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**Business Cards.**

**ALLEN & WILSON,**  
Barristers, Notaries Public, &c.

Wiley's Building, Queen St.,  
OPPOSITE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Loans Negotiated. Accounts collected with  
despatch.  
T. C. ALLEN. W. WILSON.

**MISS L. WILSON,**  
INTELLIGENCE OFFICE:

Hair Dresser and dealer in  
BRAIDS, CHIGNONS,  
SWITCHES AND CURLS.  
Combing made over and all orders in the  
line promptly attended to.  
Human Hair bought and sold  
Fredericton, N. B.

**EDWIN STORY,**  
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

Choice CONFECTIONERY,  
ICE CREAM, SYRUPS, &c.

QUEEN ST., FREDERICTON, N. B.

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DEALER IN

LEATHER  
AND

SHOE FINDINGS,  
QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON.

**D. ELLEIOTT,**  
Regent Street, F'nton,

WORKER IN  
SHEET IRON, TIN and COPPER.

EXCHANGE HOTEL,  
WM. HAWTHORNE, Proprietor.

Queen St., Fredericton, N. B.

A Good Stable in connection with  
the Hotel.

**RAINSFORD & BLACK,**  
Barristers and Attorneys At Law,

Conveyancers, Notaries, &c.  
OFFICE:

CARLETON ST., F'TON, N. B.

**J. F. M'MANUS,**  
Barrister & Attorney At-Law,

SOLICITOR, CONVEYANCER, ETC.  
HAS OPENED HIS OFFICE IN

**McManus' Building,**  
REGENT STREET.

All business in his profession promptly  
attended to.  
J. F. M'MANUS,  
Barrister, &c., Regent Street.

**ALL READY!**  
FOR BUSINESS AGAIN AT

NO. 3, COY'S BLOCK,  
3 Doors below Regent Street.

EXHIBITION WEEK  
AT BOTTOM PRICES.

Gold and Silver Watches,  
Ladies' & Gents' Elegant Chains,  
Rich Gold and Plated Jewelry,  
Solid Silver and Filigree Jewelry,  
Solid Silver & Electro Plated Ware,  
American and French Clocks,  
Fancy Goods, in great variety  
Work Boxes, Writing Desks,  
Jewel Cases, Compendiums, &c.,  
Meerschmum and Briar Pipes,  
Purses and Portemonies,  
Albums, Vases and Bronzes,  
Lazarus and Morris' Spectacles and  
Eye Glasses.  
Opera Glasses, Microscopes,  
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry  
Carefully repaired and warranted.  
Call and examine Stock and  
prices. Remember the place.  
S. F. SHUTE,  
Coy's Block, between Barker House,  
and Queen Hotel.

**WILEY'S  
DRUG  
STORE,**

Corner Queen St. and Wilnot's Alley  
and next above

Loatimer's Shoe Store.



THE Subscriber would call the attention of  
purchasers and visitors to the Exhibition  
to his large and well assorted stock of

Medicines,  
Perfumery,  
Toilet Articles, &c.

Which he will sell at the LOWEST rates both  
Wholesale and Retail.

JOHN M. WILEY,  
Druggist.

RECEIVED  
PER LATE STEAMERS,  
NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS,

Blankets, Flannels,  
Wool Shawls, Winceys,  
Ladies' Dress Materials,  
Ladies' Cloths, in all the newest makes,  
Ladies' Sacks, latest styles;  
Ladies' Ulsters;  
Lyons Black Silks;  
Lyons Black Silk Velvets,  
Velveteens;  
Table Damasks and Napkins;  
and a full assortment of seasonable goods

I import my goods direct and cannot be  
undersold by any House in the trade.

JOHN McDONALD,  
Mourning Goods.

A large stock  
daily expected.

Dr. Warner's  
HEALTH CORSET

With Skirt Supporter  
and self-adjusting  
Pads, unequalled for  
beauty, style and com-  
fort.  
Sold by  
JOHN McDONALD.

JUST OPENED A LOT OF  
TINT WALL PAPERS  
Warranted washable.

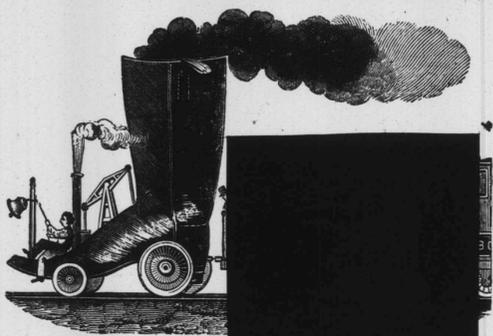
JOHN McDONALD.

Carriage & Sleigh Factory,  
R. COLWELL, Proprietor.

Carriages, Wagons, Sleighs, and Pungs built  
to order in the latest and most durable styles.  
Material and Workmanship of the best.

Particular attention given to Painting  
Trimming and Repairing Carriages, &c.

KING STREET, FREDERICTON, N. B.



**OBSERVE  
I SAY!  
LOTTIMER'S  
IS THE BEST PLACE  
TO BUY YOUR  
NEW FALL & WINTER  
GENTS' AND LADIES' CLOTHING**

He has received upwards of 500  
NEW FALL & WINTER  
GENTS' AND LADIES' CLOTHING

EMBRACING MANY OF  
THE LATEST AND MOST  
FASHIONABLE

in Ladies', Gentlemen's, Misses'  
and Children's Wear.

If you want to buy very durable  
clothing for retail, you can get them at LOTTIMER'S  
Opposite Normal School, and next  
Street, Fredericton.

**EXTRA  
PHOTOGRAPHS! PHOTOGRAPHS!  
Tintypes. Tintypes.**

Read carefully! and observe the following inducements, it is just what you  
want A NICE PHOTOGRAPH! you can have it by calling any time during the  
day and secure a sitting at

Schleyer's Photograph Gallery,  
Between Logan and Dever Bros., Dry Goods Stores, opposite the Normal  
School.

The subscriber having secured the services of W. A. MOOERS, Esq., as  
operator for the EXHIBITION WEEK, in addition to the services of FOUR other  
first-class hands, is prepared to attend to the wants and wishes of all, and  
especially to the visitors who will visit our City during Exhibition week and  
who are desirous of procuring a first-class Photograph or a Tintype.

Mr. Mooers is known throughout the Province as a first-class operator, and  
we will guarantee a perfect Picture, to all who will favor us with their patronage.  
Copying and Enlarging Old Pictures, a speciality. Scenery: Card,  
Cabinet, Stereoscopic 8x10 and 8x12 Views of Fredericton and surrounding  
country always in stock.

**NEW  
DRY GOODS STORE.**

TO OPEN  
WEDNESDAY, OCT., 9th.

**IN INCHES BUILDING,**  
Directly Opposite City Hall, Queen Street, Fredericton.

A. A. MILLER & CO.,

Will open their New Store on Wednesday next, and will show a full  
stock of New Goods, selected from the best Houses and many of them  
direct from the manufactories in the United States and European  
Markets. We will offer our Goods at lowest prices.

Please call and see us.  
A. A. MILLER & Co.

This space is reserved for  
**P. McPEAKE, Merchant Tailor,  
&c., Queen Street, Fredericton.**

**EXHIBITION!**  
1878.

ADMISSION FREE.

THE Public are respectfully requested to  
call and inspect our new stock of

STAPLE AND FANCY  
**DRY  
GOODS**

Selected for our  
**Fall & Winter  
Trade**

in the best Markets of Great Britain  
and America.

Doors open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

**ALBION HOUSE,**  
QUEEN STREET FREDERICTON,  
Opposite Normal School.

F. B. EDGECOMBE.

Call and Examine

**EDGECOMBE & SONS**  
CARRIAGES and SLEIGHS,  
IN THE  
EXHIBITION BUILDING,  
Manufactory, - York Street,  
FREDERICTON, N. B.

Repairing, Painting, Trimming, &c., done  
on short notice and in the most satisfactory  
manner.

Call and see us, while in the City.

**JOHN WOOD & CO.,**  
Commission Merchants,  
DEALERS IN  
GROCERIES,  
PROVISIONS,  
STATIONARY  
and Novelties of all kinds.

The highest price paid for Country  
Produce.

UNDER BRAYLEY HOUSE,  
**QUEEN STREET,  
FREDERICTON, N. B.**

Foreign and Domestic Fruits always  
on hand.

**GREAT MEN.**

THOS. CHATTERTON.—Concluded.  
But still Canynge's Box was  
prolific. Ever and anon, came  
flying forth some piece of local  
history; the most astounding dis-  
coveries of celebrated persons who  
lived and taught in churches and  
monasteries, that had for long years  
been crumbled into dust, were  
traced to the extraordinary dad  
and his fertile chest. Mr. Barrett  
wrote a history of the place and  
when he lacks historic knowledge  
the chest is ample Ceremonies  
headed by mitred bishops, cowed  
monks, accompanied with torch  
bearers, to the strains of glorious  
music are painted in the most  
glowing pictures of ages long past.  
This shrewd man too, by a boy  
becomes duped.

And where stood the ruins of an  
old castle he was seen almost  
dreaming over. Hours he spent  
in the gray twilight amidst the  
gloomy walls.

In a few days everyone was  
spell bound with what appeared on  
his parchment; the castle was re-  
newed,—of course he said he got  
it in the CHEST,—towers, of the  
loftiest and grandest descriptions,  
arches studded with stars, battle-  
ments frowning in majesty,—draw-  
bridges spanning chasms and moats  
in such beauty and majesty as  
never were combined were all  
pictured by the hand of the  
marvellous boy.

And the more he dived into the  
old chest the richer the treasures  
did he did bring forth. A constel-  
lation of genius and art, of poets,  
painters, sculptors, knights, squires,  
heralds, all in one array, of illus-  
trious name and lineage were there.  
Poets he brought forth by the  
score and in the mouth of each he  
put the richest and rarest verse.  
And the wise ones of the world  
with all their boasted knowledge  
could be played upon by a boy!

His discoveries brought him to  
the notice of the great ones of the  
day. Rowley was the favourite  
bard: he was in everybody's mouth,  
—such verse was not thought to  
exist in the language.

He draws forth from the Box,  
Ella an interlude tragedy. Let us  
take a stanza for example:—

"Black his hair as winter's night,  
White his neck as the summers snow,  
Red his face as the morning light,  
Cold he lies in the grave below."

Sweet his tongue as the thrush's note,  
Quick in the dance as thought can  
be."

This is the work of a boy of  
twelve, and palmed off on the  
public as Rowley's poems. Great  
and immortal, should have been  
the priest's name had he written  
them.

Listen to the force and majesty  
in his Goodwin chorus:—

"Power, with his head aloft into the  
skies,  
His spear a sunbeam, and his shield  
a star,  
Like two fierce flaming meteors rolled  
his eyes,  
Chafes with his iron feet and sounds  
to war."

Nothing can be more exquisite  
than his poetry of nature, more true  
and vigorous than his descrip-  
tion of ancient ceremonies. Sorry  
are we that space forbids more  
than a torn line or two here and  
there.

All these were palmed off upon  
the public as the works of poets  
who never wrote them. They  
were entirely this gifted boy's.  
After a time the hawk eyes of  
Walpole and Johnson discovered  
the imposition. Most glorious  
fraud! brilliant forgery! The  
little word "its" used in the Bible  
but once, and in Shakespeare three  
times, stamped his writings as a  
"fraud." It was at once known  
the boy was the author. And  
though genius shone through  
every line, and though the  
cynical Johnson admitted it was  
"wonderful to think what the whelp  
had written," yet through his  
poverty and obscurity, never was  
the helping hand offered, and not  
till his noble heart had broken with  
disappointment at the coldness of  
the literai and aristocratic sneerers  
was his genius admitted.

While he was yet a boy he wrote  
to the polite dilettante Horace Wal-  
pole, and the latter considered

himself honored; but when he  
came to know that the dazzling  
genius was but a poor lad of fifteen,  
the chagrin of the noble knew no  
bounds. He denied having received  
or written letters. Even Gold-  
smith, Gray, Johnson and Burke,  
too, sneered at him.

He left his native home and went  
to London. He took his works to  
the booksellers, and they were  
thrown into the waste basket—as  
Mr. Elder did with one of Burns'  
poems—saying it did not come up  
to the standard; and this talented  
boy was without bread.

Never was there a sadder sequel!  
Of a dark night when the friendly  
shelter was closed and none to take  
him in or give him bread,—those  
who knew him sneering at him,—  
this marvellous but ill-fated lad  
sought rest beyond, alas, by his  
own hand \* \* \* \*

The years rolled over, and the  
flinty-hearted, thick-headed world  
saw it had been guilty of the blood  
of the youth. Then his works were  
gathered from the waste basket  
and sold to hungry printers; a  
marble statue,—cold mockery,—  
was raised to the injured youth!  
Hateful world! His poor smoulder-  
ing bones and cold ashes they  
would protect and honor, the liv-  
ing giant they despised!

It is impossible to pass his grave  
and know his tragic fate, without  
being moved to tears, to see the  
monument enclosing the "marvellous  
boy that perished in his pride."

**HALLUCINATIONS.**

(Fortnightly Review.)

One does not fail to notice, when  
proper attention is given to the  
subject, a fact which is full of  
meaning, viz, that the apparitions  
which have been seen at different  
ages were in harmony with the  
dominant ideas or beliefs of the  
age. It is not probable that any  
one could be found at the present  
day to affirm that he had seen an  
old woman riding through the air  
on a broomstick to a witch's meet-  
ing, because the belief in witchcraft  
is well nigh extinct but two or  
three hundred years ago, when it  
would have been thought something  
like blasphemy to doubt the being  
and doing of witches, persons of  
good character and veracity might  
have been found to avouch it  
solemnly. In like manner apparitions  
of Satan were not very un-  
common in the middle ages to per-  
sons, who, like Martin Luther, were  
in earnest spiritual conflict with  
him, but there is no instance on re-  
cord, so far as I know, of such an  
apparition having ever been seen  
by an ancient Greek or Roman.  
The Satan of the middle ages who  
gave Luther so much trouble had  
not then been invented. Spirits,  
ghosts, then, and all apparitions of  
the same kind, I was prepared to  
have pronounced unhesitatingly to  
have been hallucinations, which  
would be found on examination to  
reflect pretty fairly the prevailing  
ideas of the times concerning the  
supernatural; but it occurred to  
me that it might be prudent, before  
doing that, to consult the article on  
apparitions in the latest edition of  
*Encyclopedia Britannica*, lest per-  
chance I should be outrunning cur-  
rent authority; and I have there  
discovered, to my no small sur-  
prise, that it is still an open ques-  
tion whether invisible inhabitants  
of the unknown world did not take  
human or other shapes and become  
visible men. The writer of the  
article plainly inclines to the  
opinion that they do, and that there  
is more in the matter than science  
has dreamed of. So also think the  
Spiritualists.

A TOUCHING SIGHT.—A little  
bright eyed boy, of four years,  
arrived at Chicago last week.  
Around his neck was a ribbon, to  
which was attached a card, in-  
scribed: "To the Masonic Frater-  
nity—Forward the Orphan to San  
Francisco. Howard Association,  
New Orleans." The child was the  
last survivor of the family of Henry  
E. Wilcox, a prominent merchant of  
New Orleans. His father and  
mother, and four brothers and  
sisters, had died of yellow fever.