

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

Piano and sewing machine for sale. Pisano and...

SMOKE THE ORELO, the best ten cent cigar in the market...

THE EXHIBITION.—Blank Entries and prize lists for the Maritime Exhibition at Moncton...

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Owing to the train arrangements, which obligate us to go to press earlier on Wednesdays than usual...

PRESENCE.—Rev. Neil McKay of St. John's Church, Chatham, has been nominated by the Halifax presbytery for the position of moderator of the Maritime Synod of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

INSURED AT ONCE.—Mr. Warren C. Winslow has been authorized by the British America Assurance Company to accept all classes of fire risks, issue policies and make endorsements...

ESCAPED.—Wm. McCabe, who had such a narrow escape from death at the Driving Park last week, is able to be about again, though very much lacerated and bruised.

TO APPEAL.—Mr. R. R. Ritchie, attorney for Mr. W. H. Harrison, has been instructed to appeal to the Supreme Court against the decision by Judge Fraser in the case of Harrison vs. Gibson et al. Globe.

HORSE KILLED.—Mr. David Falmer of Upper Nelson, had a pair of horses killed on the N. & W. Railway a few days ago. They had been in pasture and broken out, getting on the track.

FUNERAL.—The remains of Mrs. Hugh M. Bishop, who died at Chelsea, Mass., on the 18th August, were interred in St. James' Churchyard on Wednesday afternoon last, being followed to the grave by a large number of relatives and friends.

PERSONAL.—Ex-Councillor Lyons of Lower Newcastle was principal in an interesting event at the pro-Cathedral on Tuesday morning, the popularity of the happy couple being manifested in the large number of their friends who were present to witness the ceremony.

THE RIFLES.—The County Association matches are to take place on Wellington Ranges, Chatham, on Tuesday next beginning at 9 a. m. sharp. There will be a nursery match for 15 prizes open only to members who have never won 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th prizes in any previous Dominion, Provincial or County match. There is also an all-comers' match for 11 prizes.

EVEN SAILING.—Messrs John and Thomas Jardine's two barges—"Sagona," Gordon master, and "Valona," Anderson master, arrived at Liverpool, G. B., on 20th inst. making the run in eighteen days. Both vessels sailed from Richibucto the same day and arrived at Liverpool the same day. Mr. Thomas Jardine, one of the firm, was a passenger on the "Sagona."

PLAIN AND FANCY WORK.—The ladies of St. Mary's Guild, Chatham, are preparing to receive orders for all kinds of plain and fancy sewing, knitting, etc., and to promptly execute the same. They will supply both materials and work, or make up materials furnished by patrons. Orders will be received by Mrs. Blair, President, or any other of the ladies of the Guild.

CONFIRMATIONS.—On Sunday 18th inst., Bishop Kingston confirmed at St. James' Church, Ludlow, thirteen males and twelve females; and in the evening of the same day he confirmed nine males and eight females, making forty-two in all. Six adults were baptized at the same time. Within two years one hundred and twenty-three have been confirmed in this mission.

SPECIAL.—All subscribers will please take notice that the terms of the ADVANCE are as advertised in our regular business notice, for years, viz.—\$1.50 a year, if paid in advance and \$2 a year if not so paid. When subscribers do not choose to pay in advance, but take credit for the paper, they do so with the understanding that they are to pay at the rate of two dollars a year. Any subscriber who does not wish to pay \$2 a year for the paper must pay in advance.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.—The third anniversary of the opening of St. Luke's Methodist Church, Chatham, took place last Sunday. Rev. Dr. Sprague was the preacher at both morning and evening services. At the evening service the sermon contrasted christianity and infidelity and was especially interesting. Mr. Smythe was organist at the forenoon service, and, in the evening, Mr. E. R. Stuart of Truro, a pupil of Herman Kottchmar, performed the voluntaries.

THE REVIEW.—Richibucto's new paper was issued on Saturday last. There is certainly a great deal of it for the money, and if Mr. Paterson can make so good a paper in Richibucto it will prove that there is more in both the place and the editor than outsiders realize. The Review has eight pages of six columns each and makes a good showing of both reading matter and advertisements. It is, of course, independent and strictly impartial and expects to remain so.

PARCEL POSTAL RATES.—After September 1st the rates on parcel post matter to Great Britain and Newfoundland will be reduced to twenty-five cents per pound, excepting from British Columbia, which will be five cents per pound additional.

As the result of recent negotiations the imperial postal authorities have consented to arrange that Canada shall participate in the imperial parcel exchange, so that Canada may forward parcels to any country with which Britain has existing arrangements.

THE PRESTON LIGHTS.—In reference to the complaint of Mr. Lewis, late keeper of the Preston Lights, that he was dismissed without warning, we have a statement of the facts, showing that that it was quite well understood by him that he was to be succeeded by Mr. Preston. We think he ought to have fairly stated the facts when he made his

complaint at this office in reference to his displacement.

THE SACRED CONCERT and Organ Recital in St. Luke's Church Chatham, this evening, will be an excellent entertainment of its class, and should be well patronized. Mr. Stuart, organist of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Truro, is to preside at the organ, and as he is a master of the instrument, his selections will, of themselves, be a great treat. A number of solos, duets, trios and choruses, by the efficient choir of the church, added to the organ recital, will make the entertainment one which a Miramichi audience rarely has the opportunity to enjoy.

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THE TOWN boys are death on the mackerel, and after a little more experience they will be counted among the "high liners." A basket social and concert was held at Eccumacine last evening. The ladies who had charge of the affair deserve any amount of praise for their preparations. Every one seemed to be well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. It was a financial success. The concert was opened with an address by Mr. Daniel Lewis in a few well chosen words. The following is the programme: Song by Luther Lewis, "Old Black Joe." H. W. Phillips, character sketch, song and stamp speech. Recitation by Master James Tait. Song by Mrs. L. Lewis and Agnes Phillips, "What are the Wild Waves saying." Recitations and songs by the little folks. Recitation by Miss Agnes Phillips, "An August Day." Character sketch by Mrs. L. Lewis, "Biddy's Soliloquy." Song and character sketch by H. W. Phillips. Song by the choir. Mr. D. Lewis then thanked these present for their attendance, after which "God Save the Queen," was sung, all present joining.

THE FINLAY ANDERSON and Mrs. George Kerr of Chatham, are enjoying themselves at the Point. A full half dozen Bay du Vin ladies paid the Point a visit yesterday, among the number being Mrs. Wood W. Williston. Mr. James Chapman of the Bay du Vin Island Lights paid his Point brother officials a visit to-day.

THE ANNUAL CONVENTION of Northumberland Sabbath School workers, lay and clerical, will be held in Chatham early in Sept. At a meeting of the Executive committee held on Thursday evening, arrangements were made for the meetings, which are to be held in the Hall of St. Andrew's Church, beginning at 3 p. m. on Monday, Sept. 9th. In addition to the usual reports, carefully prepared papers will be submitted and discussed. One of the special attractions of the occasion will be the presence of Mrs. Crofts of New York, a celebrated worker in primary classes. Mr. S. J. Parsons, Secretary of the Provincial Association will also be on hand.

THE KENT CO. S. S. convention is appointed to be held at Wolford, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 18th and 19th September. Each S. S. in the county is entitled to send two delegates in addition to the Superintendent. Names of delegates should be forwarded at once to the secretary, Rev. Wm. Hamilton, Kingston, Kent Co.

THE LATE THOS. C. BEAN. Mr. Thomas C. Bean, whose death at Charlestown, Mass., was published in the ADVANCE last week was a son of the late George and Eliza Bean, formerly residents of Chatham and was in his 31st year. The Boston Globe has the following reference to deceased:—

DEATH OF A HERO. Letter-Carrier Bean Expires at Charlestown. T. C. Bean, a Boston letter-carrier, died at 11 Putnam street, Charlestown, yesterday morning. He will be remembered as the one who so bravely risked his own life, two years ago on Craig's bridge, to save a boy from drowning. Mr. Bean received a medal from the Massachusetts Humane Society, and his act was thought of so highly by the post office department that he was complimented in a personal letter written him by Postmaster Tobey. He went to Florida about a year ago for his health, and, after a leave of absence of six months, he finally resigned. He is spoken of by his superiors as a most faithful man.

MR. BEAN was a very active member of the Winter Hill M. E. church, Somerville, being superintendent and class leader in the Sunday school, and also of the Monument Square M. E. church, Charlestown, having a class in the Sunday school of the latter. While in Florida he received a very complimentary note from Gen. Core.

THE FAMILY of deceased was well known in St. John as well as in Chatham.

DEATH OF MR. TOWLEY.—Mr. James Towley, who had, for several years, held a professorship in one of the Point St. Charles schools, Montreal, and was spending his summer vacation with his aged mother at their home on St. John street, Chatham, died quite suddenly on Sunday last. Mr. Towley was educated at St. Michael's College, Chatham. He was never very strong physically, but was a hard-working man, devoting himself during his out-of-school hours in Montreal, to the study of medicine, which he had commenced here with the late Dr. McCurdy, his intention being to adopt that as his profession. He appeared in his usual health last week and was buying himself with making some alterations in his mother's house, which had been rented to other parties, as Mrs. Towley was to give up housekeeping care. In the midst of this work Mr. Towley was stricken down, and his aged mother thus bereft of an only and most dutiful son. She has the sincere sympathy of the community. Mr. Towley's funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. There was a solemn service at the pro-Cathedral, conducted by Rev. T. J. Bannon, after which the interment took place in the R. C. burying ground. The pall-bearers were Dr. Desmond, Thos. Crimmin, John Flanagan, Wm. T. Connors, Francis Griffin and Michael Noonan.

EXCURSION AND PICNIC. St. Luke's Methodist Church and its friends are to have a big time of it next Thursday. An efficient committee is working up a grand excursion and picnic from Newcastle Douglastown, Chatham and Black Brook as well as points along the railway. A special steamer is to bring the Black Brook excursionists to Chatham and return them after the arrival of the train in the evening, and the Steam Navigation Co's morning boat will bring those from up river points, making a special return trip in the evening. The excursion train is to leave Chatham station at half past nine, local time, for Blackville, and extensive preparations are to be made there for carrying out a pro-

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