Miramichi and the North Shore, etc..

DRIVING PARK-meeting—See advt

FLOUR, TOBACCO, sugar, etc—See Mr Hocken's advt.

DIOCESAN SYNOD Report is held over until next week.

MR WYSE offers a large stock of staple articles, etc, at his Golden Ball mart.

COUNTERFEIT.—Look out for dangerous counterfeit ten dollar notes of the Canadian Bank of Commerce,

A CHANGE.—Mr. Valentine Landry, who has been school inspector on the North Shore, will be succeeded by Mr Jerome Boudreau.—*Globe.*

THE PRESBYTERY of Miramichi will meet for ordinary business, in the Hall of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, on Tuesday next, the 13th inst., at 11 a. m.

DERBY POST OFFICE.—A new post office, for the accommodation of the people between Millerton post office and Bryanton's, has been established at Parker's. It is known as Derby.

OUR CITIZEN-SOLDIERS now in camp at Sussex are expected home on Saturday next. The camp is said to be the best, in the matter of good discipline and general conduct, ever held at Sussex, and we regret that a more extended notice of it is crowded out of this issue of the ADVANCE.

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.

GOSPEL SERVICE.—Ingram Bill the "Boy Preacher" will speak, all well, at the Temperance Hall, Chatham, on Thursday evening, the 8th inst. A service of Song will be conducted on the occasion by Rev I E Bill. Seats free. All are cordially invited. Service commences at 8 o'clock. A collection will be taken to defray expenses. Friends please bring their Gospel Songs.

THE RESOLUTION on temperance adopted by the Diocesan Synod was as follows:

Resolved, That this Synod desires to reaffirm the resolution on temperance adopted at the last annual meeting, and to urge on clergy and laity renewed exertions against the evil of intemperance and the present system of drinking saloons by which the evil is fostered.

CHANGE OF PLACE FOR GARDEN PARTY.—The garden party by the Ladies of St, Andrews Church is unavoidably changed from

BLINK BONNIE TO THE MANSE,

Water Street. All will be made welcome at the grounds of the manse, on Thursday (to-day) from 4 to 10 p. m. Tea will be served under the trees at 6 p. m. Refreshments, Ice Cream and Strawberries.

The band will be in attendance. Admission as per advt.

PERSONAL.—Everybody is glad to welcome Mr. Isaac Harris back to Chatham from his headquarters in Montreal. He is to remain at the branch of his firm's business here for two or three weeks and also, we believe, enjoy a season salmon fishing before returning to the firm's headquarters.

Rev Father Manning of Halifax is visiting Chatham.

Hon P. Mitchell is visiting his Miramichi constituents. If outward appearances go for anything, the world goes well with the veteran politician His recent change for the better in politics has, no doubt, much to do with his excellent condition of mind and body.

THE GRAND FAIR to be held in the Skating Rink on Tuesday next will no doubt attract a large attendance. During the afternoon visitors from Nelson, Newcastle, Kerr's Mill and Douglastown will be brought to Chatham by the Steamer *Nelson* at half fare and returned at the same rate, the *Nelson* leaving Chatham at half past ten p. m. which will be closing time at the Fair. During the evening the band, under the leadership of Mr. Templeton, will furnish music at the Rink. Don't forget the date and don't fail to reserve Tuesday afternoon or evening, or both, for the Fair under the auspices of the ladies of St. John's Church.

DOMINION DAY EXCURSIONS by rail and on the river were well patronized.

That to Blackville by the N. & W. Railway in aid of the New Methodist Church fund, Chatham, was an unqualified success, netting the handsome sum of $210.24. The games and sports which were under the direction of Mr. A D Smith of Chatham, were conducted and contested with great spirit, while those who sought more quiet enjoyment were pleasantly occupied in visiting Blackville friends, fishing, picnicking in private parties and enjoying the beautiful scenery of the locality.

Holdfast Lodge No 149, I O G T., got up a picnic and excursion to Bartibog, on awning-covered barges, which were taken to the picnic grounds by the steamer Derby. Stewart's Cornet Band accompanied the party, which numbered about 400, made up from Derby, Newcastle, Douglastown, Nelson, Chatham, Black Brook and other points.

There were also other smaller excursions by the Miramichi and Andover and private parties had an enjoyable day of it on the Yacht Club's craft and the Str. St Michael.

S S. Convention.

The Programme of the Northumberland County Sunday School Convention; which is to be held in St Andrew,s Hall, Chatham, on Thursday next, 15th inst., is issued by the Secretary, Rev Neil McKay, and is as follows.—

MORNING SESSION.

11.30 a. m.	Devotional meeting, led by Rev. G F Dawson.
11.00	Call to order by County Secy. Appointment of officers and Committees.
11.30	Reports from delegates; conference on Sabbath School work throughout the county
12.15p. m.	Paper; What Sunday School workers may learn from business men—Discussion—closing.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.30 p.m.	Devotional Meeting led by W S Loggie.
3.00	Reports of Committees.
3.30	Paper: The special object of S. School Teaching by W S Loggie.
4.15	Paper: Preparing to Teach, Rev N McKay—Discussion.
5.00	Paper; 'Fruit gathering in the Sabbath School' by Rev G F Dawson—Discussion

EVENING SESSION—MASS MEETING.

7.30 p.m.	Devotional Meeting led by Robt Gordon.
8.00	Address: 'Benefits accruing from County and Provincial Associations' Rev Mr. Fotheringham.
8.30	Address; 'Bearing of Sabbath School work on the future of our country' Rev E W Waits

Collection.—Closing exercises.

WHY DISCRIMINATE.—"I have something to ask you,' said a man on Prince William st., to a reporter to-day. "Well, what is it!' was the reporter's query. "Can you tell me how the Intercolonial Railway freights are regulated? A couple of days ago, two cases of goods were sent to me from Moncton on which I paid $1.84 freight. I returned the same cases and same goods, to Moncton, and I had to pay $2 05. How is it?' The reporter could not enlighten him, and the man went away breathing vengeance on the compiler of the freight rates.—*Globe.*

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSAIP,—The firm of Cornwall, Summers & Co., of Liverpool and London, (England) and St. John, New Brunswick, (Canada), has been dissolved by the retirement of Mr. Ira Cornwall, jr. The business will be continued as before, under the style of John H. Summers & Co. Mr. Cornwall has found this action necessary owing to his duties, as Commissioner from New Brunswick at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, also an Honorary Agent from that Province in Great Britain, requiring his undivided attention. Mr. Cornwall is also looking after New Brunswick interests at the International Exhibition at Liverpool and was about the only Canadian who took an active part in working up the interest in that exhibition, throughout Canada.—*Canadian Exhibitor.*

Hardwicke School Examination.

The examination of the Village School, Dist. No. 4 Parish of Hardwicke was held on Monday, 28th June in presence of a large number af the parents of pupils and other visitors. This being a busy season of the year, only one Trustee, Capt. Forbes, was present.

The pupils were examined in all the branches taught and showed considerable progress Class A was reviewed in British History, beginning from the Norman period, to the present date, giving the opening and closing dates of each period, the leading features and the principal events, Canadian History, etc. Classes A and B drew on their slates the map of the Dominion each pupil drawing a different county, Classes C and D drawing the county of Northumberland. The maps were very neatly done, especially Quebec. by Maria Forbes, New Brunswick, by Maggie McLean. Mima Noble and Ronald Duplesse were No 1 in Northumberland. Compositions were read by several of the pupils. The North American Indians, by Maria Forbes, Starch, by John Gregan, Ventilation, by Bella Forbes and Exercise, by J D Noble, showed careful study. Recitations were given by the pupils, 'The Grey Swan' by Bella Forbes, 'The Retort' by Charlie McLean, and 'A Strange Boy' by Hubert Williston were well rendered.

The school has been in charge of Miss Fleiger of Chatham, for the last six months. This district is fortunate in securing the services of such an efficient teacher.

Mrs McMaster had prepared a lunch for the pupils, which I suppose was the most enjoyable part for them. E.

Death of Mr. A. W. Davison.

We record to day, in its proper column, the death of Alexander William Davison, a young gentleman of brilliant promise in the Parish of Tracadie, Gloucester Co.,—the youngest son of William Davison, Esq., of that place. The deceased was well and favourably known to many in Chatham who will unite their mourning with that of bereaved friends and aquaintances at Tracadie. "Seldom," says one of the latter, a correspondent, "does it fall to the lot of so young a man, and one engaged in mercantile pursuits, to gain for himself at the opening of his career the high esteem and affection not only of his own contemporaries, but of those also of maturer years who, having themselves borne the heat and burden of the past, are but too wont to pass by with unconcern the efforts of a beginner to build up a business on a new and more modern system. The great regret so generally expressed when the news of his early death spread around his native Parish on last Friday evening, bore testimony to his worth, and to the hold he had won on the affections of the people. Brought up in their midst, knowing them all, and being in sympathy with them, and in return known by all, although naturally of a retiring and unostentatious manner, his warmth of heart and kindly disposition made an easy conquest of the cordial and sincere affection of all. Ever ready to lend a helping hand to the needy or to soothe distress, with a bright smile of encouragement for beginners like himself, most amiable in the social circle, and yet with a keen tact for business, he has left behind him none who could for a moment cherish a wish to see his place vacant. Nay, in the large crowd which stood mourning beside his grave on last Sunday afternoon, many youthful and aged eyes were dimmed, with tears, and all were saddened by the thought that the grave was about to hide from their sight forever the genial, kind and familiar youth, the bright qualities of whose heart had so endeared him to them and around whom so many of their fond hopes for a prosperous and honored future in this life, now alas, shattered, had once clustered.'

In union with his many friends we offer our most sincere condolence to his bereaved parents and family, to whom the general esteem in which he was held by all who knew him may, we trust, prove a balm and a consolation in their grief over their loss.

Gallant Rescue.

The Boston *Herald* of 28th ult. gives the following account of a gallant rescue by a native of Chatham:—

"A daring life-saving act was performed at Craigie's bridge last Friday afternoon, which, owing to the modesty of the hero, has just become public. About 5 o'clock an unknown boy fell overboard from the bridge, and, despite the efforts of a crowd who witnessed the accident, to save him, was swept down stream by the current, and had sunk the second time when Thomas Bean, a letter carrier, came along. Seeing the dangerous condition of the struggling lad, he threw down his bag of letters, off coat and boots and dived from the rail of the bridge. He reached the boy just as he was sinking for the last time, and after a hard struggle succeeded in landing him safely on the pier. Before the assembled crowd could compose themselves sufficiently to inquire his name, Bean had gathered up his letters and started on his mission of delivering them."

Prospective Ages of a Million.

The average duration of human life is thus illustrated by a sporting paper, in the peculiar dialect of the fraternity:—

If one could see a million babies start on a race (all scratch the mark, of course,) and could follow them through life, this is about what he would see: Nearly 150,000 of them would drop out of the ranks by the end of the first year, while twelve months later the numbers would be further thinned by the deduction of 53,000 more; 22,000 would follow at the end of the third year. They would throw up the sponge by twos and threes until the end of the forty-fifth year, when it would be found that in the intervening period something like 500,000 had left the track. Sixty years would see 370,000 gray-headed men still cheerfully pegging away. At the end of eighty years the competitors in this great "go-as-you-please" would number 97,000, but they would be getting more shaky and "dotty" each lap. At the end of ninety-five seasons 223 would only be left in the final "ties," while the winner would be led into his retiring room a solitary wreck, at the age of 108. There is something grimly humorous in the quaint array of figures, but they are founded upon statistics carefully compiled. One cannot help wondering what would be the betting at the start about any one of those million babies coming in alone at the one hundred and eighth lap of the great and mysterious track upon which the race of life is run.

Northumberland Municipal Council.

(Continued from 2nd page)

being present except Councillors Cormier and Cameron.

Coun Baldwin asked for the report of the Jail Committee.

The Warden said the Committee had done all they could do. They had to make arrangements for a jail suitable for many years. They had consulted with architects in reference to the new building. The committee know exactly what they want but whether they can get it for the money granted was the question. They had an estimate by an architect in Nova Scotia who thought their needs could be satisfied by an expenditure of about 50 per cent over the amount stated.

The high Sheriff, as one of the committee, was asked to give his views on the matter and agreed to the opinions and remarks of the Warden. The Committee's idea was to discard outside show and the cost might thus be cut down somewhat. $4000 would not erect a jail suitable for this county and it was time the old one was done away with as it was not a safe place of keeping for some prisoners, who, from time to time, are confined there. If the committee were allowed to use their own discretion or if the Council would add to the amount they might at once go ahead with the work.

Coun. Whalen thought the Committee should either state they could not do the work for the money, or they should go ahead with the work or else resign. He objected to a larger sum being expended on a jail than $4000. In answer to a question he said the people would not be satisfied with any kind of a building that could be put up. If the cost was going to be largely in excess of the grant, they had better repair the old one.

The Warden said the Committee had expended a good deal of time and enquiry in reference to the material of which it might be built whether of brick, stone or wood, the latter according to a carpenter's estimate being the dearest of the three. When the Committee were thoroughly convinced that they could not build a good goal, with the accommodation required, for the money,—and he did not think they could—they would then report to the council.

Coun Ryan thought the matter had better be left to the committee in the meantime, they to report at January session.

Coun Whalen moved that the matter be left over until January session, the committee then to report. The committee had been instructed and they had confided in them and he moved that the matter be left over till January to report' Some further explanations were made' and Coun Baldwin moved in amendment, seconded by Coun Betts that the sum be increased to $6000.

Coun Whalen objected at this stage of the proceedings to increase the amount, and more especially in view of the present dull times.

Coun. Ryan objected to an additional grant in view of the explanation made by the Warden.

Coun. Bamford went in for granting a further sum of $2000, as the county needed a new jail, and he would support the amendment. The original motion was withdrawn.

Coun. Whalen further objected. The people were not millionaires, and he objected to an expense which would be great to the people. The jail was to be built out of the Lands fund, and if the amount was further increased the Land fund would soon be at an end and the people be taxed for expenditures which should come under this fund.

Couns. Bamford, Whalen, Ryan, Adams and others spoke to the question. In answer to a question, the Secretary-Treasurer said there was about $2,200 on hand in the Land fund. The balance was out on loan, On the amendment on the question of increasing the amount for a new jail to $6,000, the vote stood as follows:

Yeas—Adams, Mersereau, Robinson, Betts, Baldwin, McNaughton, Savoy, Wood, Bamford—9.

Nays—Ryan, Tozer, Somers, Amos, Whalen, Underhill, Saunders, Thibedeau, Flanagan, Smith, Williston, Bransfield, Stewart—13.

The original motion was then carried.

Coun. Smith said he had been asked to present some petitions of the ratepayers. This he did without prejudicing his own right to use his judgment on the merits of the question as it came up.

The petition was then read asking that an inspector be appointed under the lately-passed local Act for the enforcement of the Scott-Act and that Mr W H Russell be such Inspector. It was signed by about 200 ratepayers, Petition received.

Coun Tozer presented a similar petition with 155 names attached and said he stood in the same position as Coun Smith in reference to it. On motion it was received,

On motion of Coun Bransfield that these petitions lie over till January it was moved in amendment that they be referred to the committee on petitions' Amendment lost on the following division—

Yeas—Adams, Tozer, Betts, Bamford, Amos, Mersereau, Baldwin, Williston, Smith, Stuart, 10.

Nays—Ryan, Somers, Robinson, Whalen, Underhill, Saunders, Thibedeau, Flanagan, McNaughton, Bransfield, Savoy, Wood—12.

The original motion was carried.

Coun. McNaughton moved that Coun. Cameron be excused for not being at this meeting of council, as he could not get away from his military duties at Sussex. Carried.

Coun. Betts presented the report of the committee on petition of R. R. Call, which was as follows:

To the Municipal Council of the County of Northumberland:

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Robert R. Call, for reduction of rent of the Public Wharf property, beg leave to report,—

That they have examined the several leases from the Justices of the Peace as set forth in the said petition. They have also examined the wharf property, and after giving the matter the best consideration they would recommend that the yearly rent be reduced to one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the lessee to keep the part of the wharf leased to him in necessary repair.

They also beg leave to recommend that the Secretary-Treasurer be instructed to draw out and execute the necessary papers. Respectfully submitted, Robert McNaughton, Robert Adams, John Betts, Committee.

Coun. Ryan moved the report be received and adopted.

Coun. Smith moved the report be received. Carried.

Coun. Ryan moved it be adopted.

Coun. Smith said this matter was new to him and, as the property involved was an important one, he wished to know how much of the public wharf was covered by the lease, and what buildings?

Coun. Ryan said the matter had been fully laid before the Council in the forenoon by Mr. Park.

Coun. Smith, however, persisted in requiring the information and on motion—

Mr. Park was heard, giving explanations similar to those given by him at the morning session,

Coun Smith said the Public Wharf would, he believed, realise fully $200 to the County and was well worth that rental. He spoke advisedly in saying that a small privilege in connection with it was held at a figure which formed a very large proportion of the rent paid under the lease, and while he did wish to hold the lessee to his lease if he were making a loss thereby, the interests of the County must be the Council's first consideration. He moved that should Mr. Call so desire he be allowed to abandon his lease, in which event the Newcastle Public Wharf be offered by public competition.

Coun Ryan thought it would be unfair to make Mr. Call throw up his lease as he had put improvements on the property and repaired damages.

Coun Whalen thought he should be held to his lease and if he has expended money to repair damages let him present his bill properly sworn to and then the council could judge the matter on its merits.

Coun Flanagan thought a case similar came up some years ago when Coun Morrissey applied for Mrs Wheeler to have her rent lowered. The lease was renewed, but at the same rent, and he thought all parties should be served alike.

Coun Saunders thought if Mr Call had made an error in his business calculations he should not ask the Council to bear the loss.

The vote being taken Coun Smith's amendment was carried 11 to 10.

Coun Stewart presented the petition of Messrs A & J Adams for a reduction in their taxable valuation in the parish of Neguac which was excessive. The matter was debated and the petition referred to committee.

Adjourned for an hour's committee work.

The Council was called to order at 4.30.

The Warden announced that according to the order passed in January last that new bonds be given by the Secretary Treasurer, the required bonds had been given, approved of and recorded in the record office, where any councillor wishing to see them could do so.

The following resolution was then presented and passed.

Whereas, the Secretary Treasurer has given to the County the bonds ordered at the last sitting of the Council to be given by him.

Therefore Resolved, that his former bond of $8.000 be, as ordered, cancelled and that the Warden deliver up the same.

Coun Bamford moved a Bye Law to the effect, that as the bridge at Doaktown, in the parish of Blissfield had been carried away by the ice, a ferry be established at said crossing with the following fees:—

For sheep, swine or neat cattle (each)	10 cents.
" horse	20 "
" span of horses	25 "
" span and load	30 "
" passenger	5 "

Adopted

Coun Smith presented an order on the Secretary Treasurer to pay the amount of $62, due for rental of the Chatham Lock-up. Order passed.

On motion the County accounts were proceeded with and the following were passed as recommended:—

D M Savoy, Constable	$ 6,00
E P Williston, Auditor	50,00
Dr. Baxter certifying lunatic	4,67
G A Blair, sending lunatics to asylum	24,00
John Sheriff, High Sheriff	240,00
A C Smith, medical attendance on prisoners	13,00
Dr. Fish, account correct but should have Judge's certificate; Secretary Treasurer to pay it when accompanied by the said certificate.	17,00
Secy-Treas filling out District Assessment Lists	25 00
Dr Wier, certifying lunatics	14 01
A C Smith, certifying lunatics	4 67
Jail Committee	317 33
John S Benson, Coroner	53 67
W C Anslow, printing	47 35
John Cassidy	3 25
Prisoner's Board, Chatham Lockup	13 43
Lock-up Keepers salary, Chatham	42 00
J B Williston constable's services in respect to a lunatic named Holmes	5 00

Explanations were made by the Secy-Treas and Coun Somers, the latter recommending that it be paid, motion made that it lie over until January. Moved in amendment by Coun Smith that bill be paid. The amendment was carried.

R D Robinson, conveying two lunatics to asylum $96.00. The committee recommended that he be paid the usual amount of $40.00. The items of account 40.00 were read. The suggestion was made that if these lunatics had been brought to Newcastle and thence to St. John the cost would have been much less. Passed as recommended by the committee.

On motion the matter was reconsidered and the bill passed at $60.

John Cassidy, Jailer, $164.00.

Auditor recommended it to be paid less 60c. Passed as recommended.

On motion Council proceeded to pass Parish Accounts as follows:—

Return of Matthew Kehoe, collector of rates, lower district Blackville. On this account the committee on investigation find that the collector is not short two dollars, but that an error has been made by the auditor in the addition of the precept, and the committee recommend that the collectors account pass as correct. Passed.

Benoit Russell, district clerk, Alnwick $4.00

Return of J B Williston, com. byeroads, Hardwicke.

Return of Wm Wyse, commissioner highways, Chatham, laid over last session:—Committee recommend this return be referred to the present Board of Street and Fire Commissioners of Chatham to be adjusted and settled.

Councillors Mileage bills were then passed in bulk according to the usual scale.

Coun Woods moved the appointment of the following as Newcastle Square Committee,—John D Creaghan, H A Fish, P B Wheeler, R H Gremley, Robt H Armstrong, Wm Robinson, George Stables, Jas O Fish.

John Baston was appointed constable

Peter Thibideau was appointed surveyor of wood and bark for the Parish of Rogersville.

Thos Doucett was appointed overseer of roads, Hardwicke, in place of Marcell Tebo.

Daniel McAllister was appointed surveyor of lumber, parish of Southesk.

Coun Williston moved the following resolution.—

Whereas, the south line of the County of Northumberland is not sufficiently well defined with necessary exactness to determine where road districts end in that direction.

Resolved, that the Council request the Local Government to have such line surveyed and properly defined Passed

Coun Mersereau read a resolution in reference to the bridge at Doaktown carried away by the ice this spring, asking that the Local Government be memorialized to have it replaced at as early a period as possible. Passed.

Bill of constable John Cassidy for services at coupcil $1.50, passed.

W T Connors was, on motion of coun. Flanagan, added to Chatham Square committee in place of T F Keary, who has removed from that town.

The committee to whom was referred the petition of M Russell & Son, suggested that they call a public meeting to take the voice of the people in reference to remit of taxes on their factory.

Account of John McLean, Chatham, ordered that the com. of roads, parish of Chatham pay the amount to him.

Petition of Michael Butler was referred back to him to be sworn to,

Petition of A & J Adams, Neguac, referred to the com. on Petitions, reported, recommending the valuation be reduced to $1000. The secy-treasurer said it was a matter for the valuators. The proper course now was to apply to the assessors.

Coun Stewart said this was a similar case to others which came up at different times and the matter should be treated with the justice which was due to it and these persons should be treated as others had been.

Coun Whalen moved that the matter be referred to the valuators.

Coun Stewart asked who paid the expense of calling the valuators together,

It was then stated it would be paid by the Parish.

Coun Stewart moved in amendment that the prayer of the petition be complied with according to the recommendation of the committee for lowering the valuation to $1000

This gave rise to considerable discussion, councillors thinking the course proposed by the amendment was contrary to law. They might pay their taxes and then ask for a refund, which could be granted by Council. Amendment carried.

Coun Bransfield moved the following—*Resolved*, that Jos Williston, bye-road com. Parish of Hardwicke, be ordered to pay over to the surveyor, the amount of $20.00 at once. Carried.

Account submitted by R. Flangan for necessary repairs on road in middle district of Chatham, done after the commissioner had ceased to act, amounting to $66 was recommended by auditor to be paid out of Chatham road money.

Coun Smith explained that although this account was presented in Coun Flanagan's name, only some two or three dollars of it was his own the balance being for work and materials ordered by the two councillors for Chatham in the interim between the time the late commissioner ceased to act and the present Board assumed control of the street and road service. It was absolutely necessary that certain repairs should go on and the councillors took the responsibility of ordering the expenditure for which proper vouchers would be found accompanying the account.

Ordered to be paid as recommended.

Coun Bransfield asked for information in refereuce to an amount overpaid by his parish in 1884, and which did not appear in the County Accounts. The Sec-Trea. said he could give an explanation if he would call at his office, the papers not being in Council.

Coun Whalen referred to a petition of Philip Cox, for remission of taxes paid in Newcastle for same year he had paid taxes as a resident of Sunbury. The petition had been presented at January session and he wished the Council to again look into it. The petition had been presented to Council and referred to Committee on Petitions who reported that Mr Cox was entitled to pay in this county. The fact was an injustice had been done the petitioner and he was certainly victimized so far as this county is concerned and he moved that this matter, disposed of last year, be reconsidered.

Coun Betts thought it was quite correct to assess Mr Cox on an income he was getting in this place and the assessment had a right to be paid.

Coun Smith thought that any and all times were opportune to undo injustice if injustice had been done and it was not too late now to apply a remedy. He read the petition of Philip Cox as presented last year.

A discussion then ensued over the matter, some councillors thinking that Mr Cox was entitled to pay his taxes here, while others thought it hard that he should pay in this county and also in the county of Sunbury. The statement was made that he was taxed on real estate in Sunbury County and on income here, and it was quite competent for the assessors to place his name on the list as subject to pay income tax, even after the first of May.

The Secy. Treas. suggested that if Mr. Cox would make a further explanation the matter could come up next session for adjustment.

Mr Mitchell was appointed ferryman at the new ferry at Doaktown.

Coun Saunders presented the account of Coun Robert McNaughton for mileage, in which he asked that as he had come from Sussex camp to attend the Council a sufficient amount be allowed him to pay his return ticket which was all he asked, making the amount $1.15 over his usual mileage. The additional amount was granted.

James S Crocker was appointed Highway Commissioner, Middle District, Derby, in place of John Hartt.

Coun Saunders moved that the Warden leave the chair and Coun Betts take the same. Carried.

Coun Smith said he had much pleasure in testifying to the efficiency displayed by the Warden while in the chair. Without detracting from the ability of former Wardens he would say that none of them had performed the duties of the position in a more satisfactory manner than had Coun Fish, and he had much pleasure in moving a vote of thanks to the Warden for his impartial conduct while in the chair. Motion was carried by acclamation.

The Warden returned his thanks in a neat speech.

Votes of thanks were passed to the Secy-Treasurer and to the official reporter, these gentlemen returning their acknowledgements.

The Council then adjourned *sine die.*

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE. —The numbrs of *The Living Age* for June 19th and 26th contain The Pilgrimage to Mecca, *Asiatic Quarterly;* Social Aspects of the Revolution of 1789, and Theodore Agrippa d'Aubigue, *National;* Whence Came the Comets? *Nineteenth Century;* Ocean Steamers, *Fortnightly;* A Fire at Sea, and Who wrote, Dickens? *Macmillan;* Paganini, and Some Bye-gone Bath Days, *Temple Bar;* Hopefulness and Optimism, *Spectator;* Notes on Earthquakes in China, *Nature;* with instalments of "The Unequal Yoke," and "Claudia," and poetry.

A New Volume begins with the next number.

For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with *The Living Age* for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Chatham, on the 30th June, by the Rev. E. Wallace Waits, B. A., Mr. John McColm of the parish of Northesk to Miss Eva Austin of Queen's County, N. B.

DIED.

At the residence of her Mother, Chatham, on Monday, 28th June, after a lingering illness, which she bore with Christian patience to the Divine will, Hanah E Pine, beloved wife of Mr Robert Flett, Nelson, aged 25 years.

At Tracadie, Gloucester Co, on the 2nd inst, after a painful illness borne with resignation to the Divine Will, Alexander William Davidson, Merchant, youngest son of William Davidson, Esq, J P, and of Helen Bowie Davidson of that place, aged 28 years. May he rest in peace!

Port of Newcastle.

ARRIVED

July 2—Bk Geralmo, Mortola, 491, Boston, U S, G McLeod

CLEARED.

June 30—Bk H Jemlos, 399, Hansen, Whitelam, D & J Ritchie & Co

July 5—Bk Alexandra, 405, Hansen, Plymouth, G McLeod

5—Bk Crown Jewel, 716, Grafton, Port Venders, G McLeod

5—Bk Alx Keith, 629, McIlgorm, Buenos, Ayres, G McLeod

FOR SALE.

By private bargain the resident property of the Subscriber: If not disposed of before the end of the year may be offered at Auction with Store and Wharves in front of same.

RICHARD HUTCHISON.

Douglastown, 2nd July, 1886

COAL.

To arrive and daily expected—

225 Tons Old Mine Sidney Coal in the Schooner VERITAS.

—ALSO:—

400 Tons Anthracite Coal in Broken, Stove and Nut sizes in the Schooner ADELINE from New York, Which will be sold cheap from the Vessel.

Thos. F. Gillespie,

New Advertisements.

CHATHAM DRIVING PARK ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the above association will be held at the Presidents' office on Monday afternoon next at 3 p. m.

By order
W T CONNORS,
Secretary

Northumberland Co. Liberal Association.

A meeting of the Association will be held in Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Thursday 15th inst. at 8 p m for the purpose of completing the organization and other business. Friends of the Liberal party are cordially invited to be present.

By order

JOHN FOTHERINGHAM, Secretary — Wm. KERR, President.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

All persons having any legal demands against the estate of James Harnett late of the Parish of Rogersville in the County of Northumberland, Merchant, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested within three months from this date; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated the 3rd day of July, A. D, 1886.

JOHN W. HARNETT, Administrator.

Richibucto, Kent Co.

DWELLING HOUSE For Sale or to Let.

The Subscriber offers for sale or to let the dwelling house, barn and premises on King St., Chatham, now occupied by him. The property is well suited for a boarding House or private dwelling. Terms made known on application.

David McIntosh.

tf.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Bark "Laura"

The Hull, Materials and Equipments of the Wrecked Bark "LAURA" are offered for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION for the benefit of all concerned, pursuant to the following notice, and subject to the following terms and conditions:—

Sale to take place on the SOUTH BEACH, RICHIBUCTO HARBOR, where the said vessel now lies stranded, on

FRIDAY, 9th DAY OF JULY, INST.,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The hull, as the vessel now lies, with the sails and other movable property on board, will be sold first, to the highest bidder. The anchors, spars, sails running and standing rigging, Galley Stores, Water-tanks, and all movable property will then be sold as put up in lots and numbered.

The purchaser of the vessel to permit the removal from the vessel of all movable property not purchased by him.

TERMS;—Cash on delivery. Delivery to be taken and purchase completed on Saturday, the 10th day of July, instant, at eleven o'clock a m.

If purchaser fail to complete the purchase on Saturday aforesaid, the property to revert to the Captain and to be resold.

Movable property to be at purchasers' risk, after day of sale.

Purchases to be completed and money paid at the office of R. Hutchison, Esq, Richibucto, N B.

Dated at Richibucto the 2nd day of July, A. D., 1886.

E. HUTCHISON. Auctioneer.

LONDON HOUSE.

In store, the following choice Brands of Flour.—

Goldie's Sun.
" Crown of Gold.
White Pigeon.

Also Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Pork, Lard, Tobacco and Sugar.

A good assortment of TEAS direct from the London market from 20cts. to 40cts. per lb.

ON CONSIGNMENT,

20 Tubs Good Butter.

R. HOCKEN.

London Teas Direct

per S. S. CLIFTON.

I can offer the Tea drinking Public the best qualities Tea at prices that will astonish purchasers

—IN STORE.—

36 Packages Tea, in ½ Chests,
60 " " in ¼ "

Wholesale and Retail.

—ALSO—

From MONTREAL by RAIL

2 Casks Boiled oil
2 " Raw "
2 Cases Turpentine
5 Cwt No 1 White Lead
5 " assd. Cols. in small packages

ALREADY MIXED FOR USE.

In my Auction Rooms and other places, on Commission.

—Farmers tools, Stoves, Mattresses, Furniture, Carriages, Waggons, Buggies, Harness, Hay, Codfish, Sewing Machines,

in fact almost anything that cannot be got elsewhere—GIVE ME A CALL.

WM. WYSE,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant.
Golden Ball, Mart.

Chatham, 5th July, '86. 7. 29

FOR SALE.

One light DRIVING WAGGON almost new, 2 Setts DRIVING HARNESS.

Apply at

LOGGIE & BURR'S.

Chatham, June 30th '86.

TO LET

The Store in the Benson Block occupied by Mr. Geo. Stothart. Possession given on or about 1st September.

For further particulars apply to

M. S. BENSON, agent.

Teacher Wanted.

A Male or Female Teacher, (but male preferred) holding a Third Class License, French and English for School District No. 1, Shippegan. Services required after July vacations. Apply to

THOMAS CABEL, Secretary

O. J. M'CULLY, M A, MD.

MEMB-ROY. COL-SURG.-ENG.

Speciality—Diseases of Eye, Ear and Throat.

OFFICE—Corner of MAIN & CHURCH Sts Moncton. 12—13

NOTICE.

All accounts due the undersigned not paid on or before 1st August will be handed in for collection.

LOGGIE & BURR.

Garden Party.

The ladies of St. Andrew's Church intend holding a Garden Party and Kettle Drum on

THURSDAY, JULY 8th.

at THE MANSE, WATER ST., weather permitting.

Gates open at 4 p. m. and to continue during the afternoon and evening.

The band will be in attendance. Admission 20c.

CARDING.

—(-)-(-)—

The subscriber's CARDING MILL at Derby is now in full operation. All Wool left at the Mill will be promptly attended to. Wool left with E A STRANG, Chatham, WM. STOTHART, Moorfield, or M. M. SARGEANT, Newcastle, will be taken to the Mill, carded and returned within one week.

R. D. WILSON.

June, 1 1886.

General Business.

A GRAND FAIR.

The Ladies of ST. JOHN'S CHURCH will hold a FAIR in the

SKATING RINK, CHATHAM,

—ON—

TUESDAY, 13TH DAY OF JULY NEXT.

Opening at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the sale of Useful and Fancy Articles.

TEA will be served at 6 o'clock p. m. Refreshments and the delicacies of the season will be provided and served at all hours during the continuance of the Fair.

Admission 10 cents.

Chatham, June 22, 1886.

I. Harris & Son's

Smokers' Emporium,

WATER STREET, - - CHATHAM, N. B.

AND

1604 NOTRE DAME ST., MONTREAL.

Have now on hand a complete Stock of

SMOKERS' GOODS,

Leading Brands of Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobaccos, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes of all descriptions,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL AT BOTTOM PRICES.

—Our Stock of—

WATCHES and JEWELERY

is complete and will be sold low.

—Balance of Stock of—

Ready Made Clothing,

Hats, Shirts and Gents' furnishing goods must be cleared out and will be sold at great reductions,

I. HARRIS & SON,
Water Street, Chatham.

Established 1870.

SPARHAM

Fire Proof Cement Paint,

Shingle roofs made "Fire-proof" and water proof This Cement is the best for Flat Roofs, and will permanently repair Metal, Gravel, and Asbestos Roofs by giving them a coat that has a surface superior to Slate, Price ten dollars per cask ready mixed for use Discount for five barrel lots, send for pamphlets with full particulars to

DAVID DICKSON,
Secretary, Moncton, N B

Or, JOHN J. MILLER,
Manager for the Maritime Provinces, Millerton, N B

C. Flood & Sons.

ST. JOHN; N. B.

Our Warerooms are filled with a choice stock of the following Standard Instruments:—

Chickering & Sons.
Hallett & Davis.
Wm. Bourne & Sons.
Dominion Organ & Piano Co.

PIANOS ORGANS

—These we offer at the—

LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT

with their quality, and stock is such that all tastes and purses will be suited.

Correspondence solicited and promptly answered. Illustrated catalogues sent on application.

C FLOOD & SONS,
31 and 33 King St. St. John, N.B

NORTHERN & WESTERN RAILWAY.

1886. SUMMER 1886.

On and after MONDAY, 14th inst., and until further notice, Trains will run daily, Sundays excepted, on the Eastern Section of the above road

Leaving Chatham 6.00 a. m. Standard time,
Return, Leaving Blackville 5.30 p. m. " "
Calling at intermediate Stations for freight and passengers as follows,

Going West (read down,)				Going East (read up.
Leave Chatham	6.00 a.m.	arrive Chatham		7.15 "
Chatham Juncton	6.25 a. m.	arrive		6.50 "
" Barnaby River	6.35 "	"		6.40 "
" Derby Siding	6.38 "	"		6.37 "
" S. W. Boom	6.45 "	"		6.30 "
Chelmsford	7.00 "	"		6.15 "