

Miramichi and the North Shore.

"ROSE BELFORD'S AND 'SCIENCE'S' for August at the Miramichi Bookstore.

DR. CLARK, Dentist, will not visit Newcastle each Friday and Saturday as heretofore, until further notice.

A FIRST ARRIVAL.—The barque Lohair, Holywood, from Belfast arrived on the 22nd. She is the first vessel which has made her second trip this season, and was also the first arrival this spring.

ELECTION.—Prof. Peabody, of Princeton, whose expected arrival was announced in our last week's issue is now in town and stopping at Bowser's Hotel.

SALE.—Remember the sale to be held by the Ladies of St. Mary's Church in the Masonic Hall, to-day, commencing at 2 p. m.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday afternoon last, about 4.30 a young man named Daniel Bruce employed in the deal yard of the mill of J. B. Snowball Esq., while engaged in carrying deals, was struck on the back of the head, by a deal which was in the act of being thrown from the pile, the blow inflicting a severe scalp wound.

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with a stern retribution first felt by this nation the chief offender.

Frenchmen are patriotic in their vain way. They are ambitious to maintain and transmit their heritage of military glory unimpaired to the future.

They would be proud to add new trophies to their columns of Vendome and Arches of Triumph. They are courageous in war and not afraid of blood-letting; but in antagonism with their narrow patriotism, and public courage, is their personal selfishness and prudence.

The way they avert the orphan and widow dilemma, involved in war is by avoidance of marriage. In the conceit of the individual Frenchman this is a shrewd and provident; but from a national point of view it is fatally short sighted.

It is that false economy that we illustrate in America by the nausous metaphor of the pig and bung. French statesmen prate about eras of peace and next week a grand feat of international amenity is to be given; but the grim warfare wrinkles of centuries cannot be effaced by festivals and rhetoric.

"This people worship me with their lips but their heart is far from me." In spite of Epigrams like "the Republic is peace." In spite of the Exposition and fetes like the one proposed—France has no policy but to maintain her place as the armed camp that insures that she glories has made of Europe C. A. S.

Lord Beaconsfield's Reception and Explanations.

When Lord Beaconsfield arrived from Berlin at the railway station, London, on the 16th inst., he entered a carriage with Lord and Lady Salisbury, and was greeted on the route along the West Strand with a continuous ovation of cheering and pouring of bouquets from the crowd and the houses, all the way to Downing Street.

On reaching his residence, in answer to repeated calls he addressed the crowd, thanking them for their reception, observing that Lord Salisbury and himself had brought back peace with honor, such as he hoped would satisfy sovereign and country.

On July 18th, Lord Beaconsfield on entering the Old Palace yard, on his way to the House of Lords, was heartily cheered, and experienced much difficulty in passing through the throng, though accompanied by a squad of police.

A large and distinguished assembly awaited him, including the Prince of Wales and other members of the Royal Family. About five minutes later, Lord Salisbury entered, after which Lord Beaconsfield rose amid loud cheers.

He said he would show that by the changes made in the treaty of San Stefano by the treaty of Berlin, the menace to the independence of Europe and threatened injury to the interests of the British Empire had terminated.

He evinced a strong bias in favor of Turkey and almost apologized for the limitation of the Sultan's authority in Eastern Russia. He said most competent authorities had convinced him that it would have taken 50,000 men to enter the city in Bosnia.

Even then the attempt, perhaps, would have been unsuccessful and such an effort must have ensured Turkey's absolute ruin. The Austrian occupation, he asserted, had been undertaken at the suggestion of Lord Salisbury and was earnestly supported by himself.

The object was to protect the Turkish Government because it believed an attempt at partition, would lead to a sanguinary war. He said it was remarkable that after a great war and prolonged negotiations all the Powers, Russia as completely as the others, should conclude that it was best for the tranquility of the world to retain the Sultan as part of the European System.

He said in conclusion, "Let Russia keep what she has gained; England has now said, 'thus far and no farther.'" He could not at present communicate details of reforms in Asia Minor. The Government's efforts in the interest of peace and civilization mainly depended on the consciousness of Eastern nations that our Empire is one of liberty and justice.

Earl Granville said he would have preferred the danger arising from Turkish misgovernment to the responsibilities accepted by England. He complained that the interests of the Greeks had been disregarded, and did not think that Cyprus would add to the power of defending the Suez Canal, while it would add much to the responsibility of the Empire.

Lord Derby approved of what had been done in Europe, but questioned the value of Cyprus and said he quitted the Cabinet because he dissented from sending a secret expedition to seize a naval station in the East Mediterranean.

Lord Salisbury said due weight had not been given to the Austrian occupation of II Turkey now that pieces Russia would not rule the Bosphorus. He denied Lord Derby's statement in regard to the secret expedition. He said India would not have remained loyal if Russia had been allowed to rule on the Tigris and Euphrates.

Lord Derby emphatically maintained the truth of his statement relative to the secret expedition saying that he had notes made at the time.

Lord Salisbury said he believed Lord Derby's memory was bad.

The Times, in an editorial summing up the labors of Congress, says: "It has made changes which transform an empire, has removed long-standing causes of discontent, has pacified, we may hope, provinces torn by dissension and misrule and placed barriers between rival forms of implacable bigotry; has stopped many avenues of foreign intrigue and if it has abridged the power of the Porte it has given peace to Europe."

Correspondence.

Escuminae Lobster Fishery.

ESCUMINA, July 15th, 1878. To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.

DEAR SIR,—One of our most important fisheries, and the least noticed, are our lobster fisheries. Escumina can boast of three extensive establishments in preparing and canning lobsters—Mr. Alex. Stewart has one about three miles up from the Light-house. He is prepared to fill fifty thousand tins this season.

He employs eighteen men, boys and women. Mr. Stewart is one of the most careful of preservers. Any one getting from his establishment may rely on buying a good article. Two and a half miles farther up is the establishment of T. H. Fiegher, Esq., one of the oldest and most successful preservers on the North Shore.

He employs about twenty hands and is prepared to fill from forty to fifty thousand tins. He also does an extensive business in ice, salmon, and ovens and works two small farms. Mr. Fiegher has been in the fishing and canning business in this place, for twenty-two years, and began under somewhat unfavorable circumstances, but by his sterling honesty, industry and obliging spirit he has not only gained for himself a competence, but also the respect and good will of the entire community, without any exceptions.

Two miles farther up on the west side of McLean's Gully stands the establishment of Mr. A. B. Walls. Mr. Walls has had considerable experience in this business and has his stand fitted up

in good style and very convenient for himself and his fishermen. He is prepared to fill from fifty to sixty thousand cans this season. He employs from fifteen to eighteen hands.

All the above concerns have but little over one half their cans filled up to the present time. Lobsters were very plenty in the first three weeks in June, but since that time they have been very scarce. I believe they have drawn off into deep water on account of heavy easterly winds.

Should they continue so much longer the Hardwood Boys think they will have to again take to the modest trade of "Bellacoe." I believe they will not accept my assistance from a little back office in Teazewell when writing items of news for the ADVANCE.

A number of lobster fishermen would like to know through the columns of the ADVANCE what would likely be the best course to take to have the close season abolished altogether and have the lobster fisheries properly protected by prohibiting the use of the gaff at all seasons. It is well known to fishermen that lobsters will not take bait when in a fit state to deposit their eggs. When in that state they make for shallow water and there bed themselves into the sand to soon become the victims of the thoughtless fisherman's gaff. If this protection was given it would be a benefit to all concerned and would be a law that could be easily enforced.

Yours truly, &c., ONE OF THE HARDWOOD BOYS.

D. T. R. Pic-Nic at Black River.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. DEAR SIR:—On my way to Chatham, on Tuesday, 16th inst., I had the pleasure of spending a very pleasant hour at a Pic-Nic got up by the Dutchers of Glenelg, in aid of the new school house recently erected at Black River Bridge.

Over the door on the outside were the words "Welcome," and on entering the school I found a most tastefully and handsomely ornamented with wreaths of flowers and evergreens around the walls, while garlands of flowers were suspended, also, around the building. On the right hand side on entering the building were the words, on a white ground in blue letters, "Happy greeting to all," and further up in white letters, on a pink ground, "At the back of the room, on a green ground, a blue ground in yellow letters, 'Loyalty,' and over the door, conspicuous in going out of the building, on green cloth and in white letters were the words, 'Keep the Pledge.'"

Extending the whole length of the room which is 31x22 were two tables, handsomely ornamented with wreaths of flowers, and stocked with dainties that refreshed, without inclining. Swings were prepared for the young folks, and I noticed a good many who took advantage of them. Running races, too, were another source of amusement. The gallant Captain of the Lower Company of Black River Volunteers can run a very good race, himself. It was early in the day when I was there and every one seemed to be putting in a good time. When the clock shades of the evening began to fall, I think, from what I heard while on the ground, that the real enjoyment was going to begin for those who were fond of dancing who have ample opportunity to gratify their taste.

Mr. T. G. McKay, President of the Reformers at Black River, was the manager of the affair, and he is to be congratulated if the ending was as pleasant as the beginning of the Pic-nic.

[We are informed that the whole affair was a great success.—Ed.]

The Escuminae Telepho-Pneumatic Tube.

Another Escuminae Correspondent writes to say that a wag is going about that locality canvassing for the House of Commons, and is only guaranteed to get a grant from the Dominion Government to plank the road over Escuminae Plain, and to build a Breakwater, composed of "Haws rails" near the Point, but to supersede the projected and promised telegraph line by erecting a telephone wire from Escuminae to connect several Montreal Manufacturing concerns who are to be "protected" with the aid of Escuminae votes. When "that infernal scoundrel Mackenzie, is turned out" all the above will come to pass. In connection with the telephone there is to be a "patent Pneumatic Supply tube," so that all the happy people will have to do will be to announce their requirements through the telephone and, almost immediately, they will receive, through the "patent pneumatic," the requisite quantities of flour and sugar, only guaranteed to be delivered to the door, on election times, or when the women of the household are busy with out-door affairs, the flour will be sent already baked.

GENERAL NEWS.

MR. EDWARD JENKINS has published a new satire entitled "Haverholme, or the Apotheosis of Jingo."

SYRIA.—Houses property is going up in Syrian Villages in consequence of the English protectorate.

TRINIDAD.—France has suggested a joint protest of the Powers at Constantinople against the Turkish outages at Thessaly.

MENNONITE IMMIGRANTS.—Last week 270 Mennonite immigrants went through Toronto on their way to Manitoba. The party comprised 48 families and they had in their possession \$29,000.

LOD BEAUCONSFIELD.—A despatch dated July 22nd, states that the Queen has conferred the Order of the Garter on Lord Beaconsfield.

HEAVY CROPS IN ONTARIO.—The crops are so heavy in some parts of Ontario that farm hands enough cannot be had to gather the grain. The wages offered are \$2.00 and \$2.50 per day.

VENNOSE'S LAST PREDICTION.—Mr. Venno publishes a letter in which is predicted cold weather, soon to be followed by greater heat, again cold weather, and a possible flurry of snow in the latter part of August.

GARDEN PARTY AT WIMBLEDON.—A recent cablegram gives an account of a garden party at the Canadian Camp, Wimbledon, on the 18th. The Duke of Cambridge and a number of other distinguished visitors were present.

EMIGRATION TO CYPRUS.—Emigration from Egypt to Cyprus is proceeding on a large scale and probably a direct service of steamers will be established between this port and Cyprus.

THE INDIAN, BERNAIRD.—The Indian, Berniard, who committed the Hillsboro outrage was captured, near Truro, on the 17th inst. and lodged in the County Jail, from which he was subsequently removed to Albert County Jail, Hillsboro. His punishment ought to be swift and sure.

EXAMINATION OF THE TIGRIS AND EUPHRATES VALLEYS.—A despatch dated London, July 19th, says the London News believes that two parties of railway experts, under the direction of the Government, will examine the Tigris and Euphrates valleys, for the best railway route to the Persian Gulf.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.—The New York Times establishment will be the first on this Continent to make use of the electric light, and its composing room will shortly be lighted in this manner. The first cost of the machine will be \$5000, and the whole cost afterwards 20 cts. an hour. The present cost for gas in the composing room is \$200 per month. The lamp used is the French device consisting of parallel carbon points, the machine being set in motion by steam power. A new patent has lately been issued in which the light burns in pure nitrogen in an hermetically sealed glass jar, and requires no interference in any shape. The cost to the ordinary household will be comparatively trifling.

Do it at once! If a title of the testimonials now on hand of the value of DR. WESTAL'S BALM OF WILD CHERRY should be published, no one would stop to read the bulky volume. Ask any druggist and he will tell you that this BALM is a real blessing to all afflicted with throat and lung diseases. All kindred affections, including Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Croup, Hoarseness, Pains in the Chest, and Bleeding of the lungs, yield to its wonderful power. We advise any one tired of experimenting with physicians' prescriptions or quack medicines to drop them at once and use the BALM OF WILD CHERRY, 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

NO RISK. Thomas Electric Oil! Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold! Do you know anything of it? If not, it is time you did. Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat; one dose cures BRONCHITIS. Fifty cents worth has cured an OLD STANDING COUGH. One or two bottles cure bad cases of PILES and KIDNEY TROUBLES. Six to eight applications cure ANY CASE OF EXCORIATED NIPPLES OR INFLAMED BREAST. One bottle has cured LAME BACK of eight years' duration. Daniel Plank, of Brookfield, Tioga County, Pa., says: "I went thirty miles for a bottle of your Oil, which effected a WONDERFUL cure of a CROOKED NECK." Rev. J. Mallory, of Wyoming, N. Y., writes: "Your ELECTRIC OIL cured me of Bronchitis in one week."

It is composed of SIX of the BEST OILS THAT ARE KNOWN. Is as good for internal as for external use, and is believed to be immeasurably superior to anything ever made. Will save you much suffering and many dollars of expense.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Lyman are on the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be secured by applying at this department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria Street, E. C., London.

Sailed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next. F. BRAUN, Secretary, Ottawa, May 30, 1878.

Canadian Pacific Railway. To Capitalists and Contractors. THE Government of Canada will receive proposals for constructing and working a line of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about 2,000 miles.

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