

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

A BOX OF RASPBERRIES—ripe and of good size and flavor—picked by Susie A. Stothard of Moorfield on 11th inst was received at the ADVANCE office on that day.

BARQUE J. W. HOLMES, of Belfast from Miramichi, encountered bad weather on the passage across. She lost her fore and main-topgallant and royal masts, as well as her foremast. In this state Capt. Fraser reported of assistance.

TALL MEADOW GRASS—A stock of blue knot grass, seven feet high, that grew this season on McNaughton's meadow, Black River, is at the ADVANCE office, to which it was presented by Capt. Wm. McNaughton.

CONGRATULATIONS are due to the Justices of the Peace for the County of Northumberland, on the acquisition by their guild of John McKane, Esq., of Newcastle, whose appointment is gazetted. Mr. McKane is also to be congratulated on this recognition by the government of his acknowledged judicial qualifications.

St. Luke's Church—Next Sabbath morning the pastor will conduct the service, and in the evening the Sunday school will celebrate its anniversary, when reports will be given by the officers, and addresses by several speakers and scripture reading and singing by the school.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES—Harvest thanksgiving services were held in St. Paul's and St. Mary's churches on Sunday last. The decorations were very appropriate and the congregations good notwithstanding the unfavourable weather. Harvest sermons were delivered by the Rector.

THE WEATHER during the past week has been more than usually unpleasant, even for this time of year. We have had heavy and cold winds, great quantities of rain, a thunder and lightning storm on Thursday last week, and a lightning, thunder and hail squall yesterday. This will, doubtless, be compensated for by a few days' gentle weather before winter sets in.

GAZETTED—Andrew F. McAvaney, D. D. S., Charles A. Murray, D. D. S., and G. J. Sprad, D. D. S., to be members of "The Council of Dental Surgeons of New Brunswick" under the New Brunswick Dental Act of 1890.

John McKane to be a Justice of the Peace for the County of Northumberland.

Thomas Ward Underhill to be a commissioner of the parish of Blackville Civil Court.

PRESENTATION—Miss Maggie Irvine who was married on the 15th inst, was presented immediately after the ceremony, by Rev. George Steel on behalf of the teachers and officers of St. Luke's Sabbath school, with a silver fruit basket and a photograph frame. Miss Irvine, who has now become Mrs. McLean, has been an efficient Sabbath school teacher and worker in the church for some years. She is highly esteemed by all her friends and they are many. Mr. and Mrs. John McLean left by the midnight express for their home in New Glasgow, followed by the good wishes of a host of friends.

HYMENAEAL—On Wednesday last, Oct. 10th, at the residence of the bride's mother, the marriage of Mr. Herbet McMillan, of the Parish of Ladlow, and Miss Emma A. Rendle was duly celebrated by Rev. W. Aikhen. The presents were numerous and valuable. The happy couple left by that morning's accommodation for St. John and thence to their future home via Fredericton. Miss Rendle will be much missed in social circles where she was a general favorite. We join with very many friends in wishing the bride and groom much happiness in their journey through life.

At Newcastle station the bridal party were attended by the Boys' Brass Band who were presented with a five dollar bill by Mr. McMillan, for a treat for themselves, and which they expended in a feast of roast beef and plum pudding with all the necessary accompaniments on Monday evening last. The boys express their high appreciation of Mr. McMillan's unexpected gift and hope he and his bride may have a long life of happiness and contentment. [Advocate.

Liberals to Meet

The World, which appears to be the organ of the gentlemen who call themselves "The Liberal Association" says:

"Several parishes were represented at the meeting of the Liberal Association in Masonic Hall, Chatham, Friday afternoon. Mr. Wm. Kerr was elected Chairman, and explained that the meeting had been called in view of the revising of electoral lists.

"After considerable discussion a committee was appointed to confer with prominent Liberals in Newcastle to advise them to hold a mass meeting of the Liberals of the county for the purpose of electing a President of the Association and the transaction of other business.

"Several committees were appointed to examine the voters' lists and see to the placing to them of the names of persons entitled to vote."

Northumberland County Court.

HIS HONOR JUDGE WILKINSON PRESIDING.

There were only two civil cases entered for trial, namely Massey Manfg. Co. v. Thos. E. Ramsay. This is an action for breach of a guarantee. E. P. Williston, Esq., for Plaintiff, and S. Thomson, Esq., C.C. for Dit.

Adam Hill v. John Menzies. An action for services performed and money paid for the defendant—C. J. Thomson, Esq., for Plaintiff, R. Murray, Esq., for Dit.

E. R. Chapman, at the suit of the Pharmaceutical Society v. H. H. Johnston. This is an application to show conviction made by Police Magistrate Niven, whereby defendant was convicted of keeping an open store for the sale of drugs prohibited by the Act of Assembly, 1884, without a certificate. E. R. Chapman for plaintiff, C. J. Thomson, Esq., for Defendant.

Oyster Supper and Lunch.

The oyster supper and lunch given in Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Wednesday evening last, was one of the most satisfactory things of its class ever held in the town. The hall was divided in two sections, each of about the same size. The first was for the accommodation of general patrons and had in its seats the table where cake was served. The other was tastefully decorated and filled with tables which would accommodate four persons each, and each table was attended by two of the young ladies of St. Mary's as waitresses. This levy of handsome and cultured girls, uniformed in white caps and aprons, presiding over tables covered with spotted damask and set with home-like taste and elegance of appointments, formed a most attractive picture. The oysters and other items of the menu supplied by them were promptly served, and the perfect manner in which they were prepared showed that taste and skill in culinary art was another meritorious feature of the entertainment.

Although the weather was very unpleasant—rain falling and a high wind prevailing—the attendance was so good that about \$74 was netted. If these same ladies

happen to get up another affair of the kind in the near future they may rely on a very large patronage.

County Rifle Association.

The annual matches of Northumberland County Rifle Association took place on Friday at the Wallington ranges. The weather was too cool for good shooting and a strong wind that blew across the ranges also operated against the making of good scores.

Nurses—Ranges 200-400 yards, 5 shots at each.

Table with 3 columns: Points, Name, Points. Includes Donald McNaughton, D. D. S., etc.

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The attendance was not large. The Association was much injured some years ago by the success of what may be termed as a certain military man, who, at an annual meeting, passed a resolution shutting out all citizens from membership who were not connected with the active militia. Formerly, men of the prohibited class were amongst the most active and effective members of the Association, the matches were well attended and the organization popular. If the management is wise it will repeal the objectionable rule and thus place the Association on the same footing as others in the Province.

A Handsome Yacht.

The steam yacht, Columbia, owned by J. H. Ludlow and sailing under the flag of New York Yacht Club, came up the Miramichi and anchored off the Union wharf on Thursday last, having been brought up by pilot Louis Jimmo. She is a handsome steel vessel nearly 200 ft. long, 23 ft. beam and 14 ft. deep, drawing 11 ft. She has triple expansion engines of 1800 h. p. and burns anthracite coal only. Her lines, lines, pretty sheer, white painted hull and brass fittings caused her to be much admired.

Her owners and several friends—ladies and gentlemen—were on board. We understand that they intended to come to our citizens that they did not care to receive visitors. One or two who requested to be permitted to go on board were, however, allowed the privilege and were delighted to find that the appointments of the cabins and saloon were elegant and that there were bath rooms, etc., connected with the different rooms.

The Columbia came in for water, and left port as she obtained it. She is bound for the Shippagan or Misau goose shooting grounds.

CRAMPS IN THE STOMACH are instantly relieved by taking twenty or thirty drops of Dr. Manning's German remedy in warm sweetened water. Sold by all druggists.

Fall Exhibition.

An exhibition is to be held by the Northumberland Agricultural Society at Woodburn Farm on Thursday 18th October the prize list of which will be as follows:—

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Committee to arrange the grounds, Geo. H. Fisher, Wm. O. Stothard, Louis Dick.

Judges of Horses: H. H. Grenley, Alex. McFarlane, Roger Flanagan.

The exhibition will begin at 10 a. m. at which time all exhibitors are expected to be on the ground.

Intending Exhibitors and others who are not members of the society may become such on payment of the membership fee of \$1.00 on or before the day of exhibition. Members of the society only can be exhibitors.

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Annual School Meetings on Thursday Last.

Dr. J. S. Benson, secretary called the meeting to order and Rev. Geo. McCloy was elected chairman.

elect and Mr. W. T. Connors was re-elected auditor.

Mr. W. C. Winslow seconded by Mr. W. B. Snowball, moved that a committee of six ratifiers, including the trustees, call upon the Highland Society for the purpose of ascertaining what reduction, if any, of the Grammar school building could be obtained, and report the result of their interview to a special meeting of ratifiers to be called by the secretary; also to ascertain the cost of a new building for school purposes and terms on which money could be obtained by district for erecting same. The resolution passed and Messrs.

W. C. Winslow, W. B. Snowball and Andrew Morrison were appointed to act with the trustees, J. D. B. MacKenzie, Drs. J. S. Benson and John McNaughton as special committee.

Rev. Mr. Steel directed attention to the fact that the grounds surrounding the school building were not enclosed in any way, thus practically throwing the children on the streets. Other speakers concurred in what Mr. Steel said and it was understood that this matter in hand should take priority over all other business. Votes of thanks were passed to the chairman and auditor, which were suitably acknowledged.

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weatherly yacht, that there was going to be another drifting match in the end. The race was about half sailed in from the start, but moderated again at the close.

The run from the start to and around the first turn was not of much interest, as the contestants had not yet got down to the real work for first place. Learig turned out ahead, followed quite closely by Oriana, but as Maude had barely crossed the line when the other two turned, the attention of the hundreds of spectators who lined the wharves was centred on the two leaders. Maude passed Starling and Kilbride before reaching the Kilkie wharf, where the first run up-river, and meantime, the spectators on shore were being much interested over a contest for first place, which Oriana was evidently taking from Learig. This the former handsomely accomplished just off the Lane ballast sheds. She now pushed on for the upper turning boat, but instead of going around it from south to north as arranged with the judges, she saved the time of making the short tack that would have been made in this place, by turning the other way. The judges realising the mistake Oriana was making, ordered her to turn back. She did so, but in doing so she struck the other boat, and they were forced to stop. The judge's order was that she should turn back to the line, as if it were the start, and she did so, but she did not do so with her usual good judgment.

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placed on Saturday over the contents of a telegram to Commodore Miller from Mr. T. D. Adams, who was one of the judges.

The subject for the Union Bible class last week was "The draught of fishes." Quite an interest is being manifested in this class. All persons, both ladies and gentlemen, who are interested in Bible study are welcomed at the class sessions. Meeting every Wednesday evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlour.

Take Ayer's Pills for constipation, and as a purgative medicine. Safe and effectual.

FADS OF A SEASON.

Among the newer popular diversions in the line of athletics is that of walking backward.

French women are much affecting red this autumn in gowns, bonnets, and even hoisier, shoes and gloves.

The portiere poles of rooms are now often awning on a different angle.

One of the latest French fashions is to have the corsets and silk petticoats match exactly; this is a very pretty and finished effect.

The genuine Turkish coffee table is a very picturesque object and has been popular for some time. It is now generally found in our shops in various heights where it is sold either for low tables or for stools.

SOME NEW MAXIMS.

A bad day does not always begin with a dark morning.

Doubter is always a dodger and hider from duty.

Sweetened poison will kill as quick as that which is bitter.

Many very good-looking people are deformed on the inside.

The darker it is all around us the more our light is needed.

More good advice would be taken if it were given in a good way.

If some parents would laugh more their children would weep less.

That man helps the thief who does not put his money in a safe bank.—Ram's Horn.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Hairpins are heated to a temperature of 400 degrees in the process of manufacture.

According to Thalesian legend the first horse was miraculously brought forth by Neptune striking a rock with his trident.

To form some idea of the largeness of the earth one may look upon the land-mass as a top of an ordinary church steeple and then bear in mind that one must view 900,000 similar landscapes to get an approximately correct idea of the size of the earth.

FIRESIDE FRAGMENTS.

Baked Potatoes.—Select large red ones, bake the skin off one section of the banner, loosen the skin from them, put a row in a dripping pan with the side up from which you took the peeling, sprinkle sugar over them, bake half an hour in quick oven.—N. Y. Observer.

Pickled Egg Cabbage.—Slice two cabbage thinly into a colander, sprinkle each layer with salt and let it drain two days. Put it into a jar and pour over boiling vinegar enough to cover, putting in a few slices of red beef root. Those who like the faster side will add that to the vinegar while it is boiling. Choose those cabbages that are of a purple red.—Good Housekeeping.

Salt Mackerel Fried.—Soak for thirty hours in at least a gallon of water, lay the fish in a clean bowl, and add a pinch of soda to the water, and try slowly for fifteen minutes, taking care that it does not scorch; take out the fish and pour into the pan a cupful of milk or cream, let it boil and pour over the fish.

A Ham Fritter is a good breakfast relish on chilly September mornings. Rinse on about a pound of cold boiled ham, using the fat and lean. Add two beaten eggs, a cup of flour, a pinch of cayenne and a dash of salt. Choose those cabbages that are of a purple red.—Good Housekeeping.

Patience with Cream.—This dish is quickly prepared. Boil the cream until it is thick. Add a pinch of salt and a dash of pepper. If you have a scrap of cold meat chop fine and mix with the cream sauce. Over the whole grate a hard-boiled egg, and you have an attractive and appetizing dish.—Ohio Farmer.

PLEASANT IDLE MOMENTS.

The Chinese have a tradition that stray dogs bring luck.

A family at Marinette, Mich., has run out of its supply of salt. The farmer has been obliged to go to the mill to get salt. It is said that the mill is a mile from the house.

Among the uneducated whites in Alabama there is a popular superstition that if a colored person kisses a baby twice on the mouth, the teething fever will be cured to the child.

A couple of Pittsburg, (Pa.) boys picked up a physician's small medicine chest that had fallen out of his buggy on the road and ate so many of the sugar-coated pills that they nearly died