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J. E. COLLINS, Editor.
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ANNOUNCEMENT.
A Royal Gazette extra appeared yesterday and contained the following PROCLAMATION.

His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir John Douglas Sutherland Campbell, (commonly called the Marquis of Lorne.) Governor General of the Dominion of Canada, having been pleased to constitute and appoint me Lieutenant Governor of this Province of New Brunswick, the administration of the Government of which I duly assumed at the City of Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, the eleventh day of February instant, I do therefore publish this Proclamation, of which all persons concerned are required to take due notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

By Command.
WILLIAM WEDDERBURN.

We congratulate Capt. Alfred F. Street on his appointment as Aide-de-Camp to his Honor the Governor. We think also Mr. Henry Wilmot's appointment to the Private Secretaryship will be received with approbation.

SPKAKER BOTSFORD is an accomplished gentleman. He repeats the motions before the Senate in the French language.

A COUNCIL meeting is called for Monday evening. We hope the Province will be the better of it.

AN equivocating public man, is a despicable coward.

We shall return to some of our "hard subjects" in next issue.

SUPREME COURT.
The following judgments were delivered in the Supreme Court on Tuesday:—

EX PARTE WETMORE.—This was an application on behalf of the Eastern Townships' Bank to compel T. M. Wetmore to pay over the sum of \$70, which came into his hands as an attorney, and which belonged to the Bank; also to compel him to refund \$40, which had been paid to him on two different occasions, for his mileage as a witness in a suit brought by the Bank against D. L. Hanington for negligence in not collecting and paying over the said amount of \$70.

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LOST.
BETWEEN the Western Union Telegraph Office and Cropley's Corner, A GOLD EAR-RING, linked pattern, with small spiral pendants. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the STAR office. F'ton, Feb. 7, 1880.—5ms.

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ON Saturday, Sunday or Monday last, A BUNCH OF KEYS somewhere in Fredericton. Anyone finding a bunch will be rewarded by leaving the same at the STAR office. F'ton, Feb. 12, 1880.—5ms.

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JUST RECEIVED.
15 cwt. Peevie and Pick Steel; 2 bundles Firth & Son's Axe Steel; 20 " Plough Plating. JAMES S. NEILL. Feb. 8.

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Authors' MSS. immediately placed, if available to any publisher. Journalists, correspondents, Teachers, &c., desiring salaried engagements may address, ATHENAEUM BUREAU OF LITERATURE, 57 Park Row, New York.

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HARDWARE.
Just Received: 10 KEYS Horse Shoes; 6 bbls. Sheet Iron; 3 doz. Cross-cut Saws; 1 cask Zinc; 3 coils Clapboard Tie; 6 kegs Blasting Powder; 25 hanks Fuse, 2 dozen Pick Axes; 10 sets Stocks and Dies from 4 to 12 inches; 1 cask T Hinges. For sale by JAMES S. NEILL. Fredericton, Oct. 14, 1879.

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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.

Fredericton, February 17, 1879.

JANUARY 20th, 1880.

F. B. EDGECOMBE
Will commence his Annual clearance Sale of WINTER DRY GOODS, FROM DATE.

The Whole Stock will be offered at Greatly Reduced Prices, in order to make room for spring importations.

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26 CASES
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Miscellaneous Books, Poems, Church and Catholic Prayer Books Wesley's Hymns, &c. Our stock of Stationery is now complete. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS IN ENDLESS VARIETY. 126 Pieces New Music just received.

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P. S.—Our stock of SCHOOL BOOKS will be sold, in future as in the past, at the lowest prices. Fredericton, December 9, 1879.