Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

THE COLDEST night of the season was that of Thursday last—the thermometer registering below zero at Chatham.

KILLED.—Another poor fellow—a brakeman—was killed on the Intercolonial Railway not far from Rogersville, on Tuesday night. We have yet not learned the particulars of the accident.

KID GLOVES.—Ladies requiring Kid Gloves either white or evening shades—any size or number of buttons,—will please send their orders to Jas. C. Fairey, Newcastle, who will procure them at St. John prices. tf.

MR. JOHN STYMIEST appears to be out of temper because in Pepperism in reference to the bear was exposed and he promises or threatens to tell some story about a certain editor. If it is of the same character as his bear story it will not do *him* much good, at all events.

A CAT IN CHURCH.—A lad who wanted to do something smart went into the watch meeting Sunday night with a cat under his coat, but was caught by the wide awake Sexton on the stairs leading to the gallery and compelled to release his captive.—*World.*

The poor boy, probably, wanted to capture the "church mouse," we hear so much about.

GAS COMPANY.—At the annual meeting of the Chatham Gas Light Company held yesterday at Masonic Hall, the following Directors were appointed,—J. B. Snowball, D. Ferguson, John Ellis, Dr. John Pallen, Richard Hocken. Richard Hocken, Esq., was re-elected Treasurer and T. F. Gillespie and G. A. Blair, Esqrs., Auditors.

NEW POST OFFICES.—The following new post offices were established on December 1: Avery's Portage, York, N. B., Alfred Avery; Central Hampstead, Queens, N. B., Peleg Smith; Gaythorne, Northumberland, N. B., Eubulus McCallum; Legerville, Kent, N. B, Anselme D. LeBlanc; Parkers Ridge, York, N. B., John W. Parker; Richardville, Kent, N. B., Calixta D. Cormier; River Ruscom, Essex, N. B., O. Eugene Buelet; Saint Pierre, Kent, N. B, J. J. LeBlanc.

CLEARANCE SALE.—Mr. Geo. Stothart, being obliged by the late fire to secure the best available premises, and finding his present temporary quarters too small to accommodate all his usual full lines of stock, offers glassware, earthenware, china tea sets, lamps, clocks, wringers, coal-hods, etc., at cost. As this is a genuine sale to clear out the stock advertised those who need articles of that kind should examine what Mr. Stothart offers, at the corner of Duke and Henderson Sts.

PILLS FOR THE ASSEMBLY.—The *Telegraph* opportunely says,—"Notices of Private Bills, or Amendments of Acts should be given without delay. Attention should also be given to the maturing, in good time, of measures intended to be submitted to the Local Legislature. The Bills which are earliest placed before the different committees will be sure to receive the best and fullest consideration. Bills that come in at the eleventh hour are either likely to fail, or to be put through in a crude state, the former being the more desirable result.

DEATH AT RICHIBUCTO.—Mr. David Leishman, of the Intercolonial Railway Office, Moncton, died on Christmas day at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. J McD. Sutherland, Richibucto. Deceased was highly respected wherever known. He was a great sufferer for some time past and when he should have taken that recreation and rest requisite for one in impaired health, he continued at his post almost to the last. His numerous friends throughout the Province will hear with deepest regret of his early decease. Mr. Leishman was for many years in the employ of the Hon. David Wark.—*Globe*

HYMENEAL.—At San Francisco, Dec. 21st, Jas. J. Loggie of Chatham, and Miss Ida McKay only daughter of Allan McKay—formerly a resident of Miramichi, now wholesale lumber merchant of that city—were married. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's parents and was performed by the Rev. Dr. McDonald of San Rafael, Cal. Miss Louisa Green of San Jose, Cal., acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Jas. Millar of Douglas own as groomsman. After the ceremony the happy pair took their departure for Los Angelos to spend the honeymoon among the orange groves of Southern California.

SUDDEN DEATH.—The announcement of the sudden death of Mr. Colin C. McDougall, brother of A. K. McDougall Esq., of Oak Point, was received at Chatham on Sunday morning last and caused a general feeling of regret. It appears that Mr. McDougall, who has for some time been subject to fits, was engaged in hauling wood and while sitting on his sled, was suddenly seized with one and died almost immediately on the highway, the horse continuing to move along with the remains after life was extinct. The funeral took place at the Burtibogue Church Burial Ground on Tuesday and was very largely attended by representative men of all classes in the community. The deceased was a most worthy and exemplary man.

SHIPMENTS OF SMELT.—The dimensions of the smelt shipping trade of this Province has been something remarkable this month—due largely to the management of the Canadian Fish Exchange at Chatham. Since the 12th December smelt have been shipped from St. John to the West, chiefly to New York, at the rate of four carloads per day *via* the St. John and Maine Railway. A carload weighs 20,000 pounds gross weight, and is made up of 400 boxes, each containing 40 lbs. of fish. The railway officials place the total shipments, since the 12th, at fully 800,000 lbs. or 400 tons of fish. The smelts are packed before freezing, so closely that if a box is opened it is impossible to place the fish in the same space again. It is understood that a handsome margin of profit is obtained in the New York market, which will accommodate all that can be sent from the Province.—*News.*

The *News* is in error in stating that smelts are packed before they are frozen. The fish when caught are sorted from the refuse fish—chiefly tom-cods—and spread out so that they "die straight" and so freeze. It is sometimes several days after they are caught and frozen before they are packed.

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sinclair are to spend the winter in California.

D. B. Lindsay, Esq., of the I. C. R. staff, Moncton, is in town.

J. B. Snowball, Esq., is to take Saturday's steamer at Halifax for Great Britain.

We regret to learn that Francis W. Alexander, Esq., of Shediac, is very ill and that his recovery is hardly expected.

Mr. Thos. R. Busteed, one of Chatham's popular young men for the past two years, has removed to his former home in Restigouche.

Mr. De Veber of St. John, son of J. S. Boies DeVeber, Esq., is, we understand, to succeed Mr. Benedict as Teller of the Bank of Montreal, Chatham.

Mr. Stavert of the Newcastle Branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is removed to the branch at North Sydney, C. B. He leaves a very large number of friends behind in both Chatham and Newcastle.

Mr. Justus W. Farley is operating on a hitherto unexplored township at the Forks, Miramichi. It is expected that he will be able to make a good showing next season, his good judgment, energy and perseverance being proverbial in that section.—*Telegraph.*

The many Miramichi friends of Mr. George Ripple, now of the prosperous firm of Geo. Ripple & Co., Brandon, Manitoba, are pleased to see him here on a holiday visit. He is a firm believer in the prairie Province as a desirable place to live and make money in and his enthusiastic recommendations of it to his Chatham friends are equal to those of any emigration commissioner Manitoba could send to us.

Mr Chas. Benedict who has for several years resided in Chatham and so very acceptably filled the position of Teller in the Bank of Montreal here, is to leave forthwith for Kingston, Ont., where he is to take a position in the branch of the same bank. While here Mr. Benedict has so conducted himself as to win the esteem of a host of friends in both business and social circles and they hear of his departure with unfeigned regret.

Royal Arcanum.

At the annual meeting held on the 21st ult. the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

D. G. Smith, Regent.
D. T. Johnstone, Vice Regent.
L. J. Tweedie, Orator.
John Fotheringham, Secretary.
William Wilson, Collector.
John Brown, Treasurer.
Isaac Harris, Chaplain.
John Shurett, Guide.
Theo. DesBrisay, Warden.
Alex. Robinson, Sentinel.

The D. D. S. R. will install the officers this evening and a full attendance is requested.

The Skating Rink.

The work of making ice in the Chatham Skating Rink has been going on for the past week and it is expected to be ready for skaters in a day or two. It is, however, a few days later than antic pated by the Directors.

It is proposed, we understand, that as the opening will be a week or two later than was at first expected, to allow a proportionate discount on the prices of family, and season tickets.

It is also probable that the Directors, at their next meeting, will favorably consider a proposition that no family ticket shall cost the purchaser more than ten dollars.

Arrangements have been made for the organization of a band under the efficient leadership of Mr. J. H. Templeton, so that there will be one, or perhaps two, band nights a week.

The gas fittings and fixtures are being put in by the Miramichi Foundry Company. The lighting will be done by four pendents dropping from the centre of the arches each pendent having twelve burners, which will afford effective lighting.

In addition to the two galleries—one at each end—there will be a band-balcony over the main entrance, which will be entered from the Director's Room. This arrangement will afford most comfortable quarters for the band separate from all other parts of the building.

A carnival at a comparatively early date may now be prepared for.

Mlle. LeGrand as Camille.

Mlle. Eugenie Le Grand, the young French actress, who was so favorably received at the Park Theatre in the early part of the past summer, began a brief engagement at the Windsor last evening before a very large audience. She appeared as Camille in an excellent English version of Dumas' well-known "Dame aux Camelias," and met with marked success. Her interpretation of this role has been so recently commented upon in these columns that it is only necessary at this time to speak of it in general terms. It is well-considered and intelligent, finished and graceful, and proves the lady to be possessed of no little emotional power. She had the sympathy of her auditors from the first, and her efforts were rewarded with liberal applause and several calls before the curtain. She was presented with a beautiful floral design at the end of the fourth act.—Boston *Herald*, Dec. 12, 1882.

The Montreal *Star* says—"The *role* of Pauline in the "Lady of Lyons" does not afford Mlle. Legrand as good an opportunity for the display of her talents as that of Camille, yet her interpretation of the heroine last evening at the Windsor Theatre was artistic and pleasingly tender in the love passages, while in the more passionate scenes she displayed her power and magnetism very effectively, being called before the curtain several times. The conception of the two roles in which she has appeared this week has been consistent and delicate in its shading, and that the lady possesses great talent has been demonstrated in a most positive manner."

Curling.

The Chatham Curlers heartily enjoyed their game on New Year Day. In the forenoon there were scratch matches both rinks being full and having one man a side over, while other members of the Club were interested spectators.

In the afternoon and evening a match was played between sides of four rinks each headed by the Preses Hutchison and Vice-Preses Smith. The President's side won, the players and scores of the afternoon and evening being as follows,—

AFTERNOON.

President.	*Vice-President*
Alex Robinson,	Rich'd Burbridge.
W. Gillespie,	Alex. Brown.
A. Harris,	Wm. Johnston.
D. Chessman, *Skip* -12.	Wm. Wilson, *Skip*–18.
M. Hocken,	Geo. Lee.
A. J. Loggie,	John McDonald.
Andw Brown,	A. H. Johnson.
John Johnston, *Skip*–18	P. H. C. Benson, *Skip*–16.

EVENING.

J. McDonald,	Peter Turner.
Geo. Stothart,	Angus Ullock.
Geo Tait,	D. M. Loggie.
T. DesBrisay, *Skip*–19.	Geo. Watt, *Skip*–6.
Jas. Johnston,	J. Pirie.
A J. Loggie.	J. Y. Mersereau.
Arthur Johnston,	H. P. Marquis
E Hutchison, *Skip*–10.	D. G. Smith, *Skip*–14.
Totals, 59	54

The fact that Skip DesBrisay's rink turned the tables so completely against the Vice-President's side was a surprise to the club, for as Skip Brittain, who is its regular Skip, was absent, it was thought to be the least likely of any in play to come out ahead.

It is probable that the next match will be for the Hutchison rink medal which was won the first year by Skip Smith's rink and, the second, by Skip Morris' Rink.

On Thursday evening last a challenge game for oranges was played between Skip Smith's and Skip Chesman's rinks, Chatham. At first the game went all on Chesman's side, but during the last half hour Smith gained steadily and won by the following score,—

Richard Burbridge,	Alex. Robinson,
Chas. Gunn,	W. Gillespie,
H. P. Marquis,	Aaron Harris,
D. G. Smith, *skip*–18	D. Chesman. *skip*–12

Northumberland Agricultural Society.

AN EXHIBITION TO BE HELD AT NEWCASTLE ON 28TH INST.

The Directors of Northumberland Agricultural Society met at the Waverley Hotel, Newcastle, on Tuesday afternoon. The President, B. Stapleton, Esq., occupied the chair and among the other members present were the Vice-President, John O'Brien, Esq., of Nelson; the second Vice-President, Jas. Fish, Esq., of Newcastle; the Treasurer, John Galloway, Esq., of Napan; the Secretary, D. T. Johnstone, Esq., of Chatham and Messrs. John Johnstone, Wm. Martin and Wm. Searle, of Napan; Dr. Baxter and D. G. Smith, of Chatham; Wm. C. Stothart, Moorfields; Wm. Falconer, Senr., of Newcastle and John Baldwin of Douglastield.

The object of the meeting was to consider the matter of holding an exhibition of Grains, Dairy Produce and Domestic Manufactures during the present month and it was decided that such exhibition take place at Newcastle on the last Thursday (28th) of the present month.

The duty of preparing a suitable premium list was entrusted to a committee consisting of Messrs. Wm. Martin, Wm Searle, Jas. Fish, John Baldwin and D. G. Smith.

Dr. H. A. Fish and Messrs. Wm. Falconer, Senr. and John O'Brien were chosen as a committee to procure a proper place in which to hold the exhibition and make other necessary arrangements therefor.

There was some discussion as to whether premiums should include the price of prize exhibits or not. It was held by a few that they should, but the majority was decidedly in favor of allowing all exhibitors the privilege of selling or retaining their exhibits as they, themselves, might determine and it was so determined.

The list of premiums will be prepared next week and will include prizes for Grain, Dairy Produce and Domestic Manufactures, open to all members of the Society. The members of the Premium Committee, above named, will be glad to receive any suggestions which intending exhibitors may have to offer before Tuesday of next week, when they are to meet and make up the list of prizes.

The matter of procuring a Percheron or Clydesdale stock horse was discussed and so favorably entertained that Messrs. J. B. Snowball, Chas. Sargent and John Galloway were appointed to enter into correspondence and make enquiries with a view of the Society investing about $1,000 in a suitable animal. The success of "Victor Hugo" and the fine stock raised and being raised from him has made the Norman-Percheron stock very popular and a pure blooded animal of that breed is preferred.

Christmas Decorations.

St. Peter's, Derby, as usual, wore a very cheerful and festive appearance; although there had not evidently been so much labor bestowed upon the decorations this year as on other occasions. The doors and windows were heavily draped with wreaths of fir, cedar and hemlock. The sanctuary, prayer desk, and lectern were decorated pretty much as usual. The pulpit, in addition to its accustomed wreaths, bore on its arched panels St. George's crosses in gold bordered with dark brown, with a white centre displaying in scarlet the monogram for Christ Jesus, viz,—X P. and I. H. S. At the back of the altar a large reredos was displayed—the most prominent feature of the decorations. Across the top was the inscription "Light of Light" in large blue and scarlet Gothic letters. The lower part was equally divided into three panels separated by light violet borders. The central panel bore the sacred monogram in blue and scarlet, surmounted by a golden crown edged with scarlet. At the bottom of the panel was a trefoliated St. George's cross. The lateral panels bore each a star in gold bordered with dark brown, having, as it were, flames of fire issuing from the centre. Around them were the legends—"A star out of Jacob," and "Bright and Morning Star." The whole was well dislayed upon a ground of light marble.

Trinity Church, Blackville, looked exceedingly pretty with its new furniture and profuse decorations put up by zealous hands. The text over the chancel window, "Alleluia," in white antique letters on a scarlet ground bordered with a heavy wreath looked exceedingly fine. Special mention also deserves to be made of the pulpit which was a model of neatness and good taste. Doors, windows, &c., were wreathed in fir; and an unusual number of texts and mottoes served to set forth the great event commemorated by the day. Shields on the side walls of the chancel bore 'God manifest in the Flesh.' Two others on the east end of the nave displayed "Peace on earth, good-will to men." The texts in rustic letters were—"The day-spring from on high," over the chancel arch; "The word was made flesh," opposite on the west end; and over the doors to the right and left of this, "Immanuel" and "Glory to God."

ST. ANDREW'S, NEWCASTLE.

The *Advocate* says,—The decorations in this Church are very good and effective, and reflect great credit upon the ladies and gentlemen who so willingly took them in hand. No one, on entering the church, could fail being struck with the general bright and cheerful appearance of the sacred structure. Seldom, perhaps, has the taste of the congregation been shown to better advantage. As usual, especial pains have been taken with the chancel which looks exceedingly well—especially when the church is lighted up—from the further end of the nave. On the East wall—resting immediately upon the Super Altar—is a beautiful and striking Reredos. It is divided into three panels by means of hemlock trimming, each division tapering up into a point—the two side divisions being of blue with a double triangle of white in the middle—the middle one being of red having upon it a most exquisitely shaped I. H. S. in white. The triangles formed on the top are respectively of white and blue—relieved by gold and scarlet stars. On each side of the Reredos in white lettering on a red ground, with an evergreen bordering, is the text—"Good will—toward men." Over the East window is a heavy wreath, and the candle standards, and other furniture of the chancel are all appropriately decorated with cedar and hemlock trimming.

The rood or chancel screen has had a great amount of pains expended upon it and nothing can exceed the artistic taste displayed upon its decoration. It has a most striking effect from the body of the church. All the different divisions have a double trimming of very fine hemlock upon a scarlet foundation, relieved at intervals with white everlastings, while the three several arches into which it is divided bear the text, of white lettering upon a scarlet foundation—"He came not to do His own will, but the will of Him that sent Him." The whole is surmounted by a handsome cross made of hemlock, encircled by a crown of white everlastings. Suspended from the chancel arch is a heavy wreath festooned off to the sides of the church, while around the arch itself is the text, in green lettering on a white ground, with a bordering of green—"The word was made Flesh—and dwelt among us." On either side of the arch are two shields of scarlet and blue respectively. The Lectern displayed a circle of most exquisite flowers imported for the occasion, with a wreath of smilax festooned round the stem, and was much admired. A floral cross is set in the alcove behind the Pulpit, conspicuous amongst its flowers being a beautiful Calla Lily. All the windows are wreathed in green, and around the whole nave of the church in six divisions in letters of scarlet upon a white foundation, with a green bordering, is the text—"Unto you is born—This day—In the City of David—A Saviour—Which is—Christ the Lord." The window sills are covered with moss, and upon the moss white letters are placed forming the text—"Thou art the King of glory, O Christ." On the front of the Organ is the verse—"Glory to God in the Highest." Under the West window are the words, in gold lettering on a red groound, "Emmanuel. God with us. Heavy wreaths are suspended from the principal rafters and festooned to the sides of the church, and finished off at the corbels with circles of green.—Various double triangles are tastefully placed at intervals throughout the Church.

Great pains have also been expended in the decorating of the Font,—being the first object to catch the eye on entering the church. It is surmounted by a cover conical in form, resting on a foundation shaped to fit the Font in eight divisions, each of these panels having a background of red with green sacred emblem in the centre of silver. The whole is crowned with a beautiful cross covered with gold paper, and wreathed with a slight circle of green. White everlasting flowers are tastefully placed here and here to relieve the evergreen trimming. The whole has a very fine effect. The first of the Christmas services was held on Sunday evening at 6 30 p. m.,—the morning service of that day having been held in the School House. There was a large congregation and the Rector, taking for his text—"Rejoice in the Lord alway, and again I say rejoice," pointed out to the congregation what should be the nature of their rejoicings on the Feast of the Lord's Nativity. The hymn, "While Shepherds watched their flocks by night," was sung at the close of the service. Three services were held on the day itself. The first at eight in the morning consisting of a celebration of the Holy Communion—and was partly choral the Kyrie, the Sanctus and Gloria in Excelsis being sung, beside a hymn after the consecration. There was a large number of communicants. The second service was at 11 a. m., when the seating capacity of the building was tested to its greatest extent. The Rector again preached from the words (Isaiah XL., 9)—"Behold your God." A second celebration followed and was largely attended—fifty-two having made their communion throughout the day. The third service was at 3 p. m., consisting of evening and appropriate hymns. The Christmas offertory was a large one, and worthy of the congregation. The singing throughout the day was remarkably good.—all the services being rendered in a very hearty manner. In detail the music was as follows:—

MORNING.

Hymn 61, A & M.	Hymn 59. A & M.
Venite—Gregorian	Kyrie—Man.
Te Deum, Stephens.	Hymn 62. A. & m.
	Sanctus.
Benedictus, Greg'n.	Hymn 313 A.& M.
Hymn 60 A. & M.	Gloria in Excelsis.

EVENING. (3 P. M.)

Hymn 60, A. & M.
Magnificat, } Wesley's service.
Nunc Dimittis. }
Hymn 62, A. & M.
Hymn 50, A. & M.

The Westmorland Election.

A St. John *Globe* despatch says,—

The Local Opposition ticket, comprising Messrs. A. E. Killam and W. J. Robinson, of Moncton, and Terence B. McManus of Memramcook, and Josiah Anderson of Sackville, is highly spoken of in Moncton, and appear to meet with the general approval of the country people who have been in Moncton since the formation of the ticket. Mr. Killam will make a fine run.

The people in the country east, north, south and west of Moncton all complain that they were deceived by the government candidates and their agents by mixing Dominion and Local issues together and making a combined canvas of them both. McManus will be found a hard man to beat, being a prominent man among the lumbermen and farmers as well as an extensive business man in the country and a fluent speaker both in the English and French languages, together with his popularity which will add much towards making a successful candidate. Mr. Robinson is well and favorably known round Moncton, and will surprise those who say that he will not poll a large vote all over the County. Mr. Anderson, of Sackville, is well known in Moncton and throughout the County generally, and judging from the people in Moncton speaking of him, it is safe to say that he will not be the tail man.

It is want of judgment to allow prejudice to prevent one from trying this remedy. The writer has seen many such, who, being persuaded, were surprised and gratified at the results. Try a 10 cent sample. Sold by J. D. B. F. MacKenzie, Medical Hall, Chatham N. B.

The Messrs Connors' extensive cordage works at Portland, St. John, were burned on Wednesday evening. A warehouse adjoining, containing material valued at $50,000 was saved, as also a small part of the machinery in the factory. The owners did an extensive business, and employed about fifty men, who will be thrown out of work. This is the second time their factories have been burned.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says every one having tried 'TEABERRY.' the new toilet gem. Get a 5 cent sample. Sold by J. D. B. F. MacKenzie, Medical Hall, Chatham N. B.

Beware of Imitations.

Since Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has become celebrated, a number of unprincipled persons have been endeavoring to palm off Electron and Electric Oil for the genuine DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL. Beware of these similar named articles. If their originators had any faith in the healing properties of their own medicines they would, like honest men, give them a name of their own, and not try to sell them on the reputation of another; but as they know their preparations have no merit, they resort to the most unprincipled means of selling them by getting a name as near as possible to *Eclectric*. We therefore ask the public when purchasing to see that the name Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is on the front of the wrapper, and the signature of NORTHROP & LYMAN, the proprietors for Canada on the back.

MARRIED.

At Blackville, on 28th December, by Rev. Aug. F Hitz, Rector of Derby, Mr. C McKinnon, to Margaret A. Smith, both of Blackville.

DIED.

At Chatham, Jan 2nd, Mrs Bagley, relict of the late Henry Bagley of St. John, aged 64 years. Funeral, Thursday at 3 o'clock, p m, from the residence of her son in-law, Daniel Crimmen. (St. John papers please copy.)

GENEVA AWARD.

Special and personal attention given to the preparation, proof and trial of cases in the Court of Alabama Claims in Washington, D. C.

An extended experience in the former Court, and unusual facilities for managing these causes, enables me to render special service to claimants.

Time for receiving cases expires Jan. 14th 1883.

The Court has jurisdiction of claims for vessels and cargoes destroyed by any Confederate Cruisers for those officers and men and for War Premiums paid from April 1861, to November 1865. Full information given on application to the undersigned.

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

New Advertisements.

Highland Society.

THE Annual General Meeting of the HIGHLAND SOCIETY will be held at Mrs. Bowsers Hotel, Chatham, on

Saturday the 16th of January, inst.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

G. B. FRASER,
Secretary.

CLEARANCE SALE.

OWING to the shelf room in premises now occupied by the subscriber being so limited, he has decided to make a complete CLEARANCE of his Stock of

GLASSWARE,
EARTHENWARE,
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Shelf and Heavy Hardware

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Come Early and Secure Bargains.

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NORTH WEST BOOM.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be introduced at the next Meeting of the Provincial Legislature to continue and amend the Acts incorporating the Northwest Boom Company.

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AGENTS HORSE BOOK. Send 25 cts. TO THIS OFFICE for a sample copy of a new HORSE BOOK. It treats of all diseases of the horse and has a large number of RECEIPTS and is pronounced the best book ever printed for the price. Profusely illustrated and sells at sight. Agents claim it to be the best selling book they ever canvassed with. Try it.

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Masonic Hall, January 8th, 1883.

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County Council.

THE County Council of the Municipality of the County of Northumberland will meet at the Council Chamber, Newcastle, on

Tuesday, the 16th January, next

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

for despatch of business.

SAMUEL THOMSON,
Secretary Treasurer.

Office of the Secretary Treasurer,
Newcastle, Dec. 26th, 1882.

RECEIVED THIS WEEK.

Dry Goods Department.

COLORED VELVETEENS, in Myrtle, Garnet and Seal
LADIES' MERINO UNDER VESTS, all sizes.
MUFFS, SEAL and PLUSH CAPS,
BLACK and COLORED SILK VELVETS,
BLACK and GREY FUR.

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3 Dozen WOOD BEDSTEADS, Double and Single.
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12 " CANE and WOOD SEAT CHAIRS, including the NEW PERFORATED SEATS and BACKS,
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BEDROOM SUITS.

Also a fine lot of BUFFALO ROBES, LININGS and TRIMMINGS.

FEATHER PILLOWS.

received this day

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Newcastle, Dec. 5, 1882.

General Business.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

MYER MOSS has just opened a new stock of Goods suitable for

Christmas and Wedding Presents,

—CONSISTING OF—

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Necklets Brooches, Earrings. Plated and Fine Gold sets, Bracelets, Finger Rings; Scarf Pins, Card Cases, Cuff Buttons, Lockets Waltham and other Watches, Boys' do. Stem Winders; as low as $6.00. A large variety of Napkin Rings. Silver Tea and Coffee Pots, Cake Baskets, Card Receivers, Casters, Water Pitchers, Pickle Jars, Mugs, Butter Coolers, Spoons, Forks all sizes and kinds, CHEAP and GOOD, etc.

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We are selling American Clocks AT COST to clear out. A parcel containing a Watch can be sent Registered by Parcel Post to us from any part of the Province, work sent to us will receive prompt attention.

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At Station farm—2 small sized horses—Will be sold cheap.

J. B. SNOWBALL.

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Lowest WHOLESALE and RETAIL Prices; also

20 TUBS GOOD BUTTER.

R. HOCKEN

Chatham, N. B., Dec. 13, '82.

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CLEARING-OUT SALE

—OF—

Hardware, Etc., Etc.

I AM NOW SELLING

AT COST,

In order to clear Our Stock previous to the

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WHEN ALL STOCKS REMAINING ON HAND WILL THEN BE SOLD AT

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ALL PARTIES REQUIRING GOODS IN THE HARDWARE LINE WILL FIND IT TO THEIR ADVANTAGE TO

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AS BARGAINS WILL BE HAD IN JOB LOTS.

My Stock is the Largest and most Complete ever Imported to the North Shore.

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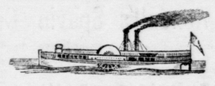
J. R GOGGIN.

Chatham, Dec. 13th, 1882. 7y7

1882  1883

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Winter Arrangement.

2 TRIPS A WEEK.

ON AND AFTER

Monday, December 4th,

and until further notice, the Splendid Sea-going Steamers State of Maine and Falmouth will leave Reed's Point Wharf every MONDAY and THURSDAY MORNINGS, at 8 o'clock for EASTPORT, PORTLAND and BOSTON, connecting both ways at Eastport with Steamer "Charles Houghton" for St. Andrews, St. Stephen and Calais.

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No claims for allowance after goods leave the Warehouse.

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WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY,
Fancy Goods and Electro-Plated Ware.

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS, AND GENTS FURNISHINGS.

TEA, SOAP, TOBACCO, CIGARS, CIGARETTES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS and CASES, PIPES and

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"SMALL QUEENS", Cigars direct from the Factory.

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A SUPPLY RECEIVED THIS WEEK

By special arrangement a supply of NORTHROP and LYMANS'

EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL

will be received from the manufacturers every month during the winter, thereby assuring its

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FIRST LOT JUST RECEIVED, TWO SIZES 50 cts and $1.

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Pleasant Worm Syrup,
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HOP BITTERS,
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Chatham, Nov. 1. 1882

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WONDERFUL VALUE IN BLANKETS.

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IN

MEN'S FUR CAPS,
LADIES' FUR CAPS,
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LADIES' FUR BOAS

at such Prices as will

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SHIRTS in great variety and CHEAP.

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LARGE IMPORTATION.

IN STOCK;

Flour,
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Tobacco,
Pork,
Beans,
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Dried Apples,
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SINGLE AND TWO SEATED OPEN DO.
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READY - MADE CLOTHING!

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Ready-Made Clothing, Hats, Caps and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

EXAMINE OUR PRICES, YOU WILL FIND THEY ARE CHEAPER THAN EVER.

JUST RECEIVED:

A Fresh Stock of Choice Congou Tea—The Best in Town.

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OUR Stock of Spring and Summer DRY GOODS is now complete, we have THOUSANDS OF ARTICLES in HABERDASHERY, FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, SMALLWARES, etc., on which

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May 17th, 1882. SUTHERLAND & CREAGHAN.

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Positively Restores the Hearing, and is the Only Absolute Cure for Deafness Known.

This Oil is abstracted from peculiar species of small WHITE SHARK, caught in the Yellow Sea, known as CARCHARODON RONDELETII. Every Chinese fisherman knows it. Its virtues as a restorative of hearing were discovered by a Buddhist Priest about the year 1410. Its cures were so numerous and MANY SO SEEMINGLY MIRACULOUS, that the remedy was officially proclaimed over the entire Empire. Its use became so universal that for over 300 years NO DEAFNESS HAS EXISTED AMONG THE CHINESE PEOPLE. Sent, charges prepaid, to any address at $1.00 per bottle.

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It has performed a miracle in my case
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