THE S. W. MIRAMICHI ICE has run out almost as far down as the Boom.

THE COUNTY COURT, Judge Wilkinson presiding, is to meet at Newcastle next Tuesday.

NEWCASTLE'S street lights—the arcs of the town's new electric system—were turned on for the first time on Monday evening.

NEW MILL:—Messrs. J. and T. Jardine have commenced work on their new mill in Rexton, Kent Co. It will be in every respect equal to the one destroyed by fire last fall.

DENTAL NOTICE:—Dr. Vaughan's office will be closed on Wednesdays from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., owing to his duties as dental surgeon to the Hotel Dieu requiring his presence at that institution.

OFF AND ON: On Saturday afternoon the engine of the express from Chatham for Fredericton left the rails at Fraser's siding and derailed six cars, but fortunately no one was injured.

PAID FOR THEIR FUN:—Clifford Astles and Addington Jardine, who did some damage to the Indiantown Branch passenger car last week, were arrested and settled the case out of court, they paying all damages and expenses.—Advocate.

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MORE TROUBLE:—Police Officer Smith of Springhill, left Newcastle last Friday night, having in charge Joseph Moore, of Springhill, one of the gang who was charged with attempting to shoot at Conductor Heine, and who is wanted for alleged theft in Springhill.

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AGAIN IN TROUBLE:—On Saturday night, Officer Chappell of Moncton arrested Caswell Ross and Jas. McCaron for drunkedness in that city. John Fraser was also arrested by Officer Scott. Fraser and McCarron were two of the men who were arrested at at Newcastle for shooting at Con. Heine.

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CHATHAM ORCHESTRA'—The McEachran Stapleton combination are preparing for a musical show assisted by some of the provincial stars in that line, to behold in the near future. We may expect something good from that organization and predict a good house. They intend purchasing instruments so as to have an orchestra that the town can be proud of, viz "Chatham Orchestra."

FIRES:—The Stevenson house, near the Canada wharf, Chatham, occupied by a family named Martin, was burned on Saturday night.

On Sunday forenoon an alarm was caused by a slight fire around the kitchen flue of the residence of Geo. A. Day, Esq., Resident Dominion Engineer. It was extinguished after a small portion of the roof was destroyed.

WE HAD OPEN WATER last year on 27th March. Col. Call came down from Newcastle in a row boat on that day, bringing Mr. Hutchison with him from Douglastown. The steamer St. Andrew was moving about the river at Chatham on the same day and the str. Nelson made the trip from Chatham to Newcastle and return on 29th. People were still crossing on the ice at Chatham and Newcastle yesterday.

A PRESENTATION of a $50 purse and an address was made on Saturday last to Mr. H. S. Lyman, late mechanical superintendent of the Dominion Pulp mill, by the employees thereof, the occasion being the announcement of that gentleman's severing his connection with the pulp mill to go into the business of sawing Lumber on his own account in Chatham. Mr. Lyman made an appreciative acknowledgment of the good feeling and liberality of his friends.

LASKEY-HAINES:—A wedding took place at 53 Wall street, St. John, Wednesday evening, when Mr. George S. Laskey was united in marriage to Miss Mary Haines, daughter of Mr. Joseph Haines, of Richibucto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. N. Stevenson in the presence of a number of intimate friends of the parties. Miss Alice Long attended the bride, while Mr. Henry Long supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Laskey will reside in St. John west.

PRESENTATION:—At a meeting of the Chatham I. O. O. F., last Thursday evening, a veteran's jewel was presented to P. G. M. J. L. Stewart, N. G. The presentation was made by H. W. Fleiger, P. G. M. Mr. Stewart has been a member of the order for more than 25 years, and the address accompanying the gift bore testimony to his faithful work for the order in all capacities. The recipient made a suitable reply, expressing appreciation of the gift, and invited the members to the Maple Leaf restaurant, where he entertained them at supper.

THE CEREMONY of the blessing of the bell of the new church of St. Samuel at Douglastown, took place last Friday, Rev. P. W. Dixon, pastor, and a number of visiting priests taking part. Mr. Samuel Adams, of New York, a native of Douglastown, was the generous contributor of the money for the purchase of the bell and also gave largely to the building fund, his last gift being $1,000. Other members of the Adams family were among the largest contributors. The church is one of the handsomest on the North Shore.—Advocate.

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S of T.

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E N. Ruddock,	R. S.
Miss Lu Sinclair,	A. R. S.
W. J D. Lobban,	F. S.
James Firth,	Treas.
Rev. J. M McLean,	Chap.
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Her 89th Birthday.

Mrs. Mary McCatherin, mother of Dougall McCatherin of this city, today celebrated her 89th birthday and was in receipt of congratulations and best wishes on all sides from her friends and also other places as far away as Arizona. Although being one of the oldest of our residents Mrs. McCatherin retains considerable of her old time vigor and youthful activity. She is a regular attendant at the Presbyterian church and yesterday was able to walk to the head of town to see a relative. All her faculties are unimpaired and she is still able to do fine sewing.—Gleaner, March 28th,

Exhibition Association.

An adjourned meeting of the Miramichi Exhibition Association is to be held on Tuesday evening next at eight o'clock, at the Canada House, Chatham, to receive the report of the committee appointed on Tuesday evening of this week to submit a code of by-laws and nominate directors, etc., thereunder; also to consider arrangements for the proposed fall exhibition; to appoint committees to interview Government re grant in conjunction with committee from Agricultural Society, and to arrange for Trotting Races and sports for the 24th May.

It is especially requested that stockholders attend as largely as possible and that they be on hand at the hour named, as a good deal of business is to be done.

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Town Council.

We regret that pressure of other matter crowds out our report of the special meeting of the Town Council of Monday night, which will, however, appear next week, as well as that of the regular meeting to be held next Monday evening.

The Council considered the furniture factory proposition as recommended by the Board of Trade and voted unanimously to call a meeting of ratepayers to vote on the question of making a loan of $20,000 to the proposed company, repayable, without interest, at the rate of $1,000 a year, town bonds at four per cent. to be issued therefor, secured on all the property and assets of the company,

Mayor Snowball took occasion to announce that he would not be a candidate for re-election as Mayor this year.

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DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

A New Fishery Question.

A Quebec despatch to the Montreal Star says:—The Quebec Government has taken an action in the Superior Court which is of great interest to salmon fishermen and owners of supposed fishing rights. It is entered against Mr. Ivers W. Adams, of Boston and Messrs A. Fraser and Co., of Quebec, and asks that they may be restrained from fishing in the River Moise.

Messrs. A. Fraser and Co. are riparian owners on the Moise River, and consequently claimed the right to fish in the waters contiguous to their property. They sold these rights to Ivers W. Adams. The local Government, on the other hand, claims that the Moise, being a navigable river, the right of fishing in it is its property, in virtue of a judgment of the Privy Council, and it has leased the same to Mr. Vesy Boswell, of Quebec, and taken the present action to have its lease respected. The final settlement of the case is expected to hinge upon what constitutes a navigable river in law, and the matter will, in all probability, be taken again from court to court until the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has been again reached.

Big Fire at Fredericton.

At Fredericton on Sunday Chestnt's brick block, opposite the City Hall, on Queen street, was badly damaged by fire. The ground floor, occupied by R. T. Mack, druggist, and S Korner, clothing and furnishings, was badly damaged before the base of the fire was located. Mr. Kerner's stock of clothing and furnishings, was completely ruined. His loss is over $15,000, with no insurance. Mr. Mack's loss is about $3,000, with $1,800 insurance. The second floor was occupied by J. W, McCready, A. R Slipp, H. F. McLeod, barristers; Dr. W. J. Irvine, dentist, and T. Amos Wilson, bookbinder. Messrs. McCready and Slipp suffered little damages save from smoke. Mr. McLeod's office was flooded with water. The loss of Dr. Irvine and T. Amos Wilson is fully covered by insurance.

There is $3,000 insurance on the building in the Norwich Union.

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DR HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPTION.

St Johns C E Society's "Longfellow" Evening.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant reunion of church workers took place in the S. S. hall of St. John's church under the auspices of its Christian Endeavor Society, which is so efficiently presided over by Miss Sara Marshall. The members and friends of that guild had with them those of the Westminster Guild of St. Andrews Church, the Epworth League of St Luke's, and the C. E. Societies of Napan and Loggieville, who had been invited to join in the exercises of "a Longfellow night," the leading features of which were the developement of knowledge of the great United States poet, his works and environment, with the incidentals of appropriate vocal and instrumental music and refreshments.

There was an address of welcome by Mr. Bently; a piano solo by Miss Neal; a paper on the life of Longfellow, by Miss Mowat; recitation of "The Slaves Dream" by George Cameron: Solo: "The Bridge" by Miss Weldon; Essay on "Evangeline" by Miss Gray; recitation: "Resignation," by Hesse Gunn; "Trust Her Not," given as a double quartette by Misses Weldon, Matthews, Dickeson and Gertie Allison and Messrs. Chas. Dickens, Geo. Reid, Frank McCullum and A. Matthews; an essay on "Hiawatha" by Miss Laula Smith; recitation: "The Reaper and the Flowers" by Dora Johnson; piano solo, Hesse Gunn; recitation: "The Psalm of Life, Miss M. McKinny. The foregoing comprised the regular programme, which was divided, so that there was an intermission, in which croquinole and other games were played and which also enabled the ladies of St. John's C. E. Society to serve refreshments. As is known to many, St. John's church has, amongst its other modern appointments, a well fitted kitchen in its basement, and from this the ladies in charge of that part of the programme furnished refreshments which were much appreciated.

Mrs. Matthews, wife of St. Luke's popular pastor, gave an address on Longfellow from the standpoint of one who had spent some time near where he had resided, and, in behalf of St. Luke's Epworth League, thanked the Christian Endeavorers of St. John's for the profitable and pleasant entertainment which they had enjoyed. Similar acknowledgements were made by Mr. John Fowlie, in behalf of the Westminster Guild of St. Andrew's and Mr. Babkirk, for the Loggieville C. E Society.

Rev. J. M. McLean, pastor of St. John's made the closing address; "God be with us till we meet again" and God Save the King were sung and all went home with the feeling that they had enjoyed a reunion, of which all who participated in it would long retain most pleasant recollections.

Personal.

Campbellton Events:—Miss Kate Anderson of Chatham is visiting her brother R. H. Anderson Esq. Manager of the Bank of N. S. Miss Loudoun of Chatham is visiting her sister, Mrs A D MacKendrick.

Mr. Wm H. O'Leary, Montreal, who was at Chatham on Thursday attending the funeral of the late Bishop Rogers, went to St. Joseph's University on Friday. Mr. O'Leary is one of the New Brunswickers who is making a business reputation for himself in Montreal. He is engaged in the electrical appliances business, and has had many large contracts, one of putting the electric lights in the Grand Seminary. Mr. O'Leary is a son of the late Mr. Henry O'Leary of Richibucto formerly M. P. P. for Kent, and a brother of Rev. Louis O'Leary D. D., Secretary to His Lordship, Bishop Barry.

W. S. Loggie, Esq, M. P. P left home on Monday morning to attend to his legislative duties at Fredericton.

Mrs. John Russell, of Newcastle, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. McLellan, Fredericton.

Premier Tweedie, who was laid up with grippe in his rooms at Fredericton on Friday last and since, was reported much better on Tuesday.

Mr. J B. Brown, barrister, has removed from Chatham to Parrsboro. He was entertained at a farewell supper by a large number of friends at the Riverview Hotel on Friday night. R. A. Lawlor, Esq, K. C., was chairman and R Murray, Esq, K. C., vice-chairman. The spread was one most creditable to Mr. Archer's hotel, and the speeches etc. in reply to the toasts, all that could be desired. Mr. Brown leaves many warm friends behind him in Chatham.

Rev. R. Barry Smith is to preach at Newcastle on Sunday, taking the pulpit of Rev. A. S Brown, who was ill.

The Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Snowball hold receptions every Tuesday afternoon from four until six o'clock, at Government House, Fredericton.

His Worship, Mayor W. B. Snowball, who has been making the annual trip in the interest of the Snowball company to Great Britain and the Continent, returned on the Bavarian, which arrived at Halifax on Saturday morning and reached home on Saturday night's Maritime Express. Flags were displayed in the public square and elsewhere in Chatham in honor of the home-coming of the Mayor.

Mrs. Sutherland, widow of the late D. Sutherland, died at her home, Newcastle, on Saturday morning, after a short illness. The deceased leaves four brothers, two in Newcastle, one in Scotland and one in the United States, and two sisters, both in Scotland.

Mr. Clyde Johnston has removed to Edmunston, N. W. T. His many Chatham friends wish him success in the west as he is one of our most promising young men.

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DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

The Lobster Fishery, etc.

The Fisheries Committee of the Nova Scotia House of Assembly has before it quite a number of problems, one of which is proper transportation facilities, without which it is claimed that the fisheries of the province can never yield their full value to the people. Another problem is that of bait freezers, which will have to be made larger and be better equipped to be of real use to bank fishermen and others.

The subject, however which is of greatest interest to those interested in the fishery in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia is the propagation of the lobster. H. E. Baker, of Gabarus, appeared before the committee and presented to it some startling facts, showing the need of active measures if our lobster fishery is to be saved.

Canada and Newfoundland now have practically the only lobster fishery in the world. A very few lobsters are caught in Maine, and once in a while one is taken by Norwegian fishermen. On the other hand it was shown that in the waters of Cape Breton yearly some 7,000,000 lobsters are taken for packing purposes, besides $35,000 worth taken for shipment alive. Mr. Baker believes that if proper measures were taken for the preservation of the spawn, by natural rather than artificial means, the lobster could be propagated so that there would be no fear of the destruction of the fishery as it has been destroyed on the Massachusetts coast, and practically destroyed in Maine waters.

Mr. Baker's proposition in brief is, that the Dominion government establish certain pounds, so constructed as to be capable of containing the seed lobsters during the fishing season. He advocates the adoption of the Maine system, under which the government would buy from the fishermen all seed lobsters, paying them an advance of 25 per cent. over the price paid by packers for ordinary lobsters. At present, the fisherman, when he catches a seed lobster, washes off the spawn and sells it to the packer, because the packer would not pay for it, such a purchase being illegal. By this government purchase the seed lobsters would be preserved and placed in a pound for propagation. At the close of the season they would be released in their native element to look out for themselves and grow.

If 40,000 seed lobsters were thus purchased yearly the estimate is that if only two per cent of the spawn were saved it would mean the growth of 8,000,000 lobsters, a pretty good asset to set against the 7,000,000 taken for canning purposes.

At present the only propagation is by artificial hatheries which may or may not be of any value. There is one hatchery near Pictou, two in Prince Edward Island, two on the coast of New Brunswick. On the south shore of Nova Scotia and, in Cape Breton, nothing at all is done for the preservation or propagation of the lobster.

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Provincial Legislature.

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The speech contained the usual welcome to members, referred to the prosperity of the province and the Dominion generally as most gratifying, and to the successful progress in agriculture which has been made in all sections and bore striking testimony to the wisdom of the liberal expenditures which the Legislature has from time to time authorized for the encouragement of this most important industry. The mineral developement which is taking place, His Honor said, justifies the hope that before very long a considerable revenue will be derived from that source, while the general prosperity will be greatly promoted thereby.

The ceremonies connected with the Coronation of the King, the illness of His Majesty, which prevented their taking place at the time appointed, were the subject of reference; also the government's efforts to arrive at a settlement of the questions connected with the fisheries which are pending between the Provincial and Dominion Governments, expressing the hope that before very long a solution will be arrived at in the latter matter which will be satisfactory to the Province. The claims of the Province to receive a fair portion of the Halifax fishery award and the negotiations at Ottawa on the subject were referred to and the information given that the New Brunswick government, jointy with the Governments of Quebec and Prince Edward Island, have asked the Dominion Government to agree to the statement of a case to be submitted to the Supreme Court, in order to determine the right of the Province to its proportion of the Award, with interest. While the terms of the Reference have not yet been agreed upon, the hope was expressed that ere long a Case will be stated, as desired by the three provinces which will enable the question to be successfully settled. In the matter of the readjustment of the allowances by the Dominion to the Provinces, the speech said that at a conference between the representatives of the Governments of all the Provinces of Canada, an agreement had been reached, and the result of their deliberations has been submitted to the Dominion Government. The hope was expressed that their united request will be favorably considered by the Federal authorities. If the proposed readjustment of Subsidies is made, it will be of material advantage to this Province, as the increased aid will enable the government to more effectively carry on the important duties which are intrusted to it under the British North America Act.

The Government being of the opinion that, as a result of the recent Census, and under a proper construction of The British North America Act, this Province is entitled to retain its present representation in the House of Commons, had felt it to be its duty to urge its views in this particular upon the Dominion Government. While that Government has not concurred in the views expressed by this Government, it is prepared to co-operate in securing an early decision on the question from the Supreme Court of Canada.

The subject of re-afforestation of the Crown Timber Lands, with a view to preserving for future generations this most valuable asset, had also been engaging the Government's attention thereon and a bill would be submitted.

A bill dealing with the subject of the liability of employers to employees for injuries sustained in the course of their employment was promised; also papers relating to an arrangemeet with the New Brunswick Railway Company, under which, for a small consideration, the Company has agreed to convey to the Crown a portion of their lands for purposes of settlement, and proposals with a view to insure the opening for settlement of other portions of the said lands, pursuant to the provisions contained in certain of the Grants issued to that Company, would be submitted for consideration; the report of the Commissioners appointed to consolidate the Statues, and the Acts now consolidated would also be submitted for consideration and passage.

Mr. Hazen, seconded by Mr. Robertson gave notice of a resolution opposing the bill before the Maine State legislature to authorise the construction of the proposed Winding Ledges dam on the St John river.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said that as the measure was an important one and as the matter was urgent he would suggest that by unanimous consent the discussion upon it should take place tomorrow. The government had already taken steps to oppose the legislation.

The address in reply to His Honor's speech was moved by Mr. Jones of Carleton and seconded by Mr. Tweedale of Victoria.

Mr. Jones said he wished, in the first place, to offer his congratulations to the premier on the magnificent manner in which the electorate of the province has expressed its confidence in him at the recent election. It must be highly gratifying to him, after his labors on behalf of the province, to know that his work had met with the hearty approval of the people. The people are also to be congratulated on having returned to power a government that has done so much for the province.

Proceeding, Mr. Jones took up the different subjects mentioned in the speech and dealt with them in an able manner.

Mr. Tweedale seconded the address in a manner which showed that he has excellent abilities as a speaker.

Mr. Hazen, leader of the opposition, expressed regret at the absence from the house of the late member for St. John, two friends from Westmorland and also friends from Restiguouche, Madawaska, Victoria and Carleton. He welcomed the new members from Victoria and Carleton.

He said the up river counties had been ignored in filling the cabinet, and asked why it was necessary to have a solicitor-general. There would be six salaried heads in New Brunswick, while Manitoba had but four, and Nova Scotia three. Speaking of the recent elections, he intimated that the discussions which took place during the recent general election campaign in most of the constituencies were not satisfactory; he deprecated the interference in the election of the Minister of Railways and said that when he met that gentleman in Sunbury he practically refused to discuss local issues and claimed the support of the electors on the ground of the interests of the Liberal party. In the county of Northumberland, the premier had laid down a different issue. In a document which he sent out in that county, he claimed support for himself and his colleagues on the ground that he had made the county of Northumberland prominent and powerful, and he closed by saying the question for you is: Who will lead the government, Tweedie or Hazen?"

Hon. Mr. Tweedie—"And they said Tweedie."

Mr. Hazen replied that Mr. Tweedie had emerged from that contest like the last rose of summer, left blooming alone, while all his companions were faded and gone, and that if it were not for Mr. Blair's powerful influence, the premier would not now be sitting at the right of the speaker.

Proceeding, Mr. Hazen reviewed the speech of His Honor, and objected pretty generally to its affirmations, assurances and propositions

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Hon. Mr. Tweedie moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Hazen gave notice of an inquiry with reference to the submission of a question of the Halifax award to the supreme court.

Mr. Fleming gave notice of inquiry with reference to jury fees and the costs of the consolidation of the statutes.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Tweedie, Rev. Mr. Belliss was appointed chaplain of the house.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Tweedie, the following were appointed a committee to nominate all standing committees: Hon. Mr. Tweedie, Hon. Mr. Pugsley, Hon. Mr. Dunn, Mr. Hazen and Mr. Flemming.

The Hon. Mr. Tweedie submitted Dr. Hannay's contract for reporting the debates, and on his motion the official reporter was assigned a seat on the floor of the house.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented election returns from the sheriffs of the following counties: Albert, Carleton, Charlotte, Gloucester, Kent, Kings, Madawaska, Northumberland, Queens, Restigouche, St. John, Sunbury, Victoria, Westmorland and York and St. John city.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented the returns of the bonded indebtedness of the cities of Moncton, St. John and Fredericton and the town of St. Stephen and the municipalities of Kent, Kings and St. John, also the thirty-second annual report of the Halifax School for the Blind, and laid on the table the calendar of the University of New Brunswick.

The house adjourned at 5.25.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley on Friday, said he regretted to inform the house that the premier was suffering from an attack of grippe, which would make it necessary for the order of the day for the consideration of the address to stand over until Monday. He had the authority of the premier to inform the house of certain recent changes in the executive. A few weeks ago Hon. Mr. Hill, who had been a member of the executive for some years, resigned, and his resignation had been accepted. This resignation was not caused by any differences with the government on questions of policy, but was owing to circumstances that arose in the county of Charlotte at the recent elections.

These circumstances were such that it seemed to be recognized as necessary, both by the government and Mr. Hill, that he should tender her resignation. The matter was one of deep regret to the premier and his colleagues, for Mr. Hill had brought to the discharge of his important duties great ability and long experience. His place has been filled by the appointment of Mr. Sweeney, one of the new members from Westmorland. The position of solicitor-general had also been filled by the appointment of Hon. Mr. McKeown. In consequence of this Mr. McKeown's seat was now vacant.

The writ had been issued and the nomination would take place on the 7th of April and the election on the 15 h of April. The filling of this office had been done after careful consideration, and in the belief that it was in the public interest and would tend to the more economical administration of the criminal law. Mr. McKeown had had a good deal of experience in criminal business and he brought to this office a degree of ability and knowledge of law which would render the interests of the crown safe in his hands.

A message was received from his excellency, announcing that the address to the king on his coronation had been laid before his majesty and that he returned his cordial thanks to the legislature.

Mr. Hazen moved his resolution protesting against the Winding Ledges dam scheme and spoke at some length in condemnation of it, pointing out the injurious effects it would have on New Brunswick trade, and particularly on the lumber business at St. John.

Mr. Geo Robertson, in seconding the resolution, said it was imperative that the resolution should pass the house without a dissenting voice, and he was sure that the federal authorities would hesitate before permitting any such act to pass.

Mr. Pugsley said it was most desirable that in the consideration and determination of this question they should be able to show the parliament that they had obtained all the information available before taking action He was in favor of the resolution, but believed all interests should be heard. He therefore moved that the resolution be referred to a special committee, to report back to the house by Wednesday next.

Mr. Geo. W. Allen seconded the motion.

The motion was further discussed by Messrs. Robertson, Pugsley, Hazen and Tweeddale, and Mr. Pugsley's motion was carried.

The speaker named as the committee Mr. Tweedie, Mr. Pugsley, Mr. Osman, Mr. Hazen, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Allen and Mr. Flemming.

The debate on the address was continued on Tuesday by Mr. Morrissy, who, in doing so utilised his notes for his speeches in the late campaign in Northumberland, directing attention to the fact that the quantity of lumber shipped from the North Shore and that on which stumpage was paid did not correspond. He made reckless statements, ambiguously, concerning lumber operators getting off without paying stumpage and when challenged to name one he failed to do so. He also attacked the agricultural policy.

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In Pint Glass Jars.

Strawberries,	Green Gage Plums,
Raspberries,	Black Currants,
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In 1 pound Glass Jars.

Strawberries,	Peaches,
Raspberries,	Gooseberries,
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Mr. Morrissy was followed by Hon Surveyor-General Dunn, who referred to the lumber obtained from railway and other granted lands and commented on Mr. Morrissy's irresponsible utterances.

Mr. Grimmer spoke next and Mr. Hill had the floor at six o'clock.

The first dinner of the season given by Lieutenant Governor Snowball at his residence was attended by Premier Tweedie, Judge Gregory, Col. McLean, Mr. Hazen, Hon. Mr. Dunn, Hon. F. P. Thompson, Dr. Inch, Mr. Jones, Mayor Palmer, Mr Tweedale, Mr. Rainford, Capt. Winslow, Col. Maltby, Dr. Mullin, Rev. Mr. Belliss, Sheriff Sterling, Dr. Harrison, Hon. Mr. Farris, Speaker Robinson, Dr. Pugsley, Col. White and Secretary Barker.

MARRIED.

At the Presbyterian Manse, Tabusintac, 18th March, by Rev. James R. MacKay, Charles Palmer, Tabusintac, to Christina McIntosh, daughter of Charles McIntosh Esq., Nelson.

At the Presbyterian Manse, Tabusintac, 25th March, by Rev James R. MacKay, John Jardine of Napan, to Maggie Stymist, daughter of James Stymist Esq., Tabusintac.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the pending session of the New Brunswick Legislature for the incorporation of a Company known as The Alexander Gibson Company, with power to acquire all the property and franchises of The Alexander Gibson Railway and Manufacturing Company,

HARRIS, HENRY & CAHAN,
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TENDER FOR FREIGHT SHED AT SYDNEY.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tender for Freight Shed," will be received until

TUESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL, 1903, for the above work.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Station Master at Sydney and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the Specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.

Railway Office,
Moncton, N. B.,
March 20th, 1903.

To The Electors
OF THE
Town of Chatham.

Notice is hereby given that the Ward Lists of qualified voters of the Town of Chatham, for the year 1903 are posted in the several wards at the following places, viz:

In Queen's Ward, at the store of Mr. A H Marquis, Upper Water street.

In King's Ward, at the Town offices, in the Town Hall, Water street.

In Wellington Ward, at the store of Mr. W J Connors Water street.

In Duke's Ward at the store of Mr. Thomas Buckley, St Andrew's street.

The names of non-resident voters will be found on the King's Ward List.

The lists are subject to revision up to and including FRIDAY, April 17th proximo.

Dated at Chatham this 20th day of March A D 1903.

T M GAYNOR,
Town Clerk Town of Chatham.

Assessors' Notice.

The Assessors of Rates for the Parish of Chatham having received warrants for the assessment on the said parish for the following:

On the parish for County	Contingencies,	3720.21
" " "	School Fund,	3371.39
" " "	Almshouse,	1104.61
" " "	Scot Act purposes,	29.55
" " "	Support of pauper lunities,	66 86
On the parish for Board of Health purposes		177.37
		8472 99

hereby request all persons liable to be taxed in said parish to bring to the Assessors, within thirty days from date, a true Statement of their property and income liable to be assessed.

The assessors also give notice that their valuation list when completed will be at the office of D. P. MacLachlan

D. P. MacLACHLAN,
SAMUEL WADDLE, O.N.,
WM. DAMERY,
Assessors.

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NOTICE.

Public Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next session of the legislature of New Brunswick for the passing of an Act to authorise the Trustees of School District No 1, Nelson, Northumberland County, to issue Debentures to pay the cost of erecting and fitting new school building in said District.

Nelson N B. 24th January, 1903.

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