

## Editor's Department.

## MIRAMICHI:

CHATHAM, SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1858.

TERMS.—New Subscribers Twelve Shillings and Six Pence, per annum, in all cases in advance. Old Subscribers 12s. 6d. in advance, or 15s. at the end of the year. We prefer the advance price, and as it effects a large saving, we hope soon to see all our subscribers avail themselves of it. To Clubs of five and upwards, to one address, Ten Shillings a year in advance.

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## CENTRAL BANK AGENCY, CHATHAM.

Discount days TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, Hours for business from 10 to 3 o'clock. Notes for discount to be lodged at the Bank before 3 o'clock, on the day immediately preceding the discount day.

## SAVINGS' BANK.

Deposited April 5, 1858. £92 15 0  
Withdrawn, including interest, April 6, 1858. 334 12 5

## WEEKLY CALENDAR.

Moon last q. 6th 2h 17m, A. M. HIGH WATER.  
2 S. 4th Sunday after Easter, 8 21 8 37  
3 M. 8 54 9 11  
4 T. 9 30 9 50  
5 W. Bonaparte died, 1821. 10 13 10 39  
6 Th 11 5 11 37  
7 F. Cumberland (dramatist) died — 0 16  
8 S. 1811. 1 0 1 35

The above Tides having been calculated with regard to the moon's horizontal parallax and angular distance from the sun, will be found to be correct, due allowance being made at times for high winds and freshets. For Richibucto, subtract, 2h30m—Bathurst, 2h45m—Dalhousie, 2h50m from the above.

## EUROPEAN NEWS.

On the morning of Tuesday last we were kindly handed by the Hon. Wm. Hamilton, of Dalhousie, who came out a passenger in the *Canada*, which vessel arrived at Halifax on the forenoon of yesterday week, copies of Liverpool papers to the 10th April. We have devoted such space as was at our command, to extracts. The news from India is both cheering and important. Commercial matters were slowly improving in Britain, but in wood and ships there was no change for the better.

## BRITISH MAIL.

The steamer *Canada* arrived at Halifax on the forenoon of Friday last, three or four hours after the regular time of the departure of the mail for this quarter, and in consequence of those few hours behind time, we obtained our mail on the afternoon of *Wednesday* last instead of the afternoon of *Sunday*, or *Monday* morning. When Mr McPhelim was in office matters were managed in the Post-office department somewhat more accommodating to the inhabitants of the Northern Counties than they have been under the rule of the present incumbent. When the steamer arrived after the departure of the mail, it was despatched by express to the Bend, and our Courier was instructed to wait until it came up, we thereby got even-handed justice with our Southern neighbours; now we are not thought of when the Steamers arrive late. The mail for New Brunswick is despatched to Windsor and across the Bay by the steamers—the St. John people are accommodated—and that appears to be all that is now necessary. But it is scarcely necessary for us to complain when the Merchants in this quarter supinely submit to the neglect, and make no effort to remedy it. It will be seen by another paragraph, that one of the passengers in the steamer arrived here nearly *two days* in advance of the mail, after spending some time in Halifax. Who can say that the mails in the northern section of New Brunswick in this age of Telegraph and Steam keep pace with the times?

We perceive by the St. John Papers that the mail reaches that city *early* on *Sunday* morning, via Windsor.

## COUNTY RESTIGOUCHE.

We congratulate our neighbours up North on their writer's Literary campaign. A few weeks ago a correspondent gave us a few brief complimentary remarks on the Lecture of Mr Crockett: we have just completed the publication of an extremely interesting and instructive lecture on the Restigouche and its resources, delivered by Mr Travis; another correspondent, about a fortnight ago, informed us that Mr Barbare had given the inhabitants of Dalhousie a highly interesting and entertaining lecture on the rise and proceedings of the Restigouche Agricultural Society; we trust he will not forget his promise, and furnish us with a synopsis of it. To-day we pub-

lish from the pen of a correspondent, notice of a series of Lectures on India, with which Mr Bennett, Grammar School Master in Dalhousie, has been edifying the people in that quarter. It affords us much pleasure to be enabled to report the success which has attended those efforts to amuse and instruct, and we shall be pleased at all times to record notices of any similar attempts, or of any passing incidents worthy of notice that may transpire from time to time in the County.

## THE RAILWAY.

The following proceedings, in reference to the inter-colonial Railway, took place in the Legislature of Nova Scotia, a few days ago.

"The House of Assembly, by message, informed this House that they desired a conference with them by committee on the general state of the Province.

"The conference was agreed to, and Hon. Messrs. Almon, McHeffey, and Holmes were appointed a committee of this House to manage said conference.

"The committee retired to hold said conference, and being returned, the hon. chairman reported that the chairman of the committee of the House of Assembly had handed him the following resolution, passed in the House of Assembly this day:—

"Resolved, That a conference be requested with the Legislative Council, by committee on the general state of the Province, and that at such conference the committee of this House request that the Legislative Council will unite with this House in an address to the Queen, on the subject of an Inter-Colonial Railroad between Canada, New Brunswick, and Nova Scotia, and inviting the assistance of Her Majesty's government to that great project."

"The request of the House of Assembly was agreed to, and Hon. Messrs. Almon, McHeffey, and Holmes were appointed a committee of this House to join a committee of the House of Assembly in preparing the proposed address."

The *Quebec Vindicator* remarks:—  
"It is rumoured that the Government will make the Railroad between Canada and the Lower Provinces a Ministerial measure, and the probability is it will be undertaken forthwith."

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—We understand a charter has been obtained for a second Division of this order in Chatham, and it will bear the title of the Miramichi Division. They have rented the Band Room, and are fitting it up. We hope it will be the means of staying the progress of intemperance, which we are sorry to say is rapidly on the increase, created, fostered, and cherished by the lax way in which the tavern and retail license law is enforced. The town is full of low grogeries, which is a gross injustice to the regular trader, who pays his money to procure a license, and is restricted in his trade by rules and regulations. While this is allowed drunkenness must prevail, accompanied by a host of evils, subversive of order, decency, and the well-being of the community.

SHIP NEWS.—We perceive by the Liverpool Mercury of the 10th April, that the *Harriet Wild*, bound to this port with a general cargo, put into Waterford with loss of main boom.

The Liverpool Papers by the *Canada*, record that the weather had been extremely stormy on the English and Irish coast, and record several sad disasters, particularly on the latter.

Barque Sylvia, Thompson, from Liverpool, bound to Newfoundland, was wrecked in Drum Bay, all hands lost.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We can give "Enquirer" no positive information what the Government has done or what they intend to do respecting the establishment of Steamers in the Gulf. "Consistency" received, and will be attended to next week.

We return thanks to L. P. W. D. for the copy of the Kent Bye-Road appropriations. We shall publish the document as soon as practicable. Gloucester and Restigouche we have not yet received.

Our stock of printing paper is nearly exhausted. We had just sufficient to print this day's paper, but we thought it would be more judicious to issue a half-sheet to-day, and if necessary, the same next week, than use it all up to-day, and consequently be not able to issue a paper on Saturday next. The increase in our subscription list of late, and the publication of numerous Reports, Lectures, &c., consumed a larger quantity of paper than we calculated on, and consequently ran us short. We expect a supply by the first arrival from Boston. We crave the indulgence of subscribers and advertisers, which we feel assured will be freely awarded to us, as we do not often solicit such favours of them.

The following division of the Province for the carrying out of the new Parish School Law we take from the Gazette:—

The Counties of Victoria, Carleton, York and Sunbury, to form a District. The Counties of Queen's, Charlotte, and Saint John, to form a District. The Counties of King's, Albert and Westmorland, to form a District. The Counties of Kent, Northumberland, Restigouche, and Gloucester to form a district.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## AUCTION.

To be Sold by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 7th day of May, at 12 o'clock, noon, in front of Mr Russell's Store, Chatham:

## TWO PASTURE LOTS,

lying on the west side of the Old Napan Road, known as No. 72 and 74, each containing 2 Acres

## ABOUT 3 ACRES OF LAND,

West side of the Great Road to Richibucto, and next adjoining the rear of the premises owned and occupied by G. H. Russell, Esq. ALSO,

## ABOUT 4 ACRES OF LAND,

being part of the PIERCE BUTLER Field, and extending from the Hospital Lot, Southerly, to join the property of Mr Russell. This will be sold in Lots of one Acre each, if desired.

## THE PIECE OF LAND,

East side Queen Street, measuring 100 feet on said Street, 6135 feet back, with the DWELLING HOUSE and Out-houses, formerly owned by John Grant, and now occupied by Mr Fleisher.

THE PIECE OF LAND, North side Duke Street, sitting on said Street 54 feet, extending back 116 feet, with the DWELLING HOUSE and Out-buildings thereon, at present occupied by Mr Wm. McKenzie.

THE PIECE OF LAND, fronting on East side King Street, having a front thereon of 54 feet, and extending back 135 feet, with the Two STORY DWELLING HOUSE, and Out-buildings thereon, at present occupied by Mr Mudge and Mr Haviland.

THE VALUABLE FARM in Hardwicke, known as the Benjamin Williston Property, attached to which is a large quantity of MARSH LAND. The whole Property containing upwards of 450 Acres, with a DWELLING HOUSE, and a large well finished barn on the premises.

THE TRACT OF LAND, East side of Black River, formerly occupied by Joseph Tranter, containing about 237 Acres, adjoining Lands granted to Mrs Amy Cameron.

THE PIECE OF LAND, fronting South side of Water Street, next above the Property of the Hon. Mr. McLellan, deceased, having a front of 60 feet and extending back 150, with the DWELLING HOUSE and Out-houses thereon, occupied by Mr Anderson and Mrs Farlow.

Terms of Sale.—One fourth down, one fourth on the 1st of October next, and balance on the 1st Aug. 1859. God Title Deeds will be given on completion of the payments.

For further particulars apply at the Office of George Orr, Esq., or to

WM. LESTON, Auctioneer.

Chatham, April 26, 1858

## SALE OF LANDS.

The SUBSCRIBER offers for Sale, the following LANDS, belonging to the Estate of JOHN FRA-SER, late of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, Esquire, deceased, viz:

A Lot of land, situate on the south side of Little South West in the Parish of North Esk, containing 406 Acres.

Lot No. 7 situate in the Parish of Blackville, occupied by the late Joseph Arbo, senior, containing 73 Acres.

Lot No. 4, situate in the last named Parish, occupied by the late Joseph Arbo, junior, containing 209 Acres.

A lot of land, situate in the Parish of Nelson, near Indian Town, between the lands in the possession of John Firth and Peter Stewart, containing 200 Acres.

Lot No. 1, north side of Porter's Brook, in the County of York, in the Grant to Aaron Hovey and others, containing 200 Acres.

Lot No. 6, South side Porter's Brook, in the County of York, in the Grant to Aaron Hovey and others, containing 200 Acres.

Two Lots of Land, situate on the Little Seavale, in the Parish of North Esk, containing 200 Acres each.

Lot of land on the Tomognoons, in the Parish of North Esk, containing 200 Acres.

Lot of and near the three islands in the Parish of North Esk, containing 200 Acres.

An Acre of land, situate in the Parish of North Esk, below Matchett's formerly Colley's & Emery's. For further particulars in reference to the Lands, price and mode of payment, apply to EDWARD WILKINSON Esquire, Newcastle, or to the Subscriber.

ESSE G. HARDING, Administrator.  
Newcastle, 24th April, 1858. tf

## NOTICE.

The business of the MIRAMICHI FOUNDRY, will in future be carried on by Mr ISAAC MATHESON in his own name.

The Subscriber in returning thanks to his Customers, for past favours, begs to solicit a continuation of their custom for Mr Matheson, and to assure them that their orders will be punctually attended to by him. All persons indebted for work done at the Foundry, previous to this date, are requested to pay the same as soon as possible, to

WM. J. FRASER.

Chatham, May 1, 1858. 3m.

## MIRAMICHI FOUNDRY.

The Subscriber having assumed the business of the above Establishment is prepared to execute all orders for Castings, and Machinery of every description, with which he may be favoured, with punctuality and despatch.

ISAAC MATHESON.

Chatham, May 1, 1858. 3m.

## NOTICE.

As the Subscriber is about leaving NELSON, he hereby notifies all persons indebted to him, to settle their accounts immediately, or they will be handed to an Attorney for collection. And all persons to whom the subscriber is indebted, would much oblige by rendering him their accounts.

P. LEVY.

Nelson, April 23, 1858.

## TO LET, THE STORE

NOW OCCUPIED BY MR. JOHN PARKER. For further particulars apply to the Subscriber.

THOS. VONDY.

Chatham April 20, 1858. 1f

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## CROWN LAND NOTICE.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, April 6, 1858.

The undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the Fourth day of MAY next, at noon, by the respective Deputies, at their Offices, agreeable to the Regulations of 11th May, 1843, and no sale on credit will be made to any person who is indebted to the crown for previous purchases.

(Not to interfere with the right to cut Timber or other Lumber under Licences applied for previously to the applications for the purchase of the Land)

(No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres payable by instalments.)

## NORTHUMBERLAND.

By Deputy James Davidson, at Oak Point.

90 acres, lot E, block 1, rear of Oak Point, Alnwick, Patrick Coughland.

100 acres, lot 6, block—, Trout Brook, Alnwick, Hugh Murray.

By Deputy Peters, at Chatham.

50 acres, lot 29, block—, Williamstown Brook, Enoch Tweedy.

100 acres, on lot 66, south of south west, Ludlow, David Stewart, improved.

100 acres, south of 66, south of south west, D. C. Minor.

## KENT.

By Deputy Douglas, at Buctouche.

98 acres, lot 24 west, block B. Dunias, Henry Green and Louis Allan; improvements to be paid for.

118 acres, east of lot 122, between Black River and Chokpish, Sylvane Richard.

By Deputy Little, at Richibucto.

58 acres, lot 16, block S. Palmerston, Felix Gallant.

100 acres, lot 89, block S. Palmerston, Peter A. Daigle.

52 acres, lot 84, block 14, south of Portage R., Hubert Daigle.

50 acres, lot 86, block 14, Carleton, Antoine Daigle.

50 acres, on lot 57, North Cape, Fabian Merzeral.

52 acres, in front of 54, block 15, Carleton, Fabian Daigle.

JAMES BROWN, Sur. Gen.

## The Miramichi Fishery Society

HAS APPROPRIATED

## Eighty Pounds of its Funds

To the encouragement of the Fishery this Season, as follows:

## MACKEREL FISHERY.

To the vessel that shall have caught the largest quantity of No. 1 and 2 Mackerel, } £30  
over 50 barrels a 1st prize of

To the vessel that shall have Caught the next largest quantity of No 1 and 2 Mackerel, over 30 barrels 2nd prize of } £15

[These vessels to be actually engaged in the Mackerel Fishery, from the 1st day of AUGUST, till the 10th day of OCTOBER next.]

A Bounty on Mackerel caught in Boats, under 15 Tons, [not in shore nets] to be paid at a uniform rate of barrels. The rate will depend upon the Season's catch, but it will not exceed 5s per barrel for No. 1 nor 2s 6d. for No. 2. Five Barrels will be the smallest quantity upon which any bounty will be paid.

## FALL HERRING.

A Bounty will be paid at a uniform rate per barrel on No 1 Fall Herring, that shall have been caught during next Fall, in boats or vessels, fitted out in this country. The rate per barrel will depend on the Season's catch, but it will not exceed 3s per barrel. Ten Barrels will be the smallest quantity upon which any bounty will be paid.

A fuller detail of the conditions and regulations, under which the above bounties and prizes will be awarded, will be found by referring, to the large Hand Bills, issued by the Society last year, dated 2nd June, 1857.

By Order of the Board,

JAMES CAIE, Secretary.

Chatham, 29th April, 1858.

## CARD.

The Subscriber having taken into Partnership JAMES B. SNOWBALL, the business which has hitherto been carried on by himself, will from this date be continued under the Firm of

## MACDOUGALL &amp; SNOWBALL.

The Subscriber returns thanks for the extensive patronage received by him during the time he has been in business, and respectfully solicits for the new Firm a continuance of the same liberal support, with the assurance that no exertion will be spared to merit public favor.

JOHN MACDOUGALL.

Chatham, May 1, 1858.—3w.

Referring to the above, the Subscribers beg leave to state that, in order to make room for large SPRING IMPORTATIONS, they now offer for Sale their EXTENSIVE STOCK OF GOODS at COST AND CHARGES; and trust by strict attention, to receive a share of public patronage.

Central Bank Notes taken from either Wholesale or Retail Purchasers.

A Stock of SUGAR, CONFECTIONS, SOAP, FURNITURE, &c., on hand.

MACDOUGALL & SNOWBALL.

Chatham, May 1, 1858.

## GARDEN SEEDS.

Just received from Boston, via St. John, a small assortment of

## FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.

which are for Sale at the Store adjoining the Gleaner Office.

Chatham, May 1, 1858.

## LECTURE.

The Revd. Mr ST. WART, has kindly consented to deliver the closing LECTURE for the Season, before the YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, on

TUESDAY Evening 4th May.

A admittance 7s or a family 2s.

Chatham, May 1, 1858.