

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

CARRIAGE WOOD-WORKER wanted.—See adv. Sudden Death.—Mr. Robert T. Miller, Customs Appraiser, Douglastown, died very suddenly on Friday night last.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Senator Muirhead, though confined to his residence by his present indisposition, is we are glad to learn, in a fair way for being out again in the spring weather comes.

Hon. W. M. Kelly visited his Miramichi friends last week before proceeding to Fredericton.

NEW QUARTERS.—Mr. A. H. Fallon has removed his Harness making establishment to his new building, Duke St., nearly opposite Dr. McCarry's residence. He has now improved premises, designed with special reference to his increasing business and having a first class stock of raw and manufactured material, ought to command a large share of public patronage.

IS COMING.—The local public, and particularly the young folks will be pleased to learn that Mr. Youmans, who it will be remembered, got up such popular juvenile concerts here last winter, is to meet all his old pupils at the Masonic Hall, on Wednesday afternoon (Feb. 23.) at 4 o'clock. Mr. Youmans brings with him his talented little niece whose performances have been so highly spoken of by the St. John Press.

DEATH OF MRS. M. ADAMS.—The wife of Hon. M. Adams, Surveyor-General, died on Monday morning after a brief illness, at her late residence, Newcastle. Mr. Adams, who had been summoned home from his Legislative duties by telegraph arrived by special train on Sunday night in time to be with his wife during the last few hours of her life. The event is a very sad one, indeed, as the deceased lady leaves six young children. Mr. Adams and these little ones have the sympathy of the entire community in their great bereavement. The funeral will take place at eleven o'clock this (Thursday) forenoon.

MISSIONARY SERVICES, &c.—The Rev. Thos. Hicks, of Shediac, will on Sabbath evening next, in the Methodist Church, Newcastle, preach a sermon in behalf of the Missionary Society. The annual meeting in behalf of Missions will take place in the Church on the following (Monday) evening, when addresses will be delivered by several clergymen. Meeting to commence at 7.30.

Mr. Hicks will preach a Missionary sermon at Chatham on Sunday morning next, and will also be present at the annual meeting which will be held on the Tuesday evening following. A collection will be taken up at each service.—Advocate.

MR. DAVIDSON'S PROSPECTS.—The St. John Sun's Fredericton correspondent says.—Mr. Davidson arrived last night and took his seat this morning. He looks quite well and evidently has not lost anything in appearance by his recent illness. It is currently rumored and quite generally believed that Mr. Davidson will not appeal to his constituents in Northumberland for election to the Assembly, but that at the close of the present parliamentary term, he will be offered and will accept a seat in the Legislative Council. If the Government have determined to fill up the vacancies in the Council, the selection of Mr. Davidson for one of the seats would not be objectionable.

FOUND DEAD.—On Wednesday the 9th inst. a man named Charles Haines belonging to Chatham, was found dead in a locality 10 miles East of Red Pine Station under the following circumstances. It appears that on Tuesday afternoon previous, the nephew of deceased came out at a landing on the Pisiquid Brook, a branch of the Tabusintac, and told his uncle that he had nearly run down a caribou, and that if he would follow the animal up, he would get him. Mr. Haines thereupon started immediately with his gun. As he did not return to camp that night, it was thought he must have gone to some of the other camps around, but the following day his nephew found him lying on his back, with his gun beneath his shoulders. He appeared to have been on the return home, and from his tracks, he had evidently been suffering, and leaning heavily on his gun until he arrived where he was found. Coroner D. G. Maclellan, Esq., of Bathurst was notified, and an inquest was held, when a verdict was returned in accordance with the circumstances. The deceased was a married man belonging to Chatham, and about 27 years of age, but had no children. He had been in Mr. Graham's employ since last spring, and had been ailing for some time back. The funeral took place on Saturday morning last from Chatham, the deceased being interred in St. Andrew's Church yard, Newcastle.

DOG REGISTRY.—The Collector of Dog Tax, Chatham, has placed a register book in the Police Station. Persons interested will, therefore, do well to comply with the following sections of the "By-Law relating to dogs":—The owner, keeper or harbinger of any dog or dogs, in the front lots of the Middle District of the Parish of Chatham, shall between the first days of February and May in each and every year, register his or her name in full with the name of the street on which they reside, or cause the same to be so registered in a book to be kept for that purpose at the Police Office, in the said District, and shall place or cause to be placed opposite his or her name the number of dogs he or she owns, keeps or harbors; and any person who shall be guilty of a breach of any of the provisions of this section shall, for every offence, be liable to a penalty of \$2.00 and in default of payment of any such fine the said dogs shall be killed by order of the magistrate imposing such fine.

Millerton Notes.—Hitherto the above village was known as Derby but through the pleasure of the P. O. Department it has received the above appellation.

Though business has been quiet for some months, the village is again assuming an aspect of bustle. Messrs J. & J. Miller & Co., have succeeded in rebuilding their Extra Factory, which was destroyed by fire Sept. 7th last year.

Not only did the Company lose the factory which was partially insured, but also manufactured Extract amounting to thousands of dollars. At the time of the fire many asked themselves "Are they going to rebuild?" Nothing definite, however, was known till information was received from England. In the interval all was doubt, but the good news soon came that the factory was to be restored. There is no doubt that the present prosperous condition of the village is entirely due to the establishment as there it removed, the country at large would have a source of material property which is felt all over the county.

Messrs Miller & Co., conduct their business on the cash principle, which involves an annual expenditure of over \$125,000. This is circulated in various parts of Kent and Northumberland, where the raw material is procured. The Company deserve encouragement in their new outset, as a cessation of their operations would deprive many of lucrative employment, which, until their advent, was entirely unknown in this section.

The new factory presents a fine appearance, and within its more immediate precincts may be found those who realize the fact that money is no longer all that counts. The steam party is once more heard, while Messrs. Miller are busily engaged in drawing material to the place of consumption. Some thousands of cords of bark are now piled in the yard, and when the full complement is at hand, it will be filled to its utmost capacity.

This factory runs day and night, during which forty cords of bark are consumed. The material when manufactured is utilized

Club, the Skip of the winning Rink to have the custody of it until the annual meeting of the following season, when it is returnable to the President, to be again competed for. The Rinks engaged were as follows:—

Geo. L. Brittain, Skip. W. Wilson, Skip. Andrew Brown, W. A. Hickson, J. Fred McMillan, John Johnston, Skip. S. U. McQuilly, John Moore Kelly, W. Moore Kelly, D. G. Smith, Skip. Geo. W. Wilson, John Johnston, John McDonald, D. G. Smith, Skip. D. G. Smith, Skip. D. G. Smith, Skip.

In the "first heat" the Rinks were matched as placed above four against four. Skips Clark and Neilson's Rinks scored 17 points each on Monday forenoon and played again in the evening to decide the tie. On Monday evening at the end of the first heat the scores of the respective contestants were:—

Successful. Clark's rink, 22 pt. Neilson's do, 10 pt. Successful. Clark's rink, 22 pt. Neilson's do, 10 pt. Successful. Clark's rink, 22 pt. Neilson's do, 10 pt.

The final heat between the two winning Rinks was played on Tuesday afternoon. Skip Clark's Rink won the choice of ice and they took that on which they had played in the forenoon, which was very "biased" and broken about one of the tees. It was new to the opposing Rink and, therefore, very much in favor of Skip Clark. The play was keen, however, singles only being scored at nearly every "end." At the close the score was as follows:—

D. M. Loggie, A. J. Loggie. R. Flanagan, T. Doherty. D. G. Smith, Skip 16, M. C. Clark, Skip 9. Deputy for Smith's Rink, D. G. Smith, Skip 16, M. C. Clark, Skip 9.

The successful Rink was afterwards addressed by the President, D. Ferguson, Esq., who handed over the Medal to the Skip, who, in turn, replied in fitting terms. The interest in the game awakened by the contest renders the Club a more popular institution than ever.

District No. 7, Nelson.

The following name of Nelson last week and must have been delayed either in preparation or transmission:—

On the 13th January, 1881, the Annual School Meeting was held in the school house, in District No. 7, in the Parish of Nelson. The meeting was called to order by one of the Trustees, Mr. Dennis Kirk was elected Chairman, and Wm. Cushman Secretary pro tem. The Trustees presented their report, and it was adopted. Thereafter Trustee was George Harper. He was re-elected Trustee, and Dennis Kirk Auditor. The sum of one hundred and thirty dollars was voted to be assessed on the District.

Bathurst Notes.

February 15, 1881. FIRE.—On Thursday evening, the 3rd inst., the store of Messrs. K. F. Burns & Co. at Caraque was completely destroyed by fire, with all its contents. How the fire originated remains a mystery. Mr. Bishop, the agent in charge, went to tea at the usual hour, leaving, as he thought, everything all right. On returning and opening the door he found the interior of the building completely wrapped in fire. There being no appliances at hand with which to fight the fire, the building was left to its fate.

FOUND DEAD.—On Thursday last Coroner D. G. Maclellan was summoned to hold an inquest on the body of a man found dead in the woods near Red Pine Station. The evidence showed the body to be that of one Charles Haines, aged 27, a native of Richibucto, who had been on his way to Tuesday afternoon to hunt caribou, and not returning by Thursday morning, a party of men went in search of him. He was found about three miles from the camp lying on his back with his snow shoes and clothing all on and his gun under him. The jury returned a verdict of death from the "visitation of God." It is supposed that while in pursuit of caribou, whose tracks were near by, he overexerted himself, from the effects of which he died. He was a married man with no children. The jury gave their fees to the widow.

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New Brunswick Railway.

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The Canada Temperance Act.

(From the St. John "Globe.") Our Woodstock correspondent writes: On Wednesday afternoon last a meeting of those interested in having the Temperance Act enforced was held in the Reform Club Hall. Quite a number of influential citizens were in attendance, among whom were some of our prominent clergymen and lawyers.

The sentiment of the meeting seemed to be to induce the Municipal Council to make some provision for providing for the expense connected with carrying on prosecutions against offenders. It was stated that about \$200 were in the hands of the Police Magistrate to pay over to the County Treasurer, and it was thought that some of this money should be set apart by the Council to defray expenses incurred in the prosecutions. There seemed to be a general impression that the money collected as fines went into the municipal treasury. Mayor R. K. Jones, who is also Secretary-Treasurer for the municipal council, gave at his opinion that there was some doubt about the Treasurer of the County receiving the money. After considerable debate it was finally considered best for Mr. Jones to ask the Minister of Justice, at Ottawa, where the money should go. Mr. Jones, therefore, telegraphed to Ottawa and received the very important despatch, in reply, given below:—

(Copy of Telegram to Minister of Justice.) WOODSTOCK, Jan. 12, 1881. Minister of Justice, Ottawa: Canada Temperance Act in force in this County. Several fines collected. Is the money payable into County Treasury? R. K. JONES, Secretary-Treasurer Municipality of Carleton Co. (Copy of despatch from Minister of Justice.) R. K. Jones, Secretary-Treasurer Municipality of Carleton Co. Fines should be paid Receiver General Canada. JAS. McDONALD.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS.—The decision of the Dominion Supreme Court in the Jones vs. Gilbert case, was the means of settling a similar case which came before the civil police court on Saturday morning. John Shepard was charged with doing business without license in the city, but in view of the decision, Recorder Tuck announced that the case would not be pressed. On Saturday an Ottawa despatch received by W. Watson Allen, Esq., counsel for Mr. Jones, stated that the Supreme Court were unanimous in allowing the appeal in the commercial traveller's case, on the ground that the by-law was illegal, because it discriminated between residents and non-residents. Thus the city will have to fix the license either at \$20 at present charged residents, or at \$40, the fee for non-residents.—Telegraph.

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The Hanlan-Laycock Race.

The Hanlan-Laycock race came off on the Thames championship course on Monday last. A despatch says:—"Hanlan jumped away with a lead which almost immediately became too long. He maintained about this lead to the turn, when he still led by two lengths. It was apparent from the start that, barring accidents, he must win. Laycock rowed well and strongly, but had no chance. Weather cold and rainy. The tow-path along the river was thickly lined by spectators. Laycock pulled gamely, but it was no use. Hanlan won as he expected. The race was very well contested for about 25 miles, though Hanlan allowed his opponent to come up with him."

DIED.

At Newcastle, on Friday, 25th January, 1881, William Thomas Vye, son of Charles Vye, Sr., aged 5 years and 17 days. Suddenly, at Newcastle, on Monday, 14th February, James John, beloved wife of Hon. M. Adams, aged 23 years, deeply regretted by a large circle of relatives and friends.

MARRIED.

On the 10th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Geo. Steel, Mr. Robert Deane and Miss Carrie Smallwood, both of Newcastle. On the 14th inst., by the Rev. Father Morrissey, Mr. George R. Borthwick, to Miss Mary E. McDonald, of Chatham, fourth daughter of Mr. John McDonald, of Bay St. Vincent.

New Advertisements.

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