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**Wednesday, May 23, 1883.**

Since the enlargement of the GLEANER we have sent it weekly to subscribers of the late Herald, and will continue to do so until the subscriptions expire, when we hope they will be renewed. We are preparing printed lists of subscribers, with the dates of the expiration of their subscription, which we hope to have soon completed. Subscribers will therefore see on their papers when their subscriptions expire.

## SAINT JOHN'S CENTENNIAL.

The current of action in this world at this date runs on in such rapid course that even recent and most noteworthy events are soon forgotten. It is not a week since St. John celebrated its centenary, and now the illuminations having all gone out, the fireworks exploded, the flowers withered, the fancy dresses being laid by, the flags furled, the papers with the prayers and speeches and glowing accounts of the jubilee demonstrations past, when we say that it is already almost forgotten we speak only of course, in a public sense. There is no doubt that the memories of the 18th May, 1883, will be proudly cherished in many a breast, and that in fact it will be a pleasant, interesting recollection for all time to come. Heaven, it may without irreverence be said, smiled on the celebration. Only imagine what the day would have been if instead of glorious sunshine and an unclouded sky, a thick fog had rolled up the harbor and enveloped the city in a murky mist! The brightness and beauty of the whole holiday demonstration would have been taken out and its poetry would have been reduced to dull prose. The pagentry of the landing of the Loyalists, the armed knights on horseback, the log cabin, the Tally-Ho coach, the old St. George, and the bravery of the fire companies, the floral and artistic ornamentation of the five engines, would have seemed poor—out of keeping and ridiculous in the midst of clouds and drizzly darkness.

Everybody in Fredericton who was not in St. John on the 17th and 18th has read the full accounts given in the City press of the celebration so that it is needless for us to give a summary here of the proceedings. In fact it would be impossible to summarize even all the incidents that occurred in the Loyalist City from 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening to Thursday at midnight. But it is allowable for us to congratulate the citizens of St. John on the entire success of their Centennial celebration, and on the admirable spirit that pervaded all the proceedings of the day. Close captions criticism might find some things to object to, but the general effect of the morning panorama was so fine that fault-finding is out of the question.

St. John, we venture to say, was never so proud of its origin as it is to-day. Surely the enthusiasm evoked on the 18th will not die out. It will, it is to be hoped, find tangible expression in some lasting memorial (take what shape that may) in honor of the patriot band who, ruin in the cause of their king, upon conscientious conviction of the right, a hundred years ago landed on the then unpopulated and barren coasts of the Bay to begin life over again. We suspect that in St. John there are many who have very little or no sympathy with the cause for which the Loyalist founders of their city perilled life and fortune. In fact people of this day cannot enter into the feelings and motives which actuated those men "in the brave days of old." The world always accepts accomplished facts, and to-day the cause of the rebels against the old obstinate king's authority appears righteous, praiseworthy and the only one they were open to adopt. All the constitutional liberty this country enjoys springs from that rebellion, for it is an undoubted fact that the success of the American Revolution gave an impetus to the freedom of political thought and action all the world over. And though that freedom was accompanied by most brutal and murderous license in France, and led to the waging of long, bloody and devastating wars, its success now, in these quiet times, when all the boons it wrested from the grip of tyranny are accepted, as a matter of course, cannot be deplored. "Revolutions," somebody said, "cannot be made with rosettes, but through horrible outlooks at revolutionary excesses might exclaim 'oh, liberty, what crimes are committed in thy name!'" comparatively few now would like to say that they would rather have missed the liberty than that the crimes should have been committed. But whatever people now may think of the old Loyalists as politicians or statesmen there can be no doubt that their conduct as men was worthy of all admiration, and as long as the world esteems self-sacrifice, devotion to a cause, unflinching courage in adversity, resolution, pluck, determination and bravery to overcome the sternest obstacles, it will hold these same Loyalists in honor.

The close of the first century of St. John and the Province, and in great part the country, or rather the opening of the second, finds the great Republic and the Dominion of Canada on sisterly terms of friendship. Such terms do not preclude occasional "spats" and mutual casual losses of temper, but it is to be hoped that they bar all serious quarrellings. Never were the United States more friendly disposed to the Empire to which we are all proud to belong than at the present day. And for the good feeling existing, not anything so much as is attributed as the virtues of the Crowned Head of the Empire. That it may continue to exist we could wish, that the wish contained in the old Spanish salutation was, with regard to Her Majesty, capable of literal fulfillment, and then the millennium would be upon us.

## CENSUS OF CANADA, VOL. III.

We have received from Mr. Picard Vol. III of the Census of Canada, containing tables from 21 to 54, the subjects of which are: Immovable Property and Shipping; Occupiers of Lands and Farms; Occupied Animals and Animals Products; Fields; Fisheries; Raw Mineral Products; Details of Industrial Establishments, &c. Under the head of Immovable Property, &c., the Province of New Brunswick is credited with having 46,102 owners of such property, who possess in all 6,046, 183 acres; 18,700 town and village lots; and 48,450 houses; 1,968 warehouses, stores, shops, factories, and 51,890 lands and stables. With regard to shipping New Brunswick has 46 steam vessels; tonnage, 4,817; average size, 105 tons; 619 sailing vessels, tonnage 210,533; 195 barges and other crafts, tonnage 3,479; total vessels, 890, tonnage, 219,329. Under the head of occupiers of lands and lands occupied, we find that out of a total population in Fredericton and York County, of 30,397, there is a total 3,549 occupiers, including 3,275 farmers, 262 tenants of employees. Of these occupiers 200 occupy 10 acres and under, 428 from 11 to 80 acres, 1,906 from 81 to 100 acres; 817 from 101 to 200; 503 from 201 to 400; 198 from 401 to 600; 100 from 601 to 800; 100 from 801 to 1,000; 100 from 1,001 to 2,000; 100 from 2,001 to 4,000; 100 from 4,001 to 6,000; 100 from 6,001 to 8,000; 100 from 8,001 to 10,000; 100 from 10,001 to 20,000; 100 from 20,001 to 40,000; 100 from 40,001 to 60,000; 100 from 60,001 to 80,000; 100 from 80,001 to 100,000; 100 from 100,001 to 200,000; 100 from 200,001 to 400,000; 100 from 400,001 to 600,000; 100 from 600,001 to 800,000; 100 from 800,001 to 1,000,000; 100 from 1,000,001 to 2,000,000; 100 from 2,000,001 to 4,000,000; 100 from 4,000,001 to 6,000,000; 100 from 6,000,001 to 8,000,000; 100 from 8,000,001 to 10,000,000; 100 from 10,000,001 to 20,000,000; 100 from 20,000,001 to 40,000,000; 100 from 40,000,001 to 60,000,000; 100 from 60,000,001 to 80,000,000; 100 from 80,000,001 to 100,000,000; 100 from 100,000,001 to 200,000,000; 100 from 200,000,001 to 400,000,000; 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For a few weeks past, whenever she ventured out alone, she was followed and accosted by a stylishly-dressed individual about forty-five years old, wearing the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor in his button hole. The personage would not only follow her, but would address her in language of the fulsome complimentary style, would thrust his face under her bon-

—FOR SALE AT—  
**ELY PERKINS.**  
**Cracked Corn.**  
 WHEAT SHORTS.  
**WHEAT BRAN.**  
 Frederickton, May 9th, 1883.

THOMAS LUCY.

**D** Brushes, Spices, Currants, Raisins, Washboards, Clothes Lines, etc.  
For sale at lowest rates.  
Frederickton, April 25, 1883.

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**Window Glass.**

Now landing per Steamer "Helvetia," from Antwerp direct:—

**624 BOXES WINDOW GLASS:**  
10 cases Muslin Glass.  
For sale wholesale and retail.

**JAMES S. NEILL.**  
Frederickton, April 18.

**L**OANS granted. Deposits received Exchange bought and sold, Drafts issued Collections made at, and money telegraphed to all accessible places.

Letters of Credit, Cable Transfers, and other Foreign Business, will have attention.

Correspondence solicited. Collections from Banks and Business Houses promptly remitted for, at lowest rates.

Every facility afforded to customers, and business transacted on favorable terms.

Answers to inquiries regarding the Shares of the Bank Stock, the rates of interest allowed on Special Deposits, and other matters will be cheerfully furnished.

Frederickton, March 6, 1883.

**SAINT JOHN, - - N. B.**  
Saint John, N. B., Aug. 25, 1882.

**Bar Iron Now in Stock.**

**THIRTY** Tons Bar Iron, Assorted, Best English  
Refined and Londonerry. Every bar war-  
ranted Best refined.  
March 9. **JAMES S. NEILL.**

**Barristers and Attorneys-at Law,  
NOTARIES PUBLIC,  
FREDERICTON.**

GEO. F. GREGORY.                      ANDREW G. BLAIR

Fredericton, March 28th, 1883.