Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

DON'T FORGET the "Soc al," at Chatham Head Templar's Hall this evening.

THE METHODIST Fancy Sale and Christmas Supper in Temperance Hall, Chatham. on Tuesday evening was a great success. ST. ANDREWS Sunday School children, Newcastle, are to have their Christmas ale to-day. It ought to be well patron-

SUGAR made at the Moncton Refinery has been sent to us by Messrs, Wm. Wilson & Co. of Chatham. It is a capita article and, in the words of the Advocate "worthy of imitation."

PERSONAL :- Thos. Hanford, Esq., Inspector of Internal Revenue and John Cudlip, Esq., Inspector of Customs, were in town this week.

An Ottawa despatch says :- C. Burpee Anglin, Isaac Burpee, Pickard, Rogers, King, Weldon, Haddow, Snowball, Gillmor, Sir Albert J. Smith and Domville. leave for home via the Intercolonial tomorrow. Connell goes by the Western Poute.

A Good Offer: - In order to accommo date our readers and give them a good general news paper, in addition to the Advance, we will send the Montreal Weekly Herald for one year to any subscriber who-having already paid his subscrip tion to the ADVANCE-remits us fifty cents.

MISMANAGEMENT in the running of special Intercolonial passenger train caused a collision with a train of empty coal cars near Metapedia, on Monday. The engine of the passenger train and seven coal cars were smashed, the Conductor of to Tabusintac with a quantity of clothing, the freight train badly scalded, a brakesman badly injured and the Conductor's | mg with him Mrs. Loggie and five of the van burned. The mails were fortunately forgotten or they would probably have

and returned on Saturday evening, bring-

children. Mr. Loggie and the remaining

in the cellar, directly under the spot

where she slept. Her head, arms and

legs were consumed, the trunk only re

maining. The position of the body.

when found, confirms the opinion, that

she died of suffocation, as she had evi-

dently not moved from the bed where she

slept. The origin of the fire is not known.

Helf Yearly Examination of the

Grammar and High School.

amination of the Grammar and High School

in charge of C. G. D. Roberts, B. A., took

On the walls of the School room were

displayed a number of maps of the United

kingdom of varying size and excellence.

each pupil contributing ore, and many of

them were characterized by great accuracy

At 10.30 o'clock the proceedings com-

menced by the pupils singing the "Greet-

The Trustee present was G. A. Blair,

Esq. There were also among the visitors

Miss Williston of the Advanced Depart-

ment No. 1, Mr. Duke, Principal of the

schools in District No. 9, Miss Davidson,

The Geography class, consisting of th

whole of the pupils, were called, Mr.

Roberts explaining that the work done

this term was the general Geography of

Europe, its boundaries and general physi-

cal features, after which the geography of

ly gone into, its boundaries, bays, rivers,

The senior Latin class was examined

reading translation and parsing from Exer-

cise 13, page 28, 1st Latin Book. They

sentences into Latin, and in declining

The junior Algebra class was called,

sides being chosen. The exercises were

Miss McLean and Thomas Johnstone

The Senior Literature Class was called,

Mr. Roberts explaining that they had

been studying the "Merchant of Venice,"

and the class would give the "trial scene"

as a dialogue. The class consisted of

Misses Laura Winslowe Ethel Benson,

The pupils sang the "Christmas Carol.

Annie Davidson. The questions were

chiefly in Simple Interest and Profit and

Loss, and the result was 194 for Miss

Winslow's side and 15 for Miss Annie

Davidson's, Miss E. Kerr making the

The Junior reading class read from the

was happy to have the opportunity of

saving a few words at the close of the

Examination, which had given him far

done well. He had observed that in the

"trial scene" in the "Merchant of Venice,"

advantages of education were more diffus-

greater satisfaction than the last one

highest numbers of marks.

5th book very creditably.

exercises were omitted.

Davidson, and Elspeth Kerr.

counties, chief towns, etc.

terms, subtraction etc.

Departments,

he register of

erage attend

and Miss Duffy of P.i.

ing song."

place in the High School building.

"MITCHELL" ON THE BRAIN:-There was exhibited on the streets of Chatham, and insured is now in the butcher shop of Mr. Thomas Vanstone, a carcass of as fine beef as ever was exhibited in this County, if not in the Province. It was purchased from Mr William Witherall, of Newcastle, and was raised and fed by him, but the Advocate having "Mitchell on the brain" states that the animal was raised by a gentleman of that distinguished name Won't the Advocate please "give us a rest" during the holidays, at least.

SCHOONER WRECKED .- The "Bride," a twenty ton schooner owned by Mesers. G. R. Young & Co., of Tracadie, N. B., was recently lost on Sable Island. Before the vessel was driven on shore, she had been unmanageable for eight days in consequence of the main sheet having parted and the straps giving away. The crew suffered greatly from cold and hunger. Capt. Hachey and two other men were badly frozen. The schooner was brick laden, and was on her way from Pictou to Tracadie. - Freeman.

Rirk Notes.

The Chatham hank is growing in popularity among both skaters and curlers .-On Saturday last the number of applicants for skating tickets was sufficiently large to furnish the Club with about one half of the amount required for the necessary expense to be incurred to maintain the Rink for skating purposes, while applicants who could not be present on that day, but were to be accepted upon as natural, were entered on the books of the Managing committee in sufficient numbers to justify them in deciding to open the Rink for Skating for the present season at

Owing to representations made to the Managing Committee, they have consented to keep the Rink open on Saturday evenings as well as other evenings of the week, subject however, to their decision to close it on that or any other evening when it the United Kingdom was more particularmay be necessary to renew the ice by flooding.

The regular Rink days for skaters are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The days for Curling are Mondays,

Wednesdays and Fridays.

Under their agreement with the Club the Curlers are to occupy the Rink on Christmas and New-Year days every At a meeting of the Club held on Mon-

in, Change in the order of terms, Like day evening, it was ordered that the Managing Committee be composed of the original Committee, viz:-John Johnston, lead the respective sides. T. Johnstone's T. F. Gillespie and D. G. Smith and the sine 32 and Miss McLean's 314 was the Secretary, Wm. Wilson and the Treasurer, | final result, the contest being very close. John Brown. These gentlemen are to have the entire management and control of the Rink for both Skaters and Curlers. At the Club meeting on Monday even

ing, it was reported by the caretaker, Mr. Brittain, that a prominent citizen had coffered to guarantee the amount necessary to keep the Rink open to skaters for the season, provided the Club would pay over to him any proceeds contributed on account of skaters, in excess of the amount (\$150) which the Committee stated they must secure from skating patrons. The Committee reported that the same offer had heen made to them, the conditions being that the gentleman making it did not desire in any way to interfere with their management. They recommended that the thanks of the Club be tendered therefor to F. E. Winslow, Esq., the proposed guarantor. While, however, acknowledging the liberality and public spirit which prompted his offer, the Committee re commended that Mr. Winslow be thanked and that the Club take all necessary risk in respect of the skating liabilities.

Among the suggestions of patrons that have been favorably entertained is the holding of a Carnival at a comparatively early day of the season.

The Curlers are h artily enjoying their improved facilities afforded by the Rink, The "Scotch" and "Bluenoses" gathered for the fray on Thursday last. The opposing rinks and scores were:-

John Johnstone. W. S. Morris, M. C. Clark, G. I. Wilson, Wm. Wilson. Geo. L. Brittain, D. Smith, Skip. 13. John Brown, Skip 5,

Mr. Morris though not a Scotchman, took "old countrymen" who have always been inclined to go ahead of the boys, who, were tum leaving for sea, the greatest gale of the out-played by the bluenoses of the Chat- formerly rather accustomed to sneer at season sprung up. Its terrific force may ers and we expect them to turn the tables on the "natives" in the next match.

The Fatal Tabusintac Fire.

Last week we published a sad announcement in reference to which we take the

Advocate :--Robert Loggie, Esq., C. C., at Tabusintac, was destroyed by fire, with all the contents, consisting of furniture, beds and bedding, and other household effects, including a large quantity of homespun, which Mrs. Loggie had woven during the fall for winter clothing. In the celler Mr. Loggie had between one and two hundred ed, there was also more competition, and The Toronto Globe says :- The example | That the young fry should be retained barrels of potatoes, their winter supply of though it was right that boys should set by the people of West Northumberland until a year old, as in England, is no doubt flour, tea, molasses, butter, and other amuse themselves, he did not like to see in arranging to hold a public meeting of the proper method, although the hard necessaries, and two or three barrels of them neglect their studies, and there was the electors of that riding to discuss the winters of Canada would make it difficult pork which had been salted down a few no harm in reminding them of this, Pacific Railway contract has been prompt- to keep and feed them. Had Mr. Holt

midnight, who was awakened by some

Mr. Lo erts thanked the noise, and on looking out of the bedroom who attended, though doubtless they window saw a reflection of fire on the snow outside. She opened the door leadwould have been more numerous, but for ing into the hall, and called the girl who the stormy weather and bad roads. He was sleeping up stairs, several times, until | thanked Mr. Blair for the words of encourdriven back by the flames. As she receivagement he had spoken, for the last examied no answer, it is thought that the girl nation, in consequence of the conditions had been sufficated, and was dead when under which it took place, could only be Mrs. Loggie called to her. As the only | regarded as a make-shift. He thought the means of exit was-through the front hall, contempt for the intellect of girls had about which was all on fire, Mrs. Loggie had to died out, and he was sure it could not live break out one of the windows, and through long, among those who attended the High which she and her six children (one of School. He would announce that the them only a little over a year old) passed school would close for a fortnight and reout, standing on the snow clad only in their open on the 3rd January. In conclusion might clothes, and barefooted. They took he would explain that there were no boy shelter in the barn, upon reaching which | took part in the "trial scene" of the "Mer Mrs. Loggie fell down exhausted. They | chant of Venice," because all the boys of remained in the barn only a short time, the school belonged to the 8th grade, those for Mr. Eubulus McCullum, who lives of the 9th grade having all left, some for about a mile from Mr. Loggie's was get | the University, and others for different ting ready to proceed to Chatham, and avocations. These matters depended. seeing the fire at once drove to the scene. therefore, on the organization of the school. Mr. John Cassidy, of Newcastle, who was Mr. Blair said he meant to cast no rethen in the settlement, Mr. Eben. Vanflections on the boys, whom he would destine and Mr. John England, neighbors, further recommend to study the great arrived about the same time as Mr. Mcmasters of English literature, such as Cultum. Mr. Cassidy placed his coat Shakespeare for instance, from which he around Mrs. Loggie, and the homeless could conceive the advantage would be inones were then taken in Mr. McCullum's calculable. It was, however, unfortunate sleigh, and conveyed to Mr. John Loggie's for them that they lived in a locality on the opposite side of the river. The where there were no libraries. He had next day the neighbors showed the mother often wished he could have seen his way to and children considerable kindness, furestablish a library but he had not yet given mshing them with necessary clothing. up all hopes of attaining this object. The Mr. Samuel Loggie of Newcastle, heard proceedings being brought to a close, the the news the same evening, and proceeded

The only classes examined by written examination, were the Senior Latin, Senior Arithmetic, Junior French, Junior Alchild came up to Newcastle yesterday, gebra, and Junior Arithmetic.

The family will remain at Mr. S. Loggie's SENIOR LATIN CLASS. until the spring. The property was un-Elsie Kerr, 900 Bessie Carmichael, 890 William Kerr, 890 Laura Winslow, 845 Annie Davidson, 845 Bessie Ullock. The unfortunate girl who was burned Harry Shirreff, 810 Wm. Gillespie, was Jane, daughter of Mr. Philip Robert-Ernest Blair, 695 Mac. Snowball, son, aged tifteen. Her remains were found

SENIOR ARITHMETIC Bessie Carmichael, 970 Annie Davidson, 950 Ettie Loudon, 940 Bessie Ullock, 935 Laura Winslow, 735 Elsie Kerr, Ethel Benson,

Bessie Carmichael 780 Laura Winslow, 810 760 Dicey Davidson, 755 705 Harry Snirreff, 625 410 Moore Letson, 405 Stanley Murray, 295 Ernest Murray, 290

JUNIOR A. GEBRA Bella McLean, 1000 Wm. Kerr, 940 940 Dicey Davidson, 915 Ernest Blair, 915 Wm. Gillespie, 895 On Friday morning the half yearly ex- Susie Creighton, 870 Annie McKay, 850 Barbara McLean 840 Gray Henderson, 700 Hannah Harris, 635 Robert Allen, 610 Andrew Edgar, 600 Mac. Snowball, 350 Thomas Johnstone, 350

> William Kerr, 990 Dicey Davidson, 925 Bella McLachlan, 905 Harry Shirreff, 895 Harry McKay, 875 Hannah Harris, 800 Thos. Johnstone, 650 Andrew Edgar, 775 Barbara McLean, 625 Stanley Murray, 620 Susie Creighton, 595 Mac. Snowball, 590 Moore-Letson, 550 Robert Allen, Gray Henderson, 490 Ernest Blair, Ernest Murray, 415 Wm. Gillespie, 398

Loss of the "Nonagrum."

A St. John Nfld. despatch of 18th inst.

Steamer "Curlew," from St. George's Bay, brings an account of the loss of the barque "Nonantum," which sailed from Miramichi November 19 for Gibraltar. She encountered a storm on the 20th and 21st, losing topmasts and deckload. On 22nd both anchors were put down, but one gave way, and the masts were cut away to ease the vessel. The sea swept over her continually. On the 23rd the crew Europe, and the detailed geography of the left in two boats, one capsizing and losing United Kingdom. The pupils were then all the provisions, but was subsequently examined on the advent of civilization in righted, and this boat, after twenty hours struggle, landed its crew in a cove near St. George's Bay. The other boat, with six men, was lost by swamping in the

The crew of the life-boat, eleven in number, landed, and the cook died in few hours from exhaustion. The remaining men clambered to the top of the were also exercised in turning English cliffs and travelled about in the woods for six days. They made a camp, but staved but a short time. No habitation could be found. The provisions gave out, and several died in the snow from starvation and cold. Capt. Johnson fell from exhaustion and cold, leaving the mate, named Kadger, and a seaman named Dooley only alive. These two laid down die, but they were accidentally found by two men who took them to the village. A party went in search of the wrecked seamen, and found Captain Johnson in- Derby, Dec. 17th '80 sensible, and the remaining members of the crew dead. The Captain died shortly after being taken to a house. Kadger Ettic Loudon, Bessie Carmichael, Annie and Dooley were so badly frost bitten and suffering from pulmonary congestion The various parts were very well given. that they could not live.

though perhaps wanting a little more ani-The "Nonantum" had a cargo of deals. The coast between St. George's Bay and Cape Ray is strewn with wreckage and The Senior Arithmetic class were ex- from accounts not yet quite anthenticated amined, the class taking sides respectively probably other tales of wrecked life and headed by Misses Laura Winslow and property will be made known.

The St. John Globe from which we take the above, says :- "Among the crew of the ill fated vessel was a young man named Wm. McDermott, belonging to St. John. We are told that when the vessel was ready to leave Miramichi she had a heavy "list;" that the crew objected to go in her, and that a survey was held and

On account of want of time some of the | the vessel pronounced seaworthy.' The Globe gives currency in these edito-Mr. Blair addressing the pupils, said he | rial remarks to partial truth, when it ought to state the whole circumstances. The Nonantum had no greater list than many other vessels have on leaving port, but as the season was so far advanced, her partial-May did, which was only a partial one, ly "picked up" crew made some trouble but it should be their constantendeavor to at the Bir. The representatives here of maintain the high character of the sehool. | the vessel and cargo at once engaged the steamer Andover and took down Shipping He had attended their examinations for Surveyor Carmichael and Portwardens a number of years, and in the past these occasions had always been highly credit- Gillespie and Griffin, who examined the able, nor was this one an exception. On vessel and finding the deckload heavy, in entering the room, he was particularly structed the Captain to proceed on the struck with the large number of nicely voyage and, should he find it necessary, executed maps exhibited on the walls, to throw the deckload or any part of it but it seemed to him that the girls were overboard. Immediately on the Nonanget rid of that idea, as the examination the above despatch, that on the third day had shewn that the girls were rather in out, she was off the coast of Newfoundland, advance of them. He was not, however, just as another vessel was which left here finding fault, as he thought, that all had at the same time and was also lost,

There seems to be nothing in the sad account of the wrecking of the vessel to that they had now every advantage, and Nonantum-would have reached her desti- always noted for good fishing equally as also that things were very different from nation in safety, but for the great gale of bad, if not worse than our own, we mus what they were 20 years ago, for as the 20th and 21st November.

"BY HAND," destroying a river, is untenable. days previous. Mr. Loggie was at Red Everything about the school was pleasing by followed in East York. The Northum- remained and tried moose and caribon

Pine Station, where he is in charge of Mr. and comfortable, though he would like berland meeting will be held at Cobourg hunting for a winter, he would have been Snowball's lumbering store. The fire to have seen more visitors present. It on Saturday, at two in the afternoon, and better able to give his experience. broke out in the upper part of the house | was almost too soon to wish them a happy | the East York one on Tuesday at the same and was discovered by Mrs. Loggie about Christmas or New Year, but in conclusion hour, at Malvern, in Scarboro'. This is he would nevertheless venture to do so. but the beginning of what may prove to be an important series of meetings.

The Board of Agriculture. [From "The Capital."] In its first session the Board of Agrical ture has shown itself to be an institution of considerable vigor, and actuated by an earnest endeavor to advance the interests of that branch of industry, which it is its especial duty to foster. Several matters great interest were discussed. Chief among these we must place the question of cattle exportation, in which Mr. Brown, of Grand Falls, took the initiative. Upon this, and the exporting of agricultural produce to southern ports, the future of the St. John Valley largely depends. Mr Chas. Burpee and Mr. Domville are interesting themselves at Ottawa : the St. John Board of Trade and Common Council have pressed the matter upon the consideration the Government: the men of Fredericton have given expression to their warm sympathy in the movement, and last, but by no means least, a body, representative of the farmers of the Province, avow their determi nation to further it in all their power. This display of public spirit, and prompt declaration of public sentiment are highly significant and gratifying, and will not be without their good results. Mr. Anderson, of Sackville, brought up

the question of an agricultural College and Stock Farm; and, subsequently, Mr Barker, of York, moved a resolution fer a committee to be appointed to report on the feasibility of purchasing and stock ing a farm. Mr. Anderson and Mr. Fair weather wished to add to the duties of the committee that of conferring with the Nova Scotia Board of Agriculture, relative to the establishment of a School and Farm conjointly with that Province: but 810 did not press the matter to a Messrs. Barker, Anderson and Sterling were appointed a committee under th resolution. In the discussion of this, as of all other matters, the members of the Board displayed much knowledge of the subject under their consideration, and an ability to grapple, practically, in the solution of the various problems presented by New Brunswick agriculture.

Mr. Sterling, of Sunbury, brought up the matter of agricultural statistics which called forth from the Secretary an explanation of his course on this subject. He claimed, with much reason, that he cannot be responsible for the correctness of statistics furnished in the manner they now are ; and stated in urging on the agricultural societies the importance of furnishing full statistics, he was only doing what he was required to do by the

Various other matters, principally of a routine character, were discussed, and some changes made in the rules and room lations for the government of A Societies. Among them a membership of thirty s a society, instead of fort

heretofore has been. The committee on the e. cattle advised that the Domin ment be asked to grant \$50, num' for three years, to a line from St. John to Great Britain.

A recommendation was also the Government for the import cattle, cheep, and swine from England Estimated cost \$12,500.

Corcespondence.

An Echo of the Derby Election.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. SIR :- I observe that a correspondent, "C," which may mean "Cad" or "Calf writes to the Advocate from Derby, reflecting on the conduct of Candidates in the late election for this Parish. He has not the pluck to say whether it was Mr. Robinson or myself who supplied the spirit to which he refers, but leaves the readers of his letter to infer that it was, perhaps, both. I beg to say, most emphatically that I neither gave any man liquor during the polling on that day or authorised any one to do it for me, neither did I carry a flask of gin in my pocket with which to treat voters. Can the defeated Temper ance Candidate say the same? If he can I should like to hear from him, or perhaps "C" may be able to come out over his own signature and give us some light on the Yours.

A Campbellton Man on the Salmon Scarcity, &c.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance DEAR SIR :- A Mr. Holt of England, in a letter to the Montreal Herald of 7th ult. describes his bad success in angling for salmon on the Saguenay river this season. he having come from Engand to participate in the sport and like many others, having been disappointed. He blames nets set across channels, and fish-breeding as the cause of the failure, advising the Government to employ a celebrated fish painter to duplicate a few copies of his favorite fish, "so that Canadians in future ages may see what a salmon looked like." Why is it, if true, that nets are allowed in the Saguenay channels? Our officer here wont allow an extra stake in deep water, and if a netter exceeds his allowance of Bar net, even on a mud flat, he has him hauled before a Justice and heavily fined. Mr. Holt wants nets curtailed. So do all anglers. I hear the new R. S. Club. at Metapedia intend trying for the abolition of all nets above Campbellton, as they only took 150 fish out of the pool, and could not hook them from their bed-room windows, as expected. Net fishing has not been so poor for many years, in fact since 1862. Prior to that time, for years, we had just such seasons as last, and many of the netters had to abandon it. Since 1872 salmon have steadily increased, and so have nets, there being fully five nets now to one then. As for angling, I think the first was done here in 1868. Previous ham Club. The Scots are excellent play- them, but he thought they would have to be readily understood when it is seen by to that it was supposed by the few who tried it, that fish would not rise in this river. Why the fish did not come this year, what kept them away, or what destroyed them, are mysteries unsolved. That the few salmon used by the Hatchery, supposing they all die, as some allege, and following additional particulars from the no boys had taken part, and on the part indicate that she was unseaworthy. No that the young fry produced from of the girls who had sustained the char- good can, therefore, come out of the efforts them were gobbled up by the rascally On Wednesday last the residence of acters, only a little more animation was being made—and to which the Globe gives trout, owing to their old mothers not being needed. He would not detain them fur- some color and backing-to show that she with them to protect them, it could only ther, and hoped they would enjoy their was sent to sea when she ought not to affect those rivers where such places are in Christmas holidays. They must reflect have gone. In all human probability the operation; but when we find other rivers

conclude that the making of young salmon

The absolute removal of nets unless in

excess, Mr. Holt says is not necessary. only regulate them, so that a due propertion of fish get into the river. Now, Mr. Editor, we are pretty well regulated. Nets are up from 6 p. m. on Saturday to 6 a. m. Monday. We cannot keep nets in the water here much over 4 weeks, owing to there fouling, and if we are going to be more regulated, will have to give it up. Many persons have been refused licenses to set nets, although the open distance between stands, required by the act-of 250 yards in every case-has been observed strictly. However, I understand, our Inspector will not allow a new station unless there is a clear half mile between it and the others. Either the law is wrong, or it is unfair to the general public who want to fish. The evil of too many nets would soon cure itself and so long as channels are kept clear the more nets, the less fish will be taken, as they will not leave the deep water where nets are thickly set along the shores. Why John should fish, and Jack not be allowed when he has an equal right, is not such a mystery, as where the fish went last year, favoritism, or political influence is the sesame. Hoping Mr. Holt will be more successful another year, as well as your obedient servant, I am sir, yours

Restigouche, Campbellton, Dec. 12, '80 Telegraphic and other Notes and News.

The Pope is exhorting all his pastors over the world to stimulate their flocks to pray and work in the cause of foreign

The Emperor and Crown Prince of Austria have requested that the money designed for a ball in their honor should be given to the poor of the city.

James Cropper (Liberal) has been returned to the British House of Commons for Kendal, defeating his Conservative opponent, Mr. Harris, by 300 votes. ALEX JOHNSTON, of St. Stephen, appears UUIVUUU

to have "left his country for his country's good." forgetting even to pay some of his The Pacific Syndicate bargain is con-

demned most unsparingly by the Montreal Witness, which says every Conservative, constituency should hold indignation meetings, if only for sake of the party. Further explosions occur in the Stellar

ton mines. The men are unable to resume work, and the pay-roll this month is \$14.-000 less than last. An experiment will be made with a new seam, but for the present, destitution stares the miners in

Irish News.

Philip Callan, M. P. for Louth, been fined £50 for his libel on Mr. Sullivan, the Home Ruler. A Dublin despatch says the action of

the Cabinet with regard to the Irish ques tion is awaited with intense anxiety by the loyal classes, but by the disaffected king | with indifference. From the Land League tart | and their sympathisers the most strenuous rule | and desperate opposition may be expected to coercien. All that physical endurance of can do to prevent the suspension of the Habeas Corpus Act may be anticipated. Some members of the Irish party in Par ters | liment who do not approve of the League will make common cause with them in to the struggle, knowing that it will be an easy way to atone for their shortcomin; s and to attain popularity without directly

committing themselvs. A great anti-League meeting was held last Thursday at Monaghan Lord Rossmore presiding. Resolutions were passed declaring the equitable settlement of the land question necessary to a settlement giving the landlords a fair rent and the tenants protection from rack-rents and

capricious evictions. Father Foley, parish priest at Tarbert, County Kerry, has been Boycotted by his parishoners. He can get no smith in Tarbert to shoe his horse and had to send it to Limerick. The people long since refus ed to give the usual halfpenny or penny on Sunday for seats in the chapel. It is thought the priest will not be paid his dues at Christmas. Father Foley has

frequently denounced the League. The cattle belonging to Jones, of Lisselane, which were forwarded from Cork, having been refused shipment by the steamship companies in consequence of the threats of the "Boycotters" have Lodge has determined to make every ex ertion to relieve Mr. Jones. His sheep were shipped to-day. It is reported that F. H. JARDINE. a movement is afloat in Ulster to send a relief expedition to Mr. Jones at Bandon. THE CABINET AND THE LAND BILL.

The London News of 17th states that the previous day's sitting of the cabinet which will prolably be the last before Christmas, was occupied by the consideration of the Land Bill. It is not absolutely certain the Bill will be ready to present to the House at the opening of the session in all its details, but the principles and subjects of the measure will be stated as early as possible. The News positively denies that the Land Bill and a Coercion Bill will be introduced simultaneously. The Government will let Parliament fully understand what remedial legislation they intend to propose before they carry through any measures of coercion. The Times says :- The situation in Ire lond is one of deepening gloom. The officers of the Government look on while

lawlessness is unchecked, but this can not continue, At some point the will of the rebels against society must be broken by the force of society. If the Govern ment does not ster forward to resume its functions, we shall see the calamity of a spontaneous struggle between those who set up their own will as law and those who resist such coercion. It must be plain to the Government that the evil has grown to its present dimensions becaus it has been slow to understand and to execute its duty.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is mild and oothing in its immediate and apparent effects, and possesses far-reaching and owerful healing qualities which its peristent use will demonstrate in any case of coughs, colds, throat or lung troubles of any kind.

DIED

On Thursday, 9th inst., at her residence. Chat At Chatham, on Tuesday, the 21st inst., John

Thomas, or ly son of James F. and Maggie Maher, At Chatham on the 20th inst., at the residence The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock this after

At Chatham on the 14th inst., Annie Elizabeth, only daughter of Richard D. and Annie Stapledon, ged 9 months and 8 days. At the residence of her son, F. H. Jardine, Upper Derby, Glorannah, relict of the late Col. Robert Jardine, in the 80th year of her age. At Chatham on the 22nd inst. of wa orain, Francis Marshall only son of Thomas and sabella Utlock, aged nine months. Funeral to take place Friday 24th, 2.30, sharp. In a world of pain and care, Lord, Thou wouldst no longer leave it,

To Thy meadows bright and fair Lovingly thou dost receive it; Clothed in robes of spotless white Now it dwells with Thee in light. General Business.

1880 THE " Elephant" has just arrived at the New-

X'mas & New Year's Gifts. Come one. Come all and see them !

Ink Stands in olive wood, tartan & glass; Card Boxes in Olive wood & Ebony, Flagon Boxes in olive wood; Ladies' Work Boxes; Ladies' Companons and Card Cases; Ladies' and Gent's Dressing Cases and Writing Desks; Paper Knives; Whist-Markers; Autograph Albums; Pocket Photo Albums, Scrap Books and scrap Pictures; Toilet Setts

Games for Children. such as Cats and Mise; Cantlope, Lost Diamond; Tivoli; Go Bang; Fox and Geese, What Do Ye Buy; Old Maid; Snip Snap Snoru; &c., &c. Also a great variety of

Children's Toys.

too numerous to mention, and DOLLS from 2 cents X'mas and New Year's Cards, ever imported into Miramichi, all for sale cheap for Call and examine before buying elsewhere. Don't forget the place-Newcastle Drue Store. E. LEE STREET Newcastle, Nov. 30, 1880

House and Store to Rent. The House and Store on Water Street lately oc-cupied by Mrs. Butler—apply to Mrs. Desmond, Newcastle or R. Flanagan Chatham.

Just Receive !, per S. S. Caspian, direct from A CHOICE LOT OF

TEAS.

FOR SALE LOW

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. General Hardware Store. ISAAC HARRIS,

LONDON HOUSE,

General Business.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR. The Subscriber desirous of selling off his stock of FANCY GOODS, offers it at greatly redu Pressing Cases, Work Boxes.

Writing Cases, Glove Boxes, Papetries, Reticules, Baskets, Albums, Games, Fancy Boxes, Opera Glasses, Cigar Cases, Meerschaum Pipes, Pocket Books. Parian Ware, and unmerous other articles suitable for X'mas and

New-years presents. Spices, Citron and Lemon Peel, Extracts, Cocoa In Store—Flour, Oat Meal, Tea, Tobacco, Sugar Butter, Soap, Onions, at lowest wholesale and retai RICHARD HOCKEN.

HAY WIRE & HARDWARE. 5 Bells. Best, Annealed Hay Wire,

Briss and Cepper Wire, all Sizes, Wire Cloth, Nos. 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, Firth's Best Cast Steel, 3, 7, 1, 11, 2x1. Firth's Best Octagon Steel, 2, 3, 4, 1 in. Edge Sools of every kind made from the best Steel 3,000 lbs Best Refined Horse Shoes, 15 Boxes Superior Horse Nails, 900 ft. Proved Coil Chain, 3-16, to 1 in 48 prs Chain Traces, prs Team Hames.

5 Kegs Cut nails and Spike Wrought Nails and Spikes, all sizes. Boat Nails, Nuts and Washers all sizes. 12 Sets Cottage Fire Irons and Stands, (very, Joiners' Tools, every description, cheap and good Smothing Planes, 75c, Jack do., \$1. Handsaws, 26 in. warranted for \$1.25. Other goods equal-

X'MAS. Favorite Brand, Royal Arms, Crown.

A Choice Lot of SILVER AND ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

Ivory Table and Desert Knives, 70 doz. Table Knives and Forks. at \$1, to \$3.75 60 doz. Pocket Knives. common to choice, 20 Violins, \$2.50 to \$8.50. 30 doz. Steel and Gut Strings.

Skates in variety 4 very choice Coal Vases, (suitable for parlor o Drawing Room) I give my strictest attention to my business, so that I keep constantly on hand, every article the country equires. I am confident I can sell as low as any other Retail Hardware Store in the Pro-

J. R. GOGGIN,

Chatham, N. B.

Rack Pulleys, Scissors in great

and Wire.

Picture Cord, in Green, Red.

Soup and Gravy Ladles, Iron

Brittania Metal and Nickle Silver

Patent Whipple Tree Ends, Watch Keys, Stair Rods and Eyes, Saddler's Punches, Screw

Pulleys, Spectacle Cases. Skew

ers, Turn Buttons, Snuffers, Candle sticks, Razors and Razor

Strops, Marking Gauges, Mincing Knives, Sliding Levels, Plough and Matching Planes

Plane Irons, Garden and Masson

Trowels, Screw and Tire Bolts

Trays, Parafine Lamps, Burners

Manilla and Tarred Rope, Cod

Square Cooking and Upright

EARTHENWARE.

Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets

Plates, Cups and Saucers, Tea-pots, Butter Coolers, Egg Cups, Basins, Ewers, Mirk Dishes, etc.

IRON, Etc., Etc.

DRY GOODS.

Refined Iron in Bars, Flat

Lines, Roofing Paper, Window

Glasses and Wicks.

A Nice assortment and Bracket Lamps.

NOTICE!

SELLING OFF! **CREAT CLEARANCE SALE!** IMMENSE REDUCTION.

I am now selling off my entire Stock (at greatly reduced prices, preparatory to finally closing business) consisting of the following articles viz:

PLATED WARE.

Teapots, Cruet Stands, Cake Baskets, Dinner, Tea and Butter

Knives, Forks and Spoons, But-ter Coolers, Pickle Forks, Fish

SAWS.

Yianh, Meat, Keynde, Tran

VARNISHES.

Copal, Demar, Shellac Knott

ng, Fine Wearing Body, No. 1

MISCELLANEOUS

Light and Heavy Axles, Car-

A large assortment of Dyes, in

Brass Curtain Rings, large and

small, Brass Blind Furniture.

Bitts and Braces, Bradawls,

Brass Studs, Boxwood Rules.

Cruets and Cruet Stands.

A large assortment of Binac

Carpenter's Chalk and Chalk

Clothes Pins, common and

Curry Combs, Chest Handles,

Gouges, Emery and Emery Paper,

Escutcheons, Brass, and Porce

Lathing Hatchets.

lain, Egg Beaters, Felloe Plates,

Furniture and No. 1 Carriage.

Knives, Nut Crackers, etc.

Fret, and Crosscut Saws.

riage Springs.

AXES. Narrow and Bench Axes BRUSHES.

Hair Brushes, Coat Brushes, Stove, Blacking, Scrubbing Counter, Window, Horse, Shaving, Tooth, Nail and Paint Brushes in great variety. BELLS.

Dinner Bells, Tea Bells and longs, Sleigh and Cow do. BOLTS. Flush, Foot, Tower, Chain and

FILES. Round, Half Round and Flat Bastard, Mill Saw, Crosscut. Hand and Pit, Saw Files, Horse

HINGES. Acorn Butts, Silver Tipped do. from one to five inches, Table, T, Trunk and Barn Door Hinges,

Hook and Eye, and Hook and KNIVES. Pocket Knives, in great variety, Table Knives and Forks, com-mon and Ivory Handled, Bread Butcher, Shoe and Putty Knives.

KNOBS. Drawer Knobs, Picture and LATCHES

Thumb Latches, Night and LOCKS. Chest, Drawer and Desk Locks,

Locks, Dead, Rim, Mortise, Front Door, Stock and Padlocks. NAILS. Cut. Wrought and Pressed Nails Finishing Nails, Copper Nails and Tacks, Zinc, Brass and Gimp,

and Pump Tacks.

Burnt Umber, etc.

OILS. Raw and Boiled Linseed, Extra Engine, Lard, Lubricating,

od, Neatsfoot, Olive and Castor Oils and Turpentine. PAINTS.

Tellow Ochre, Dutch Pink,

panish Brown, Lampblack,

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Black and Green, Dry Red Lead,

and Zinc Shoe Nails, Hungarian and Clout Nails, Shovels, Whet-stones and Sips, Molasses Taps, and Self-Boring, do., Brass Cocks, Wooden Taps, Wine Fau-Key Rings, Whips, in great variety, Whip Lashes, Trunk Roul-Nippers, Callipers, Dividers,

Boots and Shoes, a large quan-Glass Water Pitchers, Glass Tweeds, Ready Made Clothing, Molasses Jugs, Tumblers, De-Quilts, Table Cloths, Flannels, Homespun, White Linen Shirts Collars and Cuffs, Corsets Selicia, Glazed Lining, Ladies Springs, Ramrod Worms, Bullet Moulds, Gun and Blasting Pow-Misses' and Men's Hose, Men's ier, Shot and Shot Pouches, Iron Woollen Shirts, Under Shirts and Rivets, Hand Bail Screws, Hooks Drawers, Men's and Youth's Scarfs, Hats and Caps, Muslin Delaine, Towels, and Towelling Harness Mounting, Collar Cloth Travelling Bags, and Valises, Canadian Yarn, Braid, Thread, ter's, Farrier's Clinch and Tack Hammers, Harness Jet. Hooks. Twist, Hearth Rugs, Paper Col-A large assortment of Curtain Vrenches, Pincers, Pliers, Serewnaker's Pincers, Punches, Iron

Brass Castors.

assortment of Coffin Clay and Briar Root

Chain, different sizes, Ploughs

Chisels, a large assortment of Firmer and Mortise Chisels, and Copper Wire, Iron, Brass Gouges Emery and Francisco Chisels, and Copper Wire

A large quantity of assorted ibbons, Men's and Youth's Braces, Silk Handkerchiefs, Carpet and Carpet Binding, Table Oil Cloth, Canvas, Cane and Paper Blinds, Pocket Books, Tailor's Machine Silk. GROCERIES, &c.

Sulphur, Brimstone, Senna, Allers, Draw Pulls, Sash Fasts, Sash Nutmegs, Baking Soda, Cloves, Fasteners, Saw Sets, Cutting Starth, Bee's Wax, Borax, Epson Compasses, Corkscrews, Can-Alum, Saltpetre, Macaroni, In-Openers, Bird Cages, Pocket digo, Vermici'li, Tapioca, Ex-Levels and Level Glasses, Tuning tract of Logwood, Washing Forks, Pens and Pen-holders, Crystal, Extract Lemon, do., o Violin Violin String, Tail Pieces, Peppermint, Tallow and Wax Bridges, Screws, &c., Measuring Candles, Candle Wick, Furniture

All of which I am prepared to sell without reserve, at a large reduction off old prices, for Cash, Persons desirous of securing good bargains, would do well to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere. LIEERAL TERMS WILL BE ALLOWED ON JOB LOTS. 34

ARE

F. J. LETSON.

Taps, Serew Rings, Serew Eyes, Polish, Tubs, Pails, Brooms.

CROCKERY. PIPE, HARDW

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1880. GRAND CHRISTMAS SALE

General Business.

CARMICHAEL BROS. Invite purchasers, to inspect their large and well assorted stock of Groceries, which they will self

ow during the X'mas Holidays. TEA.

In Chests, half Chests and Boxes. We always keep on hand a choice article, buying from one of the best houses in the Dominion, (one of the firm being an experienced te-ataster.) Pur lasers can rely on getting a good article

SUCARS. SUCARS. Perto Rico, Granulated, Pulverized, Crushed.

MOLASSES. A Choice article of Cienfuegos on hand, very

TOBACCOS

RAISINS.

No 1 Sea, No. 1 Cabin, suitable for smelt fish-

London Layers, in whole, halves and quarter

FANCY BISCUIT.

This Stock is one of the largest ever shown in Miramichi It is impossible to describe the differ-ent kinds Call and examine, no trouble whatever

Call and see this immense stock, from the com-mon mixture to the celebrated Cream Lozenge. We will sell confectionery until the New Year for (20c) twenty cents per single pound, we can do it, hav-ing the largest trade here in that line.

HOLLY AND MISTLETOE.

APPLES! APPLES!

40 Barreis choice Winter apples, all the leading

DRIED FRUIT: Figs, Currants, Citron and Lemon Peel

NUTS.

Peanuts, Almonds and Filberts.

SOAPS.

Extra P. Y., Princess Louise, Pearl, Marine, collet Scaps, Potash or Concentrated Lye.

WASHING PREPARATIONS.

Pickstone's Crystal, Soda, Pearl Blue. OILS.

Canada and American Kerosene Oils, Casto

CANNED COODS & SAUCES.

CIGARS. CIGARS.

Peaches, Pears, Pineapple, Tomatoes, Green Peas, Oysters, Sardines, Loobster, Salmon, Lee and Perins' Worcester Sance, Morton's Pickles.

A Choice Havana, only five cents. It has been the practice of parties selling Cigars here, to charge an exorbitant price for them. We are now going to give the lover of the weed the benefit, by giving him a choice article at a low figure.

Flavoring Ex'ts.

Lemon, Cloves, Vanilla, Peppermint.

Powdered Herbs.

This Season's Growth, Sage, Summer Savo

SUNDRIES. Spices of all kinds, Corn Starch, Broma, Coffee, fresh ground, Brooms, Washboards, Clothes Pins

DAINTIES. Geese, Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens, Partridg

Also, in Store. PORK, BEEF,

HERRING, CODFISH, FLOUR & MEAL

All below Market Rates. na forget Frien's ane an' a, At Cunard Street to gie us a ca', and when Janu'r Winds do flereely blaw. May a' fu' happy be.

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