Miramichi and the North Shore.

Fun, of Bengough's making, to-night. APRIL MAGAZINES. - Harper's and Young Ladies' Journal at the Miramichi Bookstore.

FIRE ALARM. - An alarm that turned of be caused by "only a chimney" made a big excitement on Upper Water Street last evening,

HELD OVER .- "An Evangelican Churchman," on that much vexed question, the Escuminac Church, and "Bible Christian," on the same subject, and several other communications on other matters will re

ceive attention next week. We are also obliged to hold Dominion

Parliament and other matters. FIRE.-Mr. Peter Gray's residence on the Black Brook Shore road, a short distance below Chatham, was totally destroyed by fire last evening, between six and seven o'clock. Most of the furniture was saved, but a quantity of meats, vegetables, etc., in the cellar, was lost. The cause of the fire is not known.

"THE YOUNG CANADIAN." The first number of The Young Canadian, a literary journal devoted to the interests of young people has been issued. It is a monthly publication, published at the Gleaner office. The contents consist of tales, poetry and miscellaneous matter, calculated to interest the class of readers it is intended

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS. - William Murray to be Labour Act Commissioner for the Parish of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland.

John L. Schofield to be Labour Act Commissioner for the Parish of Blackville. in said County; and

John Campbell to be Commissioner for the Free Grant Tract in the Parish of Ludlow, in said County.

"DUTCHER." - The publication of your letter can do no public good. It is true that private character has often been attacked through the same channel and the public taste degraded thereby, to a certain extent, but we think an improving public sentiment in respect to such matters, rather than replies which partake of the character of the offences alluded to, will punish the offenders and gradually narrow the sphere of their influence.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY .- Owing to the want of Church accommodation by the Roman Catholics, the usual grand services on St. Patrick's day could not be conducted this year. In St. Patrick's Hall last Mass was celebrated by his Lordship the Bishop, who, at the end, after the announcements, delivered a brief address on the day and the various lessons it should teach.

On Monday evening an entertainment vas given by the members of the Temerance Society in honor of the feast. he Hall was well filled. The programme onsisted of musical selections, songs, peeches, etc. Quite a pleasant time was ent. Rev. Father Bannon, spiritual ector of the Society, made a few rerks at the close complimenting the Soriety on their entertainment, etc., after

all quietly dispersed. BENGOUGH at the Masonic Hall to night.

Accidents.

On Monday last, a young man, son of Jacob Barker, Fredericton, was working on top of the Grand Falls Railway Bridge and in canting a log with his peevy, the latter slipped and he was precipitated to the ice on the river below, a distance of fifty-seven feet. He alighted on his feet, racturing the bones of both legs fearfully, lriving the bones of the lower limbs through heflesh. His spine was also badly injured. At last accounts he was still alive but unonscious of the fact that his legs are desroyed the shock being so great.

Chris. Parker, jr., in the employ of J. J. Miller & Co., had his leg broken on saturday last. He was sitting in a cart, | fined it. driving, and while passing a load of bark, the wheel came in contact with it, and upset the cart, which fell on the young man's leg, breaking it badly, about three inches the President, and Mr. William Sievefrom the ancle. Dr. Freeman set the wright. broken limb, and the young man will recover speedily, if he will only exercise a fair degree of patience. - Advocate.

Entertainment of the Dutcher Re formers.

On Tuesday evening the usual entertainnt of the Dutcher Reformers was held the Masonic Hall which was completely iled. The chair was taken by John Shirreff, Esq., and after prayer by the Rev. Mr. McBain the choir sang the opening piece when the following programme was proceeded with:-

Address. - Mr. John Galloway, of Napan Song -"I heard a spirit sing," by Miss

Address. - The Rev. Mr. Nicholson, of Song .-- "Tapping at the Garden Gate," by Miss Annie Davidson, accompaniment

by Miss Fairey. Address. - Master Thomas Brehaut, Song-"Out in the Street" by Miss

Annie Shirreff; accompaniment by Mrs. J. Recitation.—"How I popped the question," by Master Thomas Marquis. Song .- "Come, Birdie, come," by Miss

Goggin and Miss L. Call, (Newcastle); accompaniment by Miss Annie Davidson. g. - "Our sailors on the sea" by Mr. L. Desbrisay.

Recitation .- "The Gambler's wife," by Miss E. Loudoun. Song .- "Killarney," by Miss S. Gillies; accompaniment by Miss Annie Shirreff.

Song .- "The lion hearts of England," by Mr. William Smith Address-by W. H. Frecker. Quartette.-" Come where my love lies dreaming," by Misses Annie Shirreff and Minnie Haviland and Messrs. L. P. Des-

brisay and D. Chesman. Doxology. - By the choir. During the evening signers to the pledge

were called for, and a number came forward. The Chairman announced, before the conclusion of the programme, that a business meeting would be held at the close of the entertainment, but it was afterwards announced this would be postponed until next Tuesday evening.

A Handsome Donation.

To following preamble and resolutions have been handed to us for publication :--

To J. C. MILLER, Esq. RESPECTED SIR :- We, the Committee appointed by Nelson Division No. 99 S. of T., take much pleasure in presenting you with the following resolutions passed at our last session for the handsome and munificent gift with which you have been pleased to present the Division.

Whereas :- This Division appreciating such liberality at the hands of one who has always evinced a deep interest in matter effecting the public weal do extend to you their heartfelt gratitude and thanks for the handsome organ with which you have presented them.

Therefore Resolved:—That we extend to you our most cordial thanks for such a

munificent donation. And Further Resolved :- Considering that such an act of beneficence is commendable to you, but more particularly that it manifests your zeal in the temper- the system, and the principle of symbols subject.

these resolutions be transmitted to the ADVANCE and Advocate for publication. Signed in behalf of the Division. JAS. N. WATHEN. JOHN BETTS.

W. HARTT. BENGOUGH. - Bengough delivers his second lecture in Chatham in the Masonic Hall to-night. An entirely new entertainment is advertised.

Kent County Notes.

SCHOOL HOUSE BURNED. -The school house at Molus River, Kent County, was destroyed by fire on Monday night, 18th inst. The building was uninsured.

DIPHTHERIA still prevails in several parts of Kent County. On Monday last K. B. Forbes, Esq., merchant, of Richi bucto, lost a promising son, aged seven years, from this dread disease. Personal.-A. Girouard, Esq., High

Sheriff of Kent, is recovering from recent serious and protracted illness. THE CIRCUIT COURT for Kent met at Richibucto on Tuesday of last week. His Honor Judge Weldon presiding. There was only one criminal case brought before

the Grand Jury in which that body failed to find a bill. No civil cases were tried. Religious.-Rev. Mr. Wilkins will occupy the Pulpit of the Presbyterian Church at Kingston, on Sabbath next, and for several Sabbaths following.

Northumberland Teachers' Institute-

On Thursday, the 14th inst, in compliance with notice previously given, the teachers of Northumberland assembled, at 10 a. m., in Harkins' Seminary, Newcastle, for the purpose of organizing a Teacher's Institute, as prescribed by Regulation 23 of the Board of Education. There were over 60 Teachers present, who also enrolled themselves as members of the In-

The meeting was called to order by the Inspector, C. S. Ramsay, Esq., who address ed the teachers present, upon the objects of the Institute, one of which was to obtain the best methods of teaching, and th other the adoption of them by all the teachers of the County. [It may be here stated that Dr. Rand was to have been present at the meeting, but that his absence was caused by unforseen pressure of official duties.]

The Institute then proceeded to th election of officers for the ensuing year, resulting as follows :-

C. S. Ramsay Esq., President. C. M. Hutchison, A.M Vice Presiden I. B. Oaks, A.B. Sec. Treas. COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT. - C.

Ramsay, C. M. Hutchison, I. B. Oakes, E. P. Flewwelling, W. J. Fowler. The President then introduced Miss Kate Williston, of Chatham, who, by means of a class of little girls illustrated her method of teaching ratio and proportion. She explained the different kinds of ratio, and exercised the pupils in distinguishing between them, also between antecedent and consequent, and to distinguish the imperfect ratio of a proportion. The President then invited criticism upon this exercise, but as none was offered,

hich the national anthem was sung, and the subject was dismissed. Mr. Michael Flynne was then introduced, and entertained the Institute with his method of teaching fractions. He commenced by defining a fraction, and giving examples on the black board. He next defined the different kind of fractions, giving specimens as before. In a similar manner, he dealt with the processes involved in the various operations of this branch

explained and defined an improper fraction. pointing out in what respect he differed from Mr. Flynne. He also illustrated his method of dividing a fraction by a

Mr. I. B. Oakes, of Chatham, objected to Mr. Flewwelling's definition, which the latter agreed to reconsider. Mr. Oakes also thought Mr. Flynne should have developed the idea of a fraction before he de-

Mr. Flewwelling's process good. Further remarks were made upon this exercise by

At 1.30 the Institute adjourned. AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Institute re-opened at 3 o'clock the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

introduced illustrated the "look and say" method of teaching young children to read. She began with a card containing a picture of a hen and her chickens, together with ingsuch a beautiful world and giving them a few sentences relating to them. She first asked the children what they saw? They replied, "a hen," but it was not a hen, but only a picture or symbol of one. She then printed the sentence, "this is a hen," and after getting the children to rethem to distinguish the word "Hen." Mr. J. Hamilton. This was another symbol. She then dealt with other words in a similar manner. produce the sound of the first letter in commenced by referring to the attention some of these words, then to elicit from them the sound of the letter, when placed alone on the black board, at the same time withholding from them the names of the ness that prevailed in the rearing of chil-

the different sounds in its name. By reprinciple it was based.

a cat. She next drilled them upon the sentence "This is a cat," getting them to point out the word "cat" in other sentences, thus enabling them to recognise words as representative of objects. Mr. E. P. Flewwelling thought that the

two lessons taken together sufficiently illustrated the "look and say" method. Mr. Sievewright, of Newcastle, pointed thought it was naturally based.

system a good one, but found difficulty in of Hygiene. adopting it on account of objections from

Miss Alexander, of Chatham, thought apparent progress possible under the old system, but real advancement could be best secured by the new method. Mr. Wathen, of Derby, said he had tried

the new system and with success. ance movement, that a duplicate copy of on which it was based. The method

secured natural, the old one, mechanical reading. Objectors to this, as to allother improvements, must be expected, and to Through the "look and say" method the pupils learns through both eye and ear

how to spell. The President endorsed the remarks made by the different speakers and urged upon the teachers of the county the adoption of the best method.

Mr. Gaudet, of Tabusintac, referred to the difficulty of adopting this method with French speaking pupils.

After hearing remarks by one or two others the subject was dismissed. C. M. Hutchison, of Newcastle, then read an excellent paper on the subject of Geometry as developed by Wormell. He shewed that one is naturally wedded to an old system of working, but that when its faults were discovered it should be abandoned ; Wormell's system was an improvement on Euclid's plan, and should, therefore, be adopted, because by means of illustration and experiment he developes the idea of angles, lines, etc., before leading the pupil into those abstractions. which are based upon these. He next gave on the blackboard a number of illus-

treated, concluding with the demonstration of theorem first in Wormell. Adjourned.

EVENING SESSION. The Institute re-opened at 7.30, p. m.

the President in the chair. Mr. Wathen illustrated his method of demonstrating the theorem proved by Mr. Hutchison, and by the latter was criticized upon some parts of his proof.

Mr. I. B. Oakes, illustrated a method of demonstrating propositions without aid of letters to designate angles and sides. This method saved time, and could be more easily followed and understood by members of the class.

Mr. C. M. Hutchison, of Newcastle, then illustrated another plan requiring the use of small letters only at the vertices of the angles. He had frequently adopted it to

Mr. E. P. Flewwelling, of Newcastle, then proceeded to illustrate his method of teaching Geography. He first illustrated climatic changes induced by air currents from sea and land, the effects of mountain ranges, etc. He exhibited a very neat map of England, without written names. This map had been drawn by one of his own pupils. With maps drawn on this plan he was accustomed to teach his pupils the position of the towns, rivers, etc., of the more important countries. He next exhibited a very ingenious piece of Mechanism planned and executed by himself, for illustrating the changes in the length of day and night, also the changes of the seasons. By this apparatus it was easy to preserve the constant direction of the earth's axis with respect to the North Star.

also its inclination. Miss E. Hickey, of Newcastle, asked the cause of the advantage in respect to the sun's rays the northern hemisphere has

over the southern. Messrs, R. Moore, Donald McIntosh, C. M. Hutchison, W. H. Grindley, E. P. Flewwelling, I. B. Oakes, J. Hamilton, Wm. Sivewright and James Wathen expressed their views upon the question at The discussion was somewhat protracted, but failed to elicit a satisfactory solution of the question.

The session adjourned at 9.30. FRIDAY MORNING.

The Institute opened at 9 o'clock, the President in the chair.

Mr. Sievewright of Newcastle took up the subject of object lessons, their educa-Mr. E. P. Flewwelling of Newcastle tional value and how to conduct them-He said objects were brought into contact with the mind through the senses. Knowledge began with impressions first made on the mind. 'The child was naturally curious and through this curiosity he must be taught. Objects are useful in educating the judgment, in teaching the child to observe objects and their qualities. He referred to the different stages in a proper course of object lessons. In the first stage he would employ such objects Mr. Hutchison, of Newcastle, thought only as pupils were familiar with, and teach the pupils to find out the more prominent parts. In the second stage he would deal with parts less apparent and their qualities. In the third stage he

would enlarge upon the second Miss Alexander of Chatham then gave to a class of young children a very interesting object lesson on "the eye." She conducted this lesson with much skill eliciting from the children through their own obser-Miss Oliva Parker, of Newcastle, on being vation a knowledge of all the important parts of the eye. She concluded with calling the attention of the children to the wisdom and goodness of the creator in mak-

eyes to see it with. were offered on this lesson by Miss O. Parker, the President, Messrs. R. Moore, James Wathen, Donald McIntosh, Wm. Sievewright, I. B. Oakes, E. P. Flewwellpeat with her the words it contained, got ing, C. M. Hutchison, Miss McQueen and

upon the subject of Hygiene, as neces-The next step was to get the children to sary to be taught in schools. Mr. Oakes bestowed on the rearing and feeding of horses and other domestic animals, and contrasted with this the general carelessletters. She thus opened the way to dren. Many persons, and especially teachphonetic spelling, and proved that while ers, in striving to cultivate the mind, did the picture and the word "hen" repre- not remember that success in life depended mental energy ran parallel with physical quest of Mr. Oakes, Miss Parker then ex- energy. Without health intellectual atplained the difference between the new tainments were comparatively valueless. method and the old one, and on what | The first requisite was to be a good animal. This condition lay at the foundation of Mr. Hutchinson, of Newcastle, further | national prosperity. He would not dwell explained the principle underlying this upon the importance of imparting to chil-

exercise, ventilation, proper food and clothing. Mr. Oakes then explained how

After a few questions upon this paper and exercise the meeting adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION. The meeting opened at 3 o'clock the sult; nor do they forget a wrong. They The first hour in the afternoon session | true. You must give the answer now or

was devoted to an interesting discussion at the hustings; choose between the upon various points in Mr. Oakes' paper, times; demand the correspondence; you'll Lime, is prepared only by J. H. Robinson, Mr. Oakes referred to the analysis of all agreeing upon the importance of the find, then, why Mr. Kelly refused to ap- Chemist, St. John N. B., for sale by Drug- and quarters; Tobacco, Soap, Sugar, Wrapping

After this ensued an informal discussion | held responsible. The same men who | bottle : six bottles for \$5.

upon the subject of irregularity of attend- elected you can defeat you. Remember, ance at school. Different remedies were recommended such as visits to parents can rule us;" you know the rest. Atchiintelligent ones it should be explained. prizes, trying to make study attractive

> The following resolutions were then passed:-Resolved-That the next meeting of the Institute be held in Chatham on the 1st

Thursday and Friday of Oct. next. Also Resolved-That the thanks of the teachers present are due and are hereby tendered to the officers of the Institute for the efficient discharge of their duties.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Special to the "Miramichi Advance." FREDERICTON, March 20, 1878. There was a long discussion this morning on Mr. Davidson's Bill to authorize

erect a Telephone between Newcastle and

Indiantown. The House showed every disposition to pass the Bill. HON. ATTORNEY GENERAL raised several points in support of Reporting progress in order that amendments guarding public rights might be made. The Bill gave to Messrs. Call and Miller the right to enter upon public streets and roads lying between Newcastle and Indiantown for the purpose of putting up posts and erecttrations in connection with the subject ing wire. He (Attorney General) thought there should be a provision requiring Corporators to transmit messages for the public, at fair rates, for, he said, no private firm ought to be allowed to use the public roads for putting up posts or other obstructions which might, to a certain extent, inconvenience owners of private property, without giving the public some compensating advantage; at the same time, be recognised the enterprise and general public spirit of Messrs. Call and Miller,

> lity consistent with public interests. MR. MARSHALL said if any other parties desired to put up Telephone wire they should be allowed to use Messrs. Call & Miller's posts on paying a part of the cost

and would like to afford them every faci-

MESSRS. DAVIDSON, KELLY, SWIM, TWEEDIE, BURNS and ELDER, all spoke in favor of the Bill, referring to the public spirit of Corporators who were not seeking any monopoly but privileges in the interest of the public and to facilitate the business operations of the Miramichi. They referred to the large business done at Miller's Bark Factory, South West Boom, and lack of Telegraphic facilities. At the same time they did not object to making measure as perfect as possible in guarding public interests against any attempt at monopoly which was not probable but

Bill might be perfected in the respects Mr. Davidson's Bill to authorize Northumberland County Councillors to receive pay for services at the Council was agreed to, it being understood that if the Bill recommended by Mr. Cottrell, applying this provision to all the Counties of the Province passed, Mr. Davidson would arrest his Bill before it got to its final

Progress was reported in order that the

stage in the Upper House. HON PROVINCIAL SECRETARY commenced the Budget speech at half past two this afternoon.

Correspondence.

Deserved Censure.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. At a meeting of the office-bearers of Chatham Dutcher Temperance Reformers held this afternoon, Wm. Johnston was called to the Chair and Wm. Murray acted as Sec. The following Resolution was moved by E. A. Strang, seconded by Donald McLachlan and carried unanimously :-

Whereas The Advocate, newspaper, in its last issue of the 13th inst., publishes a communication over the signature of "A Stranger," reflecting in a most ungentlemanly and scurrilous manner upon the performance of some of the Ladies and Gentlemen who contributed to the entertainment furnished by the "Chatham Dutcher Temperance Reformers' at their weekly evening meeting of the 5th inst., and Whereas-The Dutcher Temperance Rewhere, compose one grand organization everybody good who uses it. All drug-whose aim and object is to promote the moral elevation and well being of our country; and the members of which are giving their time, talents and money freely

and voluntarily to advance the cause of Temperance, and not for the purpose of Therefore Resolved-That we the undersigned officers of the "Chatham Dutcher Temperance Reform Club" on behalf and in defence of the Ladies and Gentlemen who sang or addressed the meeting on that occasion, do express our surprise that the Press should open its columns to give publicity to such a malevolent and scurrilous criticism; and in support of the interests of our cause, do condemn the course adopted by the said newspaper, as injurious to a grand moral cause which it was gener-

ally supposed the publishers were desirous Wm. Sinclair, Wm. Johnston, Wm. Murray, John Shirreff, Vice Presidents; D. McLachlan, Treasurer; I. B. Oakes, Sect'y; P. Loggie, assis't do.; E. A. Strang, D. W. Davidson, Geo. W. Loggie, Daniel Chesman, A. D. Shirreff, Mrs. John Shirreff, Mrs. Wm. Murray, Mrs. L. J. Tweedie, M. A. Bell, Maggie Johnston, Mrs. A number of criticisims and remarks Duncan Davidson, Mrs. J. R. Goggin, Matilda McLachlan, John Bell, Bartholomew Stapledon, Robert Murray, Wm. Anderson, J. R. Goggin, Robert Sinclair Ex-

ecutive and Vigilance Committees. Moved by D. McLachlan and seconded by John Bell, that a copy of the same be Mr. I. B. Oakes then read a paper furnished the ADVANCE, Gleaner and Ad-

WM. MURRAY,

Chatham, March 15, 1878. NEWCASTLE, March 15, 1878. To Allan A. Davidson, Esq., M. P. P .: SIR :- You were elected on the Free Non-Sectarian School Ticket. I supported you then, but will not do so again. You sented the fowl, the letters represented more on energy than learning. As a rule were third on the poll then; where will you be next time? I notice you introduced, or rather attempted to do so, certain petitions in reference to bridges now spoken of as likely to be built in our county. The speaker decided you were out of order. Sir, you knew you were. No private member can move for a money method, and thought it should be adopted. dren a knowledge of the general conditions grant. Are you playing a double game? Miss Alexander, of Chatham, further of health. He took it for granted that all I believe so. Do you expect to get my illustrated by means of a class composed present recognized this, and they would credit for a motion such as this, when you, of teachers present, how she would give hail with pleasure the recent regulations of from your experience, know such as you the first lesson in reading. She began the Board of Education, making it incum- are, get paid no matter which side you with a card containing the picture of a bent upon every teacher to instruct his take? Why, Sir, did you not, when the cat and sentences relative to it, and after pupil how health may be retained and ill- Petition was sent you to appoint Mr. securing an erect position of the class, health avoided. He said, to children un- Atchison "Police Magistrate" of this called their attention to the different parts | der 10 years of age a knowledge of only town, present it as you did in this case? of the cat; then, that the picture was not the rules of health could be successfully I admit J. B. Snowball, Wm. Muirhead imparted, and when they reached the adult | and such as these, did not sign it, neither classes the principles underlying these did Muirhead and his crowd vote for you; rules should be unfolded. He dwelt upon we did. Muirhead and his crowd may the importance of impressing young chil- vote for you now; the signers of Mr. dren with the necessity of proper standing, Atchinson's Petition will not. Who apsitting and walking, avoiding draughts pointed Masson? Who appointed Nevins? of air and other means of taking cold. Not the men who voted for you. Why then are you coward enough not to de. mand the reasons which influenced the to the successive steps of the system and McAdam's chemistry of common things Government in throwing aside the Peticould be so taught as to ground the more tion, signed as it was by a majority of our Mr. Kelly, of Northesk, believed the advanced classes in the general principles citizens, and fyling the same in the archives of the Provincial Secretary's office? I hear you are afraid of the Mitchell, Call, Adams and Fish clique. Be it so, my dear sir. The Petitioners never forgive a wilful in

are patient but unforgiving; silent but

"No foreign Prelate, Pope, Priest, &c., son's claims cannot be set aside. Beware! No double dealing, no mystery, and no give in. The petitioners are watching; Tweedie will be attended to. Make the necessary motion, it cannot be muzzled.

'Thy path is plain and straight, the light Onward in faith, and leave the rest to Heaven."

Yours, &c., INSULTED.

Complaint of "A Northumberland Farmer."

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. SIR.—Our House of Wisdom being now assembled is enacting laws and adopting measures for the good of the Province gen-Messrs. R. R. Call and John C. Miller, to erally and the farmers in particular, and justly so, for it is on them and the blessing of God that man and beast are dependent for a living, as they are the individuals that are most likely to improve the province, not like many other callings that MIRAMICHI FOUNDRY are kept in full blast while there is money to be made but curtailed or altogether dropped when times get dull when those dependent on them may starve or go somewhere else. Not so with the farmer, he MACHINE WORKS. must carry on, good times or bad times. the worse the season the more expense. He cannot put his farm into a carpet bag and run off when he pleases.

I am pleased to see that our representatives seem to think that we are entitled to more encouragement then we have had. They speak of granting money for Provincial and County exhibitions and importing more stock, all of which are calculated to encourage the farmers. No doubt it will be a benefit to many of them, but, Sir. your humble servant and thousands of others that most require it receive little or no benefit from these grants. Many of us live over thirty miles from the nearest station and Oh! what roads, and being a mixed population composed of Fishermen, Lumberers and Farmers we can't get up an agricultural society and the imported stock is sold too far from us. Any one knowing the distance we are from the nearest station and the miserable roads we have can never expect to see us at a Provincial Exhibition nor to see us benefitted by the provincial grants given to encourage agriculture. Now, Sir, I don't grumble at the good of our neighbors but we do feel that our interests have been neglected; we have had to pay our share towards the building of railroads which are of no benefit to us farmers, and we naturally thought when the railroads were finished that there would be more attention given to the districts where there were no particular benefits received from provincial grants. We at least expected that our post roads and bridges would be kept in repair. Now, Mr. Editor, I am not complaining without good reason, and I hope you will put this in your valuable journal so that our representatives may see it, for they have not been to see us nor our roads

these three or four years. Yours, etc., A NORTHUMBERLAND FARMER.

March 15th, '78. LECTUREON POPE PIUS IX .- On the evening of St. Patrick's day at the inauguration of the new St. Malachi's Hall, St. John, an eloquent and instructive lecture was delivered by R. F. Quigley, Esq., on Pius IX, as a representative man. The lecture was listened to with deep attention by a

The Machine was Worn Out. Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their threescore and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficaformers of Chatham, Newcastle and else- cious in thousands of cases, and will do

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Thomas' Eclectric Oil! Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold. Do you know anything of it? If not,

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Testimonial from Capt. Joshua Harper SACKVILLE, N. B., Feb. 13, 1877. J. H. ROBINSON, Esq., St. John, N. B. Dear Sir :- Early in October last I took severe cold which settled on my lungs. After having a bad cough for about six weeks, I had a very severe attack of bleeding from the lungs, while on a passage from Queenstown to Dover. I had: daily spells of bleeding for some days, until I lost about two gallons of blood, and was so weak as to be scarcely able to

I received such medical assistance as enabled me to get home. I saw an advertisement of your Phosphorized Cod Liver Oil Emulsion in paper. I immediately sent and got a half dozen bottles, after taking which I feel myself a well man again. My weight, which was reduced to 120 pounds, is now up to my usual standard of 152 pounds. Seeing what it has done for me, I can confidently recommend it to others afflicted with lung diseases.

Yours very truly,

Of the barque "Mary Lowerison.

Cod Liver Oil, with Lacto-phosphate of

JOSHUA HARPER.

DIED.

At Chatham, on the 15th inst., Julia F., youngest daughter of William and Kate Lawlor, aged 3 years

New Advertisements. BENGOUGH,

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Hereby request all persons liable to be rated in said Parish to bring into the Assessors within thirty days from date true statements of their perty and income liable to be assessed. They also give notice that their valuation list when completed will be posted at the Post Office,

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Chatham, 20th Feb., 1878.

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of the above described premises, now lying on the said wharf.