Sol, would be an impossible feat.

#### Business Notice.

The ADVANCE office is open for business from 8 a.m. until 6 p. m. every week-day. It is not open for delivery of papers in the evening. To and local country subscribers will, therefore, please call for their papers at the delivery window before 6 p. m.

#### Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE Sale at Nelson. See Mr. Fairey's advt.

HOUSEHOLD FUNITURE, &c., for sale

See Mr. Johnson's advt. TRACKLAYING has been begun on th

end of the Miramichi Valley Railway.

I. O. of O. F.-J. D. B. F. Macken zie, Esq., of Chatham, has been appointed Deputy Grand Master of Odd Fellows for Miramichi and Campbellton.

GEO. JOHNSTON INJURED. - Chatham Lodge of Odd Fellows yesterday received a telegram from East Albany stating that Mr. George Johnston, foundryman, had been injured at that place. A later telegram announced that he was doing well.

FATALLY SCALDED. - Yesterday morning about 7 o'clock a one-year old child of Mr. Reynolds, Upper Water Street, Chatham, pulled a tea-kettle full of boiling water from the stove-hearth, upsetting the contents over it. The little sufferer died in the afternoon.

CATCHING IT.—The Advocate follows the Word's example and pitches into the Dominion Government for alleged delay in commencing work on the new Post Office at Newcastle. Our information is that the work is to be commenced in about a fortnight. Somebody's pulled the string and set both of the local jumping jacks dancing.

Dr. Jenkins of Charlottetown has been elected to fill the vacancy caused by the acceptance of the Charlottetown postmastership by Mr. Brecken. Mr. Walsh, the Liberal candidate, had about 90 votes less than Dr. Jenkins, who had the support of one of the leading Liberal papers. The Doctor is well-known here, having interested himself in our Driving Park races on several occasions.

THE MIRAMICHI RAILWAY.—The Mir amichi Railway trains from Marysville bring down to Gibson daily a load of bricks, which are being shipped to Woodstock, where they are used in the erection of the new county building. Rails are now laid to the front of Mr. Gibson's store. It is expected that an accommo dation train will soon be run between Marysville and Gibson. A large force of men is at work along the line of the road

for about twelve miles. - Telegraph. RESTIGOUCHE MOONLIGHT EXCURSION. -On Tuesday 2nd Sept. there is to be a moonlight excursion by steamer on the Restigouche under the management of a committee consisting of Messrs. O. A Barbarie, J. D. Sowerby, W. J. Williams, B. Annett, J. W. Moore, J. White, B. Dalton and C. S. Shaw. The steamer will leave Mowat's wharf, Campbellton, at 7.30, or 7 o'clock Railway standard time. The proceeds are to be devoted to

a benevolent purpose. TIME. - The World's Newcastle editor wants to know why Chatham don't adopt Newcastle time. He can't understand how it is that when Newcastle has done anything all the world doesn't do likewise. The latest local on dit is that the correspondent's Chatham friends are about to start a campaign for the purpose of having "Newcastle time" adopted. The adoption of a uniform standard is very desirable and, so long as uniformity is secured it makes little difference what the standard is.

OBITUARY .- Referring to the death of Mr. Charles S. Russell at Marinette, Wis., a corespondent writes. -

"Mr. Russell has been for some time in the employ of Messrs. Tweedie and Ruprecht and was much liked by the circle of his acquaintences for the excellent traits shown in his character. He leaves a wife and young child to mourn the untimely demise of a loving husband and father. The funeral occurred Thursday afternoon, 7th inst., Rev. Dr. Schenck officating, and was largely attended by friends of the deceased.

SCOVIL IN MONTREAL, -Scovil, the New Brunswick individual who went for the Wall street brokers to the extent of one million dollars, was in this city this day fortnight. He called on a person who had known him in St. John, but who that time had heard nothing of the defalcation, and stated that he was on his way to Shediac. It is thought that he left the city the same afternoon in the steamship Miramichi. The chances are that Scovil is either in hiding somewhere in the rural districts of New Brunswick or that he has taken an outward ship from some of the north shore ports of that province and is now on his way to Liverpool.-Montreal Herald.

CORRECTION. - In the Campbellton let ter referring to the visit of Very Rev Father Barry to that place, published by us last week was the following sentence-The Very Rev. Father arrived here on the evening of the 4th inst., and was met at the express train by the Rev. Pastor the wind so high outside, he might have and stumps, into pit-falls, through of Campbellton, Father McDonald, the Rev. Father Allard, of Charlo, and the Rev. Father Crumley, as well as by a very large crowd of ladies, who assembled to greet their former devoted pastor, and to tender merited honor unto whom honor was highly due.

Instead of ladies in the above, our correspondent wrote laics, which the compositor and "copyholder" both read

THE PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI held a special meeting at Newcastle on Tuesday the 19th inst. The ministers of St. Andrew's, Chatham, Blackville, Richibucto, Bass River, Douglastown, Red Bank and Charlo were present. The principal mat-ter of business which lled them together was the augmentation scheme for the improvement of the salaries of ministers in the weaker charges. This scheme was found quite a success during the past year in the western provinces of the Dominion and there are hopeful indications that it may be equally successful in the Maritime provinces. The reports from the various congregations uniformly told of enthusiasm with which he people here have taken a hold of it. Much pleasure was felt at the presence of the Rev. Thos. Nicholson of Charlo, who has for many months been laid aside from his duties by

ill health. A CASE OF POISONING. - A Shediac correspondent of the Moncton Transcript says :" Friday the household of Mrs. Capt. Sprague, of this place, were taken very sick after breakfast, and on Dr. had been partaken of by all of the per-sons afflicted, and those who had not sons afflicted, and those who had not have been thereof were not sick, this article | tor at Hamilton—imparts an additional in | to make one vista, and are set off by old | hitched the horses in the road, and tak. | ing this month better than at any other

was thought to be the cause of the poisoning. Dr. Harrison thinks the acid used in the soldering eats the tins in some cases, and cause the, poisoning. A new process is now being tried in the sealing

of the can, in which no acid is used." This case illustrates the necessity of cans being sealed by the machine invented and patented by Messrs. Shank and Burbridge of Chatham, and which is being used by several of our leading lobster packers. It seals the can without the in side being touched by either solder or acid, which is the only safe way.

#### The Circus.

crowd of people, The street parade was a fair one; the performance in the large tent hardly up to the mark and the side show and menagerie rather poor. Gaffney, the strong man in the cannon ball act Charvot's balancing on the pyramid of bottles; Lowrey as a bare-back rider; Burnell as a contortionist and Mlles. Almar and McDonald on the rings and trapeze were well worth seeing. James E. Cooke as Ring Master and John Foster as leading Clown deserve places in better organizations than Robbins'. As a whole the Circus may be pronounced hardly up to the average.

#### Not Dead, After All.

The World should be congratulated on its improved display of matter in last Saturday's issue. In addition to charging the Dominion Government with "red tape" delay in connection the Newcastle Post Office, and to passing off a rehash of certain arguments used in favor of full fraternity with negroes by prominent Odd-Fellows recently in annual meeting at Halifax, the election campaign in the latter city and county between Messrs. Fielding and Payzant was discussed. Of the Liberal candidate, the World says .-

His defeat would not overthrow his party in the Province, but simply regulate him to private life and send the Provincial Secretaryship to another constitu-

An editorial in a Halifax paper said the defeat of Mr. Fielding would simply relegate him to private life, thus depriving Halifax of the Provincial Secretaryship and the services of an abler and more active man than his opponent. We presume the World, in "regulating" the borrowed idea, thought the word "relegate" a good one to change, in order that originality might be imparted to its columns. It is an unusual thing to find the World pitching into the Macdonald administration in behalf of Newcastle, to say nothing of its favoring a Liberal candidate in an election largely influenced by Dominion issues. For it to do all this, however, and, at the same time, to have nearly two columns of semi-original editorial matter. is evidence of an energy that ought to be quite reassuring to those who differ, politically, from the gentlemen who compose its board of directors, as last heard

#### The Turf.

Chatham Driving Park races come Thursday and Friday, 4th and 5th Sept., entries closing on Thursday next, 28th inst. The purses amount to \$500. Par ticulars are given in our advertising

Purses amounting to \$400 are offered at Kent Driving Park on Sept. 9th 10th-the Tuesday and Wednesday following the Chatham races.

#### The Chatham Public Square Ex-The World of Saturday said, -

"Quite a number of excursionists went

down river on the Andover yesterday

morning to Bay du Vin to breathe the fresh air, and a very enjoyable time was spent, arriving here about 7 o'clock." No good purpose can be served by such untruthfulness as is contained in the above paragraph. The excursion referred was, in some respects, an enjoyable one, but, as a whole, it was not so. The trip down the river was quite pleasant and the time spent by the excursionists at Bay du Vin was enjoyed in various ways. The neat little church of St. John the Evangelist was visited, bathing was indulged in by a few, the respects of others paid to friends in the neighborhood and quite a number of familiar faces were found among summer visitors of the Bay View Hotel. The steamer, on the return, was run well out into the inner Miramichi Bay where the high east wind prevailing caused her to roll very heavily, as she was kept side to the sea. The waves upon the lower deck as the vessel labored quite heavily, while there was no little confusion on the upper deck where muny ered in fear of a capsize. One or two ladies fainted, while others were in tears over the dangers to which they believed they were exposed. A stay-rod broke in the middle of the comparative panic that prevailed-a panic which some of the more self-possessed could not suppress. This was a fair evidence of the strain that was upon the steamer, which was, of course not constructed, for such rough water. To be plain-the Andover is not quite managable in such high wind and rough water and she should not have been exposed to it, especially with so many per-

#### well as for those who were not. Sacrilege and Incendiarism

sons on board. There was no necessity for

her being run out with her beam to the sea

when it was found to be so rough, and

her captain did not think it necessary to

run back to Bay du Vin, when he found

kept her head more to the wind and worked

across to smoother water on the north side

of the river. At all events, the return trip

was anything but an enjoyable one for

those who were so much frightened, as

On Wednesday morning, 30th vlt., the Church of St. Edward, R.C., at Hamilton. Bermuda, was discovered to be on fire. By the timely application of water by a few persons in the neighborhood the flames were extinguished, when unmistakeable evidence of the incendiary's work was found. Kerosene oil had been poured in which had been broken into, but the match had not been applied in the several places evidently intended. Incendiarism has prevailed at Hamilton for some time Government has offered a reward of parties and the Rev. Dr. Walsh. pastor of the Church, has presented with an address of leading citizens, who authorise him to offer an addifrom the Church of England Rector and water, the Board of the Wesleyan Church letters of sympathy coupled with their congratulations over the fact that the attempt to sea, and 5,600 feet above the track) are had the load on the way home in excelburn St. Edward's was unsuccessful. The not quite so steep, and for 3,000 feet trees lent shape, but before he could reach the fact that the erection of St. Edward's spring up from the rocks wherever they barn one of the heaviest showers of the Harrison being sent for, he declared it a Church was begun under Rey. Dr. Rogers, have a ghost of a chance. To do justice season came pouring down upon the load. opened. case of poisoning, and as canned lobster the venerated Bishop of Chatham, some 30 to such a scene where water, trees, woods, For a moment the farmer stood still, and Transplanting Lilies.—The white or

terest to its providential escape from the fate planned for it by the incendiary. County Rifle Competition.

The Annual competition of the North umberland County Rifle Association took place at the Wellington Range, Chatham. on Friday last. The weather was fine. being bright in the morning and calm. but there was a high wind across ranges from the left in the afternoon. Lt. Col. Gillespie, in the absence of Major Mc Culley, had charge as range officer, Lt. A. J. Loggie, secretary, being also on the ground, attending to his duties. The Robbins' Circus attracted quite a large | matches and winning competitors were as follows .-

dents of the County who pay the Membership Fee of \$1 on or before the day of the Competition, and members of the Active Militia-excepting commissioned officers — who pay 50c. each). Ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards. Seven shots at ch. Government Snider Rifles, Government

D. M. Loggie, 2nd prize, Meerschaum Pipe (83 D. T. Johnstone, 3rd prize, Caddie of tea (\$2.5 Jas. Pallen, 4th prize, Razor and Strap (\$2.50) John Forrest. 5th prize, Clock (\$3) and \$4.00-60 points.
A. J. Loggie, 6th prize, Comb and and \$1, \$3.00-57 points.

W. B. Gillespie, 7th prize, Knife and \$1, \$2. 1 points. Herbert Pallen, 8th prize, Boots, \$1 and John Walls, 9th prize, Cash \$1.00-46 points.

Jas. Johnston, 10th prize, Cash 75c. -45 points.

Open as above. Ranges 200, 400 and 500 yards

we struck

A MOUNTAIN GOAT'S PATH.

which took us around the mountain all

the way above the top tree line. When

we could scale the hill from that side, but

first fortified ourselves with food and

views. Then came the toughest climb of

plodded upwards, muttering "excelsior."

The whole hill seemed to be a pile of stones

which slipped from under us at every step

and rendered walking one behind the other

-11,600 feet above the sea, and 6,600

from this peak is grand and imposing.

The eve looks out far over the rest of the

peaks, down in the valley, where the

Bow River dashes sparkling down

Silver City (over twenty miles away)

over countless beautiful lakes, here, there

and everywhere; over the Bow; the

Broad Howse Pass: the valley covered

with trees (thirty to sixty feet high); the

beautiful and fantastic shapes of the rocks,

and the wonderful colours of their

stratification; looking at old Sol on one

the other; looking at the grass in the

valleys and snow glaciers on the hill tops;

looking. aye, and looking-I'll leave hin

looking as if he could never stop, and

leave him to get down as best he could .-

Hanlan's Defeat.

The match was for £500 a side.

He made some very fast time.

oarsman was July 28, last year, when he

was beaten by Trickett. On three sub-

THE CONDITIONS OF THE RACE.

on the Paramatta River, over a straight-

away course of about three miles and 320

ing-house at Charity Point Ryde, and

finished at a boat moored off the beacon

on the Brothers' Rocks, below Gladesville.

HANLAN'S FIRST DEFEAT.

The Toronto Globe says, -There has

ways been an abiding confidence in the

seems impossible to suspect that now, af

ter having reached the zenith of fame, he

would tarnish his glorious record by

blue has always finished in front, and

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and Laycock. To day he has proved his

of 7 lengths, a sculler with whom the

other Australians could never be compar-

THE FEELING IN ENGLAND.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- A special cable

despatch from London, to the World

says :- The defeat of Hanlan caused great

surprise in London. He was heavily

backed here, although Beach was known

to be better than Laycock, and was ex-

pected to be a formidable opponent of

Hanlan whenever they should be pitted

against each other for big money. Han-

lan's chief backer in London was enthusi-

astic yesterday over the prospects of Han-

lan's success, and laid \$5,000 to \$1,000 on

Hanlan to all takers. He is a heavy loser

load of hay into his barn in good condition.

Five times he had been stopped by the

rain when the work of loading was in pro-

cess of completion. His patience was

well-nigh exhausted, as each time the hav

had to be opened, dried and stacked

again. On Thursday afternoon last, un-

der a flattering sun, he started for the

of course, but he and everybody else

without much of a struggle.

"throwing" the race with Beach.

honesty and honour of Hanlan, and

The start was by mutual consent.

The race started from the bath

The articles of agreement made the

seven lengths.

side; looking at a storm looming up

D. M. Loggie, 1st prize, D.T.Johnstone, 2nd 'Stove \$4 & cash \$1, Jas. Pallen, 3rd 'Flask, \$2, & cash, \$2, Herbert Pallen,4th "Silk handkerchief & 2, 4.00 John Forrest, 5th "Cash, A. J. Leggie, 6th "Cash, T. F. Gillespie, 7th "Andw. Hay, 8th

In the above Match was included, by order of Lt.-Col. Gillespie and officers of No. 2 Company, the Competition for the Mitchell Artillery Cup and the Challenge Cup of No. 2 Company, 73rd Battalion. Jas. Pallen won the Artillery and John Walls the No. 2 Company Cup.

D. T. Johnstone......125 " Andrew Hay, ......115 " A Consolation Match-5 shots at 400 yards range -resulted as follows. -

#### 4th. David Loggie, ..... 7 5th. Archibald Forrest, ..... 6

Scolding the Government.

The World finds fault with the delathat is taking place in commencing work on the Newcastle Post Office. It saysunder the head of "Newcastle Notes."-

"We understood, some time lago, that the contract for the new Post Office and Custom House building had been awarded to Messrs. Treen and McDonald. These gentlemen were here lately, and, after staying a few days, went away again. Nothing has yet been done, even towards removing the building which at present occupies the site of the long-expected Government offices. Why the delay? Is it red tape, which seems to occupy so conspicuous a place in all Government business? Great bodies move slowly, and we suppose we must not expect the Department of Public Works to be in any hurry or to make its contractors move any faster than they have a mind to. At the present rate of progress the present generation may look forward to continue getting their letters (at the present palatial office, until the end of their lives.

Why this "winter of discontent? Large bodies move slowly and the grind ing of the gods keeps time therewith. The Government knows that the grumbling of the World is simply "funny business" indulged in for "effect defective," as Polonius would say. Our friends at County headquarters must be patient. It is not for them to find fault with the red tape, which the World has just discovered in connection with "all Government business," for they know that the present Dominion Government acts very suddenly sometimes. Such action, too, has been favorably commented on by some of our present Newcastle neighbors. They must bide their time in the Post Office matter and remember that the Government has done much for them thus far, and may not be hurried by manifestations of petulance and ingratitude.

#### In the Rockies.

[Toronto Globe. LAGGAN, Rocky Mountains, July 25 .-Last Saturday evening five of us started for the top of the highest peak in the neighbourhood. As we were to camp out true the temptations must have all night we each took what bedding we many. The champion was at the other thought necessary. Two of us merely side of the world from his Canadian home, took an eight pound blanket each. These | and was unattended by any of his friends. we relled and tied up longitudinally and His trip to Australia has been an expenof the excursionists, including a large by hanging them over our right shoulders sive one, and there have been but few op- years. It is estimated that there are 500,and tying them at our left sides like Scotch plaids we were enabled to walk alcarry. Two of the others made a bundle between them containing a buffalo robe, rubber sheet and a blanket. This they took turns carrying over their shoulders by a rope, and as it may be easily imagined they were pretty tired of their load. The fifth man carried his blanket under his arm. In addition we carried a sharp axe, a couple of small provision bags, and several revolvers. Thus equipped we started on our tour

at 7 p. m. For one mile we followed the track up the Bow River, where we cross. ed the river, and started our ascent through a thick forest of mountain spruce. For two hours and a half we pushed our way through this dense forest, over logs SWAMPS AND THICKETS.

After ascending about 1,000 feet (perpendicular height) in this manner we reached our camping grounds on the edge of the most beautiful lake ever beheld by any of our party. Many who have been all over Switzerland and only through the valleys here have declared our scenery unequalled. We ourselves had been charmed by many a view in the passes, but never have we seen anything to approach the picturesque and sublime grandeur of that scene. The lake is two miles long and one broad, and is of the cleares azure blue. At the north end of this beautiful sheet of water, hills densely diffierent parts of the sacred building, covered with spruce, rise with a gentle slope about two hundred feet. Between these hills dashes the outlet of the lake. This sight is fine, but the south end eclipses it, for there from the water's edge and the place is thoroughly aroused. The rise gigantic mountains, absolutely perpendicular for 4,000 feet. The stratifica-£500 for the detection of the guilty tion of these mighty rocks add in no slight degree to the effect, for not only does it assume every imaginable shape. but also colour. On the top of these and in crevices wherever they are large tional reward of 100 pounds for the same | enough to hold it, snew is perpetually to purpose. Dr. Walsh has also received be seen. On the sides of this mirror of

(4,000 feet high, 11,000 feet above the sixth time to barn the hay. He speedily

ing out his match-safe from the pocket of built a large fire at the waters edge and ate his old alpaca vest, he set the hav on fire. and allowed the whole business-hay, our supper-crackers buns, ham, onions, and water. About eleven o'clock we rakes, forks and cart-to burn to ashes. went to bed. Two of us rolled into our THE TRUTH .- After four weeks on the blankets side by side under the largest Restigouche William T. Florence has retree near by, while the others laid down turned to the Fifth Avenue hotel. in an open space. Our tree was a mounsays he only caught seven salmon, for he

tain spruce about fifty feet high. A peloes not count trout and black bass, and culiar feature of this tree was that in this after a journey of a thousand miles spite of its height not a branch spread and four weeks' fishing. Fishermen's more than seven feet from its trunk, but stories must be entitled to credence after the branches were almost as thick as they this .- N. Y. Truth. could be packed. Towards morning it began to rain, and the fellows out in the SUCH IS FAME. - The Brooklyn Union open were nicely wetted, while we were thus refers to the presidential candidate bountifully sheltered. We got up about f the prohibitionist party in the United eight o'clock, but as it was pouring rain we laid about camp until eleven o'clock For tichness of biographical material when three of us determined to tackle the st. John of the prohibitionists leads all highest peak. For 1,000 feet we ascend the rest. He ran away from his father in

ed through a thick bush and of course Indiana at the age of 12; was a husband got thoroughly drenched by the we at 19 and a widower at 20; became one branches. However, it soon cleared off of the rough-and tumble pioneers of the and our clothes and the bushes were dried Californian gold diggings, and once ran by the sun. We then struck an old rock bare footed over ice and frozen ground for slide, now covered with grass and flowers. two days with an anxious party of Indians Among the latter we noticed yellow and after him; started for South America and purple violets, sweet williams, wild ger was wrecked without clothes or aniums, sweet briars, lilies of the valley, among the Sandwich Islands: turned up and myriads of strange (to us) and beautias country lawyer in Illinois: served ful flowers. At the top of this slide we the army through the war and got the came to the highest tree (8,000 feet above rank of colonel, and finally "struck it" in the sea, 3,000 above the track). As the the rum politics of Kansas. mountain was perpendicular for the rest

of its height on that side we resolved to GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS go round and try the back. Fortunately

The largest room in the world, under one roof, and unbroken by pillars, is at St. Petersburg. It is 620 feet long by 150 in breadth. By daylight it is used we got around to the back we found that for military displays, and a battalion can completely manœuvre in it. Twenty thousand wax tapers are required to light The roof of this structure is a single all-for two hours and a half we steadily arch of iron, and it exhibits a remarkable engineering skill in the architect.

The revision of the Old Testament. which it was hoped would be out this absolutely out of the question. To say year, will probably not make its appearthat we had to stop over and over again ance before early in 1885. The eightyto take breath is needless. But we were | fifth and last session of the English Revision Committee has been held, but months very thankful that the air was too cold to allow us to become heated in spite of the must intervene before the complete work exertion. Finally we reached the height can be given to the public. Nothing is positively known of any changes made in feet above the valley below. The view the old version, the revisers on both sides of the Atlantic having kept their pledge

MARSEILLES, Aug 8.—An Italian died of cholera in the suburb of Saint Loup and his family abandoned him after stripping the corpse of its clothing. The Bureau of Assistance took no steps to wards having the body buried. Next morning the vicar came to perform the religious rites. He was compelled to place the body in the coffin unaided. He succeeded in carrying the coffin down stairs with the help of several women. The vicar afterwards washed his hands in the gutter and wiped them on his surplice. The republican committee considered the matter and unanimously pass ed a vote of thanks to the vicar for his

George Augustus Sala tells an Eastern SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 16.-The race | story about an Arab Sheik who, pursuing for the championship of the world took on horseback his way to Damascus, gave place between Hanlan and Beach on the a lift to an old haggard and ragged wo-Paramatta River today. Beach won by man whom he found lying, convulsed with pain, at the foot of a palm tree. This ancient crone told the Sheik, in Beach, who defeated Hanlan, is an cidentally, that she was the Cholera, and Australian by birth. Before he began that it was by Allah's will that she was going to Damascus; but, in consideration rowing as a professional he was a ferryof the kindness which she received, she mar. His first appearance as a prominent promised that she would not slay more than sixty persons there. Soon after her sequent occasions he defeated Trickett. arrival the pestilence broke out, and the people died like sheep with the rot. The Sheik reproached her with her breach of faith. "Not so," quoth Dame Cholera; "I kept my word. I killed only match for the championship of the world and for £500 a side. The race took place sixty. Fear killed the rest.

> Capt. Wilson, of the bark "Flaurine." Philadelphia from Ivigtut, furnishes the following: On June -- , off Juliane shaab, lat. 60 36 N., lon. 46 07 W., the lower part of a tent was found by Esqui maux on a piece of floe or drift ice, the upper part of which seemed to have been blown away; the ends of a store or pro visions cask marked Jeannette, and the contents in the store: also a marked charter party and check book on the Bank of California both signed by Delong; a pair of oiled trousers of Louis Noros; a bear's skin which covered some thing of the size and shape of a human orpse, but the Esquimaux could not remove the skin to ascertain what was un-

portunities of making money by races in | 000 cars in the United States; hence 50, Australia. With all these temptations it | 000 a year must be built to keep up the most as freely as if we had nothing to is hard to suppose that Hanlan purposely supply. Three thousand feet of lumber lost the race. His record is all to the for each car equals 150,000,000 feet a year. contrary, and if he was beaten without | The ties for the 121,782 miles of track, at an accident he was beaten honestly and 2600 to the mile, require 1,635,377,056 by a better man. From the time when feet, board measure, every year. Thus, as a lad he won the championship of Bur- to keep a roadbed and cars in repair, to lington Bay in his first professional race, say nothing of new work, calls for 1,785, until to-day Hanlan has never been beaten | 277,056 feet of wood, which is nearly onein a match race. In England and America | fourth the entire output of the mills of and in Australia the wonderful boy in the North-Western States, and almost one-twelfth that of all the mills of the United States. When we add the vast amount used in building locomotives, de-William Beach, of Dapto, whose vic. pots, fences, cattle-pens, etc., and on tory gives him the title of the champion | many roads as fuel, to say nothing of the of the world, is a sculler who has long forest fires kindled by sparks from the been considered the superior of Trickett engines, we can see that the railroads make a heavy draft on lumber.

supremacy by defeating, by the great lead The British force in Egypt, now numbering 8,000 men, will be raised to 10,000. In the Commons Gladstone said the Earl of Northbrook was sent to Egypt to make inquiry and advise the home government concerning the new position the Soudan disasters and Egypt's financial troubles had created. Gladstone reminded the House that even had the Egyptian conference succeeded in adopting the French agreement, it was entirely and absolutely dependent upon the will of Parliament. The Marquis of Hartington said it would be impolitic to describe the steps the Government was about to take for the relief of Gen. Gordon. He could only say that certain preparations were in progress. Sir Stafford Northcote expressed his gratification at the collapse of the Egyp-London believes that Hanlan did his best tian conference, and said he objected especially to the Anglo-French agree-HE WAS "MAD."-A press despatch ment. This agreement he characterized says that a farmer living near Waterbury, as "a most alarming instrument." Ct. had been trying for five days to get a

#### Flowers and the Lawn.

Single hollyhocks come in a little earlier than double ones. The rose-colored oxalis should have shade in the summer. Day lilies, or hemerocalis, unlike the

true lilies, close at night. The mountain ash is not an ash, but rather a pear as regards botanical relations One blossom allowed to msture to the seed state will weaken a plant more than half a dozen picked just as they have

time, for now the bulbs are at rest. By September the first they will have commenced their fall growth.

#### The Fruits of Folly.

Eating green apples, cucumbers and unripe fruits generally, may be so termed. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures all Summer Complaints.

#### Every Spring

HOW AN AFFLICTING ANNUAL VISITOR WAS DRIVEN FROM A WEARY WOMAN. Plain and simple mechanics are not liable to get out of order. Complicated watches, intended not only to keep the time of day, but to make the movements of the moon and stars, are certain to need frequent repairs. Husbands and fathers often fail to see that their wives and daughters are more delicately organized than themselves, requiring corresponding care when they are well and assistance when they are ill. Yet much better for woman's fine system is a trustworthy medicine, ready at all times for use, than a deal of tinkering by semi- educated local

"Every spring," said the wife of a well known employee of the Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal, "I have been for some years past troubled with nervous debility and weakness. It was the burden which so many women are called upon to bear. although none the lighter for that. "Advice and dosing, to be sure, I had

in plenty; still, on each returning spring my sickness came as regularly as the buds and blossoms. "You seem better now.

"Oh yes: I consider myself almost er

quite well, and it came about in thisway. lady living on St. Catherine street this city, commended to my attention Sulphur and Iron Bitters. It gave me strength and life. My sister, living in Brockville, whose disease was nearly the same as mine, was equally benefitted by the same

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writes: I wish to inform yon of the wonder ful qualities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I had a horse so lame that he could scarcely walk; the trouble was in the knee; and two or three applications completely cured him"

#### MARRIED

At the Manse, Black River, Aug. 6th, by Rev. John Robertson, M. A., Mr. Alexander Thomson of Napan, to Miss Mary A. McDonald of Point

DIED

At Chatham, on Sunday, 17th inst., Blanche infant daughter of George and Elizabeth Watt, At his residence, in Marinette, Wis., Wednesday ug. 6th, 1884, of Typhoid malarial fever, Charles

#### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. Port of Chatham

Aug. 18-Sch. Parole, 192, Harris, New York. -Bk. Mon, 944, Pezzolo, Capetown, bal., J. B 20 .- Malta, 855, Albreektsen, Dublin, bal, Guy.

CLEARED

Aug. 14.-Bk. Ahkera, Lundguist, Garston. 15.-Bk. Bachelors, Guy, Bevan, & Co. 18.-Bk. Lepreaux, Brown, Queenstown, for order Guy, Bevan & Co. 19-Bk. Lentner, Bjoinus, Riolo Tyne, deals,

Port of Newcastle

Aug. 18.—Bk. Helen, 377, Selley, Plymouth bal., J. & J. Miller & Co.

Aug. 12. Bk. Mary Durkee, Petersen, Belfast leals, George McLeod 13 .- Bk. Agostino, Repetto, 14. -Bk. Ragna, Pettersen, Cette, deals, R. A. 15 .- Bk. Festinalente, Pedersen, Cardiff, deals BK. Fin, Abrahamsen, Oran, deals, R. A. & J 18.-Bk. Bruno, Wroldson, Seville deals, R. 19. - Brig Ceredig, Evans, Swansea, deals, R. A.

#### Spoken.

Italian Barque Mon, Capt. Pezzolo, arrived at Chatham, Aug. 17th, from Capetown, South Africa. The following vessels wished to be re-July 2.—German Brigantine, St. Francisco" of July 11 -- English Barque Pauda, from London Mauritius, Lat. 1 South, Long. 29.30 W. G. July 11-English Ship Cypromene, of Liverpool Lat. 0.40, South, Long. 30 W. G.
July 17.—Italian Barque, Liceti Padre, from
Alipey for Georgetown. All well.

#### New Advertisements.

#### Household Furniture At Auction!

To be sold at Public Auction at the residence of William Miller, near Skating Rink, Cunard

FRIDAY, 29th INST.

commencing at 11 o'clock, sharp, all his Household Furniture, etc., Hair Cloth Parlor Suit, 1 Brussels Carpet, Bedroom Suit, Walnut finish, 1 Tapestry Carpet, Sets Lace Curains,

1 Dining Table, 1 Cooking Stove, 1 Mattress, Washstands Washboards. amps, Stovepipe, Cook's and kitchen utensils. The above articles are almost new and will be old without reserve, as Mr. Miller intends remov-TERMS-\$20 and under, cash; over that

1 Centre Table

E. JOHNSON, Chatham, Aug. 20, 84.

# To be sold at Public Auction on THURSDAY.

AUGUST 28, AT 11 A. M., at the premises, (if not previously disposed of) that well built House and Lot in Nelson, now owned and occupied by ED. SANDERSON, who is leaving Miramichi,—also, at the same time and place, the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. contained therein, comprising Carpets, Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Stoves, New Sewing Machine.

Cooking Utensils &c. TERMS OF SALE For House, & Cash down, balance in 12 months

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New Advertisement.

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The regular FALL MEETING of the CHATHAM DRIVING PARK ASSOCIATION will be held

Thursday, 4th, and Friday, 5th Sept.

The following purses and prizes will be com-

First Day, Thursday 4th.

No. 2-TROTTING RACE for a purse of \$125-

\$75 to first, \$35 to second, and \$15 to third. Ope to all horses that have never beaten 2 m. 38s. Second Day, Friday 5th. No. 3.—TROTTING RACE for a purse of \$110 \$70 to first, \$30 to second, and \$10 to third. Open to all horses that have never beaten 2m. 50s.

to all horses that have never beaten 3 m.

No. 4-TROTTING RACE for a purse of \$175-\$110 to first, \$45 to second and \$20 to third. Fre Entries by mail to be addressed to the Secretary, Chatham, N. B., and the same will close on Thursday, 28th August, at 6 p. m.

The entrance fee—10 p. c. of the purse in each

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race-must accompany each nominati

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#### W. T. CONNORS, Secretary-Treas. Administrator's Notice.

THE undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the estate and effects of Christian Lantaigne, late of the Parish of Caraquet in the County of Gloucester, deceased. All persons having any just claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same duly attested within one month from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated at Caraquet, the twentieth day of Au-

## GEORGE ROMERIL.

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St. John, N. B., Aug. 1884.

All persons having any legal claims against the Estate of James Russel, late of Lower Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested within one month from date to L. J. Tweedie, Esq. Barrister at Law, Chatham, and all persons in

Administrator's Notice.

Chatham, 11th August, 1884. Sugars. Refined

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