it ought to go to the Irishman who vowed to hang himself or perish in the attempt. Well, I should give it to the hero of Dumas's Companions of Jehu."

"If there were a prize for suicide

"Why, what did he do?" Our talk was being carried on upon the hurricane-deck of a homewardbound steamer from the Cape, in the full enjoyment of doing nothing, after all the excitement of Zululand and

the Transvaal border. "Well, seemingly he objected t taking his ewn life, so he was always trying to get somebody else to do it for him, and the more he tried, the more he didn't succeed. Once he quarrelled with a first-rate swordsman, and killed him without getting a scratch himself. Another time he went in among a band of robbers, and they let him go scot-free. Then he challenged an Englishman who was a dead-shot, and John Bull fired in the air. At last he threw himself into the thick of the battle of Marengo, fired his pistol into a powder-wagon, and blew up notionly himself, but an

entire Austrian regiment as well." "His report in that magazine nu have made some noise in the world,' remarked Captain Crawford, of the

-th Foot. "Come, don't you begin trying to make jokes, Crawford, or I'll jump overboard," said Lieutenant Mason, of the Naval Brigade. "After all, that fellow didn't beat the wind up of Burn-hind the veil.—Detroit Free Press. and's "thrilling tale" in the dime novel style: "And with a wild cry the wretched man plunged the dagger into his heart, discharged the revolver hour was not yet come."

heard of such things in real life?"

"Guess I have, anyhow." Mr. Hiram P. Dollarsworth, U.S., years after seeding, the grass lodged who, indeed, was as habitually silent and for 12 or 13 years it bore a good his tongue in ten languages.

ever been at St. Malo?" worth," said I; "so I can guess to what past six years I have wintered 20

chuckle, "though I don't know if Having no barn cellar, I spread my they'll believe it, neither. You see, horse manure in a trench behind my thar was a young French officer thar in cattle and cover it with clay. I get my time, one o' them young geese that my clay in for winter use before the think the hull world's out of j'int if fall rains; ploughing it up and getting their toe aches. One day-having it thoroughly dried and pulverized. made up his mind to kill himself, and ure a man can sell nearly half of his made up his mind to kill filmsen, and leep his farm under as good wight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in hay, and heep his farm under as good an ROYAL BARINE POWDER CO., 106 Wall-st ways do, he concluded to fix it so as a state of cultivation as he can by N.Y. his suicide should be "the talk of all Europe. So up he gits airly one and feeding all his hay on the farm.—
mornin, and down he goes to the Nelson Haley, Androscoggin County, Me beach, takin' with him 'a rope, and a pistol, and a vial of pizon, and a match box. Then he climbs up one of the tide-mark posts that's set in a row thar, just as the sea was close up to it, and he hitches one eend o' the rope around other eend around his neck, and tender-like, and says I: then he sets his clothes afire with a match, and swallowed the pizon, and let slap the pistol at his and says: head, and chucked himself off the post,

all to once." "Well, he certainly deserved to succeed. after taking so much pains," said Lieutenant Mason, as well as he could speak for laughing.

"Guess he didn't, though," answered I says: Mr. Dollarsworth; "for it was jist a case of "too many cooks spile the two minutes. both." The bullet, 'stead o' goin' through his skull-whar it wouldn't answer : hev found many brains to stop it, I reckin—cut the rope, and let him slick I'm the better man. down her-swosh into the sea, and put out the fire right away. Then swallerin' the salt-water made him sick, and so that warn't disapp'inting enough, the as is a husband can stand it to have his flood-tide washed him ashore "all alive wife say she can wipe the boards with and fresh," as them lying fish-dealers him, and so I spits on my hands and say. But if he wanted to be "the talk sails in." of all Europe," I guess he got his wish, for every newspaper on the hull Contithing blew over."—DAVID KER, IN EDITOR'S DRAWER, Harper's Magazine draw I'il be ready to try it again, for for August.

Beyond the Veil.

The sun, as it lingered on the edge of the horizon—sinking so slowly that one might say it regretted to leave the she opened her eyes.

Old and feeble and gray-ready to Old and feeble and gray—ready to bid farewell to earth—he was a child which it is seen that that paper is again and his mind had the thoughts about the breeziest thing on the conof a child. The sun had gone down tinent. Here is its announcement of and the dusk had come on for him tens terms:of thousand of times without question, but this time he felt afraid and whisper- for a year can have it left at his bar-

"Oh! sun. do not leave me just yet. Wait until I am a man and I shall not care whether it is day or night."

And the sun whispered back to him : taken in exchange. "I have seen you pass from childhood to manhood and back. You can-

not travel the path again." "But wait a little longer. When I are, and we are going out collecting in have grown to be a youth the coming of a day or two with a new brace of Colts night will have no terrors for me." "Alas! old man," answered the de- mean business. clining sun, "a grand old tree cannot Funeral notices must be accom-

become a shrub again. It may be panied by the address of the corpse, splintered or uprooted by the hurricane, not for publication but as a guarantee but it must die as a tree." "Then remain with me!" pleaded

and your light will safely guide my umns. Office hours from 10 a.m. to "That I cannot do, but I will send the moon to cast her rays upon the earth and soften the darkness of night."

And when the moon came the old

man's locks were changed from the gold accomplishments of his six-year-old

the furrows of age were melted and Tommy, tell the gentleman what you seen. And he whispered to the moon : | be a great, big man."

"I cannot stay beyond my fixed like him." time," answered the moon, "but when I go I will send the stars to keep you

terious unknown."

came and the old man pleaded: the rest :

"A hand greater than man's controls our movements. Look beyond us." And the stars drew aside the mystic veil and the old man's eyes looked beyond it. They lighted up with the fires of youth-of hope-of anticipation grew young-his limbs regained their ask you before I die." strength -his blood coursed as in the veins of a man in his prime. The stars yet he had seen enough.

around it gave up their strength. The night-winds toyed with the old man's gray locks, but he gave no heed. A hand was laid on his shoulder and a and when I am gone I wish to rest bevoice whispered in his ear, but he gave side them. Will you grant me this no sign. The grand old tree had given one favor ?" up its life on earth to begin anew be-How a Run-out Farm was Reno-

About 30 years ago I purchased through his brain, swallowed the dead- farm of 150 acres, so hadly run out as ly poison, and sprang from the bridge to cut only 10 or 12 tons of hay. I into the gloomy river below. But his plowed some of the poorest pieces and and then, if I notice any restlessness of sowed oats five years in succession. 1 "Well, he deserved no credit, be- fed the oats and straw to my stock, cause he didn't succeed, as the German and plowed in the stubble in the fall, editor said of the man who tried to kill using no manure. My crop of oats Bismarck. But, after all, who ever increased each year. The sixth year, by compositing, I got manure enough to spread ten loads (35 bushels per We all started and looked around, load) per acre, and seeded it down to no one having noticed the presence of herdsgrass and clover. For three as the great general whom fame has crop of hay. Iu compositing, I forked credited with the power of "holding over my green manure in April, and mixed with loam, using as much loam "I kin beat that, I reckin," pursued as manure. Over each layer of loam

our taciturn friend. "Hev any of ye spread a mixture of ashes, lime and salt. I never failed in raising a good "I was there in 1864, Mr. Dollars- root crop on this compost. For the story you refer, but I'm sure these head of cattle (principally oxen and gentlemen will be glad to hear you cows) and two or three horses, and have averaged selling 15 tons of hay "Wa'll, I guess its worth tellin'," per year. A few years ago I commence rejoined the Yankee, with a grim ed using dry clay for an absorbent. nothin' better to do, I s'pose-he think by using absorbents in this mansing nothing but the clear man

On His Mettle. He was telling it to his Honor at the Police court yesterday. Said he: "Well, you know, I went home about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Wife was the cross-piece at the top, and the there. I chuckled her under the chi

"Molly, who runs this shanty?" "And she speaks up very promptly " 'Samuel, it's a woman about my

size, and don't you forget it!' " 'Pshaw !' says I. " 'Dead fact !' says she.

"'Molly, I can do you up in abo

"And she doesn't wait a second to " 'Samuel, that's where you're lame

"Get out?' says I. "'' 'I'll prove it !' says she. "Well, your honor, she put me on he got rid of the pizen; and as if all my mettle, as it were. No husband

"And you came out ahead?" "Well, that's the way I've got it nent had that story 'fore the month | down in my diary. She gave me two was up, and the poor critter got so scalp-cuts, a black eye and six bites, etarnally laughed at that he concluded and I loosened three of her teeth, cut to jine the Mexikin Expedition till the her lip and choked her senseless. If I'll allow no living woman in Detroit to

walk on me. I'll fight 'em, Judge-I'll fight 'em till I die!"-Free Press. "Boys, She's A Dandy. The New York Tribune says:-The Arizona editor whose racy sayings were world in darkness—lighted up his face first noticed by the Tribune is attainuntil the grandchild asleep on his knee would hardly have recognized him had Rambler with commendable enterprise publishes a fac simile of the editorial

> Any galoot who wants the Ripshorter room on the payment of three red chips in advance. Now's your time to chip in. Boy's, she's a dandy. Advertisements will be stuck in o

liberal terms, and dust and mules You ducks, who haven't paid up your subscriptions, want to hustle. We warn you that we know who you

ready for all slow customers. We

of prompt payments. We are personally responsible the old man. "My limbs are feeble for all news published in these col-

> JACK JOSLYN (Alias Strapping Jack. Tommy's Reasons.

Fond papa (proudly displaying the

of sunset to the silver of evening and boy to the visiting clergyman)-"Now, softened until they could no longer be | would like to be, when you grow up to

"Do not leave me to-night, for I am | Tommy (pointing to the distinguishold and afraid of the darkness of night." ed visitor)—"I'd like to be a minister

Visiting clergyman (greatly gratified) -"Ah, my young friend, you would like to be a clergyman like me, would "I had a wife-children-friends. you? And now, tell me why would Bring them back to me from the mys- you like to be a clergyman like me?" Tommy (promptly)—"'Cause I heard | The "Alas! but the dead are dead!" pa say yesterday that you had the soft-And the moon went away and the stars | est job of any man he knew. Nothing to do but talk an hour or so every "I am old and lonely. Bear me Sunday, live free on the members of company during my brief stay on earth." | the congregation, and be worshipped And one bright star answered for all like a little tin god on wheels by all the women in the parish."-Somervill

Would be Uneasy.

"Robert," remarked the wife of a penurious man, "I am on my death bed. I have tried to be a good and -of deep satisfaction. His aged face faithful wife, and have but one favor to

"What is that, Margaret?" "You know that I was born and held the veil aside but a moment and raised in Cleveland. It was there I first met you and the happiest hours The child slept on, but the arms of our wedded life were spent. You remember this. Robert ?"

> "There will be considerable expens attached to it," musingly.

in my grave anywhere else." "Well, Maggie, I'll tell you what I'll do. I don't want to be mean about the thing. I'll bury you here first, your part, I'll take you to Cleveland



DeFo rest Harrison & Co

-DIRECT FROM-MANUFACTURERS

"And I chucks her under the chin again, not quite so tender this time and Stocks and Dies. Little Giant Screw Plates,

EXTRA TAPS AND DIES, DRILLS. ANI TAPER REAMERS. Mowing Machine Repairs, Sections, Guard Plates. Rivets, Etc.

A Full Assortment of HAYING TOOLS.

G. STOTHART **GREAT BARGAINS**

---IN----

Watches, Clocks, Jew elry, Silverware, Fancy Goods.

Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Gents' Furnishing

Meerschaum and Briar Pipes and all Smoker's Goods.

As we intend leaving the Province next spring the whole stock must be sold and will be sold

Call and see for Yourselves. I. HARRIS & SON.

NOTICE.

I. HARRIS & SON

Fish, Beans, Etc. ntls. dry Codfish. nall boxes New Digby Herring, ags White Beans. arrels whole and Split Peas.

NOW LANDING. Geo. S. DeForest

LANDING

40 Cases Morton's Mixed Pickels 90 Bdls Yellow C. Sugar, American Water White Oil. DeForest Harrison & Co. General Business

CONFECTIONERY FRUITS ETC.

Fresh Goods of Superior Quality Always to be found at

M. J. STAPLES'S "Imperial Wringer. Wash-tub Stand. Clothes Forks, etc. New devices for convenience on Wash day— we labor and lighten the work left to be done. H. P MARQUIS, Cunard Street.

Rutland Marbles.

WILLIAM RAE Upper Water Street, Chatham, N. B., IMPORTER AND DEALER IN Italian, Sutherland Falls and

"Yes," uneasily. "My relatives are all buried there,

"Oh. Robert! I will never rest easy

afterward."-St. Louis Republican.



Absolutely Pure.

JUNE. 1885.

JUST RECEIVED

Blacksmith's

P. Williston, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.

WM. A. PARK, Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor, NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER, &C.

CASTLE STREET; NEWCASTLE, N. B. B.

LARD, DRIED APPLES

Evaporated Apples.

100 TUBS LARD—Tietgen's Best;
45 Barrels DRIED APPLES.
60 Boxes EVAPORATED APPLES. Lowest Prices Wholesale

Jer. Harrison & Co.

NEILY'S FERTILIZER Just Received one Carload at

CHATHAM STATION In barrels, from 250hs. to 280hs.
This celebrated Fertilizer is equal to he best
mported and sells at \$45 per ton.
TEKMS for quantities less than h f a ton,
ASH; larger quantities CREDIT till NOVEMBER

C. S. RAMSAY,

PRINTS! PRINTS

Newest Shades & Patterns, from 7c. a yard and upwards. GREY COTTONS rom 41c. upwards, a

PHOTOGRAPH, AUTOGRPH AND SCRAPS ALBUMS at prices to suit everybody

Vases, Toilet Setts, China Ornaments Mugs, Motto Cups and Saucers of all descriptions.

A VERY FINE ASSORTMENT OF PLATED SILVER WARE ELEGANT DESIGNS

We clamitor our Stock general excellence in quality, immence variety and reasonable prices.

Call and examine our tock.

Foundry

WORKS,

CHATHAM, N. B.

General Iron and Brass Founders, Gang and Rotary Saw Mills and Steamers built or repaired.

MANUFACTURERS OF

STEAM BOILERS AND ENGINES. GANG EDGERS AND SHINGLE MACHINES. HEAVY AND LIGHT, PLAIN AND

FANCY CASTINGS. Pond's Wisconsin Rotary Saw arriage, a Specialty, Plans, Designs, Specifications and Estimates Furnished.

WM MUIRHEAD Jr. GEO. DICK Mechanical Sup. **Proprietor**

-LANDING TO-DAY: 20 Cases and Bales assorted DRY GOODS, 70 HALF CHESTS TEA, (best value yet,) 30 BBLS. SUGAR, 125 BBLS. FLOUR, 10 TONS PRESSED HAY, A lot of SEA-

WILLIAM MURRAY.

Chatham Cures Lizzmess, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, Bidousness, Dyspensia, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver and Kidneys, Pimples, Blotches, Boils, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scrofula LOOD

Erysipelas, and all diseases arising from Impure Blood, Deranged Stomach, or irregular action of the Bowels.

VAUGHAN & BROS. -IRON MERCHANTS.--SMYTHE STREET,

IRON-Common, Refined, and Horse Shoe,

YELLOW METAL-Bolts and Sheathing. CHAINS-Rigging, Mill and Cables. Anchors, Oakum, Pitch, Tar, Spikes, Hemp and Manilla Cordage

all of best quality and ATLOWEST MARKET PRICES.

422 ROLLS OF

PAPER

TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

COMPLETE CLEARANCE

this spring, I have decided to MAKE PRESENTS to my numerous custome. There are ELEVEN PATTERNS to select from (only) and first come, first choice Every person purchasing the amo

From \$3.00 to \$5.00 5 Rolls Room Paper, free. 5.25 to 8.00 7 8.25 to 10.00 10 10.25 to 15.00 15 15.25 to 20.00 20

N B .- The purchase not to consist of Grey or White Cottons

B. FAIREY.



CARDING.

Flour, Pork, Fish, Etc.

200 Bbls. Brown FLOUR; 100 hlf-bbls de. do. 125 bbls. CORN MEAL. 50 do. MESS PORK. 0 Quintals new CJDFISH, 10 Cases CANNED OYSTERS, 0 do do LOBSTERS, 0 do do PEACHES, 7 do COLEMAN'S MUSTARD,

WE SELL POTATOES,

SPILING, BARK, R. R. Ties, Lumber, Laths, Canned Lobsters, Mackerel, Berries, Potatoes, Fish, Etc. Best Prices for all Shipments.

Write fully for Quotation

General Commission Merchants, 22 Central Wharf, BOSTON Members of Board of Trade, Corn and Mechani Prints, Cambrics, Shirtings, Grey and White Cottons

Members of the Northumberland Agricultural Society who wish to procure FERTILIZERS for the coming farming season are requested teave their orders therefor between this date and May36th with either of the undersigned, who will ive full inform ation as to prices, terms, e.c.

JAMES FISH, NEWCASTLE. D. G. SMITH, D.T. JOHNSTONE, SR., CHATHAM. SUBSCRIBE NOW FOR THE MIRAMICHI ADVANCE.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

Miramichi River and

STEAM SERVICE.

The Miramichi Steam Navigation Company's steamer "MIRAMICHI," Capt. John McLean, will, until further notice, run as follows,-

On Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,

Leave Chatham at 9 o'clock a. m., calling at BLACK BROOK and roceeding direct to ESCUMINAC (Fleiger's.) From Escuminac she will cross the Bay to NEGUAC and return to

BURNT CHURCH, POINT AUX CAR. NAPAN. BLACK BROOK. LAPHAM'S AND MILL COVE

.HARRIS & SON. - - - - WATER STREET carrying fish and other freight and passengers. The regular passenger fare each way is 15c. between Chatham and points above Oak Point, and 30c. between Chatham and points further down river.

> EXCURSION TRIPS will be made

On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays,

for the especial accommodation of PICNIC PARTIES and others desirous of visiting the favorite SEASIDE RESORTS down-river. The Leave Chatham at 9 o'clock a. m., and after touching at BLACK BROOK, proceed to BAY DU VIN and thence to BURNT CHURCH Returning, will call at the above named places, giving ample time at each for visiting the local points of interest and for fishing, picnicking, etc.

Return Tickets, good from either Nelson, Newcastle,

For these Excursion trips

Douglastown or Chatham, will be sold, SIX FOR THREE DOLLARS, such tickets being good for the steamer "Nelson," which leaves Nelson at 7 and Newcastle at 7.15 (solar time) connecting with the "MIRAMICHI," excursionists from points upriver being returned in the evening to Douglastown, Newcastle and Nelson by one of the Company's boats, free of extra charge.

When the weather is favorable and excursionists so desire, the 'Miramichi" will run out over the Bar to the open Bay to afford those on

COD AND MACKEREL-FISHING,

which is excellent sport in the summer-season. Tickets for sale at the stores of Messrs. John Brown and Mackenzie & Co., Chatham; John McLaggan, Newcastle; Hon. R. Hutchison, Douglas town, and John Baldwin. Nelson.

Dry Goods Opening! BRITISH AND FOREIGN GOODS DIRECT FROM EUROPE.

FOR FALL AND WINTER ST. JOHN, N.B. LADIES' BLACK DRESS VELVETEENS,

LADIES' OTTOMAN DRESS CLOTHS,

LADIES' SOLIEL " LADIES' DRESS CLOTHS from 15 c., LADIES' DRESS SERGES from 15 c. Winceys, Winceys, from 7 c.,

Tweeds, Tweeds, from 7 c ULSTER CLOTHS in great variety, Soliel and Matelasse DRESS CLOTH, New Designs.

Knitted Woollen Goods in, Jerseys, Vests, Shawls, Scarfs, Pitticoats Hoods etc. etc. Children's Knitted Dresses, Pellisses, & Polkas. LADIES MELON & CLOTH SKIRTS, very Low.

Blankets! Blankets!! Blankets!!! Cretonnes, Cottons, Crepe Cretonnes.

Boots & Shoes!! Boots & Shoes! The above together with a large and complete stock of staple nda fancy Dry Goods will be offered at an immense reduction on di-o Having nearly sold out of my immense stock of Room Paper, and nary prices. Call and examine.

> R. BAIN. Bon Jour BITTERS THE STANDAD APPETISE

> AN ALL-YEAR-ROUND TONIC.

At LOGGIE & BURR'S. READY-MADE CLOTHING

AMERICAN FUR AND all shapes and sizes, at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

in Men's, Boy's and Youth's, at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

White Shirts, Oxford and Regatta Shirts, Scarfs and Ties,

Hatheway & Co. English, scotch and Worsted Suitings, made to order at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

at LOGGIE & BURR'S. Brussel's Carpets, All Wool Carpets, Takestry Capets, Union carpets,

at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

Room Paper, Curtains and Curtain Nets, at LOGGIE & BURR'S.

LOGCIE & BURR. PIERCE BLOCK. Water Street, Chatham

GENERAL BUSINESS

Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Jewell Cases, Dressing Cases, Ladies Hand Satchels, Ladies' and Gents' Purses and Wallets,

d Jewelry of all descriptions Gold and Silver Jewelry made to order, Monogramade to order. Gold and Silver Medals and Badges, Prize Cups, &c., suitable ions made to order, Meerchaum and Briar Pipes Cigar and Cigarette Holders and a full line of Smokers Requisites.

Miramichi

Grave Stones and Monumental MI morials, in Foreign or Native Stone. A good se ion on hand MACHINE CHIFLEW WELLIN NGRAVER. 00[histrations of all land

OHN. MERSEREAU'S PHOTOGRAPHIC ROOMS

Being desirous] of placing First Class Photographs within the reach of Residents of Chatham I have engaged

Mr.J.A.E. Morrell (late of 98 King Street, St. John, Who ha serived and is now ready for work We have now the

BEST GALLERY, BEST LIGHT, BEST PROCESS & BEST OPERATOR

North of St. John.

Give US a Trial and be convinced. -GALLERY OPPOSITE-Masonic Hall, - Chatham. Zaw. Johnson & Murray

BARRISTERS-AT-LAW,

Notaries' Public, Insurance Agents CHATHAM, N. B. D.G. MACLAUCHLAN, Barrister-at-Law

BATHURST. N. B. DesBrisay & DesBrisay. BARRISTERS

OFFICS.

St. Patrick St. C., THEOPHILUS DESBRISAY, Q. C. T. SWAYNE DESBRISAY Warren C. Winslow. BARRISTER ATTORN EY-AT-LAW

Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B.

OFFICE :- OVER THE STORE OF W. PARK, Es

Twelve hundred yards NEW PRINTS in a

F. W. Russell's.

Geo. S. DeForest.