

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

THE MURKHEAD mill is to commence sawing deals next week. DIED.—Mr. Denis Regan, a well known resident of Chatham died on Tuesday.

THE SEA KING, Messrs. Guy, Devan & Co's powerful tug arrived from St. John on Saturday night and is now on service in this port.

I. O. O. F.—Messrs. J. D. B. F. Mackenzie and J. L. Stewart have gone to Amherst as representatives of Chatham Lodge at the Maritime Grand Lodge meeting there.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL, Fredericton, opened on Monday. About twenty students failed to pass the admission examination and as many more were admitted conditionally.

ANOTHER CHEAP SALE.—J. Nicol begs to announce that he has commenced to sell at reduced prices, for a time. He could quote prices lower than those that are advertised, but does not think it necessary, as figures alone are no criteria of value. He writes inspection.

PICNIC AND BAZAAR.—Everybody will want to go to Bay du Vin on 1st Sept. when Picnic and Bazaar will be held on the grounds near the Rectory. Arrangements for an easy landing and provisions for a day's thorough enjoyment are being made by the Committee.

COLLECTION.—On Monday morning last, after the tea King had run the barque Sagone alongside of Ritchie's wharf, Newcastle, she had sufficient headway on to slightly collide with the barque Lydia, causing the latter's mizzen topmasthead to snap off.

CALL TO REV. NEIL MCKAY.—At a meeting of the congregation of St. John's Presbyterian Church, Chatham, held yesterday forenoon, it was unanimously resolved to call Rev. Neil McKay of Summerside, P. E. I., to the pastorate of that Church. The choice is an excellent one and those who know the Rev. gentleman will, irrespective of creed, be glad if he can accept the pastorate tendered to him.

A GOOD WORD FOR ROSS.—Mr. Wallace Ross has donated to New York ragged school the sum of \$150. The Sporting Journal calls him the "prince of givers" and editorially states that Wallace's heart "beats for everyone" whom he knows is in want. The Journal is of the opinion that Ross will yet connect himself with some religious work, where his "noble heart" and manly qualities will be of a benefit to his fellow man.—Telegraph.

INTERESTING RELICS, including skeletons, copper kettles, an earthen jug, arrow and spear heads, iron knives, etc., have been dug out of a gravel pit on the Indian town Branch Railway. One of the skulls found is said to be "remarkable for the low type of its formation. The eyebrows were protruding to a great degree and the forehead recedes as in the skull of the ape. The doctor who got it is satisfied that he has found Darwin's missing link," so strong is the resemblance to the Newcastle correspondent of the Moncton Times.

BURNED CHURCH AND TABERNACLE.—Rev. E. Wallace Waits leaves for his annual visit to Burnt Church and Tabernacle this (Thursday) morning. He will preach at Burnt Church on Friday and Saturday at 11 a. m. each day. Sunday morning he will dispense Communion at Tabernacle, and in the evening of the same day he will do so at Burnt Church. He will return to Chatham on Monday.

BLACKVILLE TO CHATHAM.—A special train, in connection with the circus, is to be run on Wednesday next on the N. and W. Railway, leaving the Bridge, Blackville, at 9 a. m. and calling at Chatham, Harper's, Barnaby River, and Chatham Junction. Returning it will leave Chatham at 6 p. m. The fare from Blackville, 60 cts.; Chatham or Harper's, 50 cts.; Barnaby River or Chatham Junction, 25 cts.

A BEAR STORY.—We have a circumstantial account from a Glenelg correspondent of a bear adventure. It seems a bear killed a cow and a well known leader of the chase there summoned his myrmidons and armed with his trusty gun repaired to where the carcass lay to set a trap or shoot brain should he appear. Just as they reached the spot, there was the bear, sure enough, eating his prey. Bang went the leader's gun and up jumped a neighbor's black dog. And now, John's reputation as a judge of bears and crack shot isn't so good as it was.

PERSONAL.—It is stated on good authority that the rumor that Sir Charles Tepper is about to enter the Federal Government is incorrect. Sir Charles has come out to Canada on private business.—Quebec Chronicle.

The Rev. Neil McKay, of Summerside, has been nominated by the Presbytery of P. E. Island to be Moderator of the Synod of the Maritime Provinces, to meet in St. John in October next.

Mr. James Hannay, author of "History of Acadie," is at present making his mark on the Brooklyn Eagle.

A. E. Killam, Esq., M. P., visited Chatham last week.

Messrs W. C. Miller and F. Kennedy are making an excursion in the Bay Chaleur in the steam yacht Laura.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Jas. Woodside of P. E. I. is improving in health.

NEW YACHT.—Mr. J. C. Miller's new cutter yacht, built by Mr. James Henderson, of Douglastown, was launched on Saturday last. Her dimensions are: Length over all, 28 ft. Length on hull, 22 ft. Extreme breadth, 10 ft. Depth, 5 ft. Weight of keel, 1,000 lbs. Weight of hull, 1,000 lbs. Weight of rig, 1,000 lbs. Weight of spinnaker boom, 20 ft. The ordinary sailing canvas will be mainsail, jib and flying-jib. She will also have balloon jib, or spinnaker, and top sail to secure extra speed. She has about two tons of lead as part of her keel. In addition to this she will have some lead ballast to trim her down forward. She is a credit to owner and builder.

DALHOUSIE, writes a correspondent, is fast becoming the most fashionable watering place at the north. It is situated six miles off the Intercolonial, by which it is connected by a branch line, and it is a town having a delightful situation, and looks out upon the bay, at whose head it stands. The Loch Arran House, which is supposed to be the property of some of the railway officials, is the leading hotel, but is only

open during the summer season. It occupies a lovely position overlooking the spacious waters that lie beyond. It accommodates about 250 guests and at the time of our visit had over one hundred. It is chiefly patronized by wealthy tourists. The Governor General has rooms in the hotel, where his children are now stopping while he is fishing farther down the bay.

KENT COUNTY.—A Globe correspondent writes,—"Mr. Thomas Vanstone, of Chatham, has purchased from Mr. J. Stevenson, Sr., the farm on the Butouche Road. Mr. Vanstone had arranged to purchase Mr. Herbert Irving's farm adjoining, but there being a "hitch" in the negotiations the bargain is considered "off." Land in the above vicinity has advanced fully forty per cent since the assessors made their assessment.

Rev. Fr. Richard will shortly remove from St. Louis to Rogersville. He will be succeeded by Rev. Fr. Pelletier now stationed in Madawaska.

Work is progressing rapidly on the St. Louis Branch Railway, which, it is expected, will be completed by the end of the month.

The Lobster fishing has been anything but a success. The packers intend petitioning the Department of Fisheries for an extension of time. Mr. Henry O'Leary, the principal packer on the North Shore, has already exported lobsters to the value of over \$50,000.

A DAY AT TRACADIE.—The ceremony of the Blessing of a chime of Bells will take place at Tracadie, on Sunday next, 16th inst. Bishop Rogers will proceed to Tracadie Saturday p. m. (15th) and may be accompanied by some of the prelates and clergy who are at present at Charlottetown for the celebration of the Silver Jubilee of Bishops Rogers and McIntyre.

On Monday, 17th, the inhabitants of Tracadie will hold a Picnic on the beautiful grounds adjoining their new church. A drive or sail down the coast is particularly agreeable at this season and no doubt many will avail themselves of the occasion of this Picnic etc., to enjoy it.

Mr. J. C. Coughlan of Tracadie has arranged to meet the Miramichi at Neguac on Saturday forenoon with a team suitable to carry eight persons, the fare to Tracadie will be a reasonable one and anyone telegraphing Mr. Coughlan to-day or to-morrow can secure passage.

PRESENTATION TO REV. MR. QUINN.—At the close of the exercises at the "Bible Service," Youghal, on Friday evening, 7th Aug., Mr. Thomas A. Armstrong addressed the Pastor, the Rev. James C. Quinn, a few appropriate remarks with reference to the Bible Class and the pleasure and profit he and others had received in attendance upon it since its commencement two years ago, and on behalf of the members of the Bible class presented Mr. Quinn with an autograph album, ink stand and pen as a token of the respect and esteem which they entertained towards him as pastor. They wished him God speed in his new and wider sphere of labor for church and for Christ to which he was called in Mauritius.

Rev. Mr. Quinn, in a few words, acknowledged the very handsome gift of the Bible class, which had taken him by surprise. He would often think of them and exhorted them to continue their Bible studies and expressed the hope that in after years those under instruction would grow up strong stalwart Christians "possessing Christian"—and do a much better work for and in the church than those now bearing the burden and heat of the day. After singing the 2nd psalm a very pleasant evening's exercises terminated with prayer.

THE TEACHERS.—At the recent opening of the Normal School, Fredericton, the applicants for admission from the four northern counties were as follows:—Northumberland: Alice Dixon, Napan; G. Overton, Chatham; Bridget A. M. Carroll; May A. E. Kim, Chatham; Robina Noble; Myrtle McEwen; Eliza J. D. Allison; Agnes Cameron, Douglastown; Maggie E. McLeod; Katie A. Cameron, Glenelg; Janet Baie, Newcastle; Maggie C. McLeod, Nelson; Ella Elliott, Newcastle.

Glenelg.—K. A. Kine, Estabrook; Augustine Combeau, Peter Rocher; Peter J. Frenette, do.; May J. Frenette, do.; May P. Gordier, do.; Elineine Ross, Bathurst; Anna K. Miller, do.; Susie Armstrong, Bathurst Village.

Bathurst.—Minnie McKay, Dalhousie. Kent.—A. K. Smith, Bathurst; Marie J. J. Bouché; Elizabeth Muzerol, St. Louis; Katie Chrystal; Emile Frecker, Richibucto; Theophile Langis, Bathurst; James Irving, Kingston; Sarah J. McDougall, Bass River; Maud Warnam, Kingston; E. H. Theriault; Pierre Richard, Richibucto; Kate Cutler, Cocagne; Selma M. Bidouan, do.

Chatham Park Fall Meeting. The announcement of the fall races at Chatham Park is out and appears in another column. There are four trotting events for purses of \$80, \$100, \$100, and \$170 respectively the first being for the 3 minutes class, the second for 2:38 class, the third for 2:50 and the last, free for all—two races to come off each day. Excursion return tickets are to be issued on the I. C. R. Northern and Western and Chatham Railways and the steamer Nelson will also run to Nelson each day on the eleven o'clock trip, returning with excursions each day.

A Presentation. We have had several papers sent to us with accounts of the presentation of an address and an oil painting of himself to Mr. Wm. M. Ramsay, Manager of the Standard Insurance Company, accompanied by requests to publish them. The presentation was made at the Manager's Office by Mr. Hunter, inspector of insurance, several of the Directors of the Company being also present. The address is a testimonial of Mr. Ramsay's efficiency and success as a manager and also gives expression to the esteem in which he is held by the officers of the Company. It was no doubt gratifying to him to receive it and a pleasure for those who got it up to present it.

The Circus. It is coming and will show in Chatham on Wednesday of next week—the 19th inst. The "Nickel Plate" does not advertise the largest menagerie in the world, etc., but its proprietor, Mr. W. H. Harris, says that as every circus is good as almost any of them, though he does not consider that portion of the show of great importance. There will be no stard parade of empty cages and property and baggage wagons, but a fine band will make a public appearance. The lions, umbrella-eared elephant, and general menagerie are kept under the canvas. The strength of the exhibition is in the

legitimate ring performance and not in outside and questionable "attractions." For instance Messrs. Charest rides an ordinary bicycle across a wire fifty feet above the ground, without a balance weight of any kind. This has never been attempted by any performer who has here-tofore visited Chatham, all other bicycle riders using a counter balance in the shape of a trapeze beneath the bicycle and two people working on it. Then, there are trapeze acts, tight rope dancing, bare back riding, contortions by the boneless man, daring rifle practice by Mrs. James and Texas Charlie, leaping, tumbling, aerial business, strong man and woman who pull against horses and elephants and no less than six funny clowns.

Address.—Mr. John A. McDonald, whose business engagements at Bathurst have made it necessary for him to remove thither with his family from Black River, was waited upon at his home at the latter place on Wednesday evening, 5th, and presented with the following address, which was read by Rev. John Robertson, pastor of Black River Church.

Address to John A. McDonald, Esq., previous to his leaving Black River to reside in Bathurst. Sir.—In view of your soon leaving Black River, we the undersigned, representing as we believe the sentiments of the inhabitants, in general, have met for the purpose of expressing the high esteem in which you are held as a member of the community and our appreciation of your public-spirited conduct as regards the secular and religious advancement of the district. Whilst deeply regretting your removal from amongst us, we hope that it may be but for a time, and we combine in best wishes and regards for yourself and Mrs. McDonald who has always been ready to assist in any good work where her services could be useful. We sincerely trust that the Divine blessing will attend yourself and your family, wherever your lot is cast.

John Robertson, Minister at Black River. Hugh Cameron, George Fowle, Alex. Cameron, Joe McNaughton, Archibald Cameron, James Cameron, Archibald S. Cameron, William McNaughton, Hugh McKay, Peter McKay, William McNaughton, Sr., Duncan McNaughton, Hugh McDougall, John McDonald, Kenneth McKnight, John Ross, Archibald Cameron, Sr., John McNaughton, Jr., Archibald McCall, Archibald McKay.

Silver Jubilee. The celebration of the Silver Jubilee of the consecration of the Bishops of Charlottetown and Chatham is now being held on Prince Edward Island. The preparations for the event were on quite an extensive scale. Sixteen Archbishops and Bishops were expected to be present, including Archbishops Lynch, of Toronto, Taschereau, of Quebec, O'Brien, of Halifax, Bishops Fabre of Montreal, Carberry, of Hamilton, O'Mahoney, (Coadjutor) Toronto, Damahel of Ottawa, Sweeney of St. John, Cameron of Arichat. The programme for the celebration included Pontifical High Mass in St. Dunstan's cathedral yesterday morning at which Archbishop O'Brien was to preach, leave at the palace, dinner with the Bishop's guests at St. Dunstan's college and tonight tonight procession in the evening. To-day the visiting bishops and priests are to be taken on an excursion on the Hillsborough river and bay.

His Lordship of Chatham, accompanied by other prelates and clergy, is expected in Chatham to-morrow night. The party will proceed on Saturday by the St. Michael, which has been secured for the occasion, to Tracadie, where the ceremony of blessing a chime of bells will take place, to be followed by a picnic on the church grounds on Monday.

The celebration of this Silver Jubilee at Chatham is to be deferred for the present but will probably take place next year.

The "World" in Hysterics. Our neighbor, the World, was very much out of temper on Saturday last because we showed up its disposition to direct such influence as it has against the interests of the community in which it is published. When the World is in its hysterical mood and addresses coarse and unbecoming language to the ADVANCE we always realize that we have hit it hard. On ordinary occasions, it can keep under the restraint which its superficial ideas of propriety suggest, just as our ragged school urchin can be put on his good behavior when visitors are to be received, but when its naturally bad temper is excited the thin veneer of scant civilization flies off and the language and manners most congenial and in accord with its tastes are exhibited. The World has been established long enough in Chatham to learn that coarseness and vulgarity are not appreciated by the people. It ought, also, to remember that they were the rocks on which the paper of which it is the successor made shipwreck.

Its hysteria over its alien position here is very amusing in view of the fact known to everybody that it was established for the express purpose of promoting the particular views and designs of its Company's president and agent, Chatham. In a free country like this and amidst the belligerency of active politics the founding of a paper for such a purpose was no crime, but it is suggestive of meanness and moral cowardice for the paper so established to deny the facts. The trouble with the World is that it imagines it can do the work inspired against Chatham by its principal founder—the gentleman who regularly employs and pays its Newcastle editor—and still successfully impose on the community in which it is published as being otherwise than its enemy. If the World would only drop its attempted disguise and come out squarely as what it really is, people would respect its courage, even if they did not sanction its policy. The silly and transparent attempts which it makes to conceal its real disposition towards Chatham are among the numerous proofs of its general want of strength and ability, and its excited condition when we occasionally refer to its alien character amply illustrates its unfortunate habit of losing its balance at the very times when it requires the coolness and good judgment which are such entire strangers to it. A paper in stronger and better hands would not be ashamed of exhibiting the courage of its convictions and if hit never so hard would bear it without squealing, whimpering and protesting as the World does.

Resisting a Sheriff. To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. Sir.—A sensational and one sided article appeared in the last issue of the St. John Weekly Sun and Moniteur Acadien under the above heading, which

(in justice to the people of the locality named and also in justice to Laman R. Doucet, High Sheriff &c) may require explanation. The following are the facts of the case up to the present.—Thomas Miller of Bathurst received some fish from parties in Pokenook and would not pay for them. The parties put their accounts in a court of law, obtained judgment and sent a constable to levy for the amount. The constable seized a quantity of canned lobsters at the defendant's establishment in Shippegan, had them safely stored and advertised them to be sold on the 21st ult. Three days before the time of sale the constable's premises were visited by the Sheriff, Thomas Miller and another man, who searched the premises for the fish in the constable's absence. On his reaching home the constable found those parties awaiting him. Sheriff Doucet with a great flourish of authority, demanded the fish from the constable on a writ of replevin. The constable modestly declined to surrender property held by authority of the law. While trying to prevail on the constable to show him the property, other parties arrived, among whom were two men to whom Miller was indebted. Some words passed between them and Miller ran away, followed by the other man, who was driving them, and left the Sheriff behind. All present told the Sheriff to do his duty like a man, and the constable, at the Sheriff's request drove him to where his horse was, and did some other services for him the same day.

The day of the sale the fish was sold, and shortly after the sale the Sheriff appeared, followed by some twenty men with warrant to apprehend six men who were charged, of the complaint of the Sheriff, with having "resisted and wilfully obstructed Laman R. Doucet, High Sheriff &c," in the execution of duty and "also of assaulting and beating one Peter Robicheau, a person acting in aid of such Sheriff." The boys at first took to a joke, but on being satisfied the Sheriff was in earnest expressed their willingness to appear before any justice of the Parish. William Walsh was then selected by the Sheriff and the parties under arrest appeared before him the same evening.

The constable's cage was first taken up and the Sheriff, in his examination on oath, exonerated him from all blame, testifying only that he was present with the others when his men left him. When asked if he had further testimony to offer he named the two men who were with him, but refused to give the court authority to send for them.

This took place on July 31st, and on motion of the prosecutor the court adjourned and the prisoners were remanded until the following Monday. Monday came and no Sheriff; the prisoners were then remanded until Tuesday, and no one then appearing against them they were further remanded until the following Friday. Friday came—also the Sheriff, when the case against the prisoners was taken up. The Sheriff could prove nothing against this one, either, but gave the court authority to issue warrants for his other witnesses. The court then adjourned and the prisoners were further remanded until Monday next.

Shortly after adjournment Sheriff Doucet was arrested on a writ of capias and offered his friend Ovide Allard as bail. The constable took him to Mr. Allard's residence, but he declined to bail him for some two dollars and he was obliged to deposit the money with the constable. On his being released he was again arrested for "falsely and corruptly making and subscribing a deposition in the court before William Walsh a justice of the peace, &c." When brought before the justice who issued the warrant he pleaded some excuse for visiting home the following day, and the justice kindly remanded him to Mr. McLachlan of Bathurst until Monday next. (To be continued.) I am &c. FAIR PLAY. Pokenook, Aug. 8th, 1885. St. John Sun and Moniteur Acadien please copy.

County Court. The adjourned Northumberland County Court, Hon. Judge Wilkinson presiding, met at the Court House, Newcastle, on Monday last. A special Grand Jury had been summoned to deal with the indictment against Patrick O'Donnell, charged with stealing and also resisting and assaulting the Deputy Sheriff in the discharge of his duty. The Grand Jury was composed of:

Jared Trott, Foreman. Geo. Brown, John McDonald, Jas. Brown, R. A. Manard, D. C. Smith, J. H. Phinney, Jas. Miller, W. H. Russell, Mich'l Walsh, Geo. Stohart, D. T. Johnston, Isaac Harris, T. M. May, John Brant, Jas. Delaney, Geo. Stables, John Fay.

After the Judge had referred to the excellence of the law rendering the summoning of grand juries unnecessary when there was no criminal business or other important matters requiring their attention, he proceeded to deal with the indictment for special grand jury as in the present case, when the crimes charged had been committed during the court's sitting, he explained the nature of the charges against O'Donnell, which the grand jury retire to deal with, returning to court in less than an hour with a true bill. The indictment for resisting and assaulting the Deputy Sheriff was subsequently placed in their hands and they found a true bill in that also. The main facts of the case, as made out by the witnesses for the prosecution, were as follows:—

O'Donnell, who is a man of bad reputation, had been seen leading about Newcastle station on several occasions prior to the date of the thefts alleged. On 23rd of July he walked off from the station with a valuable and valuable contents the property of Patrick Morrissy who had come by the train from the north. He proceeded to Mr. Thos. Powers' bridge, where he had been employed and a warrant being got out for him he was pursued thither by Deputy Sheriff John Cassidy and Mr. Burns (of the I. C. R.). Mr. Cassidy handcuffed him and permitted him to go up stairs to dress himself to his room he said he would give the Deputy Sheriff. He had meantime slipped a hand from one of the handcuffs and on Mr. Cassidy attempting to lay hold of him he made a desperate resistance, striking the officer with the swinging manacle and attempting to disable him in a most savage manner. The scuffle attracted Burns, who ran upstairs, but was met by the prisoner, who made a kick at him and threatened to take his life, whereupon the gallant I. C. R. man ran away and could not be again induced to go to the officer's assistance. Finding himself in a dangerous position in the grasp of O'Donnell, Cassidy drew his revolver and endeavored to shoot him through the arm but missed

his aim. He cocked the weapon a second time and aimed at the prisoner's leg, but the cartridge failed to explode. Then O'Donnell seized the revolver and removed the chamber. About this time Mr. Power appeared on the scene, taking the place deserted by Burns, and, with his assistance, Cassidy effected the arrest. The evidence went further to show that while he was getting ready to go to Newcastle, the prisoner, when left alone to dress, had emptied the valve of its contents, and put some clothes of his own in it. He was taken to jail and there informed Mr. Cassidy that the stolen property was in his room at Mr. Powers and on proceeding thither much of it was recovered by the officer.

The other theft was of a valise belonging to Mr. John L. Bray, a commercial traveller. Arriving at Newcastle by the steamer from Chatham, Mr. Bray employed Mr. Russell to convey two trunks and a valise to the Railway Station and leave them there until next morning when he would have them checked. Next morning the valise was missing and the evidence showed that it had been stolen from the baggage room by O'Donnell and, after being gone through, hidden under a barn near the station, where it was found. Some of the contents of the stolen valise, were sold by the thief which led to his being suspected and arrested.

At the trial the prosecution was conducted by Saul Thomson, Esq., Q. C. and the defence by Mr. C. J. Thomson. This was the first case in which Mr. Thomson Jr. appeared in Court and his manner of conducting it reflected no little credit on him. The facts were, of course, against the prisoner who was found guilty and sentenced to six months in jail for the assault on the Deputy Sheriff and three years in Dorchester penitentiary for the felonious stealing of the valises.

Gloucester Co. Notes. SUICIDE.—On Saturday last Joseph Burke, a highly respected citizen of Grand Ance, and for many years in the employ of Messrs. Robin & Co. as accountant, committed suicide by hanging. It appears that the unfortunate man's mind was deranged for some little time past and within the past week his friends took particular notice of his condition and it was thought by some advisable that he should be taken charge of. This, however, was neglected, or put off from day to day till on Saturday his lifeless body was found hanging to a beam of the barn. He leaves a wife, but no children.

PRINCIPAL WORKS.—Mr. Black, contractor of Bathurst Post-Office and Customs Building is rapidly pushing his work ahead. About 40 men are employed and the walls of the first story are about up. Judging from the work as being done the building will present a very fine appearance.

THE SCHOOL BUILDINGS are also well under way and Mr. McKenna it appears spares no pains to have the buildings first class in every respect, and it must certainly prove not only one of the most useful but also one of the handsomest buildings in our town.

CARQUET R. R.—The second ten miles of the Carquet R. R. is graded and work is being carried on all along. The next twenty miles will be graded by Christmas, and Carquet will be married and, thus, Salmon Beach, Clifton, Pokenook, &c. will be more nearly related. The credit of securing this very important and beneficial piece of m. m. p. is due to K. F. Barry, Esq., M. P. P.

BERGLARY.—Last week the store of Messrs. L. & M. status manufacturers at Clifton, was robbed of a large amount of goods, and suspicion pointed to four strangers who have been working there for a few days. The four were arrested but one John Barber, a native of Moncton, or the vicinity of that moral town, confessed to having committed the crime and as circumstantial evidence corroborated his statements the others were acquitted and he was sent up for trial at the Supreme Court.

New Bayview had an eclipse of the sun last night. A big school marm eclipsed somebody's small sun. The eclipse lasted some hours. The school marm only being visible.

BATHURST, Aug 10, 1885. MARRIED. At St. Ann's Church, by Rev. E. J. Bannon, P. E., on Sunday, the 26th ult., J. W. Harnett, Esq., of Miramichi, and Miss M. E. Leonard, both of the Town of Richibucto.

DIED. At Chatham, on Tuesday morning Aug. 11th, Denis Regan, aged 69 years.

SHIP NEWS. Fort of Chatham. ARRIVED. July 31.—Bk Edmond Gressier, 326, Cermit, St. Pierre, bal. J. B. Snowball. Bk Kala, 355, Salling, Amsterdam, bal. do. Bk Maria, 329, Anderson, Rotterdam, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Bk Maria, 329, Galloway, bal. Est. Wm. Muirhead. 31.—Bk Mercury, 1093, Panno, Boston, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Aug 1.—Bk Fenmore, 481, Goubrard, Granby, bal. J. B. Snowball. Bk Eddy, 300, Dalton, Dublin, Guy Bevan & Co. Bk Maria, 329, Anderson, Rotterdam, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Bk Maria, 329, Galloway, bal. Est. Wm. Muirhead. 31.—Bk Mercury, 1093, Panno, Boston, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Aug 1.—Bk Fenmore, 481, Goubrard, Granby, bal. J. B. Snowball. Bk Eddy, 300, Dalton, Dublin, Guy Bevan & Co. Bk Maria, 329, Anderson, Rotterdam, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Bk Maria, 329, Galloway, bal. Est. Wm. Muirhead. 31.—Bk Mercury, 1093, Panno, Boston, bal. Guy Bevan & Co. Aug 1.—Bk Fenmore, 481, Goubrard, Granby, bal. J. B. Snowball. Bk Eddy, 300, Dalton, Dublin, Guy Bevan & Co. 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