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## Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

VALENTINE'S DAY comes on Saturday THE SMELT FISHERY has been good this

ASH WEDNESDAY services were held i the Pro-Cathedral and St. Mary's Church,

Chatham yesterday. DISMISSED. - John V. Ellis, Esq., has been dismissed from the postmastership of St. John-a most miquitous proceeding. PERSONAL: -J. B. Snowball, Esq. M.P. arrived at Chatham on Monday night,

last from Great Britain. He came out by the Peruvian. METHODIST CHURCH SERVICE :- Rev Mr. Howell, of Immanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, will officiate in the Metho dist Church, Chatham, on next Sunday

evening the 15th inst. RESTIGOUCHE COUNTY COUNCIL report, which we intended to publish this week is, we find, not sufficiently full to be interesting at this late date, and we have, therefore, concluded to hold it over al-

together. LECTURE :- The Rev. J. A. F. McBain will lecture in the Methodist Church, Chatham, this (Thursday) evening: subject, "Heroes, and how to become a Hero." Lecture to begin at 8 o'clock. A SILVER COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN UP.

THE ST. JOHN "SUN" appears to believe in appropriating whatever may be useful to it without respect to the rights of others. Its conception of the courtesy due from one provincial paper to another. was exhibited in its act of stealing our report of the Miramichi Presbytery's meeting here last week, and publishing it as its own in its issue of Friday last.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS are extended to a popular M. P. P., who resides not great way from Douglastown, on his domestic prosperity. The happy event, however, excites a shade of regret, inasmuch as it is likely to prevent one of the most charming members of the social circle of Fredericton, last winter, from being in the capital during the approaching session of the Legislature. - Telegraph.

Two GENTLEMEN in Chatham are said to have had offers of the Lieut. Governor ship and both declined, the one because he thought he would not be able to agree, with his advisers, owing to his experiences as an M. P. P., and the other because he preferred "peace and quietness," which he says, he never enjoyed when in Fredericton. Besides, he says, he has no fault to find with either Mackenzie or Sir John, both of whom suitably recognised the efficiency with which he discharged his duty as-gas inspector.

DRAMATIC:-The entertainment given on Monday evening last by the Amateurs of St. Michael's R. C. T. A. Society, in St. Patrick's Hall, Chatham, was very well attended. The performers apppear to have pleased the audience in many parts of the programme, but there was an evident lack of preparation by some of the characters. This, added to the fact that the light was very poor, indeed, and the stage altogether too circumscribed for the pieces presented, tended very much to lessen the effect of several well sustained characters. The Pantomine was very well put on, and the several characterswith the exception of one or two slips of memory-did the business allotted to them creditably.

### Quarterly Meeting of the Chatham Temperance Reformers.

On Tuesday evening, the Quarterly meet ing of the Chatham Temperance Reformers was held in the Temperance Hall, which was well filled on the occasion. The chair was occupied by the President, Mr. A. W. Paterson, and the meeting was opened by Rev. Mr. Teed. Address es were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Teed, Professor Youmans, and the President, Mr. A. W. Paterson, and a reading by John Shirreff, Esq. Solos were sung by Miss Maggie Johnstone, Miss Templeton, and Capt. Brown. Miss Haviland gave several instrumental pieces on the organ, and choruses were sung by the choir. Mrs. J. R. Goggin presided at the

The President said that this being the quarterly meeting, he would now read the report of the Treasurer, Mr. Wm. John-

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer's report stated that the expenses of the past quarter had been comparatively small, amounting to only \$15.90, leaving a balance in the hands of the treasurer of \$11.69, and showed that every exertion had been made to reduce the running expenses of the Society. In conclusion, the report referred to the proposal of the Executive committee to postpone the formightly meetings for a month, and the subsequent decision at a public meeting to continue them weekly that the result had been most satisfactory. The financial statement shewed that the receipts during the past quarter were

balance in the Treasurer's hands of \$11.69. a portion of the balance in the 'Treasurer's hands from the previous John Shirreff, Esq., and Mr. Wm. Anderson were appointed auditors to ex-

amine the Treasurer's accounts, which they reported correct, upon which the report was received and adopted. The Secretary then read his report, ot which the following is an abstract:

SECRETARY'S REPORT. The Secretary's report commenced by referring to the meeting held the 21st Oct, when a resolution was passed calling a temperance mass meeting for the evening of Nov. 6th for the repledging of the members of the Society, which took place in St. Andrews Church, when the books were opened and signed by 62 persons. With subsequent additions the Society now has 123 members, of whom 107 were old, 5 former members who had resigned, and 11 new members. The number of old members who signed again was smaller than was anticipated. This was owing mainly to indifference and carelessness, and some even holding office in the Society, had neglected to repledge themselves. During the past quarter no signatures outside the the office of Overseer, coerced many of hall had been reported by the visiting committee. The Secretary suggested the advisability of more effort in this con-During the first months of the quarter, the attendance had been very small, but at the last two or three meet-

be much more prosperous than the preceding one.

ings had improved owing to the efforts of

the Ludies' and Gentlemen's Executive

OFFICE BEARERS.

for that purpose at the previous meeting. President .- D. Davidson, Esq. Vice-Prests .- J.J. Brown, John Shirreff, and J. R. Goggin, Esqrs.

Treasurer .- Mr. Wm. Johnston.

Secretary .- Mr. D. P. McLachlan. Executive Committee .- Messrs. A. W. Paterson, William Johnston, D. P. Mc-Lachlan, Herbert Pallen, S. B. Paterson and A. D. Shirreff. Ladies' Executive. - Mrs. Herbert Pallen. Miss C. Johnstone, Mrs. J. R. Goggin, Misses Mary McLachlan, Mary Anderson, Maggie Johnston and Mary Johnston. Marshals. - Messrs. Wm. Anderson, R.

Gordon, Alex. Cantley.

President and Vice-Presidents. Ladies' Visiting Committee. - Mrs. John Shirreff, Misses Marquis, Sarah Marshall, Mary Bell, M. Gordon and M. Haviland. Ticket Seller. - Thos. Green. The nomination of the officers was con-

Gentlemen's Visiting Committee .- The

firmed and their installation proceeded with, the ex-president addressing them upon their duties.

would be a lecture delivered by the Rev. Mr. McBain in the Methodist Church on deputies. Thursday evening.

Professor Youmans stated he intended to remain some time in Chatham, and on Friday evening would deliver a lecture on Vocal Music in the Masonic Hall, in which those present would be taught distinct articulation, the admission being 5 cts.

It was announced that a meeting of the Gentlemen's Executive Committee would be held the following evening at 8 o'clock at the office of Adam Shirreff, Esq. The proceedings then concluded with the National Anthem.

## Rural Deanery Meeting.

The clergy of the Rural Deanery of Chatham, met at Newcastle on Tuesday and Wednesday the 3rd and 4th inst. Owing to the severe storm on Tuesday, a contemplated meeting in the Sunday School House, at which addresses were to have been delivered on various subjects by the clergy, was not held. On Wednesday morning a service was held in St. Andrew's Church at which the following clergymen were present :- Rev. W. H. Street of Bathurst; Rev. J. H. S. Sweet of Dalhousie; Rev. D. Forsyth, R. D. of Chatham; Rev. A. F. Hiltz, of Derby; Rev. H. H. Barber of Newcastle and Rev. E. P. Flewelling of Baie des Vents. The Deanery Sermon was preached by the Rev.

Scriptures and transaction of business. In the evening a service was held in St. the Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. This service appointment and defeat. was highly enjoyable and very profitable

The clergy returned to their parishes on Thursday. The next meeting of the Deanery will (D. V.) be at Baie des Vents.

## Curling.

The Fredericton Curlers visited St. John last week and played against the Thistle Club on Thursday, defeating the latter by a score of 66 to 47. The Frederictonians were entertained by the Thistles at dinner at the Park Hotel on Thursday evening and had a first class time of it.

On Friday morning the St. Andrews Club and beat them by two points, the score standing, St. Andrews, 58 : Frederic-

The Fredericton men were entertained at dinner by the St. Andrews Club, on Friday afternoon.

The game is kept up with great spirit in Chatham, our local club having two rinks in condition for play. On Saturday last "Scotch" and "Bluenose" members had a match, with the following result:-Scotch. Bluenose.

G. I Wilson. John Johnston, F. Hutchison. B. Gardner. Geo. L. Brittain. John Brown, Skip 12, D.G. Smith, Skip 19. It is expected that a return game between married and single members of the Chatham club will soon be played.

## Mr. Amos Perley's Case.

Mr. Amos Perley, ex-Overseer of Fisher-

ies for Chatham, addresses another letter the Canadian Commissioner of Fisheries, the commencement of which is on our first page. He shows, we regret to say, that Mr. Whitcher has not been entirely sincere and truthful in dealing with his case. We are convinced that Mr. Whitcher has knowledge of the unreliable and worthless character of Mr. W. H. Venning and Mr. Wm. Wyse, and by the course he has pursued towards Mr. Perley he will suffer in the estimation of those who have thought him incapable of assist. ing such persons as Venning and Wyse in the small and contemptible business of persecuting and wronging so poor a man. Mr. Perley's integrity and efficiency, a Fisheries officer are as established as the villainy worthlessness of the other two are manifest. He licensed more nets and with an admission fee of 1 cent, shewing travelled more in the interest of the Department than all the other officers on the Miramichi below Chatham.combined. It

\$11.95, and expenditure \$15.90, leaving a was because he was so efficient and because he knew more about the Miramichi fisheries than either Mr. Venning or Mr. Wyse, that he excited the envy of the latter, who wished to usurp his place. Mr. Venning desired to remove Mr. Perley, too, because he could not make use of him for the purpose of rendering the fishermen dissatisfied with Sir A. J. Smith's management of the Department. He so planned that he obliged Mr. Perley to work through Mr. Wyse, who through Mr. Venning's manipulation of official returns, was made to appear as an efficient officer. At the same time Wyse was doirg his best to create trouble between Mr. Perley, the Department and the fishermen. It was proved in presence of Sir. A. J. Smith and Mr. Whitcher that Wyse had personally advised fishermen to fish illegal. ly. Wyse dared not deny the charge, for to face with him. It was shown that he

those whom he had so advised were face had gone so far as to countermand depart. were made by responsible persons. mental orders sent to Mr. Perley, for he well knew that he had, through holding the fishermen to become patrons of his store, had mixed up their license fees in his ledger with their purchases of tea,

being amazed at Mr. Whitcher for assist- left after the sugar has been extracted. ing to prevent the Minister from paying what the ex-Overseer shows he had so justly earned. The matter is not one of general public interest save in so far as it may affect the character of our fisheries management. The whole drift of the conmust reprobate the whole scheme and say that, at least, Mr. Perley ought to have John Shirreff, Esq., was now called to been paid what he so honestly earned, If the chair and introduced Professor You- the Minister of Marine and Fisheries mans, who in a short address declared his is not entirely in the hands of Inspector adherence to the temperance cause and re- Venning-as that officer would have his quested that he might be allowed to sign friends believe he is-he will, certainly, the pledge, as he was in the habit of doing | consider Mr. Perley's case and do justice in places which he visited. He then sang to him. If it please him to continue such a "Sleigh Song" accompanying himself on fellows as Venning and Wyse as his rethe violin, and afterwards "The Fine Old presentatives and to have them convey Irish Gentleman," accompanying himself | the impression to fishermen that they are on the organ, both of which were warmly not amenable to any one for their conduct, as such, it is his own affair. He cannot,

## The Late Thomas Harvey.

EXCHANGE BUILDING, Denver, Colorado, Jany. 30th 1880. At a meeting held by the undersigned this day the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Whereas - it has pleased Almighty God

to remove from amongst us our much esteemed friend and companion, the late Thomas Harvey, deceased. Therefore Resolved .- That we most earnestly sympathise with his father and relatives in Miramichi in their loss of a duti- At Halifax there was an increase of \$2, pray that the God of all consolation may Customs :-

omfort them in their sad bereavment. Resolved, also—that a copy of the foregoing resolution be forwarded to the father of the deceased and also to the MIRAMICHI ADVANCE and Union Advocate for publication. Geo. McEwen, Jas. Rae, Geo. Robinson

George H. Flieger, Hiram J. Frost. Donald R. McDonald, Geo. McLean. Samuel Copping, William Scott. Hugh H. Creghton, James Creighton, John Murphy, Harvey Thomson. McDonald.

Decrased was one of the young men of Miramichi who went to Denver about four months ago. For the last two months he was ill of typhoid fever, which terminated | Friday last, by which five boys, the entire in his death. He was an exemplary young The Deanery Chapter met in the after- man and left home full of hope and ambinoon at the Rectory, for reading of the | tion for future success, but his experiences in the far West serve as a fresh instauce of the fact that the most promising of Andrew's, and a sermon was delivered by human plans have in them seeds of dis-

## "Crowner's 'Quest Law.'

An intoxicated man named Ahern was killed on the Intercolonial last Sunday morning by a freight train near Norton. The pieces of the body were gathered up, inspected by a coroner's jury (which was to meet on Monday to hear witnesses) and forwarded to Sussex. Another coroner interfered at that place and "he too" was determined to hold an inquest. Fortunately, he became convinced that the inquest then pending had precedence of anything he could get up in that line, though he said it wasn't the thing for the job to be taken out of his hands by a Club of St. John played the Fredericton Coroner who worked on Sunday. The incident has a ghastly humor about it.

## The Northern Winter Fisheries.

The St. John Telegraph publishes the following most incorrect statement :-Bass fishing has been a fair average compared with last year's and the scarcity has helped prices. Smelt fishing on the Miramichi has been poor since early in the fall, but large quantities have been caught in the smaller bays and rivers along the coast. making the supply very large, but prices were not good. The price now is threefourths per cent. per pound, packed in boxes furnished at the shipper's expense. This leaves little for fish caught from 25 to 60 miles from the place of sale, the chief market being at Chatham. Fish is being

held in hopes of a rise. The fishermen and buyers hereabouts know that Bass fishing has been poorer this year than last, and the reason is believed to lie in the fact that many of the buyers are encouraging the capture of undersized fish, which form nearly as large an item of export as those of legal size. On the other hand the Smelt fishery has

been more satisfactory than it was last season. The weather has been more favorable, the catch better, and prices equal, if not better, than those of last year. We presume the Telegraphhas no desire to place incorrect statements before its readers; if so it will correct the erroneous impression which its statement above quoted is intended to convey. There are no fish brought to Chatham from a distance of sixty miles, save the few from Pokemouche which are we presume, shipped on departmental account, they being handled here chiefly by our local Overseer. Nine tons out of every ten shipped are caught within fifteen miles of Chatham.

## A Sample Invention.

The St. John Sun, which publishes most extraordinary statements respecting politics, social and domestic events says :-A christening dinner was lately given in honor of a babe who had on that day received the sacramental rite of baptism. The menu cards were made in the likeness of a baptismal fount, which was an elaborate piece of sculpture. The cards alone cost \$25 apiece, and the guests took them home after dinner. This money would have made a good investment if banked in the name of the child; and it is just these children who are so fortunate at their birth that usually fill a pauper's

We venture to say that the Sun's sole purpose in publishing the above was to impress its readers with an that idea the people of St. John are prepared to go to the length of any extravagance under the N. We may also say that the Sun knows well that no such thing as that described ever happened in St. John, or even Canada. Yet, there are people who accept the Sun's statements just as if they

Farmers in Council. A number of gentlemen, representatives of the Farmers' Association in several counties of the Province, met at Sussex this week and talked in a very business, sugar etc., had supplied them with nets practical way about the best modes of in the catch of which he was a partner agriculture. Several said they had tried with them, and compromised himself in the sugar beet, and nearly all concluded many ways, just as he has done since the that it would not pay if sold at \$4 or \$5 This state of things, it was hoped, would office he had so forfeited was restored to a ton, or even at \$6. It requires more list of officers for the ensuing quarter, re-appointment of such a man to office; nor ling. Some talked of having obtained 18 which magnifies 8,000 times, gives us from dauger. If you are consumptive, do

Few appear to be as hopeful as we ex-

pected they would be of making the raising and fattening of cattle for the British market, a large and profitable business. Some thought it would pay better to raise and fatten sheep. It was stated that duct of the Department in dealing with 700,000 bushels of wheat were raised in Mr. Perley seems to have been directed the Province last year, but this is little towards the accomplishment of the one more than conjecture. It was the general end-that officer's dismissal. If Mr. opinion that a larger quantity will be rais-Perley, only, were interested it would not ed this year, as the yield last season was be so important a matter, but when this so satisfactory. The Secretary could not result was sought in order that the po- resist the temptation of airing his protecsition of Overseer for Chatham might be | tionist notions in his report. He, proused as a part of a less efficient officer's | bably, is a protectionist because he is so stock in trade-that the proper manage- great a partizan. The N. P. has done noment of the fisheries might become only a thing for the farmers but to impose bursecondary consideration-public opinion | dens so heavy as to be almost intolerable.

## Dominion Revenue.

Within the six months commencing January 1st the revenue must exceed the total of the very large sums received fron the corresponding six months of 1879 by at least \$1,200,000, if Sir S. L. Tilley's calculations and estimates are to prove correct, and we are not to face a serious deficit, with our powers of raising money by taxation well nigh exhausted, and our liabilities and debt increasing with fearful rapidity. In the Maritime Provinces The Rev. Mr. Teed announced there however, hope that his administration will the first month of these six his yielded ever win respect as long as he has such no increase. At St. John the Customs receipts were as follows :--

\$31,469 26 \$36,944 46 175 94 72 34 Sick Mariners' Fund Miscellaneous 550 78 33 27 - \$32,195 98 \$37,050 07 32,195 98

Decrease in Jan., 1880 - - \$4,854 0 Taking the increase of duty into account, this shows that the value of the imports was only about 60 per cent. of of what it was in January, 1879, notwithstanding the great advance in prices.

\$47,196.88 \$45,286.80 Customs - -Sick Mariners' Fund Signal Tax - - -Other Revenue - . 216.40

\$48,081.55 \$46,426.02 46,426.02 Decrease - \$1,655.53-Freeman

Very Serious Coasting Accident.

the FordiSchool House Hill, Red Beach, on

The Calais, Me., correspondent of the St. Croix Courier sends the following to "A sad coasting accident occurred at

occupants of the sled, were seriously injured. One lad, 14 years of age, named Blyther, was thrown against one of the iron posts of the bridge, into which the sled ran, with such force as to divide the flesh of the inner upper part of the leg near the thigh, clear to the bone, break, ing the same; and when the boy was rescued, his leg was completely wound around the post. Three of the boys were badly parts of the body, while the fifth received severe knee wound. As soon as the accident occurred three physicians were immediately summoned from Calais and the wounded boys were cared for. It became necessary to amputate the Blyther boy's leg to save his life, and then doubts were expressed as to his recovery; but we understand he is now comfortable. It is estimated that at the time of the accident the sled was going at the rate of 60 miles an hour. [The speed is entirely overestimated. Half that speed would be sufficient to cause the injuries reported to have been sustained. ED. ADVANCE.]

The Princess' Arrival at Ottawa. The Governor General and the Princes Louise arrived at Ottawa on Friday o last week at four o'clock p.m. and were received with military honors. The Premier and Privy Council and the Mayor and Corporation were present. Mayor Mackintosh presented addresses of welcome, and the Marquis replied on behalf of the Princess Louise. He said : "The Princess desires me to thank you much for the kind greeting contained in the address of welcome you have read. As un doubtedly you know, it is a saying that every true American visits Paris before he dies, and so, too, it is said that every true Canadian visits London before he die The Princess has proved her title to the name Canadian, because she has visited London since she became a resident of this Dominion. She desires me to thank you sincerely for having come to meet her on her return to that home in which she has

already passed so many happy hours." THE PRESS AND THE N. P .- The Sack ville N. B. Post (Tory) says :-"The low prices of paper the past three

or four years have been a great assistance to the printing and newspaper business, but for which many a business that is now flourishing would have gone to the wall. The period of low prices is now at an end. The rise is general. In Chicago the advance within three months has been at least 50 per cent. In Canada within a month, the advance has been at least 20 per cent., and increased prices vet are expected. It will be more than ever a struggle with cheap country weeklies to

Our Tory contemporary omitted to add that to make matters worse, the Tory Government has largely increased the duties upon every article used by newspaper publishers, and given them no compensating advantages. - Chronicle.

MASONIC EMBLEMS:-The story that Masonic emblems were found on the base placed by the Romans under the Egyptian obelisk, taken down for removal to the United States, is rather absurd-is it not?

Perhaps the Freeman will inform us wherein the absurdity lies. Surely it will not claim a monopoly of the relic business for any particular class or order of persons. Perhaps, however, the Freeman imagines that Mark Twain and itself have, between them, the fullest and most authentic information connected with every relic of all ages of antiquity.

## Immensity of the Stars.

PROF. J. VINOT.

It is known that the stars are tru suns, that some of them are larger than lungs, and the reason why so many of the our own sun, and that around these enormous centres of heat and light rebrought to Europe is the too sudden volve planets on which life certainly exists. Our sun is distant from us 38,-000,000 leagues, but these stars are distant at least 500,000 times as far -- a distance that in fact is incommensurable and uninmaginable to us. Viewed with the unaided eye, the stars and the planets look alike, that is, appear to have the same diameter. But viewed with the telescope, while the planets are continue, and that the next quarter would him by the present Minister. No one can care than mangolds, and the yield is seen to possess clearly appreciable diaread Mr. Wyse's letter of 30th March 1878 much smaller. Some said that when fed meters, the stars are only mere lumin- of these dreaded diseases, yet it is much to Mr. Perley without, wondering at Mr. to milch cows, it causes a great flow of ous points. The most powerful of ex-Whitcher for allowing himself to aid in the milk, and that it is very useful for fatten- isting telescopes, that of Melbourne,

degrees. Jupiter, for instance, which, seen with the naked eye, appears as a first class druggists. star of the first magnitude, with a diameter of forty-five degrees at the most, will in this telescope have its diameter multiplied 2,000 times, and will be seen as if it occupied in the heavens an angle of 100 degrees. Meanwhile a star alongside of Jupiter, and which to the eye is as bright as that planet will still be a simple, dimensionless point. Nevertheless, that star is thousands of times more voluminous than the planet. Divide the distance between us and the sult a distance relatively very small but divide by 8,000 the enormous numtence of a star, and there remains a of the stars being seen by us in a perceptible form. In considering Jupiter, or any of the planets, we are filled with wonder at the thought that this little luminous point might hide not only all the visible stars, but a number 5,000 fold greater,-for, of stars visible to our eyes, there are only about 5.000. All the stars of these many constellations, as the Great Bear, Cassiopeia, Orion, Andromeda, all the stars to the zodiac. even all the stars which are visible only

be entirely covered by the disk of Jupiter, albeit that disk to it seems to be an inappreciable point.

The Same Old Story.

from the earth's southern hemisphere.

with no one overlapping another, even

without the slightest contrast between

star and star, and yet they would oc-

An Oxford graduate was showing his sister over his rooms in college, when some one knocked at the door. Supposing that it was one of his friends, and not wishing to be chaffed, he hid her behind the curtain, and admitted an elderly gentleman, who apologized profusely for his intrusion, and excused himself by saying that it was many years since he had been at Oxford and could not leave without paying a visit to his dear old college and the old room he had occupied as a student.

"Ah!" cried the old gentleman, looking around, "the same old sofa! yes, and the same old carpet-everything the same?"

Then walking into the bedroom he remarked: "Yes, and the same old bed! and the same washstand! Yes, everything the same."

Presently he stepped toward the curtains and remarked . "Ah! and same old curtains!" Looking around he beheld the young lady, and, turning round, said : "Ah, young dog, and the same old game!

"But;" hastily replied the underinjured in the groin, head and various graduate, "that young lady is my sister." To which the reply came, "Yes, I know, and the same old story!"

LUNG CULTURE BY SINGING. - Some teresting researches by Professor Monassion, as cited in the Medical Wochenschrift of St. Petersburg, show that the practice of singing, merely as a physical exercise, is one of the most healthful in which a person of any age can employ himself. He examined 222 singers from nine to fifty-three years of age, with reference to the pneumatometric and spirometric condition of the singers, and proved that the circumference of the chest is greater relatively and absolutely, among singers than among those who do not sing, and that it increases with the age and growth of the singer. This fact is corroborated by the experience of skilful trainers of the voice, who combine with tone building, a physical training based upon thorough anatomical and hygienic science. It is asserted by some of these that many of the ills which afflict human kind, and particularly the female portion, arise from faulty breathing, by which the lungs are partially inflated and as a consequence, the poisons which should be thrown off by the breath are absorbed into the system, causing all manner of mysterious diseases. In fact, many cases can be cited in which diseases, not only of the pulmonary organs, but of others remote from them, have been cured apparently by the improved respiration which singing enforces. One cannot sing without breathing deeply. The muscles of the chest and abdomen must have full play, the body must be erect, and every facility must be given for the ingress and

egress of the air to the lungs. A fine voice is of little consequence if the singer cannot breathe freely and to the very bot tom of the lungs. Everybody knows the comfortable and stimulating effect of a long-drawn breath after sitting in a cramped position. This stimulating effect, reproduced by frequent practice in singing, strengthens the lungs, enlarges the chest,

and by admitting large accessions of oxy-

gen to the lungs, purifies the blood, and

sends its healing and strengthening streams

to every part of the body. THE DISEASES OF WILD ANIMALS. -While First Surgeon of the 31st Regment of the Line, then stationed at Alabera, in Algeria, I dissected the carcasses of about tifty lions. The lungs of twenty of them were affected; one half of them were alm st gone, showing that consumption is prevalent among the lions of the Sahara and the Sahel. At the Jardin des Plantes. here in Paris, seven lions have died since 1869. All of them were born here. I dissected them, and found that their lungs were entirely healthy. To what was the difference due? They received their food regularly, and were carefully protected from inclement weather, while the lions in Africa had to go without food for days, had to inhale the sandy air of the desert, and were frequently drenched by terrible rains. M. Jacquemart, the famous Indian hunter, often told me that he had seen tigers spitting blood, which exhausted them so, that they could be approached within a few feet with impunity. All monkeys are very delicate animals. They are not gluttonous : and, having so much exercise, they are rarely afflicted with dis-

change of air, diet, and water.

eases of the bowels. But they have weak

most interesting among them die when

Good Advice. Now is the time of year for Pneumonia Lung Fever, &c. Every family should have a bottle of BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP. Don't allow for one moment that cough to take hold of your child, your family or yourself. Consumption, Asthma, Pneumonia, Croup, Hemorrhages, and other fatal diseases may set in. Although it is will cure you. One Bottle will last your whole tamily a winter and keep you safe nominated by the committee appointed can any one peruse the whole correspon. tons to the acre. None of those who spoke an image of one of our planets possess- not rest until you have tried this remedy.

dence produced by Mr. Perley without took into account the value of what is ing an apparent diameter of several Sample Bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by Dr. Pallen, Chatham, E Lee Street, Newcastle, and all other

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DIED.

cupy so small a space that, were it to be multiplied 5,000 fold, that space would At Chatham, on the 7th Feb, Timothy Sordan, aged 55 years, a native of Queens County [New York papers please copy.]

MARRIED.

(Marriage notices free. Clergymen are respectfully equested to send in notices of marriages.) By the Rev. J. A. F. McBain, at his residence Noble, Esq., Bay du Vin, to Miss Lottie Chapman laughter of James Chapman, Esq. All of Chat-

At Chatham, on Monday the Sth inst., at the Pro-Cathedral, by the Rev. T. J. Bannon, James Hickey, Merchant, Chatham, to Ellen Hickey, At St. Michael's Pro-Cathedral, Chatham, N. B. John J. Harring on, Attorney at-Law, to Ellen, roungest daughter of James Neilson, Esq.

New Advertisements.

# **TENDERS FOR**

New Legislative Buildings. CEALED Tenders marked "Tenders for Legisla I tive Buildings," will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, until THURSDAY, the 4th day of March next, at noon, for the erection of Legislative Buildings at Fredericton, according to plans and specifications to be seen at said Department after MONDAY next. lenders to give the actual signatures of two responsible persons willing to become sureties for he faithful performance of the contract. The lowest or any tenders not necessarily to be P. A. LANDRY, Chief Com. Department of Public Works, 4th February, 1880

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING

In the matter of James Stothart, Insolvent. A Writ of Attachment has been issued in thi cause and the creditors are notified to meet at the office of Messrs. Richardson and McInerney Barristers, in Richibacto, County of Kent, on l'uesday, the Twenty-fourth day of February, nstant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee Dated at Richibucto, this, 6th day of February, JAMES McDOUGALL.

LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers at private sale, the fiel Road, in the Parish of Chatham, between the lands of the late James Kerr, Esq., and Michael Delaney, containing five acres. There is a good Frame Barn on the premises. The field is now under grass and cuts about eight tons hay, annually. For Terms of purchase apply to the

L. J. TWEEDIE,

If the above is not sold before the 1st day of May, it will on that day be offered at Public Auc tion, in front of Letson's Weigh Scale, at 12 o'clock

SALE OF

There will be sold at Public Auction at the Weigh Scale, in the town of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland on Friday the 13th day of February, next, at 12 o'clock, (noon) in pursuance of a License granted by the Probate Court The Lot of Land, Dwelling House and Premises, situate on the Easterly side of King Street, in the town of Chatham, owned and occupied by the Henry Farnham Letson at the time of his Aiso a lot of Land situate in the Parish of Chatham, in the County aforesaid, known as pas-

ture Lot number thirteen, containing five acres, two roods and fiftteen perches, more or less, lying on the Easterly side of the road leading past St. John's Church, to Napan. Dated this, fifth day of January, 1880. F. J. LETSON, Administrator of Henry Farnham Letson,

## Hay at Auction.

To be sold at Auction, on Wednesday, 18th February, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at the farm of Francis Elliot, Lower Newcastle.

7 Tons Good Upland Hay.

n lots to suit purchasers. Terms, approved joint notes payable 1st August A. D. SHIRREFF, Auctioneer Chatham, Feb. 4, '80.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING John Jardine and Thomas Jardine, Plaintiffs. and James Stothart, Defendant. A Writ of Attachment has been issued in this caus dated at Richibucto, County of Kent, this 27th day

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General Business.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by this Department at Ottawa, up to 20th February next, for changing the position and repairing the present building, and erecting a New OIL STORE at the Light station, at the North-West end of Fox 1s-LAND, Miramichi River, N. B. Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms of Tender procured by intending contractors at this Department here, and at the office of the Inspector of Lights, Newcastle. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tenders for Fox Island The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Deputy Minister of Marine, &c.

Department of Marin Ottawa, 23rd Jan. 80

BRIDGE NOTICE. CEFLED TENDERS, marked " Tenders for Tay-

lor's Creek Bridge" will be received at the Department, of Public Works, Frederiction, until Tuesday, 17th Feb. next, at uoon. For the Erection of a Bridge Over Taylor's Creek, Near

Chatham. according to Plan and Specification to be seen at said Department, and at the office of Donald Mc-Laughlan, Esq., Chatham. Tenders to give the names of two responsible persons willing to become sureties for the faithful performance of the Contract. Parties tendering must be present on the day of

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opening, either in person or by an Agent author-ized to accept or otherwise, if called upon

Buffalo Robe Lost.

Lost on the 21st ult., a Brown Buffalo Robe, on the Black River Road, between Wm. Ullock's and Victoria Bridge. Any person bringing the same to the Subscriber, will be suitably rewarded. EDMUND RUSSEL. Point aux Car, Feb. 5, '80.

CITATION.

New Brunswick, orthumberland Co., S. S. lo the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland or any Constable within the said County, Whereas John Shirreff, Executor of the last will and testament of Peter Gray, late of the Parish of Chatham, in the said County, deceased, has filed an account of his administration of the said estate and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed and the estate closed up. You are there-

fore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of

the said deceased, the creditors and all others in-

terested in the said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my office, in Newcastle, within and for the said County, on Wednesday, the third day of March next, at ten of the clock, in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowing of the said account. Given under my hand and the seal of the said Court, this 31st day of January, A. D., 1880. G. B. FRASER,

Registrar of Probates

for said County.

For Sale.

SAM'L. THOMSON,

Judge of Probates

All that tract of Land and premises known as Lot No. 36, situate in the Parish of Nelson, Semiwagan Ridge, beginning at a stake placed on the southern ang e of Lot No. 35, granted to Patrick O'Brien, thence by the magnet south 45 degrees East 68 chains of 4 polls each, thence south 45 degrees West, 15 chains, thence North 45 degrees, East 63 chains to a hemlock, thence North 45 degrees, East 15 chains to place of beginning. Containing 100 Acres More or Less. There are from 12 to 15 acres cleared and a good barn 30x40 nearly new, on the premises. The Highway runs in front of the said land, which was formerly owned by the late Ellen Reegan, If not previously disposed of, will be sold in front of the office of Win. Wilkinson, Chatham, on

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