Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS for Licenses will take place in Masonic Hall Chatham on 1st, 2nd and 3rd June next.

REV. I. E. BILL will preach, all well, in the Temperance Hall, on Sunday afternoon next at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

AT WORK.—The Richards & Hickson Mill had steam up on Saturday, and sawing was commenced on Monday morning.—*Advocate.*

DIED.—The public will hear with deep regret of the death of Mrs. John McMillan, wife of the Post Office Inspector, which took place last evening. Mr. McMillan has the sympathy of the entire community in his deep affliction.—*Sun.*

PROTEST.—A despatch to the St. John *Globe* says that a petition was filed at Fredericton Friday morning against the return of Messrs. Wheten and Leblanc, M P P's for Kent County. Reuben Johnson, one of the defeated candidates at the late election, is the petitioner.

NOT RECOVERED.—The body of the man Grogan, who was drowned in the river about a quarter of a mile from Campbellton, a few nights ago, has not been recovered. Parties were out grappling for the body until yesterday, when the search was given up.—*Globe* 22nd.

SHEDIAC MAN DROWNED.—An associated press despatch, dated Bangor, Maine 18th says:—"Daniel Legere, aged 28, of Shediac, N. B., was drowned while driving on the Russel stream, West Branch of the Penobscot Monday. The body was recovered. He leaves a widow and two children."

1105.—Miramichi Council No. 441, Royal Arcanum, is opened for regular duty on the first and third Fridays of each month, in their rooms, Masonic Hall, Chatham, N. B. John S, Benson, M. D., Regent and Medical Examiner Wm. Wilson, Collector; John Fotheringham, Secretary. Present membership of the order 62,000.

THE SCOTT ACT IN MONCTON.—Notwithstanding the fact that the Scott Act is in force in Moncton, liquor is as openly sold to-day as it ever was. The Moncton *Transcript* says that "only the mayor and one councillor show a disposition to enforce the law. Our information is to the effect that there are more liquor taverns now than before the act was adopted."

EXCURSION.—A large number of excursionists went down-river on the Queen's Birthday, by the Str. Miramichi and report having had a most enjoyable time. The daily trips made by this boat afford excellent opportunities for small or large excursion parties whenever it is convenient for them to thus spend a day from home.

SALMON FISHERY.—Salmon have struck into the Miramichi rather earlier than usual. The first catch we have heard of was on Monday, the 17th, when five were caught in the vicinity of Bay du Vin. Some few were caught during the week. The first catch in this vicinity was by Mr. Alex. Henderson, off Canadian Marsh, his prize being a twenty pounder.—*Advocate.*

A MISSION TO OTTAWA. headed by our local dispenser of Dominion patronage, is the latest talk in Newcastle, its alleged purpose being to induce Hon. Mr. Mitchell not to again offer for the representation of Northumberland in the House of Commons.

It is understood that the House is to be disolved and the Dominion elections brought on this summer.

USEFUL AND FANCY ARTICLES SALE.—The Members of St. Mary's Young Women's Guild will hold a sale of Useful and Fancy articles in St. Mary's Chapel Sunday School Room on Tuesday, June 1st The sale will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. and refreshments will be supplied during the afternoon and evening.

The articles of needlework will be of a useful and well-made description and the sale will be deserving of general patronage.

Admission, 10cts Children, 5cts.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—In the County of Northumberland,—Michael Bransfield, John Parks, and Peter Legere, to be Justices of the Peace.

E. Perley Willston and Robert Murray to be Referees in Equity.

In the County of Kent,—John G. Barton, Urbain D. Richard, Thomas H. Gibson, Keady O'Leary, John Jardine, Junior, Sylvain Babin, Joseph J. Babineau, Andrew LeBlanc, Hilaire Arseneau, Oswald Smith, William H. Warman, and John Baptiste Gueguen, to be Justices of the Peace.

THE ENTERTAINMENT given at the Temperance Hall, Newcastle, on the evening of the 24th under the direction of Rev. I. E. Bill was quite a success. The Hall was crowded and large numbers had to go away failing to get a seat. A very interesting programme was presented. The interest was well sustained from the beginning to the close and appeared to be much enjoyed by all present. The silver collection amounted to quite a handsome sum and goes towards the funds of the Baptist S. S. The exercises were closed by singing "God Save the Queen" led by "Stewart's Quartet Band."

THE CRUISERS.—Last Saturday's *Globe* says,—The "General Middleton" shipped a portion of her crew this afternoon and on Monday evening will proceed to sea. Twelve men were chosen but when the time arrived for signing articles only eight could be found, The others were afraid they would have to fight and backed out.

Capt. Quigley, of Newcastle, is appointed captain of the new cruiser "Terror." He will have as first officer Capt. Bennet, late Depewell, A. Co. The second officer has not been appointed, but there is no scarcity of material to select from.

YARMOUTH FISH TRADE.—A Gloucester, Mass., despatch of Saturday last, says,—"It is learned that the Yarmouth Fish Company are building large refrigerators to freeze all kinds of fish for shipment to Boston. When prices are low they will be kept in traps alive until it suits the shipper to sell. As fish packed in ice for immediate consumption has been declared free of duty the company will have a big advantage over American fishermen, who cannot compete with the Canadian. A dispatch says 600 barrels of fresh mackerel have been shipped from Yarmouth. The feeling here is that an embargo should be put upon this slaughter of American fishing interests."

A SERIOUS LOSS has fallen upon Mr. Hugh P. Crocker, by the burning, on Monday afternoon last, of his fine residence just above the town of Newcastle. The fire originated in the ell of the building and no adequate means of extinguishing it being at hand the whole structure was destroyed. The furniture, carpets, etc. were saved in a damaged condition. The arrival of Newcastle hand engine prevented the fire from spreading to other buildings. Mr. Crocker's house alone was worth nearly $4.000 and he had only $1,000 insurance.

REMINISCENCES. — Preparations have been made for removing the old Methodist Church to make room for the new parsonage to be erected on the same site. While the work of blocking up the building was in progress, Mr. Alex. Reid, of Douglastown, while passing one day, said that he had been born in that cellar a short time after the great Miramichi fire. It appears that there were two houses on that lot at the time of the fire, both of which were destroyed. The cellar of one of them was roofed over and the family of which Alex. Reid was a member, lived there for some time. In proof of this statement the old hearth stone was discovered as well as an old frying-pan.—*Advocate.*

THE TWO WATCH-THIEVES, McRae and Bernard, who were sent up for trial by police magistrate Blair last week, secured an opportunity to have their cases disposed of by Mr. Niven, police magistrate of Newcastle, and two other justices, the trial being brought on yesterday. We have not, up to the present writing, learned the result, but cannot help believing that it would be more in the interest of justice and a greater discouragement of such crimes, if such matters were allowed to go to the higher courts. We mean no reflection on the competency of Mr. Niven and his associate magistrates, but fear they may take a more lenient view of such cases than the record of the accused and the interests of the community require.

GLOUCESTER FISHERMEN.—On Tuesday morning of last week there arrived at St. John by I C R train D. H. McEachern and Pius McPhee, the former a native of Cape Breton and the latter of P. E. Island, who were lost in the fog while attending trawls at the Grand Banks some days ago. They belonged to the Gloucester schooner A. T. Gifford. The men were in their fishing suits and applied to U. S. Consul Murray for clothing and a passage to Gloucester. Mr. Murray provided them with board. They were sent to Gloucester. The men were sent to St. John by U. S. Consul Holt of Gaspe, Quebec. They complained bitterly of the way Mr. Holt treated them, but speak in high praise of Mr. Murray's efforts to make them as comfortable as possible.

SILVER WEDDING.—On Saturday evening last a number of gentlemen friends made a call upon our respected postmaster James Johnston, Esq., and M. Adams, Esq., for those present presented Mr. and Mrs. Johnston with a handsome silver tea service with their monogram, as a souvenir of their wedding day. A suitable reply was made. The gentlemen present on the occasion were Messrs. R. B. Haddow, M. Adams, W. A. Park, J. D. Creaghan, W. Masson, James Mitchell, John Ferguson, R. H. Gremley, E. Lee Street, C. E. McKeen. The tea service consists of six pieces, tea pot, coffee pot, water urn, sugar bowl, cream pitcher and slop basin. The service is handsomely engraved.

The many friends of Mr. Johnston will regret to learn that he is in a very poor state of health. He has never got over the shock received at the time he was so seriously injured last fall. All wish him a speedy restoration to health.—*Advocate*

THE REDPATH CONCERT COMPANY had a large audience in Masonic hall, Chatham, on Monday evening. The performance was an excellent one, although many who were present hardly anticipated Mr. Reynolds' style of entertaining them, recitations and semi-character songs being somewhat off color for such an occasion. Miss Christie's violin solos were superb and, alone, well worth the price charged for admission. Nothing approaching them was ever before heard by a Chatham audience. Mr. Gilder's piano solos were admirable and one, in particular, a very difficult piece which few, excepting the best professionals, would attempt. Miss Chamberlin's whistling captivated everybody. It was marvellous in its perfection and executed with an apparent ease that was charming. The piano, imported for the occasion by Mr. Allen of Newcastle gave great satisfaction and contributed much to the success of the performance, which, as a whole, was a good one. Mr. Allen's enterprise in, now and then, affording Miramichi audiences opportunity to witness the better class of entertainments, deserves every encouragement and support.

THE PRELLER CASE.—ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—The *Post Despatch* this afternoon prints a statement made by H. M. Brooks *alias* Maxwell, now on trial for the murder of C. A. Preller, which will constitute his defense. The statement is to the effect that Prellar was suffering from a private disease, for which Brooks was treating him with Preller's consent. Brooks administered chloroform in the usual way. The first stage was passed but in the second stage Brooks discovered thath is patient was dying. He used every means in his power to revive him, but without avail. Brooks then became almost wild and hid the body in a trunk. What was done after that he claims to have no recollection of. According to his own story the cutting off of Prellar's moustache, the inscription about 'traitor' found in the trunk and all other queer incidents connected with the tragedy, are to be attributed to his liquor, fear and crazed condition after the fatality.

N. & W. RAILWAY.—The Fredericton *Gleaner* of Tuesday week says: Contractor Ruel and a crew of 40 men left Marysville yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, by a special train for Boiestown, to resume operations on the unbuilt portion of the road. A gang of men also went up a few days ago but all the work so far has been centered in the construction of the Burnt Land Brook bridge which is now completed, and, the ballast and construction trains can now pass beyond, so that the work of track-laying and ballasting will be pushed along rapidly. There is only one more bridge to be built on the road and that is the bridge at Doaktown. The abutments for this bridge are constructed and ready for the superstructure. Only about seven-eighths of a mile of grading remain to be done on the whole road. There are about 30 miles of track to be laid and 35 miles of the road yet remain to be ballasted. The whole road is expected to be completed by the last of August. The machinery for the railway works at Gibson has been unloaded from the cars and is being put in position.

A SUCCESS.—The first week of the Colonial and Indian Exhibition has been one of complete success. The public have flocked in great numbers, and the total at the close of the week on Saturday was officially returned at 128,077. The numbers on Wednesday were 12,137, and on Friday 21,076. The first Wednesday at the Inventions Exhibition last year was only 8,243, and the largest previous first Wednesday was in the Fisheries Exhibition—9,198. The first week of the Fisheries had the benefit of Whit-Monday, and the total ran up to 132,949. The first Friday last year recorded 12,391. The total for the four days ending on Friday night was over 94,000, and Saturday was a very full day, for which 25,000 may be taken in round numbers, so that this year's success will about equal the Fisheries without the help of the Whit Holiday, which will not occur until the middle of June.—Canadian *Gazette.*

A cable from London 21st, says: "The Queen made a visit to the Colonial and Indian exhibition to-day and carefully inspected the Canadian court. Her Majesty was accompanied by the Princess Beatrice, Duchess of Albany and Marquis of Lorne. Special attention was given by the royal visitors to the game and agricultural trophies, educational and geological exhibits and display of agricultural machinery. Refore leaving, the Queen expressed a desire that the public should know how much she admired the Canadian court and how greatly she was interested in the Canadian exhibit. The general public were excluded from the court during the time the royal party were present.

Railway Subsidies.

Among the Railway Subsidies referred to in our Ottawa Notes are that for the Douglastown Branch and for ten miles applied to the Northern & Western which includes, the extension of the Chatham Branch to Deep Water. This looks like a partial restoration of the subsidy withdrawn from the Miramichi end of the N. & W. road two years ago.

Good Work.

On her last voyage from London, the North Atlantic Steamship Company's steamer, Clifton, was partially disabled. The mishap occurred in the Strait of Canso and was no less serious a matter than the breaking of the high pressure crank-shaft. Chief Engineer White was, however, equal to the emergency and, in a short time had disconnected the broken crank and so "re-organized" the engines as to run the vessel at seven-knot speed with the remaining, or low pressure crank. Charlottetown was reached in safety by careful management, where the "lame duck" was met by the Miramichi tug, Sea King, and assisted to Chatham. On reaching this port the work of making good the damage was entrusted to Mr. Wm. Muirhead's Miramichi Foundry and Machine Works, of which Mr. Geo. Dick is the Mechanical Superintendent. He put on night and day crews, who practically dismounted the steamer's engines, got the spare shaft, which the steamer had on board, up from where it had lain for years, ready for an emergency, fitted it, made good the other damages caused by and consequent upon the break, and had the fine ship ready for sea, in good working order, by the time her cargo was in, so that there was, practically, no detention, excepting the initial one caused by the accident. Much credit is given to Engineer White for the prompt and efficient manner in which he mastered the mishap when it occurred, as well as for the competency he displayed in assisting the later work of restoring his engines to perfect working order. It is, also, a matter of interest to the owners of steamship tonnage to know that the port of Chatham, which has so well-established a reputation for the production of sailing merchantmen, has also such plant and other facilities as are found at the Miramichi Foundry and Machine Works for the prompt and thorough repair of such breakdowns as that of the Clifton.

Miramichi Yacht Club's First Trip.

The Queen's Birthday was celebrated by the Miramichi Yacht Club in fine style. Quite a flotilla of steamers and sailing vessels started from Derby shortly after 9 a. m., and proceeded down-river to Newcastle, where they were joined by others, all gay with bunting, the flagship being Messrs. J. & J. Miller & Co's steam-yacht Laura, on board of which was the Millerton Band under the efficient leadership of Mr. Jack Miller. About eleven o'clock the fleet arrived at Chatham, where it was augmented by the contingent of this place, and with its large and merry party of members and guests distributed among the different craft, proceeded down the Miramichi, the flagship leading. The sight was as novel to our river as it was pleasing, and attracted a large number of spectators to the wharves. There were seven steamers and about a dozen sailing yachts, the Derby craft, however, being the most attractive and prominent in both classes and reflecting great credit on the enterprise and social value to the community of Messrs. Miller, who have always taken the lead in matters of this kind. The rendezvous was at Sheldrake Island, where several hours were passed on shore in picnicking as well as in enjoyment, particularly by the sailing craft, of the afternoon's fresh easterly breeze. There was one capsize by two novices who thought they could handle a boat, but that was the only mishap of the day, which will be pleasantly remembered by all who were under the Miramichi Yacht Club's flag.

A Chatham party, who preferred what they call good honest sailing, chartered Messrs. Walls' pilot schr. Princess Louise and, to the number of a dozen, made a Queen's Birthday trip down-river. They carried with them a good stock of provisions, fishing gear etc. and heartily enjoyed the day, saluting the Yacht Club fleet as they fell in with them and sailing with the best.

Presbytery of Miramichi.

The Presbytery of Miramichi met at Newcastle, on Tuesday 25th inst. pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted with prayer, by the Rev. Wm. Aitken, moderator. Sederunt: — Messrs. Thomas G. Johnstone, Neil McKay, Wm. Aitken, John Robertson and E. Wallace Waits; Ministers; and W. H. Grindley, Elder. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and sustained.

The Rev. Ghosen Al Howie, late of Mt. Lebanon, Syria, and Rev. James Murray were invited to sit as corresponding members of the Court. The petition from Nelson, asking for regular supply, laid over from a former meeting, was again read, and after consideration, it was resolved to request Mr. Clay, who is at present supplying River Charlo, to preach at Nelson, next Sabbath, 30th inst, with a view to his being located there for the summer. And further, that a committee consisting of Messrs Waits, McKay, and Aitken be appointed to meet with the congregation at Nelson, on Monday 31st inst., at 7.30 p. m. for the purpose of maturing arrangements for Mr. Clay's settlement there; or, otherwise provide for the supply of that station.

The Rev. James Murray was appointed to Charlo for the next two Sabbaths, May 30th and June 6th.

The Clerk submitted the names of the Catechists appointed to the various mission fields, and he was thanked for his diligence in the matter.

The hour of adjournment having arrived it was agreed on motion to sit until the business was finished.

A communication from Escuminac, Quebec, was read, requesting that Rev. A. Ogilvie Brown be appointed moderator of their session, in place of Rev. Peter Lindsay, on the ground of the former being more conveniently located. In making this change the presbytery desired not only to convey to Mr. Lindsay the hearty thanks of the Escuminac Session, but also their grateful appreciation of his past services there.

Several circulars on the reception of ministers were read.

It was resolved to make application to receive Rev. Mr. Howie, a licentiate of the Church of Scotland. The Clerk was instructed to issue the usual circular thereanent. Mr. Aitken moved the following resolution in the case, which was adopted: "That this presbytery while not ignoring the serious drawback of blindness, they are of opinion that Mr. Howie is perfectly competent to discharge a pastor's duties: His labors within the bounds, as well as his numerous certificates abundantly justify this resolution, and encourage the hope that the General Assembly will see it their duty to admit him to the status of a minister of this church."

"Rev. F. W. George was appointed Commissioner to General Assembly in place of Rev. John McCarter.

The Clerk reported that although the grants to Redbank, Black River, and New Carlisle were not made at the last meeting of the Augmentation Committee, in view of certain explanations forwarded since, they would no doubt be forthcoming in full at the usual time.

The Presbytery resolved to meet in the Hall of St. Andrew's, Chatham, Tuesday the 13th July next, at 11 a. m. and was closed with prayer.

Rev. G. El Howie

This gentleman delivered a lecture in the St. James' Hall on Thursday, May 13th on Palestine, taking up more particularly the social customs and habits of the people, as illustrative of the Holy Scriptures. His lecture was listened to most attentively by the large number present. The Moncton *Transcript* gives the following sketch of this gentleman;—

Mr. Howie, the blind preacher, is a native of Mt. Lebanon and a grandson of a Greek clergyman. In 1874 he visited Britain making Edinburgh his Western home. In 1877 he returned to the East and became Superintendent of a School in Beyrout. In 1880 he returned to Edinburgh and continued his studies for the ministry of the Presbyterian Church. In June of 1884 he was licensed by the Presbytery of Edinburgh and upon the recommendation of some friends in Scotland he left Glasgow on the 15th April last, and the following May he was preaching in Halifax where his lectures attracted crowds of interested listeners. Mr. Howie enjoyed the blessing of the use of his sight until within five or six years ago. When the growth of a cataract first on one eye then on the other left him in the present condition. During the latter part of his course of study Mr. Howie had to depend upon the services of a reader and to some extent an amanuensis. Still we find by his university certificates he gained four prizes, thus showing that the mere fact of blindness is not necessarily an insuperable obstacle in the way of those who may conscientiously apply themselves in the prosecution of any laudable calling or profession. In the meantime Mr. Howie remains prosecuting his work as a preacher and lecturer here but we learn that he is anxious to avail himself of an opportunity of returning to the east and labour as a missionary either among the Jews or Mahommedans. His course of lectures has hitherto included popular exposition of eastern customs, habits, history, geography and mode of life generally in so far as these things have a bearing on Holy Scripture.—*Advocate.*

The Short Line Railway.

Hon. Mr. Thompson has announced in the Dominion Parliament that the government has entered into a contract with the International Company for the construction of the Short Line Railway from Montreal, via Fredericton, to Salisbury. This is a bad blow to St. John interests, but is in accordance with the wishes of the people of Halifax. The sentiment of this city is of course strongly in favor of the route selected. St. George and St. Andrews, and the St. Croix towns, are subjected to grave disappointment by the decision which makes the route definite and final. Still it is better that the road should go by Fredericton than that no Short Line should be built. The work on the road is being pushed, and the prospects for its early completion are said to be excellent. Work is already commenced on several sections in Maine, and in a few days operations will be in progress on the Sherbrooke end.—*Bangor Commercial.*

A $20.00 Biblical Reward.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for June, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 to the person telling us which is the shortest Commandment in the Bible by June 10th, 1886. Should two or more correct answers be received, the REWARD will be divided.

The money will be forwarded to the winner June 15th, 1886. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver or postal notes, (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the *Monthly* for July in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

Port of Newcastle.

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21.—Bk Nudraug, 374, Norway, D. & J. Ritchie & Co
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19.—Bk Arathusa, 320, Dunn, Lanse, D & J Ritchie & Co
21—Capenhurst, 699, Bromly, Liverpool, D. & J Ritchie & Sons
24—Bk Bironna, 793, Fox, Liverpool, G Burchill & Sons
25—Lammergier, 579, Gilmore, Belfast, G Burchill & Sons

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against the Miramichi Steam Navigation Company are requested to render the same on or before 1st day of June. No bills will be recognised but those incurred by the Manager or on his written order.

T. F. GILLESPIE,
Chatham, May 25th. Manager.

For Sale.

On Monday May 31st.,

at 12 O'clock, noon, by public auction opposite the Post Office, Chatham, the powerful Steam Tug "Laddie" as she now lies at the upper Boom Wharf of the late Hon. Wm. Muirhead.

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To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Saturday the 4th day of September next, in front of the Post Office, in Chatham, between the hours of twelve noon and 5 o'clock p m.

All the right, title and interest of Mitchell Robicheau, in and to FIFTY ACRES of all that Tract piece or parcel of land—being part of the Tract of land granted to Alexander Fraser, situate lying and being between Upper Negnac and Lower Negnac in the Parish of Alnwick and County of Northumberland, on the Westerly side of the Great Road, and abutted and bounded as follows:—On the West by a Lot of Land granted to John Denoit no. 5 (Number five), on the East by the undivided property of John M. Savoy and the heirs of the late Simon Savoy, on the South by the Great Road, and on the North by land granted to Lazorince Allan—and being the Piece of Land and premises at present occupied by the said Mitchell Robicheau and on which he resides.—The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of an Execution issued out by the Northumberland County Court at the suit of Alexander Loggie against Barney Robicheau, Luc Robicheau, James Robicheau and the said Mitchell Robicheau.

JOHN SHIRREFF,
Sheriff of North'd. Co.
Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, 25th May, 1886.

STORE TO LET.

THE single Store in the Subscriber's Building lately occupied by Messrs Moss & Son is now to let. This is one of the best business stands in Chatham.

J. R. GOGGIN.
Chatham, May 18th, 1886.
6.10

To Art Students.

MISS MORRISON is prepared to take pupils in Oil and Water Color painting, Drawing, and Painting on Plush, Felt and Satin etc.

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May 19th 1886.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN!

All accounts due to me and not paid by 1st June will be placed in a Lawyer's hands for immediate collection.

G. STOTHART.
May 18th, 1886

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The Grindstone QUARRY

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R. HUTCHISON.
Douglastown, May 1st, 1886.

STEAMER 'NELSON.'

TIME TABLE.

The Steamer, Nelson, will run as follows until June 1st,

LEAVE

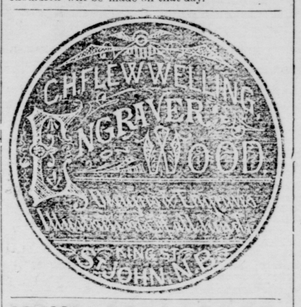
Chatham.	Nelson.	Newcastle.
8 a. m.	8.40 a. m.	9.00 a. m.
10 a. m.	10.40 a. m.	11.00 a. m.
2 p. m.	3.00 p m.	3.30 p. m.
6 p. m.	6.40 p. m.	7.00 p. m.

carrying freight and passengers. All freight charges amounting to one dollar or less must be prepaid

T. F. Gillespie,
Manager.

Special Notice.

On the QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY (24th) the morning trip of the "Nelson" will be made, leaving Chatham at 7 a. m. and each of the other points an hour earlier than usual, so as to connect with the 'Miramichi' for points down river, to which an excursion will be made on that day.



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GENERAL BUSINESS.

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J. B. SNOWBALL,
Manager.
CHATHAM, 11th May, 1886

Street & Fire Commissioners.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Street and Fire Commissioners of the Town of Chatham, having organized under an act passed at the late session of the House of Assembly, entitled "An Act relating to Street and Fire Service in the Town of Chatham, all matters relating to Highways, Streets and Roads within the Town of Chatham formerly under the management of the Street Commissioner, and all matters relating to Fire Service in said Town formerly under the management of the Firewards, are now under the control and management of the said Street and Fire Commissioners.

By order.

WM. MUIRHEAD,
President.
THOS. CRIMMAN,
Secretary.
Chatham, May 1, 1886.

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Newcastle, May 5, 1886.

BLACK CLYDE STALLION

Duke of Wellington.

Imported by the Northumberland Agricultural Society, will make the season of 1886 on the same terms, etc., as last year. His route will embrace Blackville, Indiantown, Derby, Newcastle, Nelson, Douglastown, Napan and Chatham.

The Duke of Wellington is a Black Clyde Stallion, rising 5 years old, by Bismark, a pure Clyde Horse which took four 1st prizes at Rothsay, Scotland, and other places. Bismark was by old Marquis, and is now 9 years old, stands 17 hands high, with great power and superior action, was bred by R. G. Riddle, Esq., Felton Park, from his celebrated prize-taking Black mare by Tweedside.

OLD MARQUIS.

Old Marquis was bred by Alex. Lang, Garnilland, Paisley, and took 1st prize at Barrhead, Paisley, and at Johnstone when one year old, these shows being open to all Scotland. When two years old took 1st prize at Rothsay. Marquis' dam was bred by Mr. James Simpson, Bute, and took seven 1st prizes at Rothsay and all her produce took prizes. Marquis' Grandshire was Sampson, bred by Mr. Logan, Crosseat, Kilbareban.

Duke of Wellington's Dam was by Wellington Grand Dam by Old Blooming Heather Wellington was bred by Mr. Robert Fox, of Swindon Grange, near Wetherby, stands 17 hands on short clean legs, with good action. Was got by Derayshire Champion out of a mare got by True Briton. True Briton was got by Old Oxford, and Old Oxford by Bringham's Farmer's Glory. Old Blooming Heather was got by Heather Jock, and obtained in 1869 a Medal at Edinburgh and 1st prize at Carlisle and 1st at Langholm, and when 5 years old obtained the £40 prize at Mid-Calder in County Edinburgh. Blooming Heather was a good Black and his dam was by Black Rattler, Grand Dam by Waggoner.

THE SUBSCRIBER intends visiting Chatham, Bathurst and surroundings, to attend to the castrating of Horses, or any Animals needing such service. Don't believe statements made by any parties as I always get there in season. Parties wanting such service and who live in remote places will please leave word with any friends and they will get a call from me in due time.

H. J. MACGOWAN.

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L. J. TWEEDIE, Barrister at Law.
Chatham Mar. 18th, 85.

Card of Thanks.

The subscribers beg to tender their sincere thanks to their many friends and customers in this and the Northern Counties for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized us for the past sixteen years, and to inform them that they have purchased an old established Tobacconist business in Montreal, which will be conducted by Isaac Harris who will always be pleased to meet our friends from New Brunswick visiting Montreal. The business here will still be carried on by Aaron Harris.

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