

Miramichi and the North Shore.

LIBEL.—The proprietor of this paper has proceeded against the publishers of the Union Advertiser for criminal libel contained in last week's issue of that journal.

TEMPERANCE.—It is reported that there has been a considerable amount of trespassing done this season on the Acadville Settlement Reserve lands by Kent County operators.

EXHIBITIONS.—The Northumberland County Agricultural Society is to hold an Exhibition of Grains, Produce of the Dairy and Domestic Manufactures, at Newcastle on the third Thursday in January.

M. C. CLARK, DENTIST, can be found in Newcastle at Mrs. McAllister's residence every Tuesday and Saturday, where he will be prepared to attend to those desiring his services, commencing Friday, Oct. 25th, 1877.

PRESENTATION.—The children of St. Mary's Sabbath School, Chatham, presented Rev. Dean Forsyth, the Rector, on Christmas eve with a handsome silver cup and saucer, a walnut side bracket and corner bracket.

POSTPONED.—Owing to the weather having lately been so mild, it is expected that the Carnival, to have been held to-night, will have to be postponed, definite notice of which will be given during the day.

BLACK BROOK MAIL.—In response to a petition of the residents of Black Brook the Post Office Inspector has directed that the weekly mail to that place be despatched from Chatham every Thursday.

THE ST. JOHN WEEKLY HERALD comes to us this week in improved form. It is gratifying to observe such signs of progress in a paper which has adopted a policy of moderation and independence in dealing with almost all matters treated in its columns.

PERSONAL.—Robert Marshall, Esq., M. P. spent Christmas in Chatham. Hon. Mr. Mitchell, who visited Miramichi last week, is charlotte Miramichi a day or two ago.

MR. ROBERT CHALMERS, business agent of the St. John Telegraph was in town this week. Mr. W. Wilkinson, jr. R. A., is spending his holiday vacation at home.

METHODIST BAZAR AND APRON LEVEE. On Thursday last the ladies in connection with the Methodist Church Chatham, held a Bazaar and Apron Levee, in the Temperance Hall, the object being to provide funds in aid of a new church building.

There is marked activity amongst the Chatham curlers, which is an encouraging sign of the times. The Chatham Curling Club had almost ceased to have a practical existence, and its members played none at all for two or three seasons up to the present, when for the favorable weather and excellent ice at the Rivik provided for them, adjoining the Skating Rink, led to the revival of the spirit which always renders curling organizations the joyous and most successful in the country.

There are some players at Newcastle, and at Douglastown also, we presume, and these ought to unite with their Chatham brethren in the formation of a Miramichi Club, from which enough risks to undertake a match with outside clubs might be selected.

A match between two rinks of the Chatham Club—Native Scotch and Canadian—is on the cards, with an oyster supper in the background. This will be followed by other contests which cannot fail to elicit the keen interest of members and render the Club's work attractive even to outsiders.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—"Accommodation," Derby—We have enquired into the matter of which you complain, and it has been explained that the regular hours of the Office are from eight in the morning until four in the afternoon. It is said, however, that the Postmaster has been reasonably obliging to persons who, by accident or inadvertence, have gone for mail matter after the hour for closing, although some persons who are habitually late have, at times, had to "call again."

We believe that the Post Office Department allows postmasters to determine their office hours for themselves, which is a very good rule in view of the fact that the pay is generally small. It is the rule that such officials meet the requirements of the communities in which they are appointed, knowing that they are, in a great measure, subject to popular criticism. When a postmaster fails to render reasonable service to the public and continues to do so after proper remonstrance, it is open to any citizen or number of citizens to inform the Post Office Inspector or Postmaster-General of the facts. If there is, even then, no improvement the press may be called in, but we have found, in our experience, that when there have been reasonable grounds of complaint the postmaster or postal authorities have been ready and willing to effect reform, when they were properly approached. If a large number of persons in Derby and its vicinity are inconvenienced by the present arrangement in regard to office hours it is a sign that a place is progressing to the position of a town. Those who suffer inconvenience should talk the matter over personally with the postmaster, and only when he fails to be reasonable appeal to outside parties. We say this much as being of general application in such matters, and without knowing whether there is anything like general dissatisfaction with the management of the office named or not.

Examination of Miss Tweedie's School. The half-yearly examination of the pupils of Miss Tweedie's school, District No. 8, Chatham, was held on Friday, 21st inst. The pupils were examined in Reading, Geography, Composition, Grammar, History, Slate and Mental Arithmetic. During the examination there were some very nice and appropriate recitations, which were well delivered. The advancement made in the different branches of study since the last examination was very marked, which reflects a great deal of credit on the teachers, Miss Tweedie and Miss Baldwin. The school room was nicely decorated with evergreen and mottoes. In the evening the pupils had a tea party which they kept up until 10 o'clock. They enjoyed themselves heartily, after which they dispersed, to enjoy their Christmas vacation.

Christmas in the Churches. The Festival of the Nativity of the Holy Redeemer was appropriately celebrated on Tuesday last in St. Mary's and St. Paul's Churches where Divine Services were held—in the former Church at 11 and in the latter at 3 o'clock. The decorations in St. Mary's Chapel show to fine advantage and surpass in effect the arrangements of any previous occasion. Great credit is to be awarded to the ladies and gentlemen of the congregation to whose untiring energy and perseverance under the superintendence of the Rector the accomplishment of the work is due. The lettering by T. P. W. Desbriay and Mr. J. Fallon are admirably executed. St. Paul's church bears a simple testimony to the good taste and zeal of those who have effectively maintained the time-honored observance of the joyful festival.

The decorations in St. Mary's are as follows:—The mouldings around the triple east window are entwined with evergreen wreathing supporting the following texts, in white frosted letters on a scarlet ground:—"Holy, Holy, Holy." "Thou art the Everlasting Son," "Emmanuel." On the wall above the window is the text in white letters on scarlet ground, "Unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given."

Surmounting the triple window is a crown in white, scarlet and gold. Beneath, and on either side of the crown, is the text, "King of Kings, Lord of Lords." The eastern wall is further decorated with evergreen festoons and with banners in white and scarlet, bearing the texts, in scarlet letters, "Glory to God in the Highest, on earth Peace, good will to men." The side windows are wreathed with evergreen and between them, on the walls, are the texts in white and scarlet, "Wonderful," "Counselor," "Mighty God," "Mediator," "Intercessor," "Messiah"; "He shall feed his flock like a Shepherd, and gather the lambs in his arms." Underneath these texts are devices in evergreen, scarlet and white representing the Eternity and Unity of the Trinity.

On the gallery front is the text "Glory to the new born King" and devices bearing the words, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of Hosts, and monogram, I. H. S., surmounted by a crown. Above the gallery front are wreathings in evergreen, bearing the words "Peace, good will to men." The organ is decorated with evergreen and with the text, "Hosanna in the Highest." The Font, Pulpit and Prayer desk are very neatly trimmed with evergreen, autumn leaves, mosses and flowers.

The service on Christmas Day was at 11 o'clock. It was well attended and consisted of Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and sermon by the Rector, Rev. D. Forsyth from the text, "God, who at sundry times, and in divers manners spake unto our Fathers by the Prophets hath in these latter days spoken unto us by His Son, whom he hath made heir of all things by whom also he made the world."

A Christmas Carol was sung by the Sunday School children before the service and the music was excellently rendered by the Choir.

In St. Paul's parish Church, the mouldings of the east window are entwined with evergreen and on the eastern wall is the text, "We have seen his Star in the East and are come to worship Him." The Prayer desk, Pulpit and Font are very neatly trimmed with evergreen and scarlet. The service in this church was held at three o'clock and consisted of Evening Prayer, appropriate Hymns, well rendered by the Choir, and sermon by the Rector.

The offerings for the sick and needy, amounted to \$21.00.

THE METHODIST CHURCH. The Rev. H. McKewen conducted an appropriate service for the day in the Methodist Church, Chatham, at 10 o'clock, a. m., reading the lesson from the 2nd chap. of Matthew, and preaching an interesting sermon from Luke, chap. II—13 and 14 verses.

THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH. In the morning a service was held in the Reformed Episcopal Church, by the Rev. T. L. Smith who preached an excellent sermon from Revelations, Chap. 22, 16 verse.

A Fighting Official. We have had occasion heretofore to refer to very extraordinary conduct on the part of Mr. W. H. Vening, the Dominion Inspector of Fisheries for New Brunswick, and regret to have to record another evidence of the fact that he appears to be a very singular person on whom to place the responsibilities of the office he holds.

It seems that Mr. Vening has, for some time, had a feeling of enmity against T. Crocker, Esq., of the well known firm of T. & H. P. Crocker. He has, on several occasions, addressed such language to Mr. Crocker as would certainly lead to a breach of the peace but for the latter gentleman's good nature and kindly disposition, going so far, at times, as to jest the latter, daring him to "lay a finger on him," etc. We may say this kind of conduct is a favorite pastime with the Inspector, who has before been allowed to escape punishment on account of those upon whom he has endeavored to force quarrels, having sympathy for him on account of his unbecomingly temper.

Yesterday morning Mr. Vening was in Newcastle and seeing Mr. Crocker enter the Post Office, he followed after him. Approaching Mr. C. he showed his person up against him with the remark—"you see you have not got me turned out yet?" Mr. Crocker put out his hand and thrust Mr. Vening away from him, at the same time warning him that he must not provoke him by further personal contact. Then Mr. Vening pulled off his coat in a most excited manner, squared off and invited Mr. Crocker to an encounter on the sidewalk. The latter declined to go upon the street on such business, and remarked that the Post Office vestibule was large enough

for all that was to be done. Then Mr. Vening attacked Mr. Crocker, who, after warning off a kick, followed by an attempted blow with the fist, planted a one of Mr. Vening's eyes, knocking that gentleman with considerable force against the Post Office boxes. Mr. V. rallied and appeared to desire a continuation of the fight, although warned by Mr. Crocker that the other eye would be served as the first was, but after some time, he was induced by Mr. Park to go to the adjacent drug store, where sticking plaster was applied to close a pretty long and deep cut over the eye.

It is due to Mr. Crocker to say that the quarrel appears to have been thrust upon him and Mr. Vening has only himself to blame for the punishment he received.

Notes by the Way—Rogoville. An obliging correspondent informs us that the settlement of Rogoville, near Carleton Station, fifteen miles from Chatham Junction, is growing to be quite an important centre of population and industry. The inhabitants are, principally, French who have settled in the place under the Free Grants Act to the number of about five hundred. The land is very good and the farming prospects are encouraging. Mr. Miller has a store on the line of railway opposite Carleton Station, and is doing a good business and Messrs. Cowie & White are erecting a saw mill near the same place. A new Chapel is also in course of erection. Our correspondent informs us that the place is named in honor of the esteemed Bishop of Chatham.

Black River Dutchers Reformers. Black River Bridge, Dec. 21st, 1877. To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. Sir:—A Dutch Temperance Reform Society was organized in Black River on Wednesday night the 28th, November. The following Officers were elected: Vice, Rev. Mr. Robertson, President; T. G. McKay, Secy; George Johnston Esq., Chaplain; Mr. Hugh Cameron, 1st Vice-President; T. G. McKay 2nd do.; Mr. Duncan McNaughtan, 3rd do.; Mr. Allan Cameron, Marshall, and an Executive Committee of six members, viz: Mr. James Cameron, Mr. Roy Cameron, Miss Ellen Ross, Miss Annie Ross, and Messrs. Hugh Cameron and Donald Ross.

There are upwards of 50 members on the roll. Four weekly meetings have been held, all being very interesting.

A move has been made to organize a Society in the Little River district. You will, therefore, see, Mr. Editor, the movement is becoming more and more popular. I shall continue to report any progress and hope that your valuable journal will be open to any proper communications which may be sent to it on the subject of Temperance.

Yours &c., T. G. McKay. Secy., Black River D. T. R. S. [We are obliged to Mr. McKay for his letter and will be obliged to other friends for information on the subject of Temperance or anything else of public interest.—EDITOR.]

Boiestown Temperance Regulators. BOIESTOWN, Dec. 22nd, 1877. To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. DEAR SIR:—I notice in your issue of the 23rd under the heading of "New Kind of Temperance Organization" a letter from a correspondent of this place signing himself "Citizen." The letter is so much one-sided that I cannot let it pass unmentioned. First, a little under the impression had said correspondent omitted "Citizen" and substituted "peg-driver" it would have been more creditable as well as correct, showing that he was not afraid to come out under his proper name. I regret to think, too, that "Citizen's" brains must have been over-taxed before finishing his letter, as he forgot to mention in the roll of so-called victims a man named Donald McLeod, who also received an overdose of the medicine prescribed by the Board of Directors. He also omitted mentioning the gentleman rumseller who supplied the victims as freely as any other rumseller in the town. Mr. McLeod could not do to mention that name, for there he occasionally enjoys the pleasure of bending his elbow. The Committee last week put the finishing touch to their profession on an old man who had been in the town for many years, and who had been drinking for some time. He was blacking being scarce, they resorted to indulgence, which when applied made him resemble a man that had the blues. They favored the old man very much at the time, and he spoke above a whisper should be stopped, as it may prove serious. By inserting the above you will oblige a loving reader of the "Advance."

PROVINCIAL NOTES AND NEWS. OATS.—Oats are being brought into this Province from Ontario, the price being about 42 cents per bushel of 24 pounds.

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.—Steps are being taken to establish a College of Science and Technology in Halifax, N. S., subjects to embrace engineering, mining, agriculture, navigation and practical mechanics.

BRIDGE OVER THE ST. CROIX.—Notice is given that application will be made to Parliament, at its next annual session, for a charter to erect a bridge over the St. Croix between St. Stephen and Calais.

DEBATING SOCIETY AT BATHURST.—Bathurst has got a Debating Society, the officers are as follows:—K. F. Burris, President; P. Girard, Vice-President; R. Lawlor, Secretary; J. Siewright, Treasurer.

THE CONSOLIDATED STATUTES.—The contract for binding the Consolidated Statutes, after having been tendered for, has been awarded to Mr. W. W. Dudley, of St. John. There will be four thousand volumes, and they will be bound part in calf and part in sheep.

NEW BRUNSWICK AT THE PARIS EXHIBITION.—The exhibition of New Brunswick at the Paris Exhibition are reported as follows:—New Brunswick Paper Co. Specimen of Paper. Albert Manufacturing Co.—Specimen of Gypsum. R. B. Noble—Lobsters. James D. Bain—Salmon. Cold Brook Rolling Mill, St. John—Nails and Ship Nails. Jos. Goodfellow, Miramichi—Grindstones. A. C. Seman & Co., do. O. V. Troop & Co., St. John—Vinegar.

A ST. GEORGE MERCHANT LOST \$5,000. Mr. T. H. Connaughtan a St. George, Charlotte County merchant went to St. John on 18th inst. to purchase supplies. He put up at the Waverly. A suspicious creditor called on him in the evening and said he had been informed that Mr. Connaughtan intended to leave for New York in the morning, and eventually had him arrested. Mr. Connaughtan says he was going to New York to make purchases and before leaving home his wife and he counted out \$5,000 which he placed in a pocket book, and then put it in his valise. The valise was placed in the pump, in which he was coming to town, and was never again seen. He was not until it was brought to him from the Waverly house to the jail. It was then unlocked, and the money was gone. He stopped at several places on his way to New York, but never removed the valise. He thinks the money must have been taken on the road after he left St. George.

BIRTH. At Blackville, on the 14th inst, the wife of Com. Miller scolded a son.

DIED. On the 15th inst., at Derby, Elizabeth Love, wife of John Russell, in the 81st year of her age. She died as she lived, a Christian. Her end was peace. Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

South West Boom Comp'y. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

THE QUEBEC LEGISLATURE AND PARTY PROPOSITIONS.—M. Joly, leader of the opposition in the Quebec Legislature, in reply to the address from the Throne, referred to the occurrences which took place in Montreal, last summer, in connection with the Orange demonstration, and asked the Government to put itself in communication with the various national societies to see if something could not be done to abolish party propositions.

HOWLING AT CALAIS.—A Calais, Me. correspondent writes this letter has accidentally laid out of sight for some time, writes the ADVANCE to say that we were in error in saying not long since that his smart little city had become very temperate. He says we would think differently if we heard the howls and had language issuing from a certain saloon there up to and after midnight, reaching into Sunday morning. He indicates that "cider" is sold in the saloon. We believe that the Yankees can make some pretty strong cider, but supposed that Calais was always a very orderly place, which allowed its residents who desired anything extra strong to go to the other side of the river where they might enjoy British liberty and get as "high" as they pleased. Our correspondent ought to call upon the local press and the police to induce the saloon keeper referred to to water his cider.

NO RISK. Thomas Electric Oil! Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold. Do you know anything of it? If not, it is time you did.

Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest Medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat; one dose cures BRONCHITIS. Fifty cents' worth has cured an OLD STANDING COUGH. One or two bottles cure bad cases of PILES and KIDNEY TROUBLES. Six to eight applications cure ANY CASE OF EXHAUSTED AFFECTIONS OF INSPIRED BREAST. One bottle has cured LAME BACK of eight years' standing. Daniel Plank, of Brookfield, Toga County, Pa., says: "I went thirty miles for a bottle of your Oil, which effected a WONDERFUL CURE of a CROOKED LIMB, by six applications." Another who has had ASTHMA for years, says: "I have had a 50 cent bottle left, and \$100 worth more, but I could get no more."

Refus Robinson, of Nunda, N. Y., writes: "One small bottle of your ELECTRIC OIL restored the voice where the throat had been so sore that I could not speak in FIVE YEARS." Rev. J. M. Malloy, of Wyoming, N. Y., writes: "YON ELECTRIC OIL cured me of Bronchitis in one week."

It is composed of SIX OF THE BEST OILS THAT ARE KNOWN. Is as good for internal as for external use, and is believed to be immeasurably superior to anything ever used. Will cure you much suffering and many dollars of expense.

Beware of Imitations.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. J. L. LYMAN, Toronto, and the names of Northrop & Lyman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cents. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

NOTE.—Electric—Selected and Electrolytic.

CONSTITUTIONAL CATARRH REMEDY, the only certain, safe and efficient cure for Catarrh, builds up the system and cures all other diseases at the same time, Asthma, Ross Cold, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Leucorrhoea, Diseases of the Kidneys, Nervous Debility, take their leave when the Constitutional Catarrh Remedy is used as directed. Price one dollar per bottle. For sale by all Druggists and Medicine Dealers. 6m.

MARRIED. At the residence of Mr. J. W. Jardine, Newcastle, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johnston, Esq., of Derby, to Miss Grace McDonald, of Newcastle.

At St. John's Church, Chatham, on Wednesday evening, 18th inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johnston, Esq., assisted by Rev. A. F. McElin, Alexander Leishman, Esq., of Bath-Pattison, fourth daughter of Alexander Cormack, Esq., of Chatham.

BIRTH. At Blackville, on the 14th inst, the wife of Com. Miller scolded a son.

DIED. On the 15th inst., at Derby, Elizabeth Love, wife of John Russell, in the 81st year of her age. She died as she lived, a Christian. Her end was peace. Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

South West Boom Comp'y. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

Christmas and the New Year. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at W. R. Wall's Hall, Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of the month, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary. ALEX. MORRISON, PRESIDENT. Newcastle, 24th Dec., 77.

Excursion Tickets. will be issued at all Booking Stations at ONE FIFTH CLASS FARE, from Saturday, the 22nd of December, to Tuesday, the 1st January, in return for the double journey to return up to and including the 3rd of January.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875. AND AMENDMENTS THEREOF. In the Matter of William H. Frecker, Insolvent. A. D. SHIRREFF, ATTORNEY.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPY. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Secretary, in Newcastle, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of January next, at three o'clock in the forenoon.