Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

THE SCHOOLS .- We are indebted to the World for some of the reports of the school examinations which appear this week.

WINTER APPLES. - Mr. Geo. Stothart advertises fine winter apples of the several favorite varieties. We understand that the whole car load was specially selected.

EIGHT YEARS OLD.—The Advance, ably and vigorously edited and managed, and exceedingly well printed as it ways has hear, so filled his mouth that he cannot been, enters upon its ninth year, with enhowl. Great is the power of government couraging prospects.—Transcript.

N. P.—The election petition against the return of Kennedy F. Burns, Esq., M. P. for Gloucester, has been withdrawn-a course in which the parties interested have the approval of the public generally.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.-Mr. Wilkinson, from Richmond, organized a lodge of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers in Moncton last evening. Mr. W. D. Martin was selected chief engineer .--Transcript, 4th.

NEW Post Offices have been established in Northumberland, with postmasters as follows,-

Bryenton, -Albert Bryenton. Lower Napan-Alex. Campbell Point Escuminac-Henry Phillips.

FISH Co. BURNED OUT. - Fire on Monday last burned out a number of firms on Commercial street and a'ong the wharves of Portland, Me. Assistance was asked and received from neighboring towns. The total loss will probably reach \$400,-000. The Porland Fish Packing Co., is a

heavy loser. A HARVEST HOME entertainment is to be held by St. Mary's Church Congrega tion, Dalhousie, in the Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday next, 14th inst. There will be a hot supper served from 5.30 to 7.30 p. m., and during the evening there will be a sale of useful and fancy articles,

LECTURE. - Mr. Jacob R. Pidgeon of St. John. Past President of the United Temperance Association, is to lecture in the Kerr School House, Napan, on Monday evening, 13th inst., commencing at half past seven o'clock. A collection is to made at the close of the lecture The lecture is to be given under the auspices of Napan Lodge.

PAY UP .- Accounts from this office that are presented through our attorneys must be paid to them, without the party owing troubling the editor about them. We are obliged to place certain bills out of our hands for collection, simply because reasonable efforts on our part to collect have failed and we were being imposed upon-Parties who have let their accounts run without payment for over a year will all be dealt with in their turn.

THE VICE-REGAL PARTY .- A Victoria, B. C. press despatch says-"The Governor-General speaks in a hopeful strain of British Columbia. His speech at the civic banquet created a most favourable impression, and has been the means of directing the attention of the people to several latent resources. It is said the Princess will remain at Victoria till spring, she is so charmed with the country and climate.' The latter part of the despatch cannot be well founded.

THE LATE REV. MR. MCKEOWN'S charge, -Until the next session of Methodist Conference no regular supply will be provided for the Methodist Church of Sussex, recently vacated by the lamented death of Rev. H. McKeown. An arrange ment has been completed providing for consecutive services being held in the church by Rev. Mr. Tweedie, supernumerary at Hampton, Rev. Mr. Phinney, of Sackville, President of the Conference. and Rev. D. D. Currie, Chairman of the

ADMIRAL SEYMOUR, it is reported, will make a beautiful widow Lady Alcester. when he assumes that title with his peerage .- St. John News.

The Admiral's business in war time is the making of widows, so the News ought to explain that Lord Alcester is the new title to be assumed by Admiral Seymour, or simply state that the gallant British sailor is to be married. The News ought to reflect, also, that "that title"-"Lady Alcester"-would not be a very propriate one for an admiral.

eve of his intended departure for Baltimore was made the occasion on Thursday night esteemed citizen, Thomas Foote Esq. The address is highly complimentary to Mr. Foete as a railway officer and citizen. It is signed by Mr. Pottinger and all the principal officials of the railway from Halifax to Quebec. Mr. Foote made a suitable reply, expressing the heartfelt tion emotion with which he had heard the address. - Transcript.

COUNTERFEITS. -Two dollar Counterfeit notes of the Union Bank of Prince Edward Island have been comparatively plentiful in Chatham during the past week. All we have seen are new notes, poorly engraved, but quite good enough to psss without detection with a large number of business people. One of the most readilyobserved distinctions between the genuine and the counterfeit notes is the glossy ink used in the words, "Union Bank." The counterfeit is, however, so badly executed that no expert could be deceived by it.

"TEACHERS WANTED."--Under the above caption the Advance publishes no fewer than nine notices from Trustees or Secretaries of school districts. We fancy the World's bear stories have frightened the dear school-marms away. Hence the demand. - Transcript.

The World's bear stories are too bare. faced to be believed by anyone. The reason why we have so many advertisements for Teachers is because School Trustees all know that the ADVANCE is gen. erally circulated amongst and read by the intelligent and educated people of the Province.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF BRAVERY .-- The Department of Marine and Fisheries of Canada has received from the British Government a piece of plate for presentation to Capt. Fulton, master of the ship Flora, of Amherst, in recognition of the part he took in rescuing the crew of the barque purchase of books. Margaret Boyd, of Ardrossan, which was wrecked in the Atlantic, in November last, on a voyage from Miramichi to Larne, Ire- exhibits a very satisfactory result. His Hay. While grades 5 and 6 were being land. An award of a binocular glass to sales during the past year have been large examined in reading, grades 7 and 8 were the mate, a gratuity of £3 sterling to the and show a balance in his hands, at this given questions in arithmetic by Miss second mate, and one of £2 to each of the date, of \$96.50. The stock of books on five seamen who manned the boat that hand at the Chatham Depository is as foleffected the rescue, had been previously lows :awarded by the British Government.

THE DIFFERENCE, -A Transcript representative was shown the other day the remains of two locomotives that had been in the Metapedia collision on the Intercolonial. They were literally knocked into scraps, beyond all repair, and can scarce

prominence to it. Why don't he put on his war paint, and dance around the ruin and seek to scalp some of the railway managers, as he did a few years ago? Why does he not impale the superintendent on the point of his pen, and launch his worst epithets at the head of the Minister of Railways? The answer is found in the single word "pap." Pap has so blinded his eyes that he cannot see, so stopped his ears that he cannot

pap! Transcript MUNICIPAL COUNCIL. - The full returns showing the Municipal Councillors elected in Northumberland are as follows:--

Chatham, - R. Flanagan, Peter Loggie. Newcastle, -C. E. Fish, John Morrissy. Nelson, -A. A. Saunders, D. Baldwin. Derby, - Jas. Robinson, F. H. Jardine. Blackville, - John McLaughlin (the only candidate who offered,) Blissfield, - Enoch A. Bamford, Samue

Ludlow,-Kenneth Cameron, J. Wm. McNaughton, Jas. Fitz-Hardwicke, - Jeremiah Sullivan, George

Almvick, -Romain Savoy, Wm. Northesk, -A. Adams, M. Ryan. Southesk .- Jared Tozer, John Parks. Rogerville, - Urbain Cormier, T. Thibe

Jas. Somers, Esq., who represented Southesk last year did not seek re-elec. tion. The new men at the Board are Messrs. Flauagan, Morrissy, Baldwin,

Stewart and Parks.

FORBIDDING THE BANNS .-- The worshippers in the Methodist Church, Carleton, vesterday, were treated to a genuine sensation. For two Sundays a couple of persons desirous of being united in the bonds of matrimony have been "called" in the church, a practice now more honored in the breach than in the observance, when almost every one takes out a license Yesterday was the third time of calling The Rev. Mr. Lodge had got half way through the formula, when a young woman rose and in a clear voice said " I forbid the banns." For a moment the clergyman stopped, apparently surprised. while the congregation exhibited keen interest in the circumstance. Then the reading went on, and at the close the young woman again stated that she "forbid the banns." Such a thing had not occurred in the church in the memory of the oldest inhabitant, and everybody looked as though an earthquake might happen, or a comet fall. Nothing more

MILL BANK SCHOOL. - The semi-annual examination of the school in District No. 5, Lower Newcastle, in charge of Mr. Flanagan, was held on Tuesday, Oct. 31st. Class A was examined in reading, history geography(Dominion of Canada,)grammar, map drawing and arithmetic. The map of the Dominion by Master William Clarke, was well executed. Questions in arithmetic up to exercise 78 (Sangster's) were very readily worked. Class B was examined in reading, spelling, geography and map drawing. A map of New Brunswick was very neatly drawn by this class. Class C read from Royal Reader No. 2, and answered questions on the minerals, plants and animals of the Province. Classes D and E went through a drilling in spelling and arithmetic as well as reading, and showed remarkable proffciency in number and the use of the ball frame. The printing and writing in all the classes were very good. Mr. George Clarke, one of the Trustees, addressed the pupils and congratulated the Teacher on the marked progress made by the children

did happen, however. -St. John Globe 6th

since placed under his charge.

An Awful Calamity The Poor's Asylum, of the Province of Nova Scotia, which was situated at the south western (not south-eastern as most of the papers have it) extremity of the city of Halifax, was burned on Monday night last and some thirty-five of the inmates, principally women and children, perished in the flames and by suffocation. The fire originated in the bake-house and was twice supposed to have been extinguished after which it broke out and got beyond control. The building being one of eight stories, in could not be reached by the ladders of the fire department and ADDRESS TO MR. THOMAS FOOTE; - The | the scenes of death in the upper portions of the building are described as most agonizing. Such a calamity has seldom last of presenting an address to our late visited any city in the Maritime Prov-Restigouche Municipal Elections.

Parish of Addington.-Wm. Murray and W. W. Doherty-elected by acclama-

Kerr-re-elected without opposition. Neish-re elected without opposition. Durham. - In this parish there was a displayed was quite a surprise to the visi keen and exciting contest, the two old tors. Councillors were opposed by Mr. Robert Connacher. On polling day there was as much exertion by each candidate and their respective friends, as if it had been a parliamentary rather than a municipal contest. At the close of the poll the vote

Thos. Hayes......143. Robt. Connacher117. Mr. Hayes takes his seat for the second time while Mr. Culligan has represented the Parish for the last three years.

Bible Society Report.

The sixty-second annual meeting of the 'Miramichi Ladies' Auxiliary Bible Socie ty" was held in the Mechanics Institute. Newcastle, on Thursday, Sept. 14th, at 3 o'clock, p. m. Miss Chalmers, one of the Vice-Presidents, in the absence of Mrs. Cunard, President, occupied the chair and called upon the Rev. Mr. Aitken to open the meeting with prayer. The minutes of last meeting were read

The report showed that of the \$305.39 on hand at last annual meeting, £50 stg. had been sent as a free contribution to

The Secretary read the report of Mr. John Brown, Chatham Depository; it

7 Testaments with Psalms. Due by Rev. John McCarter \$7.57

that the Times editor has not given some number of volumes on hand at this date to be Bibles, 58; Testaments, 61; Psalm Books, 7. Total number of volumes 126,

The above reports also show that the total stock of Books stands thus: In Chatham 222 volumes; in Newcastle 126 volumes. Total volumes on hand 348. valued at \$218.38

The following sums were then received - and British History by Miss Quinlan, Mr. From Newcastle.

Upper Napan Douglasfield Black Brook Black River. From Chatham Depository ...

Total amount on hand at this date. Mrs. McCurdy called attention to the loss they had sustained by the death Mrs. McDougall, who had been for many years a worthy and respected office-bearer in the society. Thereupon Resolved, -That this Society embrace

this the earliest opportunity to record the love and esteem in which Mrs. McDougall was held by us as a Christian lady, as well as to express the deep regret which we feel because she has been taken from us, although we believe that what to us is loss is to her eternal gain. The following office-bearers were ap-

pointed,-Mrs. Cunard, -President. Miss Percival, Vice-Presidents. Miss Chalmers, Mrs. Wm. Parker, Mrs. McCurdy, -Treasurer. Mrs. Aitken, -Secretary.

Resolved. - That the Committee for the

ensuing year be as follows :-Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Habberly, Mrs. A. A. Davidson, Mrs. R. Davidson, Mrs. Park, Mrs. W. Watt, Mrs. J. B. Snowball, Mrs. C. Watt, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mrs. S. Thomson, Mrs. Alex. Loggie, Mrs. J. Johnston, Mrs. T. G. Johnstone, Mrs. Quinn, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. McCarter, Miss Eliza Thomson, Mrs. J. Flett. Mrs. J. Walls, Mrs. Wm. Anslow, Mrs. J. Anslow, Mrs. Mrs. Waits, Miss Maude Chapman, Resolved. -That the following be Collec

tors for the ensuing year :-Upper Chatham-Misses Shireff and Lower Chatham-Misses Gammon and Newcastle-Mrs. Anslow, Mrs. E. L. Street, Misses A. Adams, A. Falconer,

Lillie Thomson and Jessie Fish. Douglastown-Misses Sinclair and Mur-Douglasfield-Miss Nellie Irving. Nelson-Miss Flett. Blackville-Mrs. T. G. Johnstone. Black Brook-Miss H. Walls. Point aux Car-Miss Lizzie Russell Tabusintac--Mrs. Quinn, Redbank-Mrs. McCarter. Upper Napan-Miss Edgar. Lower Napan-Miss Lockerbie.

Black River-Mrs. Hugh Cameron. Resolved-That the services of Mr. James Crombie be continued as Colporteur for the ensuing year and that the compensation for the services be determined by Mr. John Brown and the Treasurer and Secretary, with power to add to their number, as a Committee for that purpose. Resolved-That £40 stg. be sent as a free contribution to the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Resolved - That the Newcastle Depository be removed to the store of Mr. John A cordial vote of thanks was given to the collectors of the past year and also to the press for gratuitous advertising, after

which the meeting was closed with the JEANIE AITKEN, Secretary. Newcastle Manse, Nov. 6th, 1882.

Chatham School Examinations. [Deferred from last week.]

The examination of the primary department of the Convent school took place on Thursday 26th. The school is under the charge of Miss Horgan, assisted by Miss Dunn, The exercises commenced by the pupils singing "The Reapers'Song." questions readily and correctly. The pupils sang "Come Where the Wild had passed. The teachers of this school Colborne. - Geo. White and Donald have done good work during the term. The reading, spelling and printing of the · Dalhousie, -Jas. Moffat and John Mc- little girls is remarkably fine, and the map the good work performed by her during drawing and other useful knowledge they

> The public examination of Mr. Hender. son's school took place on Friday morning Trustees Waddleton and Connors being present. Grades 4, 5, and 6 were examin- by Class B was followed by a spelling, ed in reading, spelling, geography and arithmetic, and showed a good knowledge of each branch. The map-drawing on slates was very good, while the compositions on the different subjects showed that the pupils had good ideas and could express them properly. The primary department, conducted by Miss Minnie McDonald, was followed by sing-Creighton, underwent a thorough drilling | ing by the whole school. Class B was in word-building, reading, printing on examined in arithmetic, and showed slates, and arithmetic. The Trustees ex- fair knowledge of that branch. Class pressed themselves as being well pleased with the progress the children had made | siderable knowledge of the subject. The during the term, congratulating the following recitations were given: "The

teachers on the successful examination the pupils had passed. The examination of the advanced depart. ment of the Convent school, taught by Miss Quinlan and Sister O'Keefe, took place Friday afternoon, 27th Rev. Father Bannon, Mr. Jas. Townley, Mr. Jas. F. Connors and a large number of lady visitors being present. While the pupils were entering the school room, Misses M. A. the Parent Institution, and the balance Clark and Mary O'Keefe played a very had been expended, as directed, in the nice march on the organ. The chorus "There is not in this wide world a valley so sweet " was followed by the recitation, "The Winds and the frolics," by Rose Mowatt. Grades 7 and 8 were examined in geography by Mr. Townley, classes C and D working questions in arithmetic. \$105.22 While the visitors were reading the compositions of grade 7 Mary Curran recited | singing by the school, classes A, B and C

be worth more than their weight in bro- castle Depository, shows the sales of While the pupils of grade 7 were working were taken up by Grade VI., and Grade tal to its Directors, cannot claim to make ken iron. It appears to have been a\$15,000 Bibles, &c., during the year to have been questions in arithmetic, Laura Morrison VII worked very readily questions in a "not unfavorable" exhibit. The publismash, and we have been wondering since 12 volumes, valued at \$8.07; and the and Katie Allan gave some instrumental practice and proportion. Miss Benson cation, in the Upper Provinces, of figures music. Chorus, "The last Rose of Sum- gave grade V. several sums in reduction, mer," sung in parts, was well rendered. The reading of grades 7 and 8 was much culty. The eighth grade answered admired. While the compositions of promptly in grammar, as also in the geograde 6 on plants and grade 5 on the his- graphy of the Dominion. The history of tory of New Brunswick were being read | England to the end of the Plantagenents, Misses Nellie Walsh and Annie Cassidy played a quickstep on the organ. Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 were examined in Canadian Jas. F. Connors examining grade 8 in the Minutes," Catherine Benson, "The geometry. Grades 7 and 8 answered Pump," Joseph Patten, "The Battle." readily the different questions in grammar and Joseph Edgar, "The Battle of the and botany. The recitation "The Spanish Chieftain," by Minnie McIntosh and the essay on Plant Life, which reflected the chorus "The Star of the Evening." closed Rev. Father Bannon, Messrs. Jas. Townley and Jas. F. Connors congratulated the pupils on the success of the examination. The pupils of this school are remarkably clever. It is almost impossible to puzzle them in grammar, spelling or history and the reading cannot be sur passed. The pupils of grades 7 and 8 worked the questions in algebra and arithmetic so quickly, that one of the

count of the rapidity with which they

worked questions in those branches.

Three former pupils of this school attended the last term of the normal school, one receiving a first class and the other two second class licenses. This speaks well for the standing of Miss Quinlan's pupils. The school taught by Miss Mowat (in the absence of Miss Haviland) was examined Thursday afternoon. Trustee W. B. Grade II. was examined in reading. The Howard was present, with a large number | primer class was examined on animal life, of the parents of the pupils and other of which, for children so young, they visitors. Class A was first examined in arithmetic and proved themselves very efficient. A recitation, entitled "The ing their questions quickly and correctly. Robertson, Mrs. Wm. Murray, Mrs. J. Gentle Conquest," was given by Misses The following recitations were given Annie Loggie and Maggie Johnson, after Cessons," by Miss Annie Traer; "Mamwhich class'B constructed the table of 6. A map of the Province was drawn by class A, that by Miss Mary Ann Burbridge being particularly well done. Class A Caleb McCurdy, Clyde Johnston, Robert read a piece entitled "The Dun Cow," in Bunt and Joseph Cassidy, and "Good which Miss Annie Loggie distinguished herself. They also read the poem, "We Ethel Pallen, May Stapleton, Maggie are Seven." A recitation; "Faith, Hope and Charity." was given by Misses Mary McCurdy, Polly Winslow and Celia Cor. I the whole school, the proceedings closed mick. A recitation, "The Bird and the the pupils having passed a very credit-Child," was very well given by Master able examination. Freddie Blair, followed by a spelling match in which about fifteen pupils took part. Misses Minnie Crosby, Louise Howard and Bessie Vanstone, and Master

> selves highly pleased with the successful worthy examination efforts of the pupils and their teacher, Miss Alexander's school was examined Thursday afternoon. Trustees Howard and Benson, and a large number of other visitors, were present. Devotional exercises were first in order, followed by a reading by Class A. Slate exercises were entered into by Classes A and B, followed by physical exercises by the whole school. Class B gave a reading, followed by a simultaneous recitation. A reading was given by Class A. The following recita-The Grammar School examination was tions were given: The Baby's Hand,' by Susan Cherry; "Mother's Boys," by Annie Shank ; "Little Jim," by Eddie

by Miss Louise Howard, and the proceed-

allowed the following day as a holiday.

Ruddick; "Our Darling," by George

Loggie; "The Corn and the Lily," by

Mary Vanstone, and "A Temperance Song," by Archie Snowball. Miss Duffy's school was examined Friday forenoon. Trustees Howard and Benson, Rev. Father Bannon, and a number Solo by Mary Hurley and Katie McEach. of other visitors, were present. The ern. Class D read very nicely and built primer class was first examined in reading words from sounds. Class A wrote from and sounds. Class B was examined in memory the minerals of the Province, and reading and spelling, in which Master Wm. stated where they were to be found. Class McEachern excelled. The members of C constructed the multiplication tables as | Class A wrote letters describing a holiday, far as five times. Song, "Open the Gates | Master Alex. Petrie excelling the other as High as the sky," was sung. Class A competitors. The class was then examined drew a map of New Brunswick, which in arithmetic, the pupils proving themwas very much admired by the visitors .- | selves fairly efficient in this important Recitation by Maud Dick, "Let us speak | branch. Class B went through printing the best we can," was nicely delivered. | and arithmetic exercises, the pupils doing Class B was examined in elementary geo | very well in each task. A song, "Ring graphy by Miss Dunn, and answered the the Bells, Watchman," was sung, and questions very readily. Class B were physical exercises were gone through by given some practical questions in Arith | the whole school. A map of the Province metic, and showed considerable knowledge | was drawn by Class A, Master Jas. Keary of that branch. A recitation by Jane being the best of the artists. Class A Connors, "The Child's First Grief," was was heard at reading, Master Keary again well delivered. A song, "Winter," was distinguishing himself. A spelling match well rendered. Class A were then ex- was entered into with spirit, the invinciamined in geography and answered the ble Keary retaining his ground to the last A recitation, "Oh call my Brother Back to Me," was well given by Master Jas. Flowers Bloom." Mr. Jas. F. Connors McLean, followed by another, "The addressed the pupils, and congratulated Beggar Man," by Master Jas. Keary, them on the successful examination they which was excellently given. Addresses were made by Trustees W. B. Howard and J. S. Benson, and by the Rev. Father Bannon, who congratulated Miss Duffy on

The school taught by Miss Flanagan was examined on Monday 30th in the forenoon. Class A drew a map of the Maritime Provinces, which was very much admired by the visitors present. Reading match in which seventeen pupils took part. A simultaneous reading, "The Sea-Gull," by Class A, and a spelling match were next in order. Class B drew a map of New Brunswick. Class A went through the tables of weights and measures. A was examined in grammar, showing con-Old Arm Chair," by Miss Mary Dick ; "The Burial of Sir John Moore," by Master Alexis Danville: "The Better Land," Misses Laura Smith and Clara Loggie; "Spring," by Miss Amanda Loban; and "The Loss of The Royal George," which was excellently given by Masters Albert Smith and Willie Mc-Laughlan. Class A was examined in arithmetic, answering their questions readily and correctly. After a drawing exercise, and a singing, "The Volunteer," by the whole school, the proceedings closed. The teacher deserves credit for the rapid progress the pupils have made under her tuition.

Miss Williston's department of the High School was examined Friday afternoon 45 pupils being in attendance. Rev. E. Wallace Waits, Trustee Howard, Rev. Robert Logan, Mr. Wm. Kerr, and seven teen lady visitors were present. After \$204.48 Overton delivered, in good style, "He good, as also classification of words and with other Provinces," but the leading

The report of Mr. George Stables, New- doeth his alms to be seen by all men.', writing. Compound rules and fractions bank having loaned over 25% of its capi-

in which the pupils experienced no diffiwas well known by Grade VI. Geometry was taken up with Grade VIII., and showed very good drill. Recitations were given by May McNaught, "Take care of Baltic." Geo. Howard read a very fine greatest credit upon him, especially as he received no help from anyone. One of the most pleasing exercises of the afternoon, especially to the pupils, was the enjoyment of a supply of fruit and confectionery, which was given them by one of the gentlemen present, who always takes great interest in educational matters, but whose modesty will not allow the publish ing of his name. Rev. Mr. Waits approved of the work, speaking words of commendation and encouragement to the teacher. "God Save the Queen" was speakers compared them to a class called the lightning brigade, that name being sung, when the visitors and pupils dis given them in a Montreal College on ac-

> The examination of Miss Davidson's school took place on Thursday afternoon. A large number of visitors were present. The examination was commenced by the whole school singing "School Has Begun." Grade I. was examined in reading. Grade II. constructed the multiplication table as far as five times. The whole school was examined in color and form. showed a wonderful knowledge. Grade II. was examined in arithmetic, answerma's Darling," by Miss Susie McNaught "Too Clever," by Master Patrick Dunn "Drive the Nail Aright," by Masters Night and Good Morning," by Misses Cameron and Bella Flood. After a sing ing, "The Child's Evening Prayer," by

The examination of the advanced de partment taught by Mr. Clarke was held on Monday afternoon. A large number of lady visitors were present. Class A was Frank Smith, bore off the honors. A examined in arithmetic, geography, geomerecitation, "Christmas Eve," was given try and Canadian history. Class B was examined in arithmetic, geography, and ings came to a close, the pupils being grammar. Class C was examined in arithmetic, grammar, reading and British his-The Trustees at the close expressed themtory. All the pupils passed a praise-

> The examination of Mr. McInnis' school ook place on Friday morning. There were four teachers and a number of other isitors present. Classes A and B were examined in reading, spelling, multiplication table construction and arithmetic, showing considerable knowledge of each branch. Their slate exercises were very neatly done, and the recitations were generally very well given.

held Monday forenoon, Rev. E. W Waits, Rev. Mr. Logan, Mr. Howard, Mr. Wm. Kerr, Mr. Crimmen, Mr. Stewart and a large number of ladies were present. The classes were examined in reading-English and Latin, Grammar--English, Latin and Greek, geometry, geography, botany, and composition, and showed a commendable degree of progress in each of these branches. The map-drawing from memory was particularly neat and accurate, sowing that the pupils had Scotland (the country for the day) in their mind's eye. This is geographical knowledge of the right kind, and will remain in the mind long after memorized answers to questions have been forgotten. Mr. Palmer explained the difficulties with which he has to contend-an unwillingness on the part of pupils to study the classics, want of preliminary training in some branches, and, worst of all, absenteeism, an evil which the teacher cannot cure, and one which demoralizes his classes. He has done all he could to romising classes in Latin and Greek. Recitations were given by Miss Edith Winslow ("The Well of St. Keyne,") Miss Mabel Murray and John Noonan. Short addresses were delivered by Mr. Howard, Mr. Kerr and Mr. Crimmen, recognizing the value of the teacher's work, and expressing pleasure at the appearance of the school, and the pupils were given a half holiday. The pupils who made more than 800 marks, out of possible 940, for deportment, attendance and knowledge of their lessons, are as folfollows: Wm. Kerr 9291, Nina Benson 9121, Edward Wa'lace 9001, Tory Wright 881, Mabel Murray 871, Maggie Louden 8251. Rupert Blair 8171. The lowest was 4891. Mr. Palmer explained that the low marks were chiefly due to absence

Bank Directors as Borrowers

According to the Bank returns in the Canada Gazette the total paid-up capital at Law, for execution by his creditors. of the Banks of the Dominion-exclusive of two or three Banks like the People's Bank of Fredericton, which are not required to make returns to the general government-on 30th September was \$60, 103, | der 7 recitation, "The Humming Bird," by Miss | 394.85. The liabilities of Bank Directors, direct and indirect, were \$9,705,811.21, over sixteen per cent. of the paid-up capital: The St. John Globe says-The Bank of Montreal with paid-up capital of \$11,-999,900, has its directors responsible for \$1.259,040. This is a fraction over 10% of the Bank's paid-up capital. The Banque Nationale of Quebec, with \$2,000,000 capital, has \$613,507.85 lent to its Directors, or nearly one third of its capital. The Dominion Bank of Ontario, with \$1,-478.255 capital, has lent its Directors \$1,. 464,208.27, or almost the entire capital of the Bank. In the Province of Quebec no less than \$5,655,642.52 are loaned to Bank Directors or their firms.

In Nova Scotia, out of a paid-up capital of \$4.588,991, the Bank Directors are responsible for \$1,087,701.48. A correspondent of the Halifax Recorder, who has worked out of the proportions, says that the accommodation to Directors of the Bank of Nova Scotia is equal to 36 per cent, of the capital; to the Directors of the Merchant's Bank 35 per cent.; to the Directors of the Union, 24 per cent.; to the Directors of the People's Bank, 14 per

In New Brunswick the proportions are: Directors' berries." The rapidity with which grade ed by the visitors. Map drawing was St. Stephen's Bank 200,000 none shown will be given. 175.31 8 worked the questions in algebra was performed by pupils in their seats during The Globe says,—"The position in New TERMS—Easy and made known on application

such as we have given, has given rise to a great deal of comment, and the assertion of one young financier appears to be justified, viz., that the easiest way to become a borrower is first to become a Bank Director. Mr. Bethune, cashier of the Dominion Bank, has explained that the advances to the Directors are almost all indirect, and holds that the Banking Act

the Act requiring that a Bank shall not discount for its Directors more than ten Bank of Moutreal seems to be, as usual, the most cautious of all the monetary institutions of Canada in allowing its Direc-For Ringworms and Old Sores.

then apply a salve made of equal parts of rosin, beeswax, and sweet oil, mixed by simmering on a slow fire. Take internally half a teaspoonful of Pain-Killer in sugar and water, three times a day, during the Don't you Forget IT-that on feeling

Bathe in Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, an

an aching pain in the hollow of your back to go to your Druggist and get DR. VAN BUREN'S KIDNEY CURE. It will remove the trouble in a few doses. Sold by J. D. B. F. Mackenzie.

A New Complication.

The Yankees who are "smart" enough to violate the spirit of the Washington Treaty by taxing the tins in which Canadian fish entering the United States are packed, appear to be very much hurt over a little sharp practice on the border by New Brunswickers in connection with the coasting trade. An exchange says,-

Early in the season considerable excitement was occasioned among those interested in shipping, by the fact that a New Brunswick schooner had discharged a cargo at Calais, Me., that was loaded at an American port. Last week a second case schooner, it seems, loaded coal at New York for E, A. Barnard & Son of Calais, but cleared for St. Stephen, N. B. Arriving across the river, she took clearance papers for Calais, being permitted to do Kendall's Spavin Cure, so without discharging. Owners of vessels in Calais say that this is an evasion of the law, but the Customs authorities say that they can do nothing, as the vessel's papers were all right and they could not refuse to enter her. Either the American consul at St. Stephen, it is claimed, must receive special instructions bearing on the case, or a new provision of law must be passed to cover it. It is claimed that if Dominion schooners can, by the process described, carry goods between two United States ports, the boasted protection of the coasting trade amounts to noth ing. New Brunswick vessels can offer reights much lower than Maine vessels, as hitherto they have returned home light. Parties in Calais have written to the Treasury Department and to New York papers with reference to the new precedent that has been established in the pasting trade.

MARRIED At Douglastown, on 25 October, by Rev. James Murray, Robert McKenzie to Jane McCosi

DIED

At Black Brook on Monday, 30th ult., of inflam mation of the lungs, Byron James, youngest son of William and Margie Loggie, aged 2 years and 3 Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ve At Campobello, September 22nd, George Murray

nfant son of George M. and Jessie W. Johnstone

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Chatham.

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Nov. 2-Bk. Alex. Keith, Connaughton, Barbaes, deals, Geo. McLeod. 4-S. S. Fountain Abbey, Clark, Bordeaux, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart. S. S. Horton, Knott, U. Kingdom, f. o., deals, Geo. McLeod. 6-S. S. Pensher, Andersen, U. Kingdom, f. o., deals, R. A. & J. Stewart. Geo. McLeod.

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J. F. MANNING. Attorney and Counsellor at Law, 131 Devonshire Street. 424 New York Ave. Washington D. C.

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election of Officers and other business .. full attendance is requested. The Board of Directors will meet at 11 o'clock D. T. JOHNSTONE

Chatham, Oct. 31st, '82. Probate Notice.

New Brunswick, County of Northumberland, S To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland of any Constable within the said County, greeting WHEREAS Margaret E. Perley, Administratrix, of the estate and effects of Philip B. Perley late of Chatham, in the said County, deceased, has estate of said deceased, and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the said deceased the ered tors and all others interested in his said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office. Newcastle, within and for the said County on Monday the twenty-seventh day of November next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon to attend the passing and allowing of the said account o Administration on the said estate. (L. S.) Given under my hand and the seal of he said Court this twenty-sixth day of October

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