

now affrighted judge, "get up and light a candle." "Where are you?" queried Judge Carter.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1884.

THE CONDITION OF BUSINESS.

A writer in the Montreal Insurance Journal demonstrates to his own satisfaction at least, that times are not nearly as bad as they will be, and that the depth of the depression will not be reached until 1888.

We submit for the consideration of the rate payers that there is no gentleman at present available as a candidate for the mayoralty who can better fulfil these conditions than the present incumbent of the office.

In expressing these views we are satisfied that we voice the sentiments of a large majority of the ratepayers; and while we recognize that there are quite a number of gentlemen who would fill the office with credit to themselves and satisfaction to the public, we think that all things considered it would be judicious if Mr. Fenety is willing, to let him be his own successor for at least one term more.

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The condition of business, as we gather from the commercial articles on our exchanges, is not altogether unpromising. The country is full of articles of value, which the owners would like to sell and others would like to buy.

THE MAYORALTY.

As the close of the fiscal year draws near the attention of the ratepayers becomes directed to civic matters, and the question: Who shall fill the civic chair during the next term? naturally comes up for consideration.

The ensuing year being also the Centennial of the founding of the city, the Mayor ought to be a gentleman of leisure and public spirit, as both of these invaluable traits in a public officer will be greatly in request some time next season.

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was sent to Toronto expressly for the purpose of bribing members to obtain certain concessions in reference to timber lands—a man who so far from denying his complicity in the transaction, acknowledged it, and tried to justify it by saying that he had done the same at home—the arrest of this man is styled the "plunder of a stranger." And so on for a column and a half. It may be that such sort of stuff will be swallowed as gospel by the Mail's readers, but we don't think New Brunswick Tories could be persuaded to take such a dose.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The man who manipulates the Cable news has pulled out another stop, and now the public is treated to a lot of stuff about France being ready to embrace England. This story is about as true as the other was.

Cleveland visited Buffalo on Thursday and received a magnificent reception. His first journey from Albany was a continued ovation, and though the rain fell in torrents, eighteen thousand people marched in procession through the streets of Buffalo late into the night to signify their appreciation of their fellow townsman.

Sir John Macdonald left Ottawa for England yesterday, on public business. Is not this rather sudden? Not a word of this trip has been made public, and Sir John's friends had completed all their arrangements for an old-fashioned time on the fortieth anniversary of his entrance into public life.

The St. Croix Courier has rather an amusing story the pith of which is that the local government expended \$600 in St. Andrews for a questionable purpose, and that some person having found this out wrote to the Attorney General, and threatened to expose the matter if he did not get \$100, and that the amount of blackmail demanded was promptly forthcoming.

Canibals Partially Converted. "My labors, so far, have only been partially successful," said a returned missionary. "Many of the poor heathen seemed disposed to accept the doctrines of Christianity, but are loath to give up the practice of cannibalism."

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Haying Tools.

A LARGE and well assorted stock of Haying Tools, for sale low, Wholesale and Retail by JAMES S. NEILL.

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AT FACTORY PRICES, AT JAMES S. NEILL'S July 9.

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JUST RECEIVED, EXTRA No. 1 Green Head LIME,

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ANOTHER CARLOAD EACH Granulated & Yellow Sugar

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5 CASES GENERAL HARDWARE, including Ice Picks and Axes, by R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

AUGUST 20th. GLASS, &c., 1884. 1885.

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AND PLUMS. Just received at WHELPLEY'S, Fredericton, Sept. 27, 1884.

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3 CASES of Elegant Plated Ware in the newest designs. Just opened at S. F. SHUTES, Queen Street.

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48 BUNDLES SHAFTS; 6 Bundles Pulland Ranners. 15 Bundles Rims; 15 Bundles Spokes.

Just received and for sale as usual, sept. 24. R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

Just Received from Hamilton and Nova Scotia 1 CARLOAD COOK STOVES, RANGES, Parlor Stoves, and Franklin. For sale very low by Aug. 6, 1884. JAMES S. NEILL

ROPE. ROPE.

40 (10)LS Manila Rope; 4 coils Lat. T. 7 coils Raw Linseed Oil; 1 barrel Needfoot Oil; 4 barrels Spirit of Turpentine. Just received and for sale as usual, by R. CHESTNUT & SONS. Fredericton, May 21.

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2 GROSS Cyclone Mouse Traps, probably the best mouse trap ever invented, immediately touching the tempting bait, the fatal wire drops and another mouse is made, another victim of misplaced confidence added to the silent snare.

10 lbs. patent English Cement; 1 Case American Flax, assorted; 1 " American Caustic; 1 " Wire Cloth, assorted numbers; 1 " Galvanized Iron Wire Clothes Lines. Just to hand and for sale by R. CHESTNUT & SONS. Sept. 3 1884.

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BY RAIL FROM BOSTON. 6 DOZEN RAILROAD SHOVELS just to hand, and 12 dozen more to arrive. Pick Axes, Mattocks, Railroad Sinking Mauls, and Pick Pointed Mattocks, daily expected. R. CHESTNUT & SONS. Fredericton, Aug. 20.

GLASS, &c., 1884. 1885.

Just Received: 24 BOXES Glass, 20 Bundles Round Iron; 24 B. B. Bars Round Iron, 12 Well Brackets; 20 Sets Side Springs, 20 Sets Light Wagon Axles; 20 Sets 5 gallons each, 20 Cans, Alabaster; 10 Sets Wagon Wheels; 4 Dns. Manure Forks; 4 Dns. Garden Spades; 10 Kegs Cut Nails; 1 Doz. Sets Measures; 1 Doz. Half Bushels; 2 Barrels Raw Linseed Oil; 20 Rolls Roofing Felt; 3 Dns. Sheep Shears; 2 Cans Parrot Net Line; R. CHESTNUT & SONS. Fredericton, April 16th, 1884.

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