Locals.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Long wish through these columns to express their sincere thanks to those who assisted in saving their house during the storm on the 21st inst.

SCHOONER FOR SALE.—The American built schooner Annie M. Sproul, 70 tons registered. Also two Milch Cows, in calf to registered Durham bull. For particulars apply to

R. N. DOHERTY,
South Branch.

W. C. T. U.—The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the Rectory, Richibucto, on Tuesday, July 23rd, and the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Meek.
Vice-President—Mrs. Pine.
Corresponding Sec'y.—Mrs. Stevenson.
Recording Sec'y.—Mrs. Cowperthwaite.
Treasurer—Miss Ostle
Press Correspondent—Mrs. Beers.

After the transaction of the necessary business, the rector and Mrs. Meek entertained the members present at supper, after which the ladies enjoyed a drive through the kindness of their host.

S. OF T.—List of officers elected by Richibucto Div. No 42, S of T., to hold office for ensuing quarter:

W. P.—O K. Black.
W. A.—Milligan Curwin.
R S.—Florence A. Caie.
A. R. S.—Mayme A. H. Peters.
F. S.—Herbert A. Hudson.
T.—R. Phinney.
Chap.—R. W. Beers.
C.—John Scott.
A. C.—Jasper Pine.
I. S. Wesley McBeath.
O. S.—Edward Lawton.
P. W. P.—A. E. Pearson.
Organist.—Alvina Haines.
S. Y. P. W.—Rev. H. A. Meek.

THE FEAST OF ST. ANN AT BUCTOUCHE.—The feast of St. Ann was celebrated at Buctouche on Sunday in a very impressive manner. The day was a perfect one and the feast was attended by upwards of 4,000 people. Large numbers were present from Albert and Westmorland, including over 200 Indians. In the morning High Mass was celebrated. The church was crowded to the doors, hundreds being unable to obtain admission. At this service Rev. Father Pacifique, a capuchin Monk from Restigouche, preached a sermon in the Micmac language. The sweetness of this aboriginal language, its grace of expression was certainly intensely impressive and elicited the wrapt attention of the congregation. There were ten priests in attendance in the procession around the church. The relics of St. Ann was carried with great solemnity in a Custode. At the afternoon service Father Pacifique preached in French to a similarly over crowded congregation. The day will be one that will not soon be forgotten by all.

WEDDING AT HARCOURT.—A very pretty wedding took place at Harcourt on Wednesday, 24th inst., in the Presbyterian Church at 10 o'clock a m., when Leonard Barrett, of Joggins Mines, N. S., and Miss Jennie, daughter of Thos. Ingram, were married by the Rev. Mr. Wheeler. The groom was supported by his brother, while the bride's sister acted as bridesmaid. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride looked very pretty in a suit of white cashmere with white satin and pearl trimmings and white chiffon hat to match. She carried a large bouquet of white roses. After the ceremony the bridal couple returned to the bride's home where, with many invited guests, they partook of a sumptuous repast, after which the couple left on the noon train for their future home, Joggins Mines The bride's travelling suit was of steel gray cloth with Eton jacket opening over white silk shirt waist, with light straw hat. The presents were numerous. The bride will be missed very much as she was liked by all who knew her. Their many friends wish them every success.

PICKING THE NOSE is a common symptom of worms in children. Mothers who suspect their child is troubled with worms should administer Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup. It is simple, safe and effectual. Price 25 cents.

PORTLAND, Me., July 29.—The most ingeniously arranged hiding place for intoxicating liquors unearthed by Sheriff Pearson's liquor deputies in many months was found this afternoon in John H. Thompson's barber shop on Commercial street. The officers had examined the walls and were about to give up the search when a hidden spring in the ceiling caused a section of the sheathing to loosen and slowly descend.

When the automatic contrivance had concluded its operation there was a short ladder leading through a hole in the ceiling. In the dark room above were several boxes of liquor, 152 half pint bottles, six pints and 13 quarts. Thompson was arrested and the liquor confiscated.

Personal.

Mr. Allan Scott, of Moncton, is in town spending a short vacation.

Mr. Claude Mersereau, of Chatham, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. John Scott Sr., visited Moncton last week. He returned on Saturday accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. A. V. H. Lutes and two children.

Miss Grace Atkinson, of McLeod's Mills, is visiting friends in town.

Mr and Mrs. J. F. Hennessey, of St. Louis, left last week to visit friends and relatives in Moncton.

Mr. Wm. Bernard, of Chatham, drove over to Richibucto on Sunday and returned on Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Bernard, his brother and sister and Miss Mayme Barnard.

Miss Alice Fraser, of Chatham, is visiting friends in town.

Messrs. Herbert and J. D. Irving, of Buctouche, were in town on Tuesday.

Mr. W. Dickinson, of Rexton, drove over to Chatham on Saturday and returned on Sunday, accompanied by Miss Laula Smith.

Miss Blackwood, of Halifax, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. James E. Hurtee, of Brockton, Mass, is visiting Mrs. James Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Dr. Keith, of Harcourt, and Miss Keith, of Havelock, Kings Co., are visiting friends in town.

Miss Mayde Jardine is visiting friends in Kouchibouguac.

The following were registered at the Kent Hotel the past week: J. B. Blizard, Halifax; Chas. N. Wheatley, Toronto; H. H. Fairweather and H. W. McKay, St. John; John J. Maver, Toronto; V. A. Olivier, Sherbrook, Que.; R. I. Stevens, Smith's Falls; F. A. McAndrews, St. John; Geo. McGowan, Montreal.

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AFTER 40,000 MEN.

(St. John Telegraph.)

R. La Touche Tupper, of Selkirk, Man., is a guest at the Royal. He is travelling through New Brunswick to personally meet as many farmers and farmers' sons as possible, in order that men may be secured to assist in harvesting the Northwest grain crop, which, he says, is phenomenal, and which will require 40,000 men, he says, additional to those already there. While this number may seem exceptionally large, Mr. Tupper points out that there are 40,000 farms in the Northwest, where one extra man will be urgently needed, and in many instances, where from 10 to 12 extra hands would be welcomed, so that the fact of 40,000 harvesters being wanted is placing the demand at a moderate estimate. Mr. Tupper has found that the general inquiry made by those who contemplate going, is in reference to the wages that would be paid, and although there is no settled rate of remuneration, yet it is certain that any one receives nothing less than $30 monthly, and as high as $55.

Mr. Tupper gave an interesting and detailed account of conditions at present in our best western lands, and the narrative pictured brightly the prosperity which is there. This is his first trip to the maritime provinces, and on his arrival in St. John it was the first time he had ever beheld the ocean.

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Rakings.

—To arrive—One carload furniture. J & W. BRAIT.

—The Indians of Big Cove celebrated St. Anne by having a picnic. Quite a number from Richibucto and Rexton attended.

—Why do the sales of Tiger Tea improve each shining minute? Because the people who use the tea see the many virtues in it.

—Dr. A B. Teakles will be in Richibucto this week and will go to Rexton on the 5th of August, where he will remain until the 10th.

—It is reported that there is several cases of fever in Rexton, but we are not in a position to say whether the report is true or not.

—Mr. R. O'Leary's mill began sawing again on Friday. It was idle for a week on account of being disabled by the head blowing out of the cylinder.

—Mackerel and other fish still continue scarce, although several good hauls of mackerel have been made the past week. The price has raised to a cent and a half.

—The balance of our Ladies' Blouses will be sold at cost to clear. J. & W. Brait.

—"Union Blend," is no ordinary tea. For almost twelve years it has run the gauntlet of critical testing and stands higher to-day in popular favor than ever before.

—There has been more shipping from this port this season than for a number of years. On Saturday six schooners came in and on Sunday seven came in, making thirteen in all.

—The Leishman property on Queen St., and also the farm on the post road near the McLeod farm will be sold by public auction to-morrow by the mortgagee, Judge Wilkinson.

—Although the farmers around town report the hay crop poor, the country farmers say it is on an average with last year. Some of the farmers have even a better crop than last year.

—Miss Bray, representing the Modern Priscilla Co., of Boston, Mass., is in town and will be pleased to see those wishing to join the class which she intends to form for the study of modern lace making.

—The finder of a necktie with a gold stick pin in it, lost at Big Cove on Sunday, will confer a favor by leaving or sending the same to this office. The pin was a half moon and lance, with a large blue stone and pearl in the centre.

—The residence of Mr. Geo. Long was quite badly gutted by salt water while trying to save it from destruction by fire on the night of the 21st July. The water went down the chimneys and almost ruined the ceilings in some of the rooms.

—Posters are out for the horse trotting to be held in the Kent driving park on the 15th August. There will be two races, a 2.40 race for trotters and pacers, and a green race for horses that have never trotted for money. There will also be a two mile bicycle race for which three prizes will be given. This will, no doubt, be a big day, as several local horses will be entered. The park has been put in good condition and some good trotting is expected.

THE SULPHITE FIBRE INDUSTRY.

(Chatham World)

The suspension of the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company does not mean that the manufacture of sulphite pulp is not profitable on the Miramichi, and that another mill might not pay good returns on the capital invested. It means nothing of the kind. There is a big profit on sulphite pulp, especially on a good quality of the article, and a world-wide market for it. The trouble with the Maritime Sulphite Company is not that it has not been operating at a good profit, but because all its earnings have been swallowed up by its interest account. Its works have cost at least twice as much as they should have cost, expensive plants having been put in and torn out by successive managers in a most wasteful manner, and the capital, instead of having been put in by the stockholders, has been borrowed at too high a rate of interest for an industrial establishment to pay. The mill pays, but does not pay enough to keep the interest account square and leave anything for the company. The Dominion pulp mill which was built economically, and has been managed as an industrial establishment rather than as an experimental station for testing the merits of different sulphite plants is paying its owners good dividends, and a new mill, if built and managed by practical men, would, no doubt, do likewise.

The Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company's mill, now in the possession of the Royal Trust Company, acting on behalf of the bondholders, will soon be sold, no doubt, and then operated profitably. It has suspended because it cannot pay bank interest on a half million dollars, but it might pay good dividends on an investment of, say, three hundred thousand.

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COCAGNE, N. B.

JULY 29.—The haying season is now at its liveliest and the crop is at least fifty per cent. better than that of last year. The unusual heat of the past fortnight somewhat retarded the operations of the farmers, but the bulk of the hay is now safely harvested.

On Monday, July 22, Miss Annie St. Peter was married to Cyril Nowlan, of Buctouche. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Belliveau, and later a sumptuous tea was served at the home of the bride's parents to a large number of invited friends. The young coupte will reside in Butcouche.

Mr. Alfred Bourgeois has opened up at a popular stand, a fruit and candy store. In this diversion from his chosen vocation of teaching, Mr. Bourgeois has an opportunity of improving a large field in which he is without a competitor. It is in the interests of both our genial friend and of the young people of the town, that this store be enlarged and patronized.

The feast of St. Anne was on Friday celebrated here with unusual pomp and ceremony. Rev. J. A. L'Archeveque had a very elaborate programme arranged and most successfully carried out, consisting of course, of ceremonies and devotions. A large number of priests assisted, while an immense concourse of people attended not only from this parish and those immediately surrounding, but even from distant towns and villages. The weather conditions were ideal.

Mr. John Leger, son of Sheriff Leger, and his sisters, Misses Lucy and Eugene, spent a few days here last week.

Miss Katie Burke, of Boston, is visiting the Misses Dysart.

Mrs. Wilson Moffatt, with two children is spending some weeks with her parents in Notre Dame.

Mrs. Thos. Collett and young son, of Waltham, is visiting her father, Mr. Elzear Bilodeau.

Mr. H. A. Whitney and daughter, of Moncton, were in town last week.

Miss Daisy Hannington, of Montreal, and Miss Bruce, of Moncton, spent a day here last week.

Miss Emma Arsneau, Faunton, Mass., is here visiting friends and relatives.

Albert Poirier, son of Richard Poirier, M. P. P., died at his father's home on Sunday morning of Typhoid fever. He was 23 years of age.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF RICHIBUCTO.

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July 26.—Sch. Tartar, Irving, Charlottetown, bal.

July 27.—Sch. Electric Flash, Boudrot, Summerside, bal; sch. Malabar, Walsh, Summerside, bal.; sch. Amazon, Eastman, Summerside, bal.

July 29.—Sch. Minnie E. Moody, Long, Pugwash, bal.; sch. Peter Mitchell, McDonald, Charlottetown, bal.; sch. Maggie Roach, Weston, Charlottetown, bal.; sch. Fannie Young, Lemon, Montague, bal.; sch. Ajax, Sampson, Pictou, bal.; sch. Raeburn, McLean, Summerside, bal.; sch. Champion, Orr, Charlottetown, bal.; sch. L. E. Young, Faulkner, Charlottetown, bal.

July 20.—Sch. Irene, Landry, Georgetown, bal.; sch. Morning Star, Arsineau, Charlottetown, bal.; sch. H. L. Philips, Pynn, Alberton, bal.

July 31.—Sch. Minnie Long, Long, Shediac, cargo.

CLEARED.

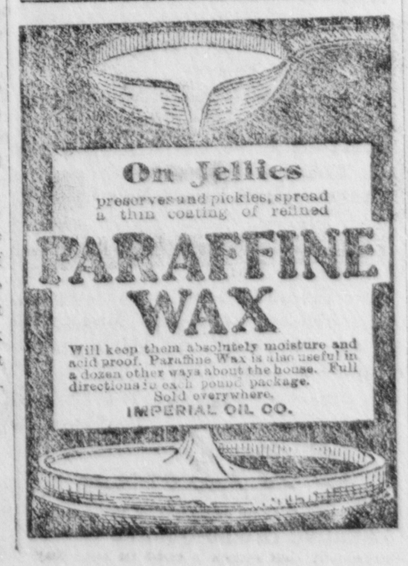
July 24.—Sch. Matilda, Haines, Badleck, lumber.

July 27.—Sch. Electric Flash, Boudrot, Sydney, lumber; sch. Annie M. Sproul, Irving, Glace Bay, lumber.

July 29.—Sch. Minnie E. Moody, Long, Paspebiac, bal.

July 30.—Sch. Maggie Roach, Weston, Summerside, lumber.

July 31.—Sch. Minnie Long, Long, Shediac.



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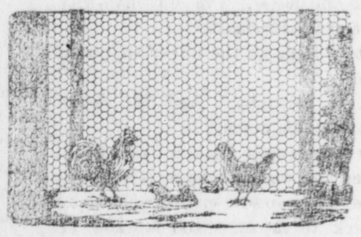

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