks, 2 doz each, pale and dark;
100 cases Hennessy, do. do.

JOHN W. NICHOLSON,
Victoria Wharf, Smyth Street, St John.

REMOVAL.

DR. J. S. BENSON, has removed to the building on corner of Duke and St. John Streets, opposite Canada House.
Chatham, sept., 1879.

Human Hair Store.

Human Hair Goods of all kinds including
Ladies' Switches, Curls,
Frizzettes, Braids, &c.
Gentlemen's Wigs & Scalps
Fine Perfumery, Combs, Hair Brushes, Curling Irons, Hair Pins, and Fancy Goods, Immitation Hair, Braids and Switches, for sale at
CONROY & SON'S HAIR STORE,
59 GERMAIN ST., ST. JOHN.
Combings and Cut Hair made up in a superior manner, in all styles that the hair will admit of as at prices as low as regard for the quality of good work will admit of. 7M30

BEAUTIFUL SOUVENIRS.

How often do we hear the bereaved exclaim:—"Oh, if I just had its likeness; if I only had her Photograph I would not take a fortune for it!" Let such be a warning to those in the full flush of health. So while the lamp of life emits its bright and steady rays, while the full tide of health, while the bloom of physical perfection adorns the cheek, go to J. A. Stevens, Photographer, opposite the Canada House, Chatham, and get one of the best pictures ever taken. Get a dozen Photographs beautifully finished in card or cabinet size, or else some of those Tinytypes that he is making at such very low prices.

Don't put it off any longer but come at once.

The subscriber keeps a good stock of mouldings that he will make up to any size frame.

Don't mistake the place if you want good pictures but come to

J. A. STEVENS,
—OPPOSITE THE—
Canada House, - - Chatham.

Hotels.

BARKER HOUSE,
Fredericton.

I BEG to announce to the travelling public that I have again assumed charge of the Barker House, so well and favorably known, and it will be my aim to give entire satisfaction to my patrons as hitherto.

TERMS, FROM $100 TO $1.50 PER DAY, ACCORDING TO LOCATION.

Coaches are in waiting on the Arrival, of all Steamboats and Trains.

I shall continue to run
THE LIVERY STABLES
in my usual first class style and would respectfully solicit the continued patronage of the public.
ROBERT OGR.

PARK HOTEL
KING SQUARE,
ST. JOHN - N. B.

FRED. A. JONES, - - - Proprietor
(Of the late Barnes Hotel.)

WAVERLEY HOTEL.
NEWCASTLE, - - - - - MIRAMICHI, N. B.

THIS HOUSE has lately been refurnished, and every possible arrangement made to ensure the comfort of travelers.

LIVERY STABLES, WITH GOOD OUTFIT ON THE PREMISES.

ALEX. STEWART
Late of Waverly House, St. John. } Proprietor

Canada House,
CHATHAM, NEW BRUNSWICK.
WM. JOHNSTON, - - - PROPRIETOR.

CONSIDERABLE outlay has been made on this House to make it a first-class Hotel, and travelers will find it a desirable temporary residence, both as regards location and comfort. It is situated within two minutes walk of Steamboat Landing, and opposite Telegraph and Post Offices.

The Proprietor returns thanks to the Public for the encouragement given him in the past, and will endeavor, by courtesy and attention, to merit the same in the future.

GOOD STABLING ON THE PREMISES
2-52

ROYAL HOTEL,
King Square.

I HAVE much pleasure in informing my numerous friends and the public generally, that I have leased the Hotel, formerly known as the "CONTINENTAL," and thoroughly renovated the same, making it, as the "ROYAL" always had the reputation of being one of the best Hotels in the Provinces.

Excellent Bill of Fare, First-class Wines, Liquor and Cigars, and superior accommodation.

Blackhall's Livery Stable attached
THOS. F. RAYMOND.
St. John, July 9 1877.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

HARDWARE.
—TO:—
J. R. GOGGIN.
1880. SPRING. 1880.
Daily Arriving and in Store.

Locks and Knobs.
175 Dozen in Door, Mortise, Rim, Dead, Store Door, Front Door, Cupboard, Night, Stock, Cabin, Piano, Wardrobe, Chest, Trunk, Box, Drawer, Hill, Pad and Bag.
Knobs—Mineral, Porcelain, Bronze, Ebony, Silver Plate, Cut Glass, Mahogany, and all kinds
DOOR BELLS, (Plated)

Hinges.
1,200 prs. Butts, Brass Bo., Table T. Strap, Chest, Plate, Hook and Eye, Barn-Door and Gate, Door Rollers, and Hangers.
I have made a specialty in Locks, Knobs and Hinges. The Stock being large and well assorted. Having bought early before the last heavy advance I can sell under present wholesale prices.
BOLTS—all sizes from 1x11 to 12x2
Washers all sizes. Clinch Rings.
Square and Hexagon Nuts
500 Gross WOOD SCREWS, assorted.
Hames Traces, Halter Chains, Horse Halters, (cheap) Harness Mounting and Polish.
Brass and Iron Jack Chains, all sizes.

A full and complete Stock of
JOINER'S TOOLS,
the largest and best assortment yet offered, call and inspect.

Table & Pocket Knives.
105 Doz. Table Knives and Forks, Ivory Handle, Ivory Carve s, Bone and Horn Carvers and Steels, Plated Forks, (Table Knives, $1 60 per doz. and upwards) Pocket Knives in great variety, Butcher, Sheath, Shoe, Putty and Oyster, Can Openers
10 Dozen WALE & BUTCHERS Celebrated RAZORS.

Electro-Plated & Silver Spoons, Forks, etc., etc.

Oils, Paints, Varnishes.
Boiled and Raw Linseed, Seal, Machine, Neatsfoot, Castor and Olive, Turpentine.

White Leads.
Brandram's No. 1, Genuine Lion & Beaver, XX and XXX, Crown and Anchor,
Red Lead, Litharge.

Colored Paints.
Black, Red, Blue, Green, Yellow, Brown, Drab, Paris Green, Chrome, Indian Red, Persian Red, Vermillion, Drop Black, Ultramarine Blue, Prussian Blue, Vandykes, Rose Pink, Lampblack, Burnt and Raw Umbers, Burnt and Raw Siennas, Patent Driers, Red and Yellow Ochres, Graining Colors and Combs, London and Paris Whiting, Pumice Stone and Glue, all kinds, Fireproof Metallic Paint, (for roofs.)

Varnishes.
Body Finishing, Coaring, Rubbing, Pale Oak, Fine Pale Carriage, Hard Copal, Extra No. 1 Furniture, Lemon, Japan Driers, Imp. Black, Patent Knotting, Walnut, Stain and Stove Pipe.

GOLD LEAF AND BRONZE.

Brushes.
50 Doz Paint, Varnish, Sash, Marking, Stencil, Camel's Hair, Whitewash, Scrub, Shoe, Dea, Tar Brush and Dusters.
Chamois skins

RATCHET DRILL BRACES,
" Hand, "
Barber's Patent, "
(different makes)
Files, Rasps, (all kinds.)
Copper and Iron Rivets, all kinds and sizes
Tacks of all kinds.
Boat, Finish Clout, Tump, Wrought, Pressed, Clinch, Galvanized Tacks and Spikes. Horse Nails and shoes.

Hammers.
Machinist's B. P., Riveting, Smith's, Carpenter's, Claw, Tack &c., 8 and 10 lb. Sledges.

Axes.
Pench, Ship, Timber, Men's Boy's, Hunter's Ship and Carpenter's Adze, Augurs and Augur Bits, all sizes, Centre, Shell, and Nose Bits.

Stocks and Dies,
Spectacles in Variety.

Saws.
Cross, Cut, Hand, Panel, Tenon, Buck, Rip, Bracket, Fellow and Jig.
Clocks,
Tea Trays, in variety,
Hat and Coat Hooks, Screw Hooks,
Bird Cage Hooks, Pumps,
Wire Cloth, Nos. 3, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16
Wire Riddles and Sieves,
Steelyards, and Spring Balances.
Tumbigo,
Umbrella Stands,
Shel Brackets (in great variety)
Sheep Shears,
Wire Clothes Lines,
" Baskets, Chamber Pails.
50 Boxes WINDOW GLASS, 7x9 to 24 by 36.
PUTTY.
LEAD PIPE, SHEET LEAD, ZINC.
Gilded Stove Fixtures.
TAR, PITCH, ROSIN, OAKUM.
SPORTING and BLASTING POWDER.
FUSE, all kind.
GUNS, Single and Double Barrelled.
REVOLVERS, (in variety.)
CARTRIDGES, all kinds.
Wool, Cotton and Horse CARDS.
Cod, Mackerel, Trout LINES and HOOKS.
☞ This Stock is large, cell and inspect.
Pots, Kettles, Stew, Sauce and Frying Pans.
CLOTHES WRINGERS.
Weaver's Reeds.
Dye Stuffs, all kinds.
Borax, Blue Stone, Saltpeter, Alum, Indigo, Culbeur, Sulphur, Brimstone, Bee's Wax, Extract Logwood.
Axe Grease.
Waggon Axles, Springs and Castings.
Rubber Bumpers.
Sand Paper, Emery Paper, Emery Cloth.
Wash Boards, Door Mats, Rubber do., Table Mats.
Window Blind Rollers, Complete for 20c. cheapest yet.
1 Cask superior Lime Juice.
Snuff.
Plough Rope.
Dry and Tarred Paper.
Roofing Pitch.
Can Hooks.
Coal Vases and Hods.
3 doz Cow Bells.
24 Carriage Mats (Alacand Choice.)
Vices.
Coil Chain, 3-16, 1 4, 5-16, 3-8, 7-16, 1-2, 9-16.
BEST REFINED IRON, all sizes.
CAST STEEL, (Peys Steel, Octagon.)
BLISTER STEEL.
HORSE HOES, 1,000 lbs.
70 Kegs Cut Nails and Spikes.
Wrought and Galvanized Nails and Spikes.
Boat Nails 1 to 4 in., Wrought.
Caulking Mallets and Irons.
Marline pikes, Ship Scrapers.
Top Maul, Mallets.
Sailor's Palms, Sheath and Needles.
16 inch Sail Hooks.
Red and White Chalk.
Counter Scales and Weights.
Cash Boxes.
A Complete Stock COFFIN MOUNTING.
Choice VIOLINS, Strings, Steel, &c. &c.
RAT TRAPS, the latest and best.
Shovels, Spades, Picks, Hoes, Manure and Hay Forks.
15 Doz. Grass Scythes.
10 " Snaths.
15 " Hay Rakes.

It is quite impossible to enumerate here the few articles here that I have on sale. But a call for inspection will show that I have the largest and best assorted stock of General Hardware, ever offered for sale in Miramichi, the equal to any in the Province for variety. Having a large Stock on hand previous to the late Fire Crisis, and buying early before the last heavy advance in all branches of the trade, I am prepared to sell much below what prices would have been otherwise, a saving of about 20%.

J. R. GOGGIN,
General Hardware Merchant, Chatham, N. B.

LATE ARRIVALS
—AT—
J. B. SNOWBALL'S,
CHATHAM.

JUST RECEIVED.
PER R. M. STEAMER, VIA HALIFAX:
—150 PIECES—
NEW STYLISH PRINTS,
5 Bales UNBLEACHED COTTONS, (various grades.) 1 Bale "HORROCKSES" CELEBRATED LONG CLOTHS, 8 4, 9-4 & 10 4, Bleached COTTON SHEETINGS, (twilled and plain.) 45 inch PILLOW COTTONS,
SCARLET AND WHITE FLANNELS,
NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, LACE LAMBREQUINS,
(FOR TOP OF WINDOWS,)
Curtain Damasks, Curtain Repps,
(WITH TRIMMINGS TO MATCH)
—36 AND 72 INCH—
BEST ENGLISH FLOOR OIL CLOTHS,
1 Case Ladies' English Walking Hats (Novelties and cheap,) Children's Sun Hats, Misses' Leghorn Hats, (pretty shapes,) New Flowers, New Mantles,
Gingham, Alpacca, and Silk Umbrellas,
CORSETS,
—A LARGE LOT OF—
LADIES' SILK NECK SCARFS,
LADIES' LACE NECK SCARFS,
New Neck Frillings, Bonnet Borders,
BRAIDS, PEARL BUTTONS, PINS, &c.
GENTS' LINEN COLLARS.
P. S.—Balance of Spring Stock expected about the 15th inst
CHATHAM, May 3, 79.

General Business.

Practical Tailoring.

Gentlemen requiring suits, or separate Garments, or anything else in the Tailoring line, can have their orders, which are hereby respectfully solicited, promptly attended to by the Subscriber at his shop. A well-selected Stock of
CANADIAN TWEEDS
is now on inspection, for which orders are solicited.
Gentlemen's and Youths' Garments
are also made to order from materials furnished by themselves.
F. O. PETERSON, Tailor.
☞ Opposite the Golden Ball, Chatham.

20 All Chromo Cards, Rosebud Motto, Japanese. Your choice with name, 10c. Nassau Card Co., Nassau, N. Y., U. 3E208.

T. F. KEARY,
NEAR OF CUSTOM HOUSE, CHATHAM
IMPORTER & WHOLESALE & RETAIL
DEALER IN
Choice Brands of Wines,
LIQUORS and CIGARS,
CANNED GOODS, ETC.
A large quantity of bottled ENGLISH ALE and IRISH PORTER on hand and for sale by the dozen or barrel.

Institute of the
Brothers of the Christian Schools.
St. Michael's Classical and
Commercial College,
CHATHAM, - - - N. B.
This College has for its object to impart to young men, together with the benefit of a Christian education, the necessary knowledge of commerce in all its branches, and whatever else may fit them for industrial pursuits.
Terms of Board and Tuition.
Board and Tuition for the Scholastic year, payable in advance, in two terms: $70; Sept. 1st: $35; February 1st, $35.
The Board dates from the 1st or 15th of each month, according as the pupil entered in the first or last half of the month.
Physician's fees, medicines, Instrumental Music, Navigation, Telegraphy, Drawing and Stationery, form extra charges.

Washing	$10 00	per annum.
Drawing	5 00	" "
Navigation	5 00	" "
Telegraphy	5 00	" "
Bed and bedding,	8 00	" "
Half-board,	20 00	" "
Instrumental Music	20 00	" "

Commercial Diplomas are given to those who pass a satisfactory examination in the requisite branches.
For further particulars apply to
BRO. LOUIS, Director.

New Tin Shop.
THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has opened a new Tin Shop, on Cunard Street, adjoining Carmichael Bros., store, where he is prepared to attend promptly to all orders for
Sheet-Iron,
Tin-work,
and Gas-Fitting.
PARLOR & COOKING STOVES.
MICA! MICA!!
CULINARY UTENSILS.
☞ CHEAP FOR CASH. ☜
HUGH P. MARQUIS.
Chatham, Oct. 1, '79.

In Store,
50 CHESTS TEA, very good and cheap.
100 Bbls. and half bbls. HERRING.
100 Qrls. CODFISH.
20 Bbls. and half bbls. MACKEREL.
Pork, Flour,
Meal, Molasses, etc.
☞ Any of the above will be sold low.
ALSO, IN STOCK,
a full stock of
General Dry Goods,
At remarkable LOW PRICES.
ARGYLE HOUSE,
CHATHAM.
Feb 17, 1880 WM MURRAY.

GOLDEN BALL,
BOOT & SHOE STORE
—AND—
Furniture Emporium.
We are in receipt of full lines of kinds of WINTER GOODS, comprising:
BOOTS, SHOES,
Rubbers, Overshoes, &c., &c.
and as we make it a point to buy from the best houses only, our Stock can be relied on for durability, the satisfactory nature of our sales during the last twelve years being proof of the same.
We would, therefore, respectfully solicit a call before purchasing elsewhere
FOTHERINGHAM & Co.
Chatham, 27th Nov., 1879.

Brokerage, etc.

LUKE STEWART,
SHIP BROKER & COMMISSION MERCHNT,
SAINT JOHN.
NEW BRUNSWICK
1-52

W. & R. Brodie,
GENERAL
Commission Merchants
AND
DEALERS IN
FLOUR, PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS,
No. 16, ARTHUR STREET,
Next the Bank of Montreal.
QUEBEC.

WILLIAM J. FRASER,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
TEAS, SUGARS, MOLASSES &c.
HEAD OF CENTRAL WHARF,
UPPER WATER STREET,
HALIFAX N. S
CONSIGNMENTS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

Vroom & Arnold,
SHIP BROKERS AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
MARINE INSURANCE AGENTS,
SMYTH STREET,
ST. JOHN N. B.
W. E. VROOM. E. H. ARNOLD.

Medical.

HEARTBURN,
—OR—
SOUR RISING,
Oppression after eating, and every form of DYSPEPSIA are soon relieved by
PERISTALTIC LOZENGES.
They restore the action of the Liver and Stomach, and cure COSTIVENESS and its results.
For Sale by
JOHN PALLEN, - - Chatham.
E. LEE STREET, - - Newcastle.
JAMES DOYLE, - - - Douglastown.
JOHN KAIN, - - - Nelson.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE
LINIMENT.
For Internal and External Use.
CURES—Neuralgia, Diphtheria, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Influenza, Sore Lungs, Bleeding at the Lungs, Chronic Hoarseness, Hacking Cough, Whooping Cough, Chronic Rheumatism, Chronic Diarrhœa, Chronic Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Kidney Troubles, Diseases of the Spine and Same Back. Sold everywhere.

AYER'S
SARSAPARILLA
FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

This compound of the vegetable alteratives, Sarsaparilla, Dock, Stillingia, and Mandrake with the Iodides of Potash and Iron, makes a most effectual cure of a series of complaints which are very prevalent and afflicting. It purifies the blood, purges out the lurking humors in the system, that undermine health and settle into troublesome disorders. Eruptions of the skin are the appearance on the surface of humors that should be expelled from the blood. Internal derangements are the determination of these same humors to some internal organ, or organs, whose action then derange, and whose substance they disease and destroy. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA expels these humors from the blood. When they are gone, the disorders they produce disappear, such as *Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Costiveness, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter and Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Ulcers and Sores, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain in the Bones, Side and Head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhœa arising from internal ulceration and uterine diseases, Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Emaciation and General Debility.* With their departure health returns.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
LOWELL MASS.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.

Law.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of British N. T. Underhill, an Insolvent.

A meeting of the creditors of the above named Insolvent is hereby called for Thursday, the twenty ninth day of April next, at my office in Chatham, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of taking into consideration a certain offer of composition, made by the Insolvent at a meeting of his creditors, held this day in my office in Chatham, which at such meeting was duly approved of by a majority of the creditors present at such meeting, which offer was to pay the sum of one cent on the dollar at the time of reconveyance by the Assignee.

Dated at Chatham, this 30th day of March, 1880.
JOHN ELLIS, Assignee.

Sheriff's Sale.

To be sold at Public Auction, on Thursday 24th day of April next, in front of the Registry Office, in Newcastle, between the hours of 12 noon, and five o'clock, p. m.:

All the right, title and interest of Jeremiah Casey, in and to all that piece or lot of Land, situate, lying and being on the south side of the Southwest Branch of the Miramichi River, in the Parish of Nelson, and County of Northumberland, known as the upper half of the Lot letter O, granted to James Gillies; bounded Easterly, by Alexander Esson's lands; Westerly by Lot N, granted to George Flett; Northerly by the Southwest Branch of said River, and extending Southerly to the full extent of the original grant, and known as the David Mott property; being the lot of land conveyed by W. L. Stuart to the said Jeremiah Casey and Patrick Casey, junior, by deed dated 13th March, A. D., 1868, and being the land and premises upon which the said Jeremiah Casey at present resides, containing 150 acres more or less

Also, all the right, title and interest of Timothy McCarthy, in and to all that piece, parcel or lot of land, situate lying and being on the Semiwagan Ridge, in the Parish of Nelson and County aforesaid, and bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly, by the Queen's Highway or Great Road, leading through the Semiwagan Settlement. Westerly by lands owned by Michael Mahaf, Easterly by lands occupied by John Walsh, and Northerly by wilderness or Crown Lands—being the lands and premises upon which the said Timothy McCarthy at present resides, and containing 200 acres more or less.

The same having been seized under and by virtue of an Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court by David Ritchie, John Ritchie Robert Ritchie, and Allan Ritchie, against the said Timothy McCarthy and Jeremiah Casey.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, January 5, A.D. 1880. } JOHN SHIRREFF, Sheriff of Northumberland County.

For Sale.

Pine, Spruce, and Hemlock Boards, Refuse Deals, Pine and Spruce Clapboards, planed Laths Palings; No. 1 and No. 2 Brick.
JOHN FLETT.
Nelson, March. 4. 80. 411

NOTICE.

I have appointed William Cottier of Newcastle my Deputy for the County of Northumberland to all whom it may concern } JOHN SHIRREFF, Sheriff of Northumberland County.

WM. A. PARK,
Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor,
NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER, &C.
OFFICE:—OVER THE STORE OF W. PARK, Esq
CASTLE STREET
NEWCASTLE, N.B

Notice to Trespassers.

All persons are hereby forbidden to land on Bay du Vin Island, as has been the practice with some in the past, who have committed trespasses thereon by cutting trees and doing other damage. All such persons will hereafter be dealt with according to law.
J. & T. WILLISTON.

Sheriff's Sale.

To be sold at Public Auction on Thursday the 10th day of June, 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 Joseph White in and to all that piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on the South side of the Northwest Branch of the river Miramichi in the Parish of Southesk, bounded in front by the said river; Above by the Indian Reserve lands, and below by Lot number Twelve, and in rear by the second tier of lots; and is known as Lot letter N in the grant thereof to the late Neil McLean, deceased; and contains 185 acres more or less, being the same land and premises on which the said Joseph White now resides:—except the small piece of the said Lot heretofore conveyed by the said Joseph White to the Trustees of the Presbyterian Church for a manse.

The same having been seized under and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court, at the suit of Oliver Willard against the said Joseph White.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, this 23rd, Feby. A. D. 1880, } JOHN SHIRREFF, Sheriff of Northumberland Co.

LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers at private sale, the field situate on the Easterly side of the Richibucto Road, in the Parish of Chatham, between the lands of the late James Kerr, Esq., and Michael Delaney, containing five acres. There is a good Frame Barn on the premises. The field is now under grass and cuts about eight tons hay, annually. For Terms of purchase apply to the subscriber.
ANDREW DUNCAN,
Or to L. J. TWEEDIE, Barrister.
If the above is not sold before the 1st day of May, it will on that day be offered at Public Auction, in front of Letson's Weigh Scale, at 12 o'clock noon.

Miramichi Advance,

CHATHAM. - - - - - - APRIL 15, 1880.

Mr. Snowball's Speech on the Budget.

[From the Hansard Report.]

Mr. Speaker: In resuming the debate on this question, it seems to me very unfortunate that after a year's experience of this tariff, so many hon. gentlemen on this side of the House feel compelled to come forward and reiterate, in the strongest manner, the convictions they expressed last year in relation to this subject. I have been struck during the course of this debate by the earnestness which has been displayed by so many hon. gentlemen on this side of the House. I have also thought that the hon. members on the other side of the House, have not in all cases tried to meet the arguments which have been brought forward on this side, as fully as might have been expected of them.

The speech of the hon. member for Cardwell, Mr. White, was delivered with the usual force of that hon. gentleman; yet, whatever failings there were in that speech, it presented the advantage of closely following the lines laid down by the leaders of the Government in relation to the subject.

A BIG BLUNDER EXPOSED.

The hon. gentleman, in opening his remarks, told us that the first Budget of the late Finance Minister imposed a tax on this country of $26,000,000. Now, I have sought in the public records to find on what the hon. gentleman based his information, and so far have not been able to find any ground for such a statement. I do find that in 1874 the late Finance Minister brought down an estimated expenditure for 1874-5 of $23,713,000. In the face of that fact, where did the hon. gentleman get his information in reference to the $26,168,000 he spoke about? When asked where he got it, he showed us a book stating that that was where his statement could be proved. But that book did not contain the estimates, but only the Supply Bill. The hon. gentleman told us that he had studied this question not only while he had been a member of this House, but during the many years he had been in the press gallery, and that, therefore, he knew fully what he was talking about. Is it possible the hon. gentleman made that statement with the clear intention of deceiving the country? Or did he make it, not knowing that he was quoting from the supplies that had no direct connexion with the estimates, and that those supplies contained an item of $13,107,000, which belonged to capital account? Whether it was an error or not, the statement will not raise the hon. gentleman's character as a financial authority. I find the hon. gentleman's speech is published in the Montreal *Gazette*, but in that paper he is not reported fully, and as he should have been, for his statement in reference to that point is entirely omitted, but I find that in the first portion of this speech he is reported as saying that "the hon. member for Centre Huron, (Sir Richard Cartwright) in the first budget speech that he delivered in this House, imposed upwards of $3,000,000 additional taxes upon the people." This is the first part of the argument which he adduced to prove the position he had taken in reference to the $26,000,000, the amount he stated was asked for in the first Budget speech of the hon. member for Centre Huron. He asserts that that hon. gentleman added $3,000,000 additional taxation to the burdens of the people of the country. I suppose hon. gentlemen opposite are quite willing to accept the estimates for 1873 4 of $23-823,-000 as theirs, and the actual expenditures for that year of $23,316,000 showing an expenditure of $507,000 less than the estimates, as the fair basis on which to estimate their last expenditure previous to going out of office.

ON THE WRONG TRACK

I find the hon. member for Cardwell, after laboring very nearly an hour to prove that the Liberals, after coming into power, had in their first year, that is in 1874 5, imposed $3,000,000 additional taxes on the country, now abandons that statement entirely, and later in his remarks states the expenditure in the year 1874-5 reached the sum of $1,417,000 in excess of the greatest expenditure of the previous administration. By what rule of argument did the hon. gentleman so suddenly drop from the first position he took, and adopt a sum of less than half of the amount that he argued so long to sustain? This statement, however, is equally at variance with the truth. As far as I can find out of the Public Accounts, the expenditure for 1874-5 was $23,713,000, and for this I defy contradiction; whereas, for the year previous, for which the previous administration was responsible, the expenditure was $23,316,000, making a difference of only $397,000, and an over statement of the hon. gentleman of $1,020,000 from his reduced figures. On what grounds can the hon. gentleman justify such gross misstatements?

STILL AFTER WHITE.

Now the hon. gentleman goes through the whole five years of the Mackenzie administration, giving figures for each year's excessive expenditure which are equally at variance with the truth; but let us follow him and analyze his statements. The expenditure for 1875-6 was $24,488,000. Deduct now their expenditure of 1873 which, as before stated, was $23,316,000, and we have a balance of $1,172,000 which the late administration expended more than the previous one did in 1873-4. But the hon. gentleman is not willing to put the sum at $1,172,000. He puts it at $2,152,000. In 1876-7 the expenditure was $23,519,000. Take from this amount again the highest expenditure authorised by the previous administration, viz: $23,-316,000, (and this is what the hon. gentlemen asked), and you have a balance of only $203,000, whereas the hon. gentleman stated the balance was $1,223,000. The next year 1876-7, the hon. gentleman stated the extra expenditure was $1,203,-000, whereas it was only $186,000. For the year 1878-9 he puts the excessive expenditure at $2,155,000; it was only $1,-139,000, and for this excessive expenditure the Mackenzie Government was not wholly responsible, as the hon. gentlemen opposite came into power this year, and over-expended the estimates by $786,308. I would, however, be willing to give them the benefit of all this if they wish it, as I will show that the Mackenzie Government actually reduced the expenditure during their administration. To sum the whole matter up, the hon. gentleman says there was an excessive expenditure during those years of $8,152,000, whereas, according to the Public Accounts published by themselves, the excessive expenditure during those five years is only $3,097,000. There is an alarming difference in these figures and some person should be able to account for them. But I can go still further and show that in those years, not only does the extra expenditure not exceed $3,097,000 but that

THE LATE ADMINISTRATION PAID MORE INTEREST

on the money borrowed by the Government to carry on the public works of the country, than did the former administration to the extent, in—

1874-5 Extra Interest	$ 866,353	88
1875-6 "	676,405	76
1876-7 "	1,072,790	94
1877-8 "	1,324,447	24
1878-9 "	1,470,297	83
Total	$5,410,355	65

THEY ALSO CONTRIBUTED TO THE SINKING FUNDS

extra amounts above the contributions of the former Government, as follows: In—

1874-5	$ 41,833	32
1875-6	309,033	82
1876-7	314,453	59
1877-8	431,826	02
1878-9	523,299	76
Total	$1,620,466	01

which added to the additional interest makes a grand total of $7,030,821.66. Deduct from this the several amounts expended yearly, as I have shewn, in excess of the expenditure of 1873-4, viz:—

1874 5	$ 396,754	29
1875 6	1,172,655	36
1876 7	202,985	02
1877-8	186 841	50
1878-9	1,139,064	81
Total	$3,097,700	98

These figures show that

THE LATE GOVERNMENT HAD TO PAY

$5,410,000 more in those years than their predecessors did. This money did not go into the ordinary expenditure of the country and, therefore, they should receive credit for it. They also paid $1,620,000 into the Sinking Fund more than their predecessors, taking the year 1873 4 as a criterion, clearly showing that the Mackenzie administration not only were able to check the enormous expenditure of their predecessors, but that they saved to the country $3,933,000 during these years, instead of having, as the hon. member for Cardwell stated, expended over $8,000,000 additional. We all know it is very easy for Ministers, as it is for individuals, to increase their expenditure from year to year, but to check it is a more serious matter, and one which only can be accomplished with courage and ability.

The hon. the late Finance Minister was able to reduce the expenditure of this country during the time he was in office, and I think that in the face of his having to pay the large amount of interest on the capital borrowed to construct our public works, and of his having paid these large sums into the sinking fund, that his succeeding to do so is a marvel.

A LITTLE MORE SUGAR.

I find that the next subject the hon. gentleman dwelt upon was the price of refined sugar; I do not intend to deal with this subject, as it has already been largely dealt with by other speakers. There are, however, one or two statements which really require a passing remark. He told us that he found that the average price of sugar in 1876 was $9.50; in 1877 $10.66, in 1878 $9.34, and in 1879 $9, and he adds that the effect is, that the people of Canada instead of having the price of their sugar increased had it one cent per pound cheaper than they would if the present tariff had not come into operation. This is a most extraordinary statement to make—that after an increase of 25 per centin the shape of duty, the people bought it for one cent less per pound. If that argument holds good, they had better put on another 25 per cent. and see if it will reduce the price still more. Then he went on to tell us that the price has gone up this year in sympathy with the increased cost of raw sugar. Now, if that is the reason, and it undoubtedly is so in part, why did he not go on and tell us that the price went down last year in sympathy with the price of raw material, and if it had not been for the extra duty it would have been selling at $8 instead of $9.

I saw in the Toronto *Mail* of 24th March a criticism of the speech of the hon. member for Brant, (Mr. Patterson)—this is good Conservative authority, and it admits that the present tariff increased the price of fine sugars ten per cent. That paper stated that we use in round numbers 120,-000,000 pounds of sugar annually. Taking last year's average price, nine cents,

THE COUNTRY PAYS $10,800,000 FOR SUGAR

and ten per cent extra duty on this, $1,080,-000, being the difference between the old and present tariff, and for this large sum we are told we receive a benefit in the shape of having employment found for 400 men at Montreal. Why, if we divide this $1,080,000 into 400 shares we shall have $2,700 for each of these 400 men. Did the men get that amount? And is that the reason why this large additional burden has been put upon the people? Did the hon. the Finance Minister consider these men in imposing this burden on the country? I think he had more consideration for the employers of these men than for the men themselves, who received but a very small portion of that money. So far from the sugar duty having decreased the price of that commodity what are the real facts? This hon. gentleman tells us the price in 1878 and 1879, but he does not tell us what the price is in 1880. The price, to day, according to the Montreal *Gazette* is *eleven cents* per pound for refined sugar, whereas best refined sugar can be put on board ship in England at 6½ cents per lb.

SIR SAMUEL TILLEY—Why didn't they bring it here?

MR. SNOWBALL—The Ottawa *Citizen* of the 20th of the present month says that 22 car loads of sugar, ex *Polynesian* from England, were shipped over the Intercolonial Railway yesterday. Sugar is thus coming from England paying the duty. How can our own sugar be cheaper than that coming from abroad? On this 528,000 pounds of sugar, the revenue will benefit $17,000; but it shows that the refiners are not satisfied with the benefits given them, and are straining the last fraction from consumers.

THE APPEALS FROM NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. I.

We are told that this tariff bears equally and justly on all parts of the Dominion. If that is so, what mean the appeals from the Hon. the Finance Minister's own native Province for relief from its evil effects? What mean the appeals we have heard from hon. members from P. E. Island? These hon. gentlemen, with one exception, supported the Government through every division on this tariff, and now after a year's trial of a tariff, that they themselves assisted to force on the country, what do we find? Why, hon. members from that Province taking a stand far beyond that of hon. members from