

ing him his head, and made a speech, and also about the discrimination made between members of the Snowball party—the inviting of some and the ignoring of others—and finally—about a hundred laughable yet pointed things. Such a huge force, such an utter mistake and collapse as has been the Blake demonstration here, is not in the memory of any man living in the County of Northumberland.

(To be continued.)

**COLLAPSE OF THE BLAKE EXCURSION.**

Mr. Snowball's little tug towed over Mr. George McLeod's huge cattle scow Thursday morning, to bring such of the Blake excursionists down the river, as could not find room with Mr. Blake in the little tug "St. George." When the starting hour came there was only a dozen gloomy looking persons present. Mr. Blake being among that number. They waited an hour shivering in the raw gloomy north-east wind, and then with their reinforcements went on board the tug. There was no occupation for the big scow. She lay there with no one to go aboard of her, and looking about as ridiculous as the *Lucy* one who went off in Snowball's little tug. About half of this "twenty-one," were hired men with Snowball. The big ugly laden tug was then left at the wharf, and taken up river yesterday morning for the few who came down, for the hundreds who were expected.

When Sir Doctor Langvein visited Chatham, he was accompanied down river by fully eight times as many as accompanied Mr. Blake. The party went in Mr. Call's fine river boat "Audover." The little dory "St. George," with its motley "21" was the laughing stock of everybody who saw it go off Thursday morning.

**A PARALLEL.**

**A Matter of Color.**  
From the "Swiftbl." [From Nemesis.]  
We submit it to the Miramichi Conservators who have a sense of self-respect, whether they think it right that a man should be held up to ridicule on account of his race or color, because he happens to accept employment in the regular way of his business. We refer particularly to the attacks made upon the caterer who has charge of preparing the dinner to be given to-morrow evening in honor of Mr. Blake, under the auspices of the Liberal Reform party here. These attacks are more to be deprecated because they are made by persons who signed the party address presented to Sir E. C. Langvein at Chatham and, therefore, are presumed to speak for the Conservatives of the County. It is creditable to persons who cannot find any honorable way of attacking the French language and that are so creditably preparing to receive and do justice to Mr. Blake, that they imagine they can promote their party by publishing the fact that a negro is employed as a waiter, and making unbecoming references to him. It would be a poor Indian who could not give such men lessons in good manners and in the courtesy due to strangers, whether French or white.

**NEW MIXING COMPANY.**—A company has been formed under the name of the "Gloucester" Silver Mining Company, and the following have given their names at the Office of the Provincial Secretary: Wm. A. Hickson and John Sadler of Chatham, Samuel Adams of Leedville, Colorado, Robert A. Call of Newcastle, John J. Adams, of New York city, Edward J. Hickson and John Ellis of Bathurst; James Hickson and Rev. E. Hickson of St. John.

A simple, pure, harmless remedy that cures everything, and prevents disease by keeping the blood pure, stomach regular, kidneys and liver active, is the greatest blessing ever conferred upon man. Hop Bitters is that remedy, and its proprietors are being blessed by thousands who have been saved and cured by it. Will you try it? **ENGLER & CO.**

**LEGAL 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. COLLINS,  
Ed. "Star."

**Special Police.**

They swore in ten special police in Goggins' hardware store yesterday evening to protect the supper party, Mr. Blake et al, we suppose!

**Personal.**

Mr. J. L. Stewart one of our leading Provincial journalists, and editor of the St. John Sun, is in Chatham attending to Mr. Blake.

**Accident.**

On Saturday last, at 8 a. m., James Downer, filer in Mr. Snowball's saw-mill, received a cut on the back of the head. He was immediately attended to at Dr. Benson's house. The doctor closed the wound with seven stitches.

**The Bathurst Mines.**

A despatch to the St. John News of Thursday, says: "The Secretary of the Nigadoo Mining Company has a lot of beautiful specimens of ore on exhibition here. The last essay by Professor Bartlett of Portland Maine, pronounces the ore to contain 72 ounces of silver and 61 per cent. of lead to the ton of ore. Considerable excitement is manifested in Bathurst, and several prospecting parties are fitting out." From private information at hand, which we are not at liberty to publish, the Bathurst mines to say the least promise well.

**STAR BRIEFS.**

Mr. Kenny in our last issue should read Mr. Kenny.

The President's condition is said to be slowly improving.

**THE IRISH AGITATION.**

The small attendance at the weekly meeting of the Cork Land League has caused much comment. It is attributed to the fact that the Land Act has afforded the farmers much satisfaction. In Tyrone County, Mr. Rylant, the Home Rule candidate for Parliament, has espoused the cause of the laborers, who will support him.

At the banquet given to Mr. Dillon in Dublin on Monday, he said he was very strongly of the opinion that the passage of the Land Bill would immensely increase the difficulty of not rendering impossible the carrying out of the Land League movement on the old lines. He feared the yoke of landlord ascendancy would be so much altered as to make the people once more bow their heads beneath it, whereas if the fight had been continued another six months unconditionally they would have been in a position to dictate their own terms and abolish landlordism altogether. The majority of the League Executive body seemed to favor trying the Bill. Dillon believed at this stage the League could not prevent the people from trying the Bill, but he could not support the League policy of trying the Bill, and under the circumstances he would retire from public life for a few months and leave those who believed in this policy to carry it out unembarrassed. Dillon said he was prepared to acquiesce in it, and as he was unable to consistently co-operate therein, he felt it his duty to stand aside for the present.

**NEW FEATURES FROM AUSTRALIA.**

(From the San Francisco Daily Examiner)

COLS' CIRCUS.—The pavilion at the corner of Seventh and Market streets was fitted to the limit of its seating capacity last night to witness the initial performance of this mammoth show. The menagerie has been considerably enlarged since it left here on its tour around the world, by the addition of some of the wonderful birds and animals of the antipodes, and includes a white buffalo from India, the Moori war dances, Arabian athletes, kangaroos, ostriches, and other Australian curiosities. The grand entrance with its camel, elephant, ladies, knights in armor, and electric light shining on the ispagules and the brilliant accoutrements, was a sight

which brought forth applause from the audience. The wonderful performance which George Conkling puts his trained elephant through, was well done. The act consisting of running a bicycle on a wire suspended across the dome of the circus, caused a thrill to run through the spectators, and was performed by John Meriz, George Danbar and Adelaide d'Attalie. The batouise leaping by the corps of athletes showed with perfect human muscle can be brought by training, several of the members doing a double somersault in mastery style. William Organ then introduced his trick horses Humboldt and Hindoo, the former doing some wonderful jumping. The equestrian acts of Wocda Cook and Mlle. Adelades were well executed. It is a notable fact that none but bar-back riders are engaged, and these are champions of their calling. W. O' Dale Stevens, with his dancing globes and electric table seemed to meet with the approbation of the audience. Miss Linda Jead did a daring bare back hurdle, and leaping high her horse Salamander through great circles of fire. The troupe of six trained stallions made their bow to the audience next, and were put through their part of the performance by William Organ, which includes walking on their legs, setting down on chairs and other difficult and ingenious tricks. Taken altogether, the circus is the most meritorious one that has been here for good many years. The acrobats and riders are excellent, the animals well trained and the clowns have picked up some new jokes during their travels in foreign lands. It should be remembered that this mammoth and mighty exhibition is to give performances in Chatham, Tuesday, 20th Sept.—Advt.

**TWO HOURS AT WANE.**

**CHATHAM,**  
**FRIDAY & MONDAY**  
9th and 12th SEPT.  
Entire new Programme  
Second Night.

Newcastle, Tuesday, Sept. 13.  
Bathurst, Wednesday, Sept. 14.  
Dalhousie, Thursday, Sept. 15.  
Campbellton, Friday, Sept. 16.

**MR. KENNEDY AND FAMILY.**

Will give their ENTERTAINMENTS ON THE **SONGS OF SCOTLAND PROGRAMME.**

Let me sing to the Auld Scots Sangs,  
There's nae Luck about the House.  
Trio—O Memory.  
"Get up and Bar the Door, O."  
"Oh! Whistle and I'll come to ye, Annie Laurie."  
"Bonnie Prince Charlie."  
Duet—"Ae fond Kiss and then we Sever."  
"Scots wha hae ye Wallace bled."  
Piano and Violin—"Reels and Strathspeys."  
Recitative—"My Arms."  
Aria—"Sound an Alarm."  
Story—"Saunders McGlashan."  
Trio—"The Room o' the Cowden Knowes."  
"The Weary Yand o' Tow."  
"Flora Macdonald's Lament."  
Irish Song—"The Minstrel Boy."  
"Was within a Mile o' Edinboro' Town."  
"Sae will ye see."  
"AULD LANG SYNE."

**NEW LEATHER & SHOE STORE.**

The Subscriber having disposed of his tannery and retired from the business connected therewith, has opened a

**Leather, Boot, Shoe and FINDINGS STORE**  
**ON WATER ST., CHATHAM.**

North side west of the Commercial building, where he is hoping to give the public the benefit of his stock of goods at the Public patronage hitherto given to him.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,  
30th August 24, 1881

**HELP**

Yourselves by making money when a golden chance is offered. This is the best chance of your life. The only way to make money that is offered, generally becomes available, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. We furnish an expensive outfit and all that you need, free. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Sitton & Co., Portland, Maine.

**Cooley Milk Cans.**

I am sole manufacturer for the agent for the Cooley Patent Milk Cans in the four northern counties. No dairy should be without this excellent article, which is now used entirely by the Dublin and numerous other creamery associations. For sale low.

W. P. MARQUIS,  
Barrister, Chatham, 188

**HOTEL DUFFERIN.**  
Saint John - N. B.  
**THOMAS I. McMAKIN.**  
MANAGER.

**James R. Mitchell.**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Notary Public, Coarvoyance & Co.  
OFFICE:—Opposite Telegraph Office, King's Building, CHATHAM.

**NEWCASTLE, N. B.**  
August, 30th, 1880

**LIME. LIME.**

For sale at Canada Ballast Wharf, 400 Barrels Wood burned Cork Lime. Also—800 Barrels Quarrier, a superior article, at quantities of not less than 500 lbs. Farmers can make arrangements with the subscriber for lime suitable for land, at 50 lbs. net, cheap.

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**DOMINION EXHIBITION.**

**HALIFAX, Sept., 21st, 1881**

New Brunswick Exhibitors

**WILLET & QUIGLEY.**  
BARRISTERS, ATTORNEY  
NOTARIES PUBLIC, &c.

117 Queen St., North's Building, (up stairs),  
St. John, N. B.

**THOS. L. BOURKE,**  
IMPORTER OF  
**WINES, BRANDIE, CIGARS, &c. &c.**

**WHOLESALE,**  
25 WATER ST.,  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

**F. O. Peterson**  
MERCHANT TAILOR  
**CHATHAM N. B.**

I have now on hand a large stock of excellent cloths for Men and Youngs' Wear which I will make up at as reasonable a figure as any in the trade. All orders will receive prompt attention, and satisfaction guaranteed.

**GUNN & O'MALLEY**  
PROVISION MERCHANTS,  
Chatham and Newcastle.

**IMPOTANT TO SHIPMASTERS.**

Just received and for sale by the undersigned in Bond or Duty Paid—50 lbs. Extra Plate Beef a superior article.  
50 lbs. India Mess Beef.  
100 lbs. Canadian P. Mess Pork, (Expressly packed for Family use.)  
The whole of the above lately overhauled and is, etc.

**—ALSO—**  
**100 TUBS CHOICE BUTTER.**  
Prices moderate and quality guaranteed.

**—ALSO—** A complete stock of **Rops, Canvas, Oakum, Pitch, Tar** and other Chandlery Goods.

**GUNN & O'MALLEY,**  
Bathurst, N. B., May 25, 1881.

**DISSOLUTION.**

Notice is hereby given that the Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the name of **MERSEEAU & THOMSON**, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent and the business of **PHOTOGRAPHY AND PICTURE FRAMING** formerly carried on by them, will be continued by E. H. Thomson at the old stand, and all bills due to the late firm are payable to him and all debts owing by him will be paid by him.

E. H. THOMSON,  
E. H. THOMSON  
Chatham, Aug 23rd, '81.

**Look Right Here!**

and learn that having bought out Mr. Merseau's interest I am continuing the Photography and Picture Framing business at the Old Stand on my own account, and will until further notice make good Photographs at the unprecedented low price of **\$1.00 Per DOZEN**.

Picture Frames to order. Give me a call.  
**S. H. THOMSON,**  
Duke St., near Canada House,  
Chatham N. B., August 23, 1881, aug 21st if

**FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!!**

Stoves and Tinware.

The Subscribers take great pleasure in announcing to the general public that they have now, a complete stock of **NEW MEASURES,** and a complete outfit for same.

We make a specialty of our stamped Japan Ware.

The Stoves shall be promptly put up for our customers by ourselves.

Any Store-keepers requesting the same should not neglect calling on us for the same at our establishment.

We tender our sincere thanks for past favors, and hope to merit the continuance of the same.

**WOODS & McEWAN.**  
Chatham, June 15th, 1881. m3

**Tinware. Tinware**

The subscriber also offers a varied and extensive stock of Tinware, including Pails, Pans, Kettles, Saucepans, Stew Pans, Coal Hods, Laundry, Milk Strainers, Milk Pans, Flour sifters, colanders, Tea and Coffee Pots, Faty Pans, Water Sprinklers, &c. &c. All at the lowest figures for cash; easy terms on approved credit.

"N.B."—I make most of my own wares and can afford to sell at bottom prices.

**H. P. MARQUIS**  
Corner St. Chatham

**Trustee Notice.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles E. Cernochel and Sidney S. Carmichael, doing business at Chatham under the style and firm of Carmichael Brothers, have this day assigned all their estate and effects to the undersigned in trust for the benefit of their creditors, and the said Trust deed now lies at my office, Chatham, for signature, and the creditors are notified that in order to participate in the benefits of the said Trust deed they are required to execute the same within one month from date.

Dated the Twenty-fifth day of August, 1881.  
aug 27 **L. J. TWEEDEE,**

**THOS. L. BOURKE,**  
IMPORTER OF  
**WINES, BRANDIE, CIGARS, &c. &c.**

**WHOLESALE,**  
25 WATER ST.,  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

**Nettings & Twine.**

We keep always on hand a large supply of all orders promptly at posted prices.

**H. & G. W. LOED,**  
11 Commercial St.,  
Wolfeville, Mass.

Fishermen can be supplied at

**A. & R. LOGGIE'S,**  
MIRAMICHI

**BRILLIANT LIGHT!**  
**GREAT ECONOMY!**  
A GAS Light in Front of Any Man's House.

The Dominion Lighting Company, Manufacturers and Proprietors of the VAPOR GAS LIGHT, Contractors for lighting streets, etc., Plain and ornamental Lamps of all Patterns. A full sized Gas Jet for less than 1c. an hour.

This Company beg leave to call the attention of Cities and Towns wanting a Superior Street Light, also for use in front of public buildings, hotels, and about private grounds, etc., etc. Each lamp independent, produces its own gas, and is applicable to any place. It burns much like Coal Gas, without wicks or chimney, and emits neither odor nor smoke, the jet or flame is the same shade, and is not distinguishable from Coal Gas, and is thoroughly reliable in every way.

Patrons of St. John, and the whole of the Town of Portland, are lighted with our Vapor Gas, giving entire satisfaction. Correspondence solicited.

**HUGH P. MARQUIS, Agent for Chatham,**  
Aug. 17, '81—tf

**GREAT SALE OF STOVES!**

The Subscriber will sell at Auction, 400 STOVES DRIFT LUGS at Point aux Ceres, at the Colonial Foundry Sawville. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock a. m.

A credit of six months given for large amounts.

**A. E. DOUGLASS,**  
Sawville, Aug. 21st, '81. 2w  
Chatham Paper.

**DRIFT LUGS!**

The subscriber has now in his possession 300 STOVES DRIFT LUGS at Point aux Ceres supposed to have come from north side of Miramichi river. The owner can have the same by paying expenses.

**FINALEY McDONALD,**  
aug 20 4wly Point aux Ceres

**JUST RECEIVED**  
**AT THE**  
**Newcastle DRUG STORE,**

A Fresh Supply of Patent Medicines, viz: Maitine, Blizz Best Beef Wines and Iron, GELINE'S Wine, Hop Bitters,

**FELLOWS' Hypophosphites,**

Scott's, Putner's, Northrop's and Symon's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, as well as all the Standard Patent Medicines of the day.

**—ALSO—**

Lime Juice in bulk or in bottles.  
Mineral waters, Boyds electric Batteries only 50c each.  
Tooth and Nail Brushes.  
Canary Hemp, Millet, Maw and Rape seeds for birds.

**F. LEE STREET,**  
PROPRIETOR

Newslet's June 151881—t

**SALE OF LANDS.**

Department of the Interior,  
Ottawa, 13th August, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government will offer for sale by Public Auction, at the Dominion Lands Office, Winnipeg, beginning on MONDAY the 19th day of September next, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following lands, namely:

1. The lands in certain parishes on the Red and Assiniboine Rivers, then remaining undeposited. Of the upset price to be \$5 per acre.
2. The lands then remaining the property of the Government in the Menonite Reservation, situated in townships 1, 2 and 3, ranges 1 to 6 west, both in Chatham, and in township 1, range 1 east in the Province of Manitoba, at the upset price of \$3 per acre.
3. Certain School Lands in Manitoia situated in the best settled portions of the Province, at the upset price of \$5 per acre.

**TERMS OF PAYMENT.**

For the river lots and the lands in the Menonite Reservation, one-half in cash at the time of the sale, and the remainder in two years in equal annual instalments. For School Lands, one-fifth in cash at the time of sale, and the remainder in three years in equal annual instalments. Interest in each case to be charged at the rate of six per cent per annum on the unpaid balances.

Lists of the lands and explanatory maps may be obtained at the Dominion Lands Offices at Ottawa and Winnipeg.

By order,  
**LINDSAY RUSSELL,**  
Surveyor General,  
aug 24td

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for St. Andrew's Basin," will be received until THURSDAY, the 31st September next, in the harbor of St. Andrews, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen on application to the Collector of Customs, St. Andrews, and from whom printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, the bids to be opened in the presence of the contractor, who shall not be allowed to retract or amend his bid.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,  
**F. H. ENNIS,**  
Collector.

Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, 1st August, 1881. aug 17td

**John W. Nicholson,**  
**WHOLESALE IMPORTER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,**

Offers for sale the following goods in bond or duty paid:—

Martell brandy in cases and Quarter cases—Pale and Dark  
Martell brandy in cases—Pale and Dark  
Martell brandy in cases, XXX—Pale and Dark  
Martell brandy in cases, X—in pints, 2 doz each  
Honeyey Brandy in cases X.  
John De Kuper & Son's finest quality Gin in Bbls and Quarter Cases  
John De Kuper & Son's Gin in Green Cases  
Wine's Finest Cork Malt Scotch Whiskey in Quarter Cases  
Old Dublin (b) whiskey—12 years of age  
Highland Malt Scotch Whiskey in Qt Cases  
Finest Blended Glenlivet Whiskey in Cases  
Port wine, various grades  
Port Wine, Hunt's celebrated A.V. and A.V.A.  
Sherry, various grades  
Sherry, Richard Davis' celebrated Wines champagne, in baskets  
Goodrich & Wirt's finest quality Pure Spirits in bbls  
Rye Whiskey in bbls  
Kearney Whiskey in bbls  
base India Pale Ale, in bbls and bottles  
Guinness' Stout, in bbls and bottles.  
And sundry other goods.

**VICTORIA WHARF,**  
**SMYTHE ST., ST JOHN, N.**

**AUGUSTS,**  
1881.

**—FIRST FALL—**

**Importation.**

**RECEIVED THIS DAY,**

Ladies Straw Hats, new styles, Flowers, Feather.  
A SPECIAL LINE IN  
Satin, newest shades, at 50 cents per yard.  
2 cases Park's Wraps, White and Blue.  
2 cases Grey Coats.  
1 case Men's LINEN & DRAWERS.

**—ALSO—**

3 Bedroom Suits, 4 dozen  
Jane Seat Chairs, Carpet and  
Crotone, covered Lounges etc.

Agent for Messrs. Manchester, Robertson & Allison's CELEBRATED COTTON MADE SHIRTS, in white, fancy. Samples can be seen, sizes taken, and a perfect fit guaranteed.

**JAMES C. FAIREY,**  
Newslet's, August 10, 1881 (June 8, m)

**NOTICE OF SALE.**

Nathaniel Underhill, of the Parish of Blackville in the County of Northumberland and Province of New Brunswick, by virtue of a power of Sale contained in an Indenture of mortgage dated the 15th day of November in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy five, made between Nathaniel Underhill of the Parish of Blackville, in the County of Northumberland, in front of the honorable Wm. Mainfrard of Chatham in the County aforesaid, merchant of the other part duly registered in the Registry Office of the County of Northumberland, the 16th day of November A.D. 1875, in volume 37 of the County records, pages 18, 19 and 20, and is numbered 16 in said volume. There will, for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by the said mortgage, default having been made in payment of the first instalment thereof with interest thereon, be sold at Public Auction in front of "Loton's Weigh Scales" in the town of Chatham in the County of Northumberland, on Tuesday, the first day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon.

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being in the Parish of Blackville, in the County aforesaid, bounded on the western side by lands owned by John Underhill, in front by the Miramichi river, and in rear by wilderness land, being one half lot and containing seventy-five acres more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenance thereto.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August, A.D. 1881  
**L. J. TWEEDEE,** W. MURKHEAD,  
Solicitor for Mortgagee. Mortgagee,  
Chatham, 27th July, '81. td

**WILLIAM WYSE,**  
GENERAL DEALER,  
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,  
**CHATHAM - MIRMICHI, N. B.**

Merchandise and Produce received on commission. Liberal advances made

**ON CONSIGNMENTS**  
**M. A. FINN,**  
Importer of  
**WINE, LIQUORS, CIGARS, TOBACCO & RESTS & COO**  
**Wholesale and Retail**

**PRINCE WM. ST., Cor. Phoenix,**  
Hotel Dufferin Building, ST. JOHN, N. B.  
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