needed in sounding and laying down the cable. And it is for this very reason that our own go-vernment should hesitate about granting to the Company a similar charity, which will be asked

for by and by. "The Atlantic Telegraph, when completed, will be the wonder of the age. But it can never be extensively available to the United States unless the western end of the cable shall be landed on our own shores."

### COUNTY RESTIGOUCHE,

OUR Correspondent at Dalhousie, under date of December 25, furnishes the following items of local news :-

A heavy thaw here, and we are afraid of losing both snow and ice. Horses have been crossing on the latter, opposite Dalhousie, this some time past.

I am glad to inform you that the young man so dreadfully mangled in a Mill in Bonaventure is doing well; he had one leg amputated, and he other (broken in two places) set. The Medi-cal gentleman was Dr Carter of this place.

### CANADA.

THE people of Upper Canada have subscribed \$3,000 for the purpose of purchasing a Homestead for Lyon McKenzie, well known for the part he took in the late Rebellion in that Province.

### LOCAL.

THE POOR COMMISSIONERS .--- In our last number we briefly alluded to the saving these efficient officers have effected in supplying the Poor of the Parish. We have been kindly sup-plied with some particulars, which we furnish to our readers.

In 1855 the following articles which enter largely into the supplies served to the poor of the Parishe were furnished at the following rates, by A. Loudoun, Esq., by public contract.

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| Corn Meal. do                  | 2      | - |
| Dry Codfish do                 | 1 0    | ( |
| Molasses per gallon            | 1      | 4 |
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The Commissioners must have been very dili-gent in performing their work, and we trust, at

GAS .- It is pleasing to hear that the Committee have succeeded in obtaining the sum of Two week's publication, respecting a Local Bank, Thousand Five Hundred Pounds on the Share for £97 10s read £98 10s, and for £2 10s read List. This, we think, will be sufficient to war- £1 10s. rant a commencement of the undertaking. Once entered into, with judicious and economical management, we feel persuaded it will not only be a great service to the public but a profitable investment. A Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Mechanics' Institute this evening, at half past seven o'clock. We hope there will be a full attendance.

at its disposal such naval service as may be will ever be associated with feelings of mingled his memory soon be forgotten by many in this neighborhood, but will doubtless be cherished for long years to come as that of one who de-served to be well remembered. The most pro-minent feature of Mr Cooper's character was served to be went remembered. The most pro-minent feature of Mr Cooper's character was his stern, unbending integrity. He was alto-gether incapable of any base or mean action, thoroughly honest and honorable in all his dealings. He was a fellow-townsman of my own, beth of us having been brought up with-in a few streets of each other, in Aberdeen, Scotland. He was a man of an intelligent and an elevated mind, and possessed of strong de-votional feelings. To the church of his fathers, Mr Cooper ever manifested the strongest at-tachment; and it was mainly through his in-atrumentality that the fine building was erected in Pugwash a few years ago. Our friend also took a leading part in the management of the public institutions of the place and his loss will be deeply felt by every sincere friend of social improvement. His funeral was very nume-rously attended, in testimony of the respect in which he was universally held. I was asked to preach a funeral cermon on the occasion. to preach a funeral cermon on the occasion.

A GRATEFUL CHURCH OF ENGLAND MAN. It is stated in a late number of the Halifax "Church Times," that Samuel Scovil, Esq., of Queen's County in this Province, whose decease occurred not long since, was the fourth son of the Rev. James Scovil, first Rector of Kingston, The Rev. Sames Scotth, first Rector of Ringston, King's County, brother of the late, and uncle of the present Rector; and has left to The Diocesan Church Society, Real Estate in the city of St. John, valued at £3,000. The an-nual income after his wife's decease, to be ap-plied to the "Missionary purposes" embraced by thet Society by that Society.

Here is further Proof (thank God) of beauti-ful affection from a late worthy son of the Church of England, to "the Mother in whom he was new-born to God, in whom he was fed all his life long, and in whose bosom he died;"—and here is proof, that English Churchmen are be-ginning to wipe off the heavy reproach, which ginning to whe on the heavy reproach, which as a body, has too long rested upon them, and now they are at last willing to be guided by the friendly counsel of their Bishop, who has again and again called upon "the wealthy Ship-own-ers, and proprietors of Land and Houses, to bequeeth or give investments of Land and Houses, to bequeath or give investments of Land and Houses, to bequeath or give investments of Land, or Hou-ses, or rent charges, to the Church, in the town or parish with which they are connected, or to others." "For no member of the English Church has a right to derive property from Land, or Houses, or Commerce, especially if he belong to a Mission which is now, or has been for a long time assisted, (supported ?) By the Society for the Propagation of the Gos-pel, without taxing his property to support the Church — Communicated Church .- Communicated.

Firewood dry Juniper, per cord 9 0 By this it will be seen, that the prices of several articles were higher than supplied the previous year. MR TRAVIS'S LECTURE.—A correspondent in St. John has furnished us with a severe critique on the Lecture delivered at the In-stitute of that city by Mr T., on the resources &c. of Restigouche.

The St. John papers contain a good deal of conflicting remarks in reference to this Lecture, which has created considerable sensation. We copy the remarks of the Editor of the Courier and shall next week publish a communication from the Freeman, who takes a somewhat different view of the matter from our correspondent. This will enable our readers to form a better idea of the matter than they could otherwise de, only seeing one side. We hope Mr. Travis will publish the whole

Lecture.

WEALTH OF ENGLAND .- Some estimate of he Wealth of England may be gathered from the following statistics. The cultivated lands and their appurtenances are estimated worth \$10,860,000,000. The whole property of the kingdom is estimated to be worth \$22,235,000;-The Commission gent in performing their work, and we trust, at the Parish Meeting to be held at the Sons of Temperance Hall, in Chatham, on TUESDAY next, they will receive some token of acknow-betwart of the efficient manner in which they betwart of the efficient manner in which they

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will ever be associated with feelings of mingled respect and esteem, if not of affection; nor will his memory soon be forgotten by many in this neighborhood, but will doubtless be cherished tended south to Dr. Allan's; crossed Hollis street, burned nearly a whole block between that and Granville street. About twenty buildings were burned. A number of others were partially consumed. St. Matthew's Church was burned. Damage stated to amount to over one hundred thousand dollars.

### MARKET HOUSE.

MARKET HOUSE. MARKET HOUSE. Mr Editor, As there seems to be a wish among the people here, to get a Market esta-blished in Chatham, allow me through your paper to make a proposal, which will, if carried out, I have no doubt, benefit the inhabitants as well as the Farmers, viz :- Let them raise by subscription about £35, which sum will enable me in about one month, to erect a buil-ding on the north side of the Engine House Lot, 100 feet long, which I have authority from the Fire Wards to do, to be used as a Market House. Until we can be better accommodated this will answer well for 10 or 15 years to come, and be a sheltered and warm situation as well as a most convenient one for the inhabi-tants of Chatham, and having a south front will add much to the comfort of persons bringing produce to market, and enable them, in wet and stormy weather, to put their sleds and Mr Editor, As there seems to be a wish and stormy weather, to put their sleds and carts under cover, as the front will be open. The Subscriber will charge nothing for his trouble of attending to the erection of the buil-

ding. CHARLES J. PETERS. Chatham, January 3, 1857.

### MARRIAGES.

At Bathurst, on Tuesday the 23rd ult., by the Rev. W. C. Beals, Mr RICHARD HINTON,

the lev. W. C. Beals, Mr RICHARD HINTON, to Miss SARAH CARTER, eldest daughter of Mr John Carter, all of the above named place. At Tabusintac, on Saturday, 20th December, by the Revd. Wm. Henderson, Mr DAVID Mc-KENZIE, to MISS ANN MCCULLAM, both of Ta-busintee busintac.

At Douglastown, on Wednesday, 31st De-cember, by the same, Mr WILLIAM SIMONS to MISS ELSPETH JOHNSTON, both of the Parish of Newcastle.

Newcastle. Son the 36th December, by the Rev. Wm. Stewart, at the Residence of the Bride's Father, Mr. WILLIAM HARTT, of Nelson, to Miss JES-SIE MASON, Chatham. On the same day, by the same, Mr. JOHN CROSELE, Chatham, to Miss MARGARET JOHN-STON

STON.

### DEATHS.

On Saturday morning, the 27th inst., JOSEFH, third son of Mr Washington Raymond, of Kouchbouguae, in the 22nd year of his age, after a long and lingering illness which he bore with mating and solutions and her bore with patience and resignation to the Divine will

At Bathurst, 1st December, Mr John Willis, aged 61.

# New Advertisements.

## Collegiate School, WINDSUR, NOVA SCOTIA.

Rev. D. W. PICKETT, Principal. Prof. STUFELHAGEN, Teacher of Modern Languages.

TERMS.

Boarders £35 per annum. Day Scholars £8.per

annum. Modern Languages 15s. per qr., no extras. All Payments to be made quarterly and in ad-

New Pupils will be received at any time through the Term, and charges made from the date

the Term, and charges made from the date of entrance. Each boy to provide his own Sheets, Pillow-cases and Towels, and all clothing to be distinct ly mark-ed with the owner's name. The usual quarter's notice will be required before removal." A thorough and practical knowledge of French German, Spanish, and Italian my be acquired un-der the instruction of Professor STIEFELMAZEN of King's College, who attends daily. The Alumni Prizes of £8 and £4 will be open for competition at the encenia in June 1857. BJ- To Clergymen and Duvinity Students --Te assist in aducating the sons of Clergymen, or those who are designed for the ministry, Six Scholarships have b en established, each £15 per annun, tenable for 3 years. Some of these are now vacant.

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The Subscriber in returning thanks for the liberal patrona : e extented to him during the part year; begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that his GRIST MILL is wow in good working order, and parties bringing grain to the Establishment may expect their orders to be attend-ed to without delay. G. & S. FOWLIE. Black River, January 3, 1837.

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List of Letters for November. Received at the Post Office Chatham and New-castle. S.c., and remaining for delivery 15th Decem-ber, 1856.

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EP. S. Persons asking for the above letters will please say "Advertised." JAMES CAIE, P.M.

House of Assembly.

House of Assembly. The following was adopted as a Standing Rule in the Session of October 1854 :---26th-That no Bill of a private nature, or Peti-tion for Money or relief, shall be received by the House after the fourteenth day from the opening of the Session, both inclusive; and that the Clerk of this House do, one month previous to the meet-ing of the Legislature, cause fifty printed copies of this Rule to be sent to each of the Clerks of the Peace in the soveral Counties, for distribution, and cause the same to be inserted in the Royal Gazette, and two Newspapers in such County where Newr-papers are published. CHAS. P. WETMORE, Clerk.

Miramichi Mechanics' Institute.

The course of LECTURES for the Season, will commence on THURSDAY evening, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., at the usual hour-half-past 7 o'clock Tickets can be obtained on application to the Scoretary, W. M. S. EYANS. The introductory Lecture will be de-livered by JAMES CAFS, Esq. Admission-Free. Chalham January 2, 1957 Chatham, January 3, 1857.

## CROWN LAND NOTICE.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, Dec. 24, 1856.

The right of Licence to cut and carry away Tim-bor and Lumber until the first day of May 1857, from Berths applied for by the following persons, in the undermentioned situations, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at this Office, on WEDNESDAY the 7th day of January, 1857.—Sale to commence at noon. at noon

(Not to interfere with any lots of land located, or. which may have been applied for within one year previous to the date of entry of the application for

and many of the date of entry of the application for Licence.)
("In all cases of competition, the purchaser must immedia ely pay the amount of purchase money, or else the Berth will be again offered for Sale, excluding bids from the defaulter.")
"All Berths within tan miles of the proposed Lines of Railcoad will be subject to the prior right of the European "and North American Railway Company to take Timber or other material for the construction of the Railway." Name. Sq. Miles. Situations.
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# PARISH OF CHATHAM.

To the Editor of the Gleaner, and the Ratepayers of the Parish of Chatham. WE the Subscribers think it our duty, and it will be in compliance with a request from the Grand Jury Presentment, to let you know how your money is expended, and who is getting support from the Parish; and if any person knows of any imposition, the Subscribers will be thankful for the information.

LIST OF PERSONS ON THE PARISH RECEIVING

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MACKAREL CRAFT .- The Committee have ntrusted the building of this craft to Mr John Marquis, who is progressing with the work.

OBITUARY,-We clip the following from the Revd. Mr Harpe'rs Report to the Presbyterian Monthly Record. The late Mr COOPER on Thursday evening next. was highly esteemed during his residence in Restigouche-

young but active, zealous, and most useful nity of the Bend, and we bave not in conse-member of our church in Pugwash. To all quence, been enabled to hear anything fur-who knew him the name of William Cooper ther.

CAPITAL .- The London Punch, under the head of "The right man in the right place," says — We have good authority for stating that the Government has engaged an Indian Serpent Charmer to go and charm the Russians out of Serpents Island.

CF A speedy settlement of our accounts are requested. We have remittances to make at an early day, and our subscribers will confer a favor by handing over to our Agents or to our selves, their subscriptions due.

It will be seen by an Advertisement in another page, the Lecture season at the Chatham Mechanics' Institute, will commence

OF A telegraph report was received at the Wallace, 12th Nov. "Our friends in this quarter have recently sustained a very severe loss—the loss of a The wires were down this morning, in the viei-Reading Room yesterday afternoon, that an ex-tensive fire was raging in the city of Halifax.

for 3 years. Some of these are fow VACABL. The School will reopen on THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1857. Windsor, December 18, 1856 - 6a

## Attention!!!

AULENTICON!!!! All persons calling will find that the Subscriber has on band a Stock of bost Canada Extra and Superfine FLOUR, Indian Meal, Oat Meal, Mess Fork, Herring, Dry Codfish, Tea. Sugar. Molasses, and other Groceries, in-cluding 2 Tona best Miramichi Butter pat up ex-pressly for the Subscriber in oak firkins, and a prime article for fam ly use. Also-A good assortment of DRY GOODS of every description, auitable for the season and a sceneral assortment of Earthenware and Hardware, which he disposes of at the lowest cash prices KICHARD DAVILSON. New castle, 1st January 1857.

Newcastle, 1st January 1857.

Highland Society Notice. The Annual Meeting of the HIGHLAND SOCIEFY of New Brunswick at Miramichi, will be held at Bowser's HOTEL, Chatham, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of JANUARY, 1857, at 11 o'clock A. M.

ALEX. MORRISON, Secretary. Miramichi, 31st December, 1856.

Widow Kamsbotom 5 0 James Kelly 7 0 Widow Stephens, 7 0 Widow Fitzpatrick Widow Jackman 9 0 (Back Lots) 4 0 Wm. Craik's boy 5 0 Bridget Doherty 5 9 Margaret Hall 4 1 Mirs Grant's boy 6 0 Marion Stesl's child 2 6 Samuel Carruthers Hugh M'Cormick 8 0 and family 12 0 James Dick&family 8 0 Patrick O'Rouke 8 0 James Manning 8 0

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JOHN DEVERFUX. JAMES PATTERSON. Chatham, January 3, 1857. S Poor.

NOTICE,

The Subscriber has this day taken into Copart-norship his Son, James Joseph Pierce, and the Bu-siness in fature will be conducted under the style o siness in fature will be conducted JAMES A. PIERCE & SON. JAMES A. PIERCE.

Chatham, May 17, 1856.