## Full Moon 47 Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

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New Moon

First Quarter

PERSONAL :- Hon. John McMillan, Post Office Inspector, was in town this week. during which a chorus was sung by the LABRADOR HERRINGS, a horse, sleighs Choir. Buffalo robes etc., are advertised for sale by Mr. Shirreff.

THE GRAND DIVISION, S. of T., is to semi-annual Session. REV. DR. BENNET'S lecture in

attraction for tomorrow evening. of next week at Mr. Ellis' office, Chatham. week on account of it being the Week of

Masonie Hall Chatham. "DIVINE SYMBOLISM" is the title of a lecture to be delivered on Friday evening ladies of Chatham who had once assisted Executive. of this week by Rev. Dr. Jardine in the them until the movement became one of

auspices of Newcastle Division. soon as the Seine opened to navigation.

PARTRIDGES. - During the year 1879 Messrs. T. & H. P. Crocker shipped 1,000

pairs, Messrs. R. & A. Adams 980 pairs and Messrs. Tozer & McDonald 580 pairs of Partridges to the United States-all from Newcastle Station.

LECTURE :- Rev. Dr. Jardine will de liver his admirable lecture on " Buddhism and Mahometanism" in the Methodist Church, Chatham on Thursday evening the 22nd of January. A Silver Collection will be taken up for the benefit of the Methodist Sabbath School under whose auspices the lecture will be delivered. THE SMALL POX CASE :- The Advance

insists that somebody is afraid of the facts in that Caraquet case. - Freeman. We did'nt insist on anything of the kind.

and really hope that notwithstanding the facts, the quarantine claim is either settled or in a fair way of adjustment. The fact that Capt. Poulin's malady was not small pox ought not to vitiate the claims of those who established and maintained the quarautine as long as it was believed to be necessary. SUDDEN DEATH:-Alex. Ferguson, Esq.

Derby, died suddenly in the Victoria Hotel, Newcastle, on Friday morning last at an early hour. While sitting in a chair he was seized with fainting and medical aid was summoned, but he was about expiring when his physician, Dr. Smith, arrived. We understand that Mr. Jas. Robinson of Derby is heir, by will of the deceased, to nearly all his property, which is estimated to be worth about \$100,000.

NOTICEABLE :- It is a commentary on the manner in which fishery matters are managed just now that a person who was dismissed from the office of Overseer of Fisheries for abusing his authority and, among other things, advising fishermen to violate the law, was subsequently restored to office by the present administration and is now figuring as one of our largest fish shippers. The Government ought, for decency sake, to put a stop to the disgraceful trading upon his public position in which the officer referred to so impudently indulges:

a rink of a arried and a rink of single men. belonging to the Chatham Club, played a match on Friday last. The married were Messrs. John Brown, Geo. Brittain. Thos. H. Fleiger and D. G. Smith, the single, Messrs. John Johnston, Richard Fairey, W. Wilson and P. H. C. Benson. The game was well contested, the bachelors winning by three points. It is be lieved by the losers that the winners are so surprised over the result, that when they have arrived at a reasonable conclusion as to how they came to win, they will have the temerity to offer a return match for the "beef and greens."

FLOWERS PLANTS AND SEEDS:-James Vick of Rochester, New York publishes the handsomest Florist's Annual we have ever seen. It is called Vicks Floral Guide and should be in the hands of all who have a taste for the cultivation of flowers or the pleasant work of gardening. Its illustrations are first class and it contains just such information as householders with flower pots and garden patches require at this season of the year. Send five cents in stamps for it and you will be more than pleased. We can recommend Mr. Vick as reliable, having received excellent plants from him by mail nicely packed and

blooming and seeds in capital order.

" The Miramichi." J. C. E. Carmichael Esq., Capt J. J. Brown and Mr. Jas. Henderson proceeded to Bay des Vents on Monday last to hold a survey on the Norwegian barque Miramichi. The vessel lies three quarters of a mile due west of Sand Point, Bay des Vents Island. Several planks are cut through by ice and there is considerable damage by chafing along both sides. A portion of the deckload having been removed, the damaged portion of the hull is raised and the vessel is, therefore, making no water. The Surveyors have recommended that the Miramichi be cut in through the ice to Bay des Vents harbour to prevent further dan age by ice in the Spring, and tenders for the work are asked by advertisement in another column, by the Norwegian Vice-Consul.

Chatham Temperance Reformers. On Tuesday evening the fortnightly meeting of the Chatham Temperance Reformers was held in the Masonic Hall. The President Mr. A. W. Paterson occapied the chair, and the meeting was for postponement for a month, or until opened with prayer by Mr. William A. | the next quarterly meeting was then put | explained that the four schools now main Anderson.

After a Chorus had been sung by the

Choi :--Mr. William Johnston, in a brief address, said there seemed to be an impression on the part of the public that the Society, being out of funds, could not consome \$400. When he saw what the would assist. Societies were doing in St. John and other places, he was surprised that this one did | room of Mr. William Frecker to get up a | ber on the roll, some pupil from outside not do better. He believed that it was | programme for next meeting in conjunc- must leave to make room for it.

the organization would be very much im-

A song was now given by Capt. Brown, and instrumental music (organ) by Miss of Mr. Shirreff he agreed with him as to Haviland, which received an encore.

difficulty of getting people to help in the work of the Society and his own experience with reference to this point. He remembered the fine meetings they used to have. He had done his best and he hoped they would get along well. Signatures to the pledge were now taken

The President, Mr. A. W. Paterson, said he felt badly about the Association. tive Committee had grown careless, but he thought they had done their share, and and mothers, who could not afford to let were secure. Where were the men who pleasant time at Christmas owing to the haps other ladies had not done their part, large amount of responsibility in reference to the state of the Society rested on the

Newcastle Temperance Hall, under the the grandest ever seen. What was the

their parents to attend and take an interest. They wanted the ladies to interest themselves if the Society was to flourish. He would next call on Mr. John Sherriff and afterwards adjourn the meeting and request the members of the Society to formed in plain printing,, just below the John Shirreff Esq. said he was sorry to

ing. It was very gratifying to hear of the opening and dedication of a new hall in our own parish last week, though he was sorry for the demise of the Newcastle Society, which had, however, to contend with the same difficulties as the Chatham S ciety, the chief of which was lukewarmwives of this town were responsible for the failure of the Society here, as they seem-

in greater numbers that evening (Applause) The President stated that the Executive Committee were desirous of having monthly meetings, and it would be weil CURLING. - The Curlers, represented by that the sense of the meeting should be

the room that this could not be cutdone, Adam Shirreff, Esq., said he had been when a second proved that he had just arconsidering the difficulties of the situation rested his tailor for money that was lent ed to speak had said they did not want to speak to children. The funds were low. but they could pay what they owed, and he thought if there was a postponement of the meetings for a month or until the end

of the quarter, people would realise the

ed arbitrator. "This is the very acme o honesty, it is an act of virtue of which I never knew any one capable. The prize-"Hold!" cried another. "I have done still more than that." "Impossible!" cried the whole company.

"I have been taking my paper for twencounter resolution. The success of the ty years and have paid for it every year Society depended on the ladies, and he did not even believe in having meetings He took the prize. once a fortnight, He would move that

DISTRICT NO. 1. CHATHAM. The meeting was called to order by F. E. Winslow, Esq. Trustee, Mr. T. Crimmin, Trustee and Secretary of the District acting as Secretary. Wm. Hickson,. Esq. was elected chairman. The report: submitted by the Trustees showed the receipts of the year to have been \$2125.44, of which \$1,641.53 was derived from disfortnight. People had little time and the trict assessment. The expenditure was | \$940, out of which \$500 was to be paid novelty had worn off. It would be well \$2,021.77 leaving a balance on hand of

would come off better. The price of ad-The Trustees reported that the assessmission they found had little influence on ment was all secured, but about \$37-a remarkably good exhibit.

Suitable reference to the retirement of I. B. Oakes Esq. from the position Principal of the Grammar and High School was made and the appointment of his successor, Mr. H. G. C. Roberts, who bids fair to mantain the excellence of the School, to the vacancy was announced.

Mr. D. T. Johnstone brought up the oft-debated question of children not living within the District being admitted to the schools, intimating that he had been informed that children belonging to the District had, in consequence, been prevented from gaining admission. He also thought that as there were about thirty of The amendment was carried almost these outside children being educated

Mr. Winslow, on behalf of the Trustees, tained were necessary, in order to keep up The President said he was sure that the grading and that they would exist and cost exactly the same for maintenance as now if there was not a child admitted to Mr. A. D. Shirreff said he presumed them from outside. No child belonging the chairman was speaking only for him- to the District, had been refused admis self, as it was impossible to get up a sion to any of the schools which it was tinue, but this was not the case as the weekly programme, and he hoped that entitled to enter, for it was distinctly un-Society had property to the amount of those who voted for the amendment derstood that whenever a qualified child belonging to the District applied for admis-John Shirreff, Esq. was appointed in the sion to any school which had its full num-

nothing this was a positive advantage.

appear satisfied, and said something about the accommodation of children from outside districts being an injustice to those from perfecting their schools, but as those present could not understand what the meeting had to do with other districts and did not like Mr. P. wish to take charge of their own and others' affairs also, his carefully prepared observations were received with merited silence and the re-

gular business was proceeded with. The Trustees report and the report of the Auditor, W. B. Howard, Esq. certifying the correctness of the accounts, were received and adopted and \$1,200-the voted for assessment, being four hundred dollars less than the assessment of last

F. E. Winslow, Esq., being the retiring Trustee, he was nominated for a second term, but desired to be relieved from duty. He made a neat speech in recommenda tion of G. A. Blair, Esq. in which all present seemed to heartily concur and ended by nominating that gentleman who was unanimously elected. Mr. Howard was re-elected Auditor, and a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Winslow for his efficient and faithful services during his term of office, Mr. W. making a suitable acknowledgement. This brought the proceedings - which occupied only about three quarters of an hour-to a close.

DISTRICT NO. 3 CHATHAM. The meeting in this District was held in the School House, Black Brook, It was called to order by Mr. Stephen Dealy, secretary to Trustees. Mr. Jas. Ahearn was elected Chairman. Mr. Stephen Dealy acting as Secretary to the meeting. The Trustees' report was read and adopted. The Auditor for the last year having ieft the county, Messrs. Robert Loggie, Jas. McMurray and William Loggie were appointed an Audit Committee. The Audit Committee reported the accounts correct and they were approved by the meeting. Mr. Alexander Loggie's term of office as Trustee having expired, the meeting proceeded to elect his successor. Moved by Alexander Loggie, Senr. and seconded by Jas. McDonald that Jas. McMurray be Trustee. Moved by Arthur Palmer and seconded by John Rice that Alexander Loggie, jur., be re-elected. A ballot being had, the result was a tie. allowed the date to go by without paying The Chairman decided in favor of Mr. Alexander Loggie. Mr. Jas. Percy was elected Auditor for the ensuing year.

The Trustees were directed, by vote of the meeting, to build a class room in connection with the present School building. the size being left to their discretion. The meeting adjourned.

DISTRICT NO. 8, CHATHAM. The meeting in this District was held in the School House. Mr. W. Connors called the meeting to

On motion of L. J. Tweedie Esq., William Lawlor Esq., was elected Chair-

The Secretary of the Trustees was appointed acting Secretary of the meeting and the minutes of last meeting being read were adopted

The Trustees' report for the year ending 1st Oct. 1879, shewed amount expended during the year to be \$1631.48, amount received \$1624.17, leaving a balance due the Secretary of \$7.31, which amount A very different kind of person from will be collected from the default list at those for whose benefit the above facts are

recorded, was the prize-winner in the con-The Auditor made a verbal report to the effect that he had examined the ac counts and found them correct. On motion the Trustees' and Auditor's reports

were received and adopted.

The Trustees' estimate for the year 1880 was as follows:-4th instalment of loan Teacher's Salaries-290.00 Miss Quinlan, 260.00 Miss Tweedie, Sister Carter, 200.00155.00 Assistant,

Rent of School Room, 160.00 Wood and contingencies. 100.00 8.50 Insurance, Commission for collect-

ing taxes,

Amount to be collected from Defaulters List County money Amount required for 1880 The amount asked for being put to the

meeting was unanimously voted. L. J. Tweedie, Esq., being the retiring Trustee it was moved by Mr. Samuel Waddleton, seconded by Mr. F. J. Letson, that Mr. Tweedie be re-elected, which was carried unanimously.

On motion of Mr. Benjamin Flood, seconded by L. J. Tweedie, Esq., F. J. Letson, Esq., was re-elected Auditor of School Accounts for the year 1880. The meeting adjourned at 11.30 a. m.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 CHATHAM. The meeting in this District was opened by Thos. F. Gillespie, Esq., Sec. of the form. School Trustees, when John Brown, Esq.

was elected Chairman. The Trustees reported that they had collected for 1879, \$1,489.60, and from Defaulters List of 1878, \$58.34, and that the amount in the Treasurer's hands was towards liquidating the debt on the school house and the balance to be appropriated to pay teachers' salaries for the April term: that the liabilities of the District, when

the \$500 was paid, would be \$2,024,00. Messrs, Thos. F. Gillespie and Robert Bain were nominated for the vacated trusteeship and on a vote being had there were fourteen for Mr. Gillespie and twelve for Mr. Bain, Mr. Gillespie was, therefore,

Mr. Wm. Fenety was re-elected Auditor. The meeting then voted an assessment of \$800.00 for 1880, \$500 to be used for liquidating the debt on the building and \$300 for school expenses. The Trustees elected for the year were

Messrs. Duncan Davidson, T. F. Gillespie. year and John Ferguson The meeting adjourned at 11. a. m.

DOUGLASTOWN.

The Asnual School Meeting was duly held at Donglastown on Tuesday. Mr. A. Jessamin was called to the chair, Mr. James Henderson, Secy. to Trustees, acted as Secy. Mr. Thomas Troy's term, of office having expired he was re-elected. Mr. Wm. Russell, Junr., was re-appointed Auditor. The balance on hand from last year was shown to be \$526,00. The sum of \$400,00 was voted for the ensuing year. DISTRICT NO. 7, NEWCASTLE.

The Annual School Meeting of School District No. 7 was held in the Temperance | he proceeded to the house wherein resided Hall Newcastle, on Thursday 8th inst., the fair one. And, mirabile dictu! the lady at 10 a. m. A. A. Davidson, Esq. was declined to come to time, and Northcalled to the Chair. John Ferguson, Esq., umberland's single gen leman was obliged Trustee, submitted the Report of the to return whence he came, a sadder if not in the interests of the Society that their tion with Mrs. John Shirreff of the Ladies | Mr. Crimmin also showed that the Trustees, which showed that the average a wise man. Subsequently the issuer of

children belonging to the District who attendance was 494 pupils for the year the marriage license was asked to diswent to schools outside numbered more | 1879. The expenditure for 1879 amounted than those from outside who were accom- to \$4.049.62 and the receipts \$4.413.95. modated in the District; besides the Dis- | The balance on hand, including \$92. trict had the advantage of receiving more paid at meeting by Mr. C.C. Hamilton was County money on account of the outsiders \$456.33. The estimated expenditure for Amount to be assessed, less \$92.00 received

The Trustees reported that the condiwith that of former years with the exception of the Advanced Department, taught by Mr. McCully, and the school taught districts, inasmuch as it prevented them by Mr. Sivewright, which they stated are not in as satisfactory a condition as they

Creaghan who declined a second term. amount asked for the current year-was | High School Grant, it was moved by S. Thomson, Esq. and carried unanimously

Wheras great injustice will be done to the educational interests of the District by the withdra val of the Superior School Govt. Grent.

ed to memorialize the Govt. to continue such grant to this District for the support It was moved by Mr. C. S. Ramsav. seconded by Mr. John Cassidy, and carried, that the Trustees of this District be impowered to make the salary of the Principal \$800, inclusive of the Provin-After the usual votes of thanks the

GLENELG-DISTRICT NO. 5. Mr. Reuben A. Sweezev was chosen chairman. The Auditor not being present the meeting listened to reading of the accounts by the chairman and all being found fatisfactory, the Trustees of last year were continued and \$45 was voted as the assessment for the current year. Mr. Benjamin Sweezey is Secretary

DISTRICT NO. 8 UPPER NELSON. A correspondent writing from this District says: "Everything passed pleasantly. Our retiring officers were reelected. We voted \$100 for general school purposes, and adjourned in good

time for dinner. DISTRICT NO 2 RENOUS RIVER. The Annual School Meeting in District No. 2. Renous River, was held in accordance with the requirements of the law. Mr. Patrick Hogan was elected Chairman, and Mr. Michael Whelan, Secretary of meeting. The accounts for the past year were examined and found in a very satisfactory condition, showing a balance of \$59 in favour of District. The amount voted for the present year is \$115. The officers elected were Mr. Patrick Hogan, Trustee in room of Mr. John Whelan, retired, and Mr. John McLaughlin was reelected Auditor.

was elected Auditor.

DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTHESK. At meeting in District No. 2, Northesk, the meeting was called to order by Mr. John Hosford, Trustee. Mr. John Shaddock was chosen Chairman. Mr. Hosford

HARDWICKE DISTRICT NO. 2. Mr. John O'Neil Secretary called the meeting to order at ten o'clock a. m. Patrick Walsh was appointed Chairman. Mr. Patrick Walsh being the retiring Trustee, it was proposed by Mr. John Mandwell seconded by Mr John Walsh, that he be continued which was unanimously carried. Mr. Thomas Sargent was elected Auditor. The minutes of last meeting were read; the accounts of 1879

BATHURST TOWN DISTRICT. elected by acclamation. \$650 was ordered to be assessed on the District for the

ST. PETER'S VILLAGE. In St. Peter's Village District, Hon. John Ferguson was appointed Chairman Samuel Melancon was the retiring Trustee and F. J. McManus, Esq., M. P. P. was elected in his stead. \$480 was ordered to be assessed for the next year, being \$312 less than last year. John E. Baldwin. Esq., was appointed Auditor. Dr. Rand's favorite idea of centralization and the enlargement of the District were ventilated by Mr. McManus, but the subject meeting with no favour assumed no positive

Kent County Notes.

New YEAR'S:-The proprietor of the Exchange Hotel," Richibucto, received a substantial New Year's gift as will appear by reference to another column. FOR THE WEST:--Mr. Robert N. Doherty, farmer and mill owner of St. Nicholas River, will leave this week for San Francisco, California. KINGSTON, KENT Co. AGRICULTURAL

SOCIETY Officers for 1880 : Wm. H. McArthur, President H. P. Warman, Herbert Irving. Vice-Presidents : John Brait, Sec'y-Treasurer;

Brait, Audit Committee: Main, J.B. Wright, W. Brown, T. Steven son, R. J. Atkinson, Henry Forddred; Jas. Murray, Clement Richard, Alexander Murray. W. Smith, Directors. KENT COUNTY DRIVING PARK :- The

following are the Officers for the ensuing Alexander Girvan, President.

W. H. McArthur, John Taylor, Geo. Jardine, Isaac W. Doherty, M. D., Direc-

and 5 o'clock p. m A. James Girvan, Sec'y-Treasurer.

umberland County and having visited the Testament of the late Caleb McCully, deceased, shire town of Kent and procured the against the said James Carter. necessary document, the fee being \$5,50. JOHN SHIRREFF heriff's Office, Newcastle, \ SHERIFF OF NORTH'LD 20th Oct., 1879.

David Palmer, W. M.

John Taylor, S. W. James Murray, J. W. Thos. Wetmore Bliss, Secy. James M'Dougal, Trea. Allan Haines, S. D. Thomas Curran, J. D. John Richard Peters, S. S. Albert Yates Clarke, J. S. Charles Lee Barnes, I. G. Rev. Isaac Newton Parker, Chap. William Brown, Dir. of Cer.

William Henry M'Arthur, I. P. M. The year 1879 has been a successful one for Lodge St. Andrews. Quite a number have joined the Lodge and some very important business has been transacted which will tend much to its better work-

the following were elected office-bearers

President-Hon. R. Hutchison. Vice-Presidents-Alex. Morrison, R. F.

Chaplain-Rev. J. A. F. M'Bain. Treasurer-D. Ferguson. Bard-Rev. John Robertson. Secretary -A. D. Shirreff. Asst. Secretary-William Watt. Piper-John Niven.

Ferguson, Wm. Anderson.

On, is advancing, but we will guarantee trade. Carmichael Bros.

At Marinette, Oconto Co., Wisconsin, of apo eart, on the 14th December last, in the 37th year of her age, Margaret, the beloved wife of Mr James Murphy, and daughter of Mr. Robert reased lived for several years at Bathurst, N. B and was universally esteemed. She leaves a hus oand, four children, and a large circle of relatives At New Zealand, on the thirteenh day of Oct. At Chatham, Jan. 11th Ellen widow of the late, Cornelious O'Regan, aged 72 years. May she rest At the residence of her grandson, Romain Savoy,

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Weigh Scale, in the town of Chatham, in the

Mr. Alexander McLennan spoke of the

but he did not want to see it go down meet at Newcastle next Wednesday in There was an impression that the Execu-

John's Church, Chatham, is the great that the matter rested with the fathers MIRAMICHI RELIGIOUS TRACT SOCIETY | their interest in the Society abate until is to hold its annual meeting on Tuesday they were quite sure that their children THE DANCING ASSEMBLY postponed last once said that they had passed such a Prayer, is to take place this evening in influences of the Society? He thought a matter? Did the officers neglect their

BARK "MOLILAMO" is reported as hav- duty? It appeared that there was someing sustained some damage from the ice | thing wrong somewhere. The Executive while lying at Duclair, near Rouen, Dec. | Committee had requested him to propose 22, and would have to put into Havre as a postponement of the meetings of the Society for a month. In Newcastle the REV. MR. MACKIE'S LECTURE in Masonic | Society had unfortunately been disbanded. Hall, N weastle, on Monday evening last | and the existence of the Society here dewas well attended and proved one of the pended on the ladies and their hasbands, best platform efforts that a Newcastle and especially on mothers. He was also sorry to miss the little boys who used to be present in such numbers, for though they made considerable noise they helped to fill up. He believed also that boys induced

see they had been obliged to drop the plan of having regular programmes, and also to hear the proposal to postpone the meetings for a month, which were now held only once a fortnight, and though he had often regretted his own absence from them, it had not been caused by loss of interest in the Society. He saw no cause for the present state of the Society, and when he looked back on its career, he thought that the people of the County had every reason to be satisfied with what had been done. He related his own experience as a clerk in former days, when the last item of an order was generally 5 gallons of rum. He also adverted to the social a well known and wealthy resident of | reforms which had taken place in regard to temperance. He thought even with the numbers present that evening the meetings should not be discontinued. He should be sorry to see the meetings postponed as proposed, and would much prefer holding them once a week, and he would like to see that question put to the meetness. He thought that the mothers and

> ed indifferent whether their husbands or sons were drunkards or not, and it was to their disgrace that they did not attend taken, as it was then constituted. for some time past. Those they had ask-

loss they sustained by not encouraging the Society, as there was no denying that it had done more good than any similar one in the community. He proposed that the meeting be adjourned till this night John Shirreff, Esq., said he was thoroughly opposed to the proposal made by the last speaker, and would move a

their meetings be held weekly, and that the admission fee be Ic. Mr. J. U. Loggie seconded the motion. John Shirreff. Esq., said that if the ladies would not come, there would be a sufficient number of young persons present, but he did not like to see tittering and laughing when a speaker was addressing the audience. Mr. William Johnston said he could not agree with Mr. Shirreff as they found it

hard to provide an entertainment once a

the attendance. He thought it best to postpone the meetings for a month, and then have something grand, but whatever the Society resolved on they must submit The President said he was sorry to hear of the proposal for postponement, as he was afraid it would be till next summer. He

did not think, however, they could continue

the weekly meetings; he would prefer

them once a fortnight. Mr. John Shirreff's amendment to the motion of postponement, was now put. It recommended the meetings should be once a week and that the admission should

As a matter of form, the original motion

mestings should be postponed for a month Executive Committee. Mr. Shirreff said or until next quarterly meeting, and he he should be happy to carry out the befieved that many would put their hands spirit of the resolution they had passed, in their pockets rather than see it go but he thought that there should be some down. They had means to run the Society public notice given of the meetings, and for a twelvemonth, and he thought if that a proper appeal should be made to they postponed their meetings for a month | the mothers and daughters of Chatham. Mr. J. U. Loggie said although at first

he was in favour of giving the Society a month's hoist, yet on hearing the remarks the weekly meetings. Capt. J. J. Brown said he thought that 1 cent admission was not enough. It

should be ladies I cent and gentlemen 3 cents. Mr. John Shirreff said if it was necessary, they could put their hands in their pockets and make up any small deficiency at the end of the month. Capt. Brown said there ought to be

some one at the door outside to prevent the meetings from being disturbed. Mr. John Shirreff said it would only be necessary to take the names of those who made a disturbance and hand them to the Police Magistrate.

The President requested that the lady

president of the Executive Committee be

notified in reference to the programme They must have a good programme. Mr. John Sherriff said that no doubt the lady President of the Executive would be glad to do all she could in reference to a programme if properly assisted, but per-

The President duly acknowledged the activity of the President. of the ladies' The proceedings concluded with the

and, if so, it was discouraging.

National Anthem.

Tco Bad. We were showing an advertiser our subscription list the other day to convince him that we had a much larger Miramichi circulation than any other paper, and as the list shows the time up to which every person who receives the paper has paid, the advertiser remarked that we had five cr six hundred "triends" wlo received

the paper and who had failed to pay their subscription when due. "I presume," said he, "you have not reminded them of their duty." "Oh yes," was the reply, "there are yellow slips printed just as the address appears in the list, and one of them is placed on the first page of every paper sent to each subscriber. They are inalip, that they have owed for the paper since the date marked (that is, when the subscription has expired) yet there are many so mean or neglectful that they do not pay up." [Here the reader will examine the first page of this paper and observe

I'm afraid, "said our friend," that in estimating the value of my advertisement, I must deduct for those who do not pay, for any man who neglects to pay for his paper, when it is printed and mailed, postage prepaid by the publisher to him, would be a poor and undesirable customer for me. How do you manage to have patience with such fellows ? - why do you not sue them ?" said he. "They profess to be our friends," we

replied, and we have let them off on that

account, so far, hoping they would grow

ashamed of having their family and neigh-

bors see that they don't pay the printer."

The advertiser thereupon advised us to

prepare the necessary magistrate's blanks

whether it is paid for in advance as it

should be, or whether the subscriber has

and put on costs to teach the deliquents a lesson. Some of the dearest of our friends, -dear because they have received the paper far too long without paying for it-will soon find that the advertiser's advice is not thrown away.

test reported as follows :--At a party one evening, several contested the honor of having done the most extraordinary thing; a reverend gentleman was appointed judge of their respective pretensions. One produced his tailor's bill, with a receipt attached to it. A buzz went through

"The palm is his," was the generous cry, when a third put in his claim. "Gentileman," said he, "I cannot boast the facts of my predecessors, but I have returned to the owners two umbrellas that they left at my house." "I'll hear no more!" cried the astonish.

Let us hear."

Annual School Meetings. The following reports of Annual School Meetings have come to hand :-

to allow the Society a little rest and it | \$103.67.

within the District in the public schools, it involved additional expense.

coming in, and as they cost the District 1880, is \$2,995. Resources \$1,014,33. Mr. Johnstone expressed himself satisfi- at meeting, \$1,888.67. ed with the explanations given.

Mr. A. W. Paterson, however did not tion of the Schools compared favorably

The Report stated the entire debt of the District had been wiped out. Mr. Joseph Hays was elected in place of Mr Wm. A. Park Esq. having declined the Auditorship, Mr. John Maltby was elected Auditor. The sum of \$1,900 was voted for School purposes for the coming year. In reference to the action of the Board of Education in the matter of the

as fullows :-Resolved. That the Trustees be request-

of the High School. cial Grant to be received from the Gov't.

meeting adjourned.

DISTRICT NO. 1, DERBY. Wm. Hartt, Esq., occupied the chair of the meeting in District No. 1 Derby and Mr. Jas. N. Wathen was Secretary. The Trustees' and Auditor's reports being satisfactory, were adopted. \$275-twenty-five of which was for the erection of a wood shed-was the assessment voted. Mr. Thos. Parker was elected in place of Mr. John Betts, retiring Trustee and Mr. Betts

Sec'y. to Trustees, acted as Secretary. The Trustees and Auditor's Reports were read and passed. Mr. John Way was elected Trustee in place of Mr. John Hosford, whose term had expired. Mr. Joseph Copp was re-elected Auditor.

were satisfactory. The sum of \$30 was voted for School purposes for the present 60.00 328 50 year. At the meeting in the Town District, nothing worthy of note transpired beyond the ordinary routine business. John 321 50 Sivewright Esq., was the retiring Trustee. On motion of Wm. Mann seconded by John Kerr Mr. Sievewright was re-

coming year.

A. Girvin, E. Hutchinson, Wm. J. Robert McClelland, A. McNairn, David

THE SMELT FISHING is being prosecuted with vigor in Kent County. Mr. David McAlmon of Kingston has a contract to deliver five (5) tons weekly at Welford Station. Large quantities are daily forwarded to Chatham from the North West and Kouchibouguacis. MANY A SLIP :- He came from North

100 Barrels of Charcoal wanted; apply MIRAMICHI ADVANCE Office.

count the parchment which he respectfully declined to do. The young lady has since been united in the bonds of holy matrimony to a farmer of Kouchibouguae Masonic:-St Andrew's Lodge, No. 16 and A. M. officers for ensuing year.

Miramichi Highland Society. At the general annual meeting of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi, held at Newcastle on Tuesday.

for the easning year :-Call, Hon. P. Mitchell.

DIRECTORS.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS. Murray.

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Esq., River des Caches, on the 7th inst., Anastasie Robicheaux, relict of the late Louis Robicheaux, IN FASHIONABLE SHADES.

> **FURS BELOW COST** NEW BUFFALO ROBES,

> > Trimmed and Untrimmed, CHEAP.

Stationery and School Books Large Stock of

A few barrels of MESS Beef and Pork for Sale low. KEROSENE OIL in Canadian and American. Weil assorted Stock of CROCKERYWARE and GLASSWARE selling at the same prices, as be fore the advance in the Tariff. The public are respectfully invited to inspect the Stock before making their purchases.

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Gold and Silver Watches and Jeweilry, Clocks, Electro-Plated Ware, CONSISTING OF

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Children's Mugs,

Notice! Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature o New Branswick at its

authorising the establishment and maintenance of a

TELEPHONE LINE,

The Subscriber intends to go to Europe this winter

to parchase his spring stock, and will sell off the

stick now on hand at cost price to make room for

ISAAC HARRIS,

WaterStreet, Chatham, N. B.

Chatham and Black Brook offices of the undersigned in the Parish of Chatham and County of Northumbe land. Cha ham, Jan. 12, 1880.

Dated this, firth day of January, 1880.

F. J. LETSON,

Administrator of Henry Farnham Letson,

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