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The Weekly Star.

J. E. COLLINS, Editor.
FREDERICTON JUNE 12 1880.

The readers of this journal are hereby informed, that *Fredericton* is the Capital of New Brunswick, and that York Point, and Marsh Bridge, and Reed's Castle, and MacEvoy's, and the old Bell Tower, and Partridge Island, all remain just as they were!

THE "GLOBE" AND THE SENATE.

DAVID MILLS has discovered that even the *Globe* "goes round." Some years ago, when the lamented and high souled George Brown was alive, the *Globe* regarded the senate as one of the most sacred institutions in the land; a body above party, and above influences; intelligent in men, and *above* industry; the only tribunal in politics where private rights would always be conserved, and public wrongs, springing up in the lower branch be always blotted out. But at this time Mr. Brown himself was a senator, to which office there attached fair pittance, and much honor; and therefore it would be hardly fair to expect Mr. Brown to cry out for its abolition. It is true Mr. Brown, according to his brother Gordon who now succeeds him, always held privately—and it may be inferred very privately—that the senate was an expensive incubus, but this was altogether a different thing from expressing this conviction through the *Globe*, when such an opinion might help to undermine Senator Brown himself. Mr. Brown is dead and gone now, and the grass grows green upon his grave; yet we cannot but bear a tribute to the great caution he exercised in holding back his strong opinions about the abolition of the senate, while he held a seat in that body himself.

Gordon now, with a sippancy unbecoming a Scotchman, has let the cat out of the bag and tells in the *Globe* what his brother told him in confidence in the *Globe* office many years ago. George favored the abolition of the senate privately, he opposed it publicly. Gordon favored it publicly, and from the peculiarity of the family it may be fair to assume he opposes it privately. If the Grits, however, get into power again, the *Globe* may be expected to take another wheel; because then, and not before then, Gordon may stand a chance of a senatorship. But the worst fault with the senate is, as Sir Leonard Tilley told a STAR reporter the other day, that the national element is too largely developed in that body; and great principles are at a discount. When Mr. Mackenzie took office seven years ago, he found a moderate support in the senate, and during the five succeeding years he appointed at least ten Liberals to that body, yet the last session he held power he found his party weaker up stairs than the year he first went in. It would be a stupid thing of the Liberals and the *Globe*, therefore, if, under all these circumstances, they would not ask for the abolition of the senate.

A GENTLEMAN from the Grand Southern district is attending the Courts now held in this city, trying to recover alleged land damages sustained by the Grand Southern Railway Company. Our readers will not be surprised to hear that Mr. Murry Kay has engaged in the high and honorable occupation of assisting the prosecution.

THE PUBLIC OFFICES.

The public will be delighted to learn that the Surveyor General is in the city, and that the Crown Land Office will be open now for three or four days on a stretch. Mr Adams goes north on Monday and then the department will shut down again for a month. So too with all the other departments.

THE BEST OF IT.
It has often been remarked to us, and often has it been most bitterly complained of by the clerks in the office that the Surveyor General does not conform to the etiquette of the department, and carry a cane at all hours. They declare it is undignified and unworthy a man holding the very important position that he holds, to go through the streets without a cane. They further contend that there is no use in their trying to keep up the dignity of the office, or to prove to the public that those who earn their bread by working ought actually to be sent to jail and kept there, when the Surveyor General will not fall in line with them. So angry and disgusted has this made them that they have often passed poor humble Mr. Adams on the street without recognizing him; yet bestowing on him such a look as they passed, that he will likely remember so long as he lives.

We beg to offer this. If the Cane Bearers of the Crown Land department wish to uphold the dignity of their office, and to succeed in thoroughly disgusting the plebeian public with their doings, they must take Mr. Adams into their confidence and away up into their own high circle, and make him a present of a nice stick. We think it is too bad that the public service should suffer by Mr. Adams' carelessness in not supplying himself with a cane, and by his Superiors in the office feeling it beneath their dignity to present him with one, on the other.

This same line of argument applies also to all the other offices.

WAR!
At this age of ours when taxation is so light and times so good; it delights one to see the swarm of military Government are letting loose over the country. In olden times, say about the year 1812, there would be no need for volunteer forces at all, because all the border tribes were quiet, and you could not induce them to go to war. Now it is different; no man can tell the moment his farm or his live stock will be invaded; and the whoop of the savage, or the war cry of the American's may any morning ring through the still woods. There is not even so much danger to be apprehended from the foe without, as from the malcontents within. The tribes located along the Mouth of the Pokok, so rumour says, have been restless and warlike for many weeks. The Queensbury natives are absolutely on the war path, and it is a wise man could tell where they will carry their devastations. There are rumblings of an outbreak too, in the Keswick district; but we do not hope that the Stanley forces will keep any aggressive demonstrations in that quarter in check. The visit of Col. McShane and A. F. Street, Esq., to Stanley had a salutary effect upon any tribes who may be foolish enough to go to war against the splendidly drilled and disciplined forces of this Province. No doubt the Colonel sent forth a message to the natives like that celebrated American General did to the Canadians, promising them good crops and God's blessing, if they offered no resistance; and we have little doubt but Mr. Street added his post-script and inculcated some tidy moral to the natives whom he describes in a strangely restive condition, and giving every evidence of a feeling which cannot but end in a general war.

The colonel tells him not to be afraid; and while Mr. Street was in one of his most despondent fits on his way home, the colonel assured him that "the glory of Great Britain's Arms have never yet been tarnished," and added, while he gazed impressively into the sky, "nor will it now." Mr. Street is then represented as pressing the colonel's hand and looking happy. We must have some more on this war business.

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How little it takes to satisfy St. John after all!

We can say this to the *Truro Guardian*; if it does not stop abusing the Dominion Government, inside of three months it will be closed up. It has hardly two columns of commercial advertising.

Speaking of Fredericton matters to-day, the *Telegraph* says editorially:—"The Post Office business probably is settled." The *Telegraph* is not very far astray.

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Davis, Staples, & Co.

DEALERS IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, TOILET ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, BRUSH COMBS, &c.

CHOICE HAVANA CIGARS TOBACCO.

NEBRCHAUM & BRIAR PIPES FISHER'S CORNER, - - OPP. CITY HALL, Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.

Physicians Prescriptions carefully compounded from pure drugs, and at all hours.
F'ron, April 20, 1879.

For Sale.
200 Cords Dry Hardwood
75 Cords Softwood.
VERY LOW FOR CASH.
The above will be delivered where ever ordered.
JOHN OWENS,
Queen Street
Fredericton, Sept. 30th, 1879.—1f.

New Brunswick Railway.
TIME TABLE.
BEGINNING MAY 15th 1879.

Passenger Trains
LEAVE. A. M. ARRIVE. P. M.
Gibson, 9.00 Gibson, 4.00
Woodstock, 10.25 Woodstock, 1.35
Caribou, 8.15 Caribou, 5.00
Edmundston, 5.30 Edmundston, 7.40
T. HOBBEN, Superintendent.
Fredericton, May 13th, 1879. 1f

TO LET.
THE House on Queen Street, opposite the Bravley House, at present occupied by Dr. Currie; also, the two stores or offices in same building, occupied by W. C. Brown, J. P. and Miss Davidson. Also, the lower flat of the House on Campbell Street occupied by Mr. Geo. H. Simmons. Possession given 1st of May.
RAINSFORD & BLACK.
F'ron, Jan 31, 1880.—1f.

TO LET.
POSSESSION GIVEN IMMEDIATELY.
THE subscriber will let for a year or term of years, a nicely finished and situated Store 22x55 feet, at Gibson. Also, the lower flat of the grocery stand by W. R. Logan. The lessee will have a fine first proof cellar of the same size as the store. Enquire of
P. A. LOGAN.
Gibson, Feb. 12—1f

NOTICE
To Builders and all Others.
THE Subscriber has on hand all descriptions of
SPRUCE, PINE and HEMLOCK PLANK
Also Thoroughly Seasoned
PINE FINISHING IN SHEATHING AND OTHERWISE.
Also, DRY SPRUCE FLOORING AND SHEATHING
Also, LATHS, SHINGLES AND PALINGS
Keeps on hand a Large Assortment of SPRUCE, PINE and HEMLOCK LOGS, from which he is prepared to saw BILLS of SCANTLING to order at all times, and with despatch.
All Orders delivered FREE by careful and obliging teamsters.
Office: IN HILL (WEST END),
R. A. ESTEY,
Campbell Street.
Fredericton, July 15.—1f.

"PEOPLES HOTEL"
Nearly Opp. the New Post Office, QUEEN ST., - FREDERICTON.

THE subscriber having fitted and furnished the House formerly occupied by Mr. JOHN MOORE is now prepared to accommodate the public with a first-class country Boarding House. The House has been newly painted and papered throughout. The Furniture is new.
MEALS may be had at any time by giving a few minutes notice.
There is good STABLE and a large yard connected with the House.
Parties having parcels may feel safe in leaving them.
Come and see us, we know you will come back.
PRICES as low as the lowest.
J. A. LYNCH, Proprietor.
F'ron May 1, 1880.—3mo-5p.

NEW DOMINION HOTEL,
J. H. MCCOY, Proprietor.
Meals 15 cents. No charge will be made for parties who go away dissatisfied.
St. Mary's, Oct. 4, 1879, 3 mos

NORTH POLE FREEZER
and Refrigerator.
MESSRS. CLARK & LOCKERLY
Sole Agents for the Dominion Government,
North Pole Freezer and Refrigerator which is on exhibition at my Hardware Store.
June 10. JAS. S. NEILL.

CUTLERY.
ASK American Table Cutlery,
For sale low by
JAMES S. NEILL,
Fredericton, Oct. 14, 1879.

WELLAND CANAL.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.
SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned (Secretary of Railways and Canals) and endorsed "Tender for Bridges, Welland Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Western Mails on TUESDAY, the 15th DAY OF JUNE next, for the construction of swing and stationary bridges at various places on the line of the Welland Canal. These for highways are to be a combination of iron and wood, and those for railway purposes are to be of iron.

Plans, specifications and general conditions can be seen at this office on and after MONDAY, THE 31st DAY OF MAY next, where forms of tenders can also be obtained.
Parties tendering are expected to have a practical knowledge of works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the firm, and further an accepted cheque for a sum equal to \$250 for each bridge, for which an old is made, must accompany each Tender. The cheque shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.
The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract the party or parties whose tender it is proposed to accept will be notified that their tender is accepted subject to a deposit of five per cent. of the bulk sum of the contract, which the sum sent in with the tender will be considered a part—to be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General within eight days after the date of the notice.
Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.
This department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By Order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

DEPT. OF RAILWAYS AND CANALS,
Ottawa, 29th March, 1880.
Fredericton, April 7, 1880.—1awJune15

JUST RISING FROM THE ASHES!
OWEN SHARKEY
Now occupies his New Building, (at the old stand), where he will be glad to meet all his old friends and customers, and all who will be kind enough to favor him with their patronage.
The Stock comprises
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS
CLOTHES, TWEEDS and WORSTED COATINGS,
Ready-Made Clothing for Men and Boys.
Also HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, VALISES
ROOM PAPER, &c

All imported previous to the advance in the Tariff and will be sold at prices that must guarantee satisfaction.
OWEN SHARKEY.

HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY
ST. BASIL, MADAWASKA.
THIS new institution occupies a beautiful site on the banks of the St. John. Its position unites all the benefits of country atmosphere with every desirable facility for youthful exercise and amusement; nothing is neglected to promote the health and well-being of the pupils. The course of study comprises English, French, Composition, Geography, History, Arithmetic, Book-Keeping, Bookbinding, Botany, Instrumental and Vocal Music, Penmanship, Plain and Fancy Needlework.
TERMS:
Board and tuition, per year, \$50.
Books and use of instruments, \$10.
Drawing, \$5.
Washing, \$5.
Fancy work, \$5.
The train running from Grand Falls to Little Falls affords an easy mode of access. Great attention is given to the French course, which is confined to the special care of French teachers.
Nov. 27, 1879.—w & t-w 1 year

TO LET.
THE SHOP at present occupied by Mr. SAMUEL OWEN in the subscribers building, Queen Street. Possession given 1st of May. Apply to
Mrs. E. W. MILLEH.
F'ron, Jan. 27, 1880.—1f.

JAMES BOONE,
HARNESS MAKER,
Ferry Landing, Saint Mary's, York County, N. B.
Harness, Brides, saddles, Whips, etc.
Orders promptly attended to on reasonable terms. Repairing executed in a satisfactory manner.
Oct. 28, 1879.—6 mos.

BOARDING HOUSE.
GEO. LEE, - - Proprietor,
WESTMORLAND STREET.

"WESTERN" FIRE INSURANCE CO.
WE beg to intimate that we have been appointed agents for the above first class company and are now prepared to extend their lines in any single Risk to
JOHN RICHARDS & SON.
F'ron, March 4, 1880.—1f

"ELDON HOUSE."
No. 190 Union Street, St. John, N. B.
PERMANENT and TRANSIENT Boarders accommodated on reasonable terms.
W. A. LIVINGSTON, Proprietor.
Oct. 2, 1879.—1y.

\$66 a week in your own town. Terms and \$5 outfit free. Address H. HALLIETT & Co., Portland Maine.

WELLAND CANAL.

NOTICE TO MACHINIST-CONTRACTORS
SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned (Secretary of Railways and Canals) and endorsed "Tender for Lock Gates, Welland Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western Mails on THURSDAY, the 5th day of JUNE next, for the construction of Gates, and the necessary machinery connected with them, for the new locks on the Welland Canal.

Plans, Specifications and General Conditions can be seen at this office on and after THURSDAY, the 20th day of MAY next, where forms of tender can also be obtained.
Parties tendering are expected to provide the special tools necessary for, and to have a practical knowledge of works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and, further, an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to \$250, for the gates of each lock, must accompany each tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.
The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract the party or parties whose tender it is proposed to accept will be notified that their tender is accepted subject to a deposit of five per cent. of the bulk sum of the contract—of which the sum sent in with the tender will be considered a part—to be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General within eight days after the date of the notice.
Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.
This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By Order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

DEPT. OF RYS. AND CANALS,
Ottawa, March 29, 1880.
Fredericton, 6th April, 1880.—1awt June 3.

WELLAND CANAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
THE construction of Lock Gates advertised to be let on the 3rd of JUNE next, is unavoidably postponed to the following dates:—
Tenders will be received until
Tuesday, the 22nd Day of June Next.
Plans and Specifications, etc., will be ready for examination on and after
TUESDAY, THE 8th DAY OF JUNE
By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

Department Railways & Canals,
Ottawa, 13th May, 1880.
F'ron, 20th May—2awtJune22

LACHINE CANAL.

NOTICE TO MACHINIST-CONTRACTORS
SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned (Secretary of Railways and Canals) and endorsed "Tender for Lock Gates, Lachine Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western Mails on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of JUNE next, for the construction of gates, and the necessary machinery connected with them, for the new locks on the Lachine Canal.

Plans, Specifications and General Conditions can be seen at this office on and after THURSDAY, the 20th day of May next, where forms of tender can also be obtained.
Parties tendering are expected to provide the special tools necessary for, and to have a practical knowledge of works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and, further, an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to \$250, for the gates of each lock, must accompany each tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.
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DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS,
Ottawa, 29th March, 1880.
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By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS,
Ottawa, 13th May, 1880.
Fredericton, May 19th, 1880. 2awtJune 22

Gentlemen, Keep Cool!
BRUCE UP,
—AND COME TO THE—

"ALBION HOUSE."
And get a suit of UNDERWEAR in "India Gauze," "Balbriggan," or "Summer Merino," and then take a lingering look at the New White Dress and Fancy Shirts. Socks, easy on the feet. SCARFS, TIES, SUSPENDERS, COLLARS and CUFFS, HANDKERCHIEFS, TWEEDS, COATINGS, &c.

The above Stock will be found reasonable, stylish, and at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.
F. B. EDGECOMBE.
Fredericton, June 3, 1880.

CLOSING BUSINESS!

CASH SALE
Silks, Velvets, Dress Goods, &c.

The subscriber intends closing his Business in this City on the
First Day of May next.
Goods will be sold at prices that will insure a

COMPLETE CLEARANCE
of the whole stock by that date. Gentlemen who may require

CUSTOM CLOTHING
Made in the best manner have an opportunity

TO PROCURE THE SAME AT LOW PRICES
All who are owing the subscriber are requested to call and pay and all who hold accounts against me will please present the same for payment.

P. McPEAKE.
P. S.—Shop Furniture including Plate Glass Mirrors, Reflecting Mirrors and a very large Fire Proof Safe will be sold at a Bargain.
P. McP.
Fredericton, February 17, 1879.

JANUARY 15, 1880.

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS
A. A. MILLER & CO.,
Will Offer their whole Stock of

DRY GOODS AT BANKRUPT PRICES
—FOR CASH ONLY.—
Great Bargains may be Expected.
Fredericton, January 15, 1880.

New Christmas Goods.

We have just received our new Holiday Goods. Everything Clean and Fresh. Personally selected within the last few days, and have now just opened:



26 CASES
Choice Books and Fancy Goods, TOYS OF ALL KINDS, In Wood, Tin and Rubber. All so some nice
Nickel-Plated Ware, Photograph and Autograph Albums, Work Boxes, Writing Desks,
And a Fine Assortment of WAX DOLL, which we have marked at prices never offered before in this city. Call and see them.
Miscellaneous Books, Poems, Church and Catholic Prayer Books Wesley's Hymns, &c. Cur stock of Stationery is now complete.
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS IN ENDLESS VARIETY.
126 Pieces New Music just received.

M'MURRAY & FENETY.
P. S.—Our stock of School Books will be sold, in return as in the past, at the lowest prices.
Fredericton, December 9, 1879.