Local and General News.

"GOLDEN HAIRED MARY" shall have attention next week.

DR. J. H. ARNOLD, may now be consulted at his office, over Mr. Street's Drug Store, Newcastle. - Advt.

CURLING. -The St. John curlers went over to Halifax and beat the curlers of that City at the roarin' game on Thursday last. THE "FREEMAN," while it gives credit to other journals for what it takes from their columns, very often forgets that

courtesy when reproducing our news items.

We hope it will mend its practice in this MUSICAL. - Mr. Burwood having returned home is now prepared to make engage. me on and commence his professional duties. Ladies and gentlemen contemplating the formation of private classes can

ob'ain every information upon application. BELLEDUNE MAILS. - We learn that the Post Office Inspector is making arrangements to have the Belledune River mail reach that office from Belledune office instead of Armstrong's Brook, in accordance with the prayer of a petition from the

TO CORRESPONDENTS AND OTHERS .-Among the matter crowded out this week is Bay du Vin correspondence, aportion of our Kent County notes including court news; Prince Edward Islandletter; School meeting notes; Northumberland County Court proceedings, some new advertisements, etc., all of which will appear next

people interested.

LECTURE. -The Rev. H. D. Steele, Kingston, Ont., delivered an interesting lecture in the Temperance Hall, Chatham, on Monday evening last, on "the connection between Theology and Revelation." Dr. Thomson occupied the chair. At the close of the address a collection was taken up which was to be devoted to charitable purposes.

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION has been taken by a Blackville Councillor, who in doing so, has given the best possible proof that he is a gentleman not afraid of assuming honorable responsibility When a man goes into an undertking which is shared with him by a lady and sanctioned by a clergyman, there is sufficient evidence-to use a trite phrase -that his head is level, and we therefore congratulate the parties concerning whose important step the particulars appear under the usual heading in another column.

Incorporation.

Ratepayers of Chatham are interested in the proposed bill for an act to incor porate Chatham, which has been carefully prepared by the Citizens' Committee and is pretty fully published in this paper, commencing on 1st page. Those who take an interest in the subject-and every good citizen should do so-ought to read the provisions of the bill and note any thing which they may wish to have changed at the Ratepayers' meeting, which is to be held on Monday evening next commenc ing at seven o'clock. The Committee have done their work faithfully and, therefore, should not be blamed if they have not worked rapidly enough to meet the views of some of their anxious friends.

A Fishery Petition

The following petition has, we are informed, been forwarded to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, signed by many of the most influential citizens of Bathurst and other parts of the County. It calls for simple justice and nothing more:-To the Honorable Albert J. Smith, Minister of Marine and Fisheries for the Dominion

The Petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the County of Gloucester. HEREBY SHEWETH:

That your Petitioners have learned with surprise that you have made an order directing that no smelt fishing be allowed with bag nets but that it must be confined to hook and line in the County of Glouces-

Your Petitioners deem this an injustice. as by a recent order, these nets are allowed in other Counties in this Province until the fifteenth day of February next. Your Petitioners consider it a great hardship that the fishermen who have invested so much money in nets should be so suddenly required to withdraw. Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that the fishermen of this County may

receive the same priveleges as are accorded in other parts of the Province. And as in duty bound will ever pray.

Special Despatches to the "Miramichi Advance."

St. John, Jan. 24th 1877. Special despatches state that Russia and Turkey continue preparations for war, the latter having called on the Khedive and governors of the different provinces of Asia and Africa to be prepared to furnish more money and men at the call of the

President Grant is reported to favor the Commission for settling the Presidency as its decision would give a clear title. He said that whoever held the office it was essential to the welfare of the country that his title should be absolutely unquestioned. Thesecurities of Chas. Wright (bigmist) were forfeited in the County Court yester-

day. Daniel Flemming was found guilty o common assault on a pretty young gypsey fortune teller. He will also be arraigned on another charge by one Julia Lynch, who loved him not wisely but too well. Thos. Darrah liquor dealer, Market St., Halifax, shot himself fatally last night.

Concert at Bathurst.

On the evening of Monday the 15th inst a concert of vocal and instrumental music was held in the Masonic Hall Bathurst. The programme, an unusually long one, was very attractive and gave entire satisfaction to the large audience, they being unanimous in stating it to be the best ever given there. The chorus party had but three practices together, and deserve all praise for the manner in which they executed their part, while at the same time reflecting great credit upon their conductor and teacher Mr. J. R. Burwood. Just before singing "the national anthem," Sheriff Vail stepped upon the platform asking a few minutes in order to read and present an address which had been handed him with the request to do so. It was as

follows :-PATHURST, N. B., January 15th 1877. Prof. J. R. Burwood,

SIR,-We the undersigned members of St. George's Church choir and lady and gentlemen amateurs can not let you depart from our midst without giving you some expression of our appreciation and we adopt this method of conveying to you our heartfelt thanks for the assiduous and disinterested manner in which you have aid-

We owe you a debt of gratitude on behalf of the Church for your gratiuous serthe highest manner of your talent as a cently his more immediate friends with musician and your ability as a teacher of whom he conversed about his business music, a rare combination which at once affairs noticed that he appeared despon-

places you in the first rank of your profes-Personally and in common with the many friends you have made during your stay we can only express our regret that come a permanent resident amongst us, but whatever time or space may intervene rest assured you will ever be held in

and homes of Bathurst. Mrs. Kempton, F. McGinn. Fannie J. Dawson, M. A. Nelson, Lucy DesBrisay, F. K. McGinn. Lizzie Bishop, J. H. Mann, Mary E. Dawson, C. W. Mann, Helen Mann, Geo. W. Dawson Georgie Vail, C. H. Bishop, Bessie Vail, Lizzie Carter. The proceeds were given towards con oletion of the new English Church.

grateful remembrance, and upon your re-

turn find a warm welcome in the hearts

Blackville Notes.

An obliging correspondent at Blackvill

sends us a few notes from that important up-river point. The people are justly complaining of the tardiness of the Postal authorities in restoring the tri-weekly mail on the route between Miramichi and Fredericton and some of them think the ADVANCE ought to evince a deeper interest in the matter than it does. We have only to say that every legitimate influence that the ADVANCE has been able to exercise has been used to induce the Post Office Department to do justice to the Miramichi in this matter. We are waiting patiently for the Department to move in it and if it does not do so soon we shall try the virtue of less pleasant, though perhaps more effective means for inducing the Postmaster General to treat the representations of the people on this subject with something better than

his indifference, stupidity or contempt. The snow is very deep up-river and although the roads are "heavy" there is a good deal of teaming going on-supplies for lumbermen being constantly on the move towards the camping and lumbering

silence, which may be the result of either

John McLaggan, Esq., leaves in a day or two on a visit to California. One of our Councillors has also set out with a very agreeable companion on the old, old journey which it is hoped will be

Wide Awake for February, 1877.

long and pleasant to both.

"WIDE AWAKE" for February opens with "Little True Blue," by Lucia Chase Bell, a stirring Minnesota winter story. Mr. Wm. F. Round follows with "Child Marian Abroad," in which Marian has a very funny experience in trying to see Queen Victoria. Mrs. Whiton's exquisite poem, "A Little Child's Fancies" is exquisitely illustrated by a full-page drawing from the pencil of Miss L. B. Humphrey There are many other short stories and poems, "Valentimes," by Mary C. Bartlett, "The Pink Parrot and the Gray Boy," by Ella Farman, "Lulu's Pets," by Mary Standish Robinson, "Peggy's Valentine," by Rosa Graham, "A Boy and his Kittens Three," by Mrs. Frank Mc-Carthy, "A Nut to Crack," by Josephine Pollard, the "Second Adventure of Miltiades Peterkin Paul," by John Brownjohn. The first of the promised "Flossy and Bossy" Stories relates to "Uncle Martin's Wig.' Flossy and Bossy are "truly" girls the little daughters of a "truly" minister, and everything told in these stories really

Two papers in this number will attract especial attention. The "Poet's Home Series, No. VII., gives a portrait of Edgar Fawcett, and the artcle by Mrs. Fannie Roper Feudge, "My Visitto the Birthplace of the Siamese Twins." The serials, "Quinnebasset Girls," by Sophie May, and "Good-for-Nothing Polly," by Ella Farman, are capital. In "Daughter and I" our girls will be sure to learn a great deal of practical physiology. "A Dolls' Fair, illustrated by three engravings, is sure to be read by every little girl in the country. Only \$2.00 per annum. D. LOTHROP & Co., Publishers.

Annual School Meetings. Continued from last week.

An obliging correspondent, writing from District 2 No. West Branch, Kent, says: "We held our annual school meeting in the school house West Branch on Thursday 11th inst. There was a very fair attendance of rate-payers. The meeting being called to order Mr. James Murray was appointed Chairman and James Johnson Secretary. Mr. Henry Wathan being the retiring trustee, Mr. James Murray was elected in his place. The Board is now composed of Messrs. Thos. Curran, Alex. Michael and James Murray. The meeting was conducted very harmonious. ly and \$100 were voted for school expenses for the current year. On account of the scarlet fever breaking out in our district the Trustees have decided not to again open the school until the beginning

of the next term." At District No. 51 Glenelg the chair was occupied by Sam'l T. McKnight, Mr. John Fenton, Trustee, being Secretary. Mr. Fenton was the retiring Trustee and he was re-elected. An assessment of \$70 was voted for the current year and Messrs. John Mitchell and Donald McGinnis were excused from payment of their District tax. It was also voted that the school house should be removed to a more con-

venient place than where it now is. At the meeting in No. 3 District Black Brook, Mr. John Rice was chairman and Mr. McIntosh, Sec'y. The amount of assessment voted was \$350. Mr. John Loggie was retiring Trustee and Mr Alex. Loggie Jr. was elected in his place. Wm. McRae Esq., was re-appointed auditor. The Board of Trustees is now composed of Messrs, Rice, John Blake and Alexander Loggie Jr. The balance on hand in this district at the end of the year was \$130.

A Sad Affair

A Newcastle friend furnishes the following particulars of one of the saddest local

events that we have ever recorded : On the afternoon of Thursday last the monotony of this quite town was disturbed by the startling announcement that Thomas Marshall, a promising and respected young merchant, had commitsuicide. The consternation was heightened by the absence of any previous indication which would lead to the supposition that such a desperate act was contemplated by the unfortunate young man-Though but 25 years of age he had been in the employ of various concerns, where his industrious and steady habits were such as to recommend him to the employ of Messrs. Brown, Brooks & Ryan, railway contractors, with whom he remained as clerk till the completion of their work. During this time he succeeded in accumued and assisted us in organizing this con- lating sufficient means to give him a start cert and bringing it to so successful an in business on his own account. In May last he opened a general store in a good location and to all appearances seemed to vices as organist upon several occasions, be receiving his share of patronage, though and as individuals, for the benefit we have | in common with other merchants he shared derived from your training in our practices. in the general business depression. Re-

dent, and tried to encourage him with the assurance that better times would come bye and bye. On the day on which the sad affair occurred he did not, as usual, circumstances will not permit you to be- go home to dinner, which caused no anxiety as he sometimes, when busy, took dinner at the Hotel. His sister, who has assisted him in the store since he commenced business, remained at home in the forenoon and on going there after dinner found the door locked, and seeing his gloves lying on the counter, inside, informed her father, who at once proceeded to the store, and discovered that the door was locked with the key inside. Becoming alarmed he went to the Hotel for assistance and re-

turned in company with Capt. John Bell, who burst in the door and commenced a search. Noticing that the cellar hatch was open Mr. Bell descended followed by Mr. Marshall. Finding the cellar dark the former returned for a lamp and had scarcely ascended the stairs, when Mr. Marshall who had been groping about the cellar exclaimed "I have found him." Mr. Bell again went into the cellar and witnessed the sad spectacle of the young man suspended by his muffler attached by a cord to a spike in one of the beams. They cut him down instantly

and carried him up stairs. Dr. Bishop happening to be close at hand was soon on the spot and after an examination pronounced him quite dead, and expressed the opinion that he must have been dead two An excited crowd soon collected about the store apparently unwilling to credit the fact, until it was known that a slip of paper had been found on the desk on which was written, in a small and apparently steady hand the following-"John Fish to

wind up my business, who was always a

good friend to me, each merchant to take back their goods, especially Daniel & Boyd and B. Levine & Co. ;debts paid and collected." Coroner Davidson held an inquest when the jury returned the verdict, "that the deceased came to his death by hanging himself, cause to the jury unknown. As a mark of respect to the deceased and sympathy with the afflicted family the funeral was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev's. Messrs. Anderson and Jenkins and were very solemn and impressive. This sad termination of a career so full of promise has cast a gloom over the entire community, particularly as no apparent reason can be assigned for the perpetration of the act.

Kent County Matters.

A CONVENT FOR BUCTOUCHE. Rev. Father Michaud, who recently removed from St. John to Buctonche, purposes to have a Convent erected in the last named place. The building will be three and a half storeys in height, the lower storey to be of stone. It will be situated a short distance to the west of the R. C. Chapel at Buctouche, on an eligible site which has been chosen. The cost of the structure will be in the vicinity of \$10,000. Rev. Mr. Michaud has, himself, made the handsome donation of \$500 towards the erection of the Convent.

TEMPERANCE. Upwards of three hundred persons "took the pledge" at Buctouche on the first Sunday in the present year. This is the beginning of a reform in Temperance matters inaugurated by Rev. Father Michaud at that place. NEW HOTEL.

A new hotel has recently been opened at Buctouche by Mr. Thomas Roberts who is favorably known to the travelling publie, having been for many years proprietor of the "Roberts House," Buctouche.

KENT DRIVING PARK ASSOCIATION. At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kent Driving Park recently held at Taylor's Hotel, Kingston, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year, viz:-Alex. Girvan, Oswald Smith, John Murray, J. W. Dorherty and John Taylor. At a subsequent meeting of directors Alex. Girvan, Esq., was chosen President, and Mr. A. James Girvan Secre-

ACCIDENT. On Sunday 14th inst. Miss Katie Sutton fell down the cellar of her residence in Richibucto and narrowly escaped being seriously injured.

PERSONAL. Mr. John H. Bell has returned to Richibucto after an absence of some months in England. Mr. Bell purposes going into the fishery business more extensively this

year than he did in 1876.

On Monday 15th inst., slight damage was done by fire to that portion of the Richibucto school house in which Mr. Cowperthwaite has his classes. The agent of the Insurance Company in which the building is insured would do his duty by having an investigation into the cause of the fire. The same day fire was discovered in the upper flat of Mr. McLeod's store, but no damage was done as the discovery was made in time to prevent a serious, conflagration.

MASONIC. The following are the officers of St. Andrew's Lodge No. 16 F. & A. M. fo

the present year :-John Robertson, W. M.: William Brown, I. P. M.; Allan Haines, S. W.; W. H. McArthur, J. W.; James McDougall, Trea.; T. W. Bliss, Sec'y.; Rev. James Law, Chap. : James Scott, S. D.; James Murray, J. D.; David Palmer, S. S. : Thomas McNeill, J. S. :

J. C. Moody, P. M., D. of C.; James A. Jardine, I. G,; John Johnstone, Tyler.

St. Andrew's Lodge meets in the Masonic Hall, Richibucto, on the first Monday evening on or after every full moon. DEATH OF A KENT CO., MAN ABROAD. Intelligence has been received of the death of Henry C. Stevenson, M. D., which

took place at Demerara on the 15th ult. Mr. Stevenson was a successful and skilful physician, and a native of Kent County; his parents, to whom the news of their son's death is a sad blow, reside on the Buctouche Road, a few miles south of the Village of Kingston. Dr. Stevenson's many friends in New Brunswick will re gret to hear of his demise.

"BALLS AND THAT SORT OF THING." Following the example of the landlord and landlady of the "Kent" who recently gave a private ball, a number of spirited young gentlemen intend getting up a Grand Ball to be held in the "Kent !Hotel" on Wednesday evening 31st inst. The idea of its being a "Bachelors' Ball," as some aver, has been knocked in the head by two, at least, consequential benedicts in the shire town being on the committee of management The affair promises to be a grand success. kind, will shortly be held at "The Exchange Hotel," Richibucto.

SEASONABLE GIFT.

A resident of Richibucto received a New David Weaver, Senr. Year's gift in the form of a bar of P. Y. Overseers of Poor :soap. The parties who made the presentation wished the gentleman to have some-Holmes. thing he would keep. Hence the above.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Continued from last week.

On Wednesday morning, 17th, the first business gone into was the appointment of Parish officers and this occupied the Council nearly all the morning. The list will be found below.

Messrs. Alex. Stewart, John Nichol son and Hiram Fish were appointed Committee to take charge of the Pub-

An assessment of \$700 was ordered on the Police District of Newcastle for Police purposes; and \$800 on Chatham, including percentage for assessing and collecting for same purpose.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ETC. An assessment of \$1200 was ordered on the Fire District of Chatham, for the use of the Fire Department.

An assessment of \$1000 was also or dered on the Town of Newcastle to go towards purchasing a Steam Fire Engine for the Town. Couns. Hutchison, Crocker, Lawlor,

a Committee to fix the scale for ap

portioning the County assessment. They

presented the following report, recom mending that the scale be as follows: Chatham. 27 per cent. 23 Newcastle. Blackville. Blissfield, 2.3 Ludlow, 6.5 Alnwicke, Northesk, 7.3 4 " 3.8 Hardwicke. 4.6 Derby, 8.2 Nelson,

100.00 The decimal scale was adopted. On motion of Coun. Whitney the following names were struck from the list of lumber Surveyors of Northesk on account of their being those of non-

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residents: Andrew Morrison, Jos. W. Lingley, N. Shaw, Chas. Shaw An account from the Overseer of the Poor of Blissfield, amounting to \$27.50 for support of a pauper, was read. It was resolved that the amount be assessed on the Parish of Blissfield and when collected, paid over to the Overseer

of the poor. MARKET HOUSE COMMITTEE. Messrs. Fotheringham, Crocker and Hutchison were appointed a Committee to obtain plans and receive tenders and otherwise further the building of the County Market Houses and report at next January Session.

and Mr. Charles F. Bourne were appointed Gaol committee. Warden Park, and Messrs. R. R. Call and Allan Ritchie were appointed a Committee to look after the Public

Sec. Treas. Thompson, Warden Park

Wharf and lands. A motion that the Sec-Treasurer be ordered to enforce the collection of the defaulters' lists in the Parish of Chatham for the years 1873-4 and 5 was lost. The report of the Committee on Contingent assessment recommending that

\$2,000 be assessed for contingencies was carried It was ordered that a Committee consisting of the Warden and Couns. Lawlor and Crocker confer with the persons trespassing on public streets, as noted in the report of the Committee on the petition of Daniel McGruar, about said trespasses and report at the next regular Session of Council.

Adjourned sine die. Parish and County Officers.

The following are the Parish and County officers appointed for the current year: Overseers of Poor:--

William Murray, Bruno Poirier, Wm. H. Brown, Town Clerk:-Isaiah P. Savoy.

Commissioner of Highways:-Prudent Robichean, James Bowie, Horatio J. Lee. Pound Keepers:

John McCarty, John Simpson, Lewis Breaux, Joseph Martin, Joseph Simpson, John Williston, Marcin Russell, Francis H. Meuzeroll, Duncan Robertson, Isaiah LaTulip.

Assessors of Rates:-Louis P. Robicheaux, John McKenzie, Joseph Caughlan, Sr. Overseers of Highway:-

Michael Lloyd, James Burchill, James Mahony Colin McDougall, Peter Morrison, Jr., (O. P.) Francis M'Knight, Jas. Anderson Oliver Giroir, Damien LeBlanc, Jule Savoy. Isaiah LaTulip, Peter Legere, Luke Breaux, Michael Savoy, Germain Savoy, Grigoire Savoy, Stanislas Savoy, Amatuer Breaux, Hubert Breaux, John Vanadestine, James Stymiest, Joseph Simpson, George Buchanen, Donald Ross, Patrick Grattin. George Simpson, John Ashford, John M. C. England, Marcel Hachie, Lazare Meuzeroll, Roderick McWilliam.

Constables:-William B. Stuart, Peter Legere, James Robertson, senr., William Hierlihy, Daniel Dickson, Augustin Allain, John Stronack, John B. Legere, Edward Vienneux, Bruno

Collectors of Rates: James Mahony. Grigoire Savoy. John Stymiest. Clerk of Market:

William Morrison. Boom Masters:-A. J. W. McKenzie, James McLean,

Patrick Gratten Fence Viewers:-Michael Kenny, Philip Hierlihy, Nas-taze St. Cœur, Ephraim Robicheaux, Bruno Poirier, John Beattie, Anthony Gratten. John B. Russell, John Burnak, Oliver

Meuzeroll, Alex. Bell. Hector McKinnon Revisors of votes:-Prudent Robicheaux, Romaine Savoy, . K. McDougall. Bark Measurers:-

William Blake, John L. Robicheaux, regoire Savoy. Commissioners of Bye Roads:-John L. Robicheaux, John McKenzie. Stream Drivers:-

Anthony Gratten, Robert Vanadestine,

Bernard Robicheaux.

Hog Reeves:-Michael Kenny, William Loggie, Donald Ross, Daniel Dickison, Oliver Savoy, Sylvain Savoy, Peter Legere, Stanislas Martin, James Ross, jr. Inspectors of Fish:-

Edward Vienneaux, Bruno Porier, Wm. ussell, Wm. Blake, Alexander Stewart. Robert Loggie, James Murray, John Campbell, Alex. McKinnon, William Morrison, Joseph Breaux. Surveyors of Lumber:-

Robert Vanadestine, Louis P. Robicheaux, A. J. W. McKenzie, John Mc Innes, Ralph Fayle, Simon Simpson, James Stymiest, Andrew McLean, Alexander L. Beattie, Alex. McLean, Peter Morrison, O. P., John Morrison, O. P., Duncan Another ball, but not of so aristocratic a Morrison, Joseph Simpson, Eubulas Mc Cultum, Norman Campbell.

BLISSFIELD. Assessors of Rates :-George Mersereau, Richard Attridge,

James Lyons, George Donalds, Thomas Commissioners of Highways :-

Wm. Russell, Sr., John Marony, Sr., Michael Hannen. Town Clerk

Ferryman:-

Perley, Jas. Loggie.

week. EDITOR.]

Overseers of Fisheries:-

Peter Gray, John Murdock, Dudley

[The lists of officers of the remainin

parishes of the County will appear next

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY. -- I

an Indian vegetable compound, composed

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Billious Colic, Dysentery, Indigestion, &c., should take the "Shoshonees Remedy."

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Caie, Esq., son of the late Hon. W. S. Caie, of

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Sold by all medicine dealers.

Pills 25 cents a box.

Peter Sinclair, of Northesk,

John A. McDonald. Pound keepers :-Edward Connell, James Sutherland, James Doak, Matthew Beaus, John Gilks,

Jeremiah Arbo. Hog Reeves :-James Gilks, James Betts, Gain Mersereau, David Weaver. Commissioners of Bye Roads:-Harrey Arbo, Charles Betts.

Collector of Rates :-Robinson Wasson. Clerk of the Market :-Harvey Doak. Constables:-Daniel Lyons, Zacheus Gilks, Robert

Arbo, Peter Travis, Wm. Russell, Jr. Michael McLaughlan, John Moran, David Lyons. Wm. Carrol. Surveyors of Roads Samuel Holmes, Nelson Betts, Alfred Travis, Bartholmew Hogan, Daniel Assle,

Thomas Wasson, David Bamford, John Sutherland, Joseph Dunphy, John McDuff Sr., Michael Murray. Timber Drivers :--John L. Murray, John Wasson. Esson and Whitney were appointed

Fence Viewers :-John McElwee, Harvey Weaver, Elij Arbo, Wm. McElwee. Inspectors of Butter :-Timothy Hurley, Samuel Breeze.

Inspector of Barrels and Fish :-Henry Swim. Sealer of Leather :-James Robinson, Sr. Ferrymen :-

Samuel Betts, Charles Weaver.

Surveyors of Lumber :-Robert B. Robinson, Henry Swim, Charles Bamford, Rollin Crocker. BLACKVILLE. Commissioners of Roads:-

Wm. Whalen, Jno. McConnel, Thos Dunphy. Assessors of Rates:of Alex. W. Paterson, Esq., of Chatham. Edward Dalton, Jno. Curran, Geo.

Elijah Donalds, Jas. Underhill, Thos. Washbourne, Jno. Whalen. Dan'l Carrol. Dennis M'Carthy, Jas. Schofield, Florence Blackville.

Town Clerk: B. N. T. Underhill Inspector of Butter:-Henry Hall. Clerk of the Market:-James Bean. Pound keepers:-D. Curtis, Jno. Vickers, Hugh Underwood, Jas. Hogan, Nath'l Morehouse,

Chas. Conners, Jno. Dunphy, Isaac Schofield, Stephen McCarthy, Andrew Colford, Jacob Layton. Lumber Drivers:-Den is Sullivan, John McLaughlin, B. N. T. Underhill, Edward Carrol.

Arch. Ahern, Thos. Vickers, Ben. oughlan, Chas. Connors, Jno. Denalds. Jno. Dunn, Jas. Porter, Jno. Colford, Jno. Boom Masters:

Jacob Layton, Edward Carrol, Jas. Donnelly. Inspector of Grindstones: - Michael Duffy. Field Drivers:

Pat. Quinn, Alex. Murphy. Collectors of Rates:-Lemuel Coffin. (Upper), Jas. Smith, Middle), Mat. Kehoe, (Lower). Measurers of Wood and Bark:-Thos. W. Underhill, Morris Hays. Fence Viewers: -Jas. Donalds, Moses Harris, Michael Donovan, (John).

Inspector of Leather:-Jas. Harris. Commissioners to expend Bye Road Morgan Hays, Lower District; Jno. Underhill, Middle District; Jas. Donalds. Upper District.

Revisors of Votes:-Dan'l Sullivan, Jno. L. Scofield, Pat. Borgin.

Overseers of Roads:-Michael Sullivan, Michael Donovan, Pat. Quinn, Michael O'Brien, Robt. Sturgeon, Geo. McRae, David Mahony, James Porter, Jr., Michael McCarthy, Thos. Vickers, F. Brophy, Jas. Nutbean, John Mesereau, Jas. Stewart, Thos. Weaver, Jno. A. Underhill, Pat. Hogan, Geo.

Russel, Cowan Brophy, Morris Hays, And. McCormick, John Donavan. Overseers of Poor:-Dennis Hogan, Thos. Dunphy, Jas.

Surveyor of Lumber:-W. T. Under-Inspectors of Fish:-W. Whalen, Jas. Donald. CHATHAM. Overseers of Poor:-

Donald McLachlin, Moses Connors, Jno. Constables: Angus Buckley, Luke Pike, John Ferguson, Henry Burbridge, Daniel Baldwin, Isaac Jackson, David Savoy, James Kelly.

Commissioners of Roads:-Alfred Paterson. Upper District, Daniel Finn, Middle Dis. John Fenton, Lower District. Pound Keepers:-Robert Thompson, Upper Dis., George Morris, Middle Dis., Robt. Blake, Lower.

Collectors of Rates: Thomas Gavnor, Upper Dis. Jno. Ferguson, Middle Dis., Wm. McRae, Lower Dis. Town Clerk: George Wilson. Fence Viewers:-

Dennis Sullivan, Robert Blake, John Foley, Robert Murray. Clerk of the Market:-Angus Ullock. Hog Reeves: Geo. Arnold, Wm. Wyse, George Bur-

bridge, Philip Anslow, Harvey Thomson, Lestock Trevors, Wm. Jackson, John B. Forrest, Alexander Dickson, jr. Boom Masters:-Thomas Crumly, Patrick Keoghan, Benjamin Flood Surveyors of Dams:-

Charles Blakely, Robert Jardine. Inspectors of Butter:-Robert Sinclair, James Edgar. Assessors of Rates :-Thomas Crimmin, Richard Hocken. Richard Carman.

Surveyors of Roads :--Thomas Fernands, James Williams Thomas Brehaut, John Riley, William Dickson, William Kerr, Patrick Connell, John Fitzpatrick, Patrick Connors, (Back

Lots), David Fenton. Revisors of Votes : Wm. Lawlor, John Fotheringham, A D. Shirreff. Timber Drivers :--Michael Fitzpatrick, James Jardine.

By Road Commissioners:-Wm. Kelly, Upper District, Patrick Connors, (Back Lots) Middle District, Robert Murray, Lower District. Weighers of Hay and Coal :-D. T. Johnstone, F. J. Letson. Surveyors of Lumber :-Michael Keenan, Daniel Crimmin, John England Sr., Andrew McIntosh, William

Fennety, Thomas Rennie, Arthur Sharp, Thomas McQuinn, Cornelius Mackendy, John Sterling, Matthew Keenan, William Keenan, Thomas Barden, James Dee, James McIntosh, Jr., Ed. McQuinn, John Devereaux, John McLaughlan, Fred. E. Danville, John Woods, James D. McKay, John Connors, Peter McAdam, Timothy Harrington, John O'Keeffe Sr., John Sinclair, John J. Gaynor, Robert Blake, William McGraw, John Newman, John

Henry Kelly, Asa Perley, Wm. Hay, Dudley Perley, Peter Gray, Andrew Hay, Alexander Henderson, Alex. Manderson. Firewards:-W. B. Howard, D. T. Johnstone, Dan'l Crimmin, James W. Fraser, William Muirhead, jr., James Gray, John Coleman.

On Thursday morning, 18th inst. between Mr. John Brown's S ore. Chatham, and the Chatham Branch Station, a dark colored Wharfingers:--

Inspectors of Fish:--

James T. Griffin, John O'Keeffe, sr., James V. Benson. Square Committee:-

J. B. Snowball, G. A. Blair, J. Haviland. Thomas Haviland.

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W E have now the pleasure to inform the Patrons of the "Anchor" Line, as well as the Public enerally, that the Spring Sailings of this splendid

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Kouchibouguac, to Eliza Harding, eldest daughter Seal Brown French Merino: At Blackville, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johnstone, John L. Scofield, Esq., Councillor, of Black Matalasse Mantle Cloth : Blackville, to Carcilla B., youngest daughter of Mr. Black, Seal, Navy and Cardinal Silk Velvets; At the Manse, Blackville, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johnstone, Mr. James Foley, to Mary Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. John Scoffeld, all of

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At Chatham, N. B., on the 21st inst., after a lin-(" Advocate" copy) gering illness, Mr. Robert Wright, aged 67 years NEW STORE. His end was peace. "Pass a few swiftly fleeting years, And all that now in bodies live, Shall quit like me this vale of tears,

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THE Subscriber manufactures to order all des-**Brass and Iron Castings and** Machinery.

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ALSO. A good assortment of Spur and Rivet Gear, Fri tion and Pulley Patterns. AGENT FOR JUDSON'S STEAM GOVERNOR We sell these Governors at manufacturers' prices, with freight and duty added. Estimates on application

JAMES W. FRASER. WEMANUFACTURE SUPERIOR DOUBLE EDGING MACHINES Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of Reuben Gogan and Joi Gogan, Insolvents. WRIT OF ATTACHMENT has been issued this cause, and the creditors are notified to neet at the Court House, in the Parish of Richibucto, County of Kent, Province of New Brunswick, on FRIDAY, the Sixteenth day of February next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee i they see fit.

Dated at Richibucto, County of Kent, New Bruns wick, this 20th day of January, A. D., 1877.

JAMES McDOUGALL, they see fit.

Official Assignee SHERIFF'S SALE

TO be sold at Pablic Sale, on FRIDAY, the 3rd day of August next, in front of the Registry ffice, Newcastle, between the hours of 12, noon All the Right, Title and Interest of John Deve eaux and Catherine Devereaux, his wife, and John Lane, in and to all that Lot or Tract of Land situate lying and being on the South side of the River Miramichi, in the Parish of Chatham, known as Lot No. 41, bounded on the upper or westerly side by lands owned by the late William Hay, or the lower or easterly side by Lot Number 40, formerly occupied by John Stewart, deceased, which lot 41 extends in front 60 rods, and contains in the whole 300 acres, more or less. Also, the Right, Title and Inte est of the said John Devereaux and Catherine, his wife, in and to all that Piece or Parcel of Land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Chatham, known as part of Lot Number 35, and bounded as follows : com ing on the Westerly side of the road or street leading from Water Street to the Wellington Road called Henderson Street, at the South-Easterl angle of the piece of land cwned by Caleb McCull being 54 feet Southerly from the corner of Wate Street; thence Southerly along the West side of Henderson street, aforesaid, one hundred feet G. B. FRASER. thence Westerly on a line at right angles with the Registrar of Probates ast mentioned line 90 feet; thence Northerly on a for said County. line parallel with the Westerly side of Henderson Street aforesaid, 98 feet, or to the Southwest angle of the piece of land formerly owned by James A. Pierce: thence Easterly along the rear lines of the said James A. Pierce and Caleb McCully's lands 90

feet, or to the Westerly side of Henderson Street aforesaid, being the place of beginning; being the same land that was conveyed to the said John Devereaux by Robert McCalmont and others by Deed dated the 6th August, A. D., 1856. of the said John Devereaux in and to the said last mentioned land aforesaid, and being the land and premises on which the said John Devereaux at pre-The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of several Executions issued out of the Su preme Court, and out of the County Court of Northumberland, against the said John Devereaux and Catherine Devereaux, his wife, and John Lane. and against John Devereaux and Catherine Devereaux, his wife, and against John Devereaux indiv-

JOHN SHIRREFF. Sheriff of Northumbl'd. ERIFF'S OFFICE, Newcastle, 20th January, 1877.

ARCYLE HOUSE. OWING to a proposed change in our business, all parties having accounts with us will oblige by

THE 1st OF MARCH.

BUTTER,

NIDDRIE & WILSON.

Groceries, Provisions,

MILL SUPPLIES, &C. ROBERTSON & McANDREWS. Water Street, Chatham

LOST.

BUFFALO ROBE. lined with cloth and trimmed with red and blue on the edges.
Finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office Chatham, Jan 18, 1877.

Men Adrectisements.

gow, Liverpool, London, Hali-

Saturday, 24th March. Wednesday, 28th March.

From London - "DORIAN," - Friday, March 9 (unless prevented by unforeseen circumatances) The above Steamers being well known in the trade. and considerable care having been taken in fixing the sailing dates, we beg to solicit from Importers their undivided support. Through Bills of Lading granted to all the principal points in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. Freight taken upon as favorable terms as by any No Bill of Lading will be signed for a less sum Parties desirous of bringing out their friends should make application to the Subscribers, who ing a large majority of diseases arising

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which are good for twelve months.-Drafts issued

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Black, Seal, Navy & Cardinal Corded Ribbons; BUTTONS, in Black. Navy and Seal, in great Ladies' Black Cloth Mantles Black Fur Trimming;

W. S. LOGGIE.

STEPHEN WHITE.

THE Subscriber would beg leave to intimate to the inhabitants of Chatham that he has opened shop in the place lately occupied by C. O. Ericson, where he will keep constantly on hand-

Corned and Fresh Beef. GROCERIES - in Tea, Sugar, Soap, Tobacco, etc. And having imported a Sausage Mill from the U. States, I am prepared to fill orders for SAUSAGES,

WANTED.

A Competent Carriage Blacksmith. 13 GOOD WAGES PAID. 351 Apply to the Subscriber.

THE GREAT FEMALE REMEDY Clarke's Periodical Pills.

This invaluable Medicine is unfailing in the cures

Chatham, Jan 22, 1877.

of all those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excesses and removes all obstructions and a speedy cure may be relied on In all cases of nervous and spinal affections, pains in the back and limbs, fatigue on slight exertion palpitation of the heart, hysterics and whites, thes Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed, and although a powerful remedy, do not contain iron, calomel, antimony, or anything hurtful to the constitution Full directions in the pamphlet around each package, which should be carefully preserved.

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Northrep & Lyman, Toronto, Ont,, general agents or the Dominion, will ensure a bottle containing over 50 pills, by return mail. Sold by Dr. J. Pallen and J. V. Benson, Chatham

JOB MOSES, New York.

Insolvent Act of 1875. In the Matter of James H. Powell, an Insolvent. Writ of Attachment has been issued in this A cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at he Court House in the Parish of Richibucto,

County of Kent, Province of New Brunswick on TUESDAY, the sixth day of February next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit. Dated at Richibucto, County of Kent, New Brunswick, this fourth day of Janua y. 1877 JAMES MCDOUGALL, 6 y 18

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND: To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland or any Constable within said County, GREETING: WHEREAS Richard Hutchison, one of the Executors of Matthew Carruthers, late of the Parish of Newcastle, in the said County, deceased has filed an account of their Administration on the Estate of the said deceased, and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed-You are therefore required to cite the creditors and next of kin of the said deceased, and all others interested in the said Estate, to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my Office, at Newcastle, in the said County, on MONDAY, the TWENTY-SECOND day of January next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowing of the said Account of Administration on the said Estate, at which time and place the several creditors of the said deceased are required to pro duce their vouchers and papers, and to substantiat their respective claims against the said Estate.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the L. S.1 sail Court, this Sixteenth day of December,

NOTICE

SAM'L THOMSON.

Judge of Probates

North'd.

PPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of this Province, at the next meeting for an Act authorizing the erection of a Boom and mainenance of the same at the Mouth of Barnaby River in the Parish of Nelson, in the County of Northum berland, for securing and rafting of lumber brought down said River, and levying and collecting fees for ooming and rafting such lumber. RICHARD HUTCHISON. Donglastown, 3rd January, 1877.

FALL GOODS.

THE Subscriber begs to call attention to his sup

STAPLE WINTER GOODS. BLANKETS. FLANNELS. TWEEDS WINCEYS.

ALSO :- His usual well-assorted stock of HARDWARE. English & American Glassware,

Lamps, in great variety, Decanters, Tumblers, Port, Sherry and Champagne Glasses. A large Stock of IRON. Cut and Wrought Nails' IMPROVED COOKING STOVES,

to burn wood or coal. HALL AND PARLOR STOVES. FOR BUILDERS.

Spruce and Hemlock Boards, Birch Plank, from 1 to 5 ins. thick, No. 1 & No. 2 Sawed and Split Pine and Cedar SHINGLES. F. J. LETSON,

Chatham, 22nd Nov., 1876

WATER STREET

A quantity of

SEASONED PINE LUMBER,

General Business.

A FANCY FAIR

N aid of the building fund for the St. Andrew's Church School Room, Newcastle, will be held Masonic Hall, on Thursday,

February 1st. SALE WILL COMMENCE AT 2 P. M. Tea will be provided in the Hall from 5 to 71 o'ciock. At 8.15 an ENTERTAINMENT OF VOCAL AND INSTRU-

MENTAL MUSIC ill begin, during the course of which a selection of Airs will be played on the

HAND BELLS.

ADMISSION TO THE SALE -10 CENTS. TICKETS for Tea 30 cents. Entertainment-25 ents. Tea and Entertainment -50 cents; can be

obtained at the Drug Store of E. Lee Street, Esq.,

Newcastle, or at the ADVANCE Office, Chatham.

Sec'y to Committee Newcastle, January 15, '77.

E. P. FLEWELLING.

Fall Produce, &c, The Subscriber has now on hand 50 quintals Halifax Codfish, (large) 50 barrels No. 1 Herring; 20 barrels Real Winter Apples;

50 boxes Raisins; 20 boxes Digby Smoked Herring

Potatoes. Salt Pork, Oysters,

and other articles for Household u.e. E. A. STRANG,

Snewball's. Wharf

DENTISTRY. DR. D. A. BAXTER, Dentist,

will be in Chatham

FOR ONE MONTH,

From January 14th.

Those wishing work done will please call early

HURRAH FOR HOLIDAYS

Oranges and Apples

(Per Steamer to Halifax.) Cases and Boxes Valencia RAISINS and FIGS. Oranges, Wholesale—\$5.00 Retail—40c. per doz., DuringHolidays. Also—3 doz. Clipper Sleds, for Boys; " Assorted Sleds, for Children 1 "Upholstered Sleds for young ladies: Also, low for Cash during X'mas Holidays. 100 Bbls. APPLES; 50 Bags, 20 lb. each, Pastry Flour ; Graham Flour (retail);

50 brls. Spring Extra Flour,

(Assorted Brands.)
OATMEAL; CORNMEAT 20 Boxes and half-boxes Raisins Valencias & Seedless do. 1 Brl. Currants 10 Bxs. Candied Lemon, Orange and Citron Glasgow Apothecary Company's Extracts,

Lemon, Citron, Nutmeg, Rose, Celery, Peach, Cinnamon, Vanilla, Peppermint, Orange, Cloves. SPICES. n Cloves, Mace, Nutmegs, Carraway, Allspice. SAUCES: Worcestershire, Tomato, Mushroom & Anchovie

Tapioca, Sago, Cocoa, Corn Starch, Almond Nuts, Hazel Nuts, Scotch Confectionery, Crocks, Preserved Ginger, Dundee Marmalade.

ICKLES,-in Chow Chow, Walnut and Mixed. Cayenne Pepper, Mustard, White Pepper. Chests & Half-Chests TEA, (In Black and Green.)

Chatham, Dec. 3, 1876. WM. WYSE. Glasgow House.

Embracing some Lots which are worthy the attention of close cash purchasers.

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MOLASSES, All of which are offered at low rates.

Chatham, Nov. 15th, 1376.

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WANTED. Dats, Homespun, Country Socks and Mitts. WM. MURRAY.

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1 AM OFFERING DURINGTHE HOLIDAY SEASON,

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FINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES,

In great Variety and at Prices in keeping with the Times.

Chatham, Dec. 7th, 1876.

Canned Mackerel, Lobsters and Oysters.

CRUSHED AND PULVERIZED SUGARS. Allidow for Cash.

THE Subscriber has in Stock, a full and complete assortment of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS

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WATCHES AND CHAINS, LADIES' JEWELRY GENTS' JEWELRY,

> MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS ETC., ETC., ETC.,

LADIES OR CENTLEMEN.

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