REGULAR PICNIC takes place next Wednesday.

THE BEST is none too good—McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup is the original and genuine.

"LADY SIM"—Mr. Peter Archer has sold his fast mare, "Lady Sim" to Mr. W. J. Groat.

THE ALMSHOUSE:—Mr. Philip Kirby, of Chatham, has been appointed keeper of the County Alms House, succeeding Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe, who resigned after about a week's trial.

DENTAL NOTICE:—Dr. Vaughan's office will be closed on Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., owing to his duties as dental surgeon to the Hotel Dieu requiring his presence at that institution.

EXCHANGE:—Rev. Mr. Reinsle, who is in charge of St. Andrew's church work during the absence of Rev. Mr. Henderson, exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Arnott, of Newcastle, on Sunday evening.

FINED:—Joseph Napkie of Redbank was fined $5 and costs in Magistrate Davidson's court on Saturday for interferring with the crew of the "Rustler." This case has been in progress for about a month. Advocate.

PICNIC:—Thursday's Redbank picnic was a very successful one, the chief complaints we have heard about it being that it was closed before one o'clock at night, at which time many of its patrons had not had enough dancing.

DROWNED:—Vernor, aged fourteen years, the only of Geo. W. Robertson, Richibucto, was drowned last Thursday afternoon at three o'clock while bathing near the upper ballast wharf in that town; The body was recovered an hour later.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house, in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary $1024 a year, and expenses, payable $19.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 334 Dearborn St. Chicago.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the St. Louis, Richibucto & Buctouche Railway Company was held in Richibucto on Tuesday of last week. U. Johnson, R. O'Leary, A. Leger, J. C. Vautour, H. Barriere and P. L. Richard were elected directors. U. Johnson was re-elected president, and Wm. D. Carter secretary-treasurer.

CHATHAM FARMS:—Mr. John Bebbington has returned from his annual flower and plant sale at Chatham, an event which is pleasantly anticipated by the people of the Miramichi. The trip was a successful one in a business way, as Bebbington's conservatories are well and favorably known there. Mr. Bebbington also found opportunity to look about the town quite a bit. He notes some improvement in the residential portions of the town, but little progress is in this business section. He visited the farms of Governor Snowball and Mr. Geo. Fisher, and speaks of both as model farms, equal to anything in the province.—Gleaner.

BEWARE OF TRAMPS—This is the advice of the railway men along the line of the I. C. R. between Moncton and Campbellton. The Weary Willies are reported in abundance, this summer along the northern track and it is taking a lot of vigilance on the part of trainmen to prevent them from committing petty depredations.

Already one serious offence has been charged to them. On Saturday the following telegram was sent along the line, which explains itself.—Three tramps broke into a store at New Mills on the night of the 6th, and captured all they could carry. They started east. Please notify all to be on the lookout for them, Signed.

EVAN PRICE,
Dist. Supt. Campbellton.

A close watch is being kept for the Willies and it is hoped that they will be wearied out of the country.—Events.

A TUSSLE ALOFT and a finish on the ground caused quite a commotion at the Richards Company's mill, Chatham on Saturday. The participants in it were Walter Boyle and Robert Darbyson. It appears that Boyle, who is the heavier and, presumably, the abler man of the two, was "ragging" Darbyson for the better part of the day, as they worked on the elevated track leading out to the waste burner, where there was finally a kind of wrestling bout between them on the track where it is twelve or fifteen feet above the ground. The result was that they fell off together. Boyle was the under man in the fight when they reached the ground. Darbyson, who was not hurt took advantage of Boyle's inability to rise and, it is said, kicked him severely several times as he lay on the ground. He was considerably bruised and had a collar bone broken. It was thought at the time that he was dangerously hurt and work was suspended at the mill for about an hour in consequence. The injured man was taken to the Hotel Dieu Hospital for treatment and is recovering.

THE NAPAN CREAMERY PICNIC, was continued on Thursday last and nothing in the way of preparation the managers could do to make it a success was omitted, excepting, perhaps, to provide a committee armed with clubs to knock down several drunken toughs who went from Chatham, apparently for the purpose of taking charge of the affair, which they did most effectively for a time. The futility of respectable men wasting their time in endeavoring to persuade such blackguards to permit them and their patrons to enjoy the entertainment provided in a decent manner and free from annoyance, was amply demonstrated by their assaulting of Mr. Fisher and other officers of the creamery company. A suggestion has been made that the next affair of the kind shall be held in a country community not far from Napan, where it is certain that if hoodlums from Chatham or any other outside place were to appear and attempt such antics as spoiled last Thursday evening's enjoyment at Napan, they would not find themselves able to get so far away as to give the law officers a chase for them when they were wanted at the police court next day.

SUMMER CLOTHING.

MEN'S TWEED SUITS in Strips, Checks and Mixed Patterns. These Suits Look well, Fit well and Wear well. We buy from the Manufacturers and buy Good Goods. We get them cheap and we can therefore sell cheap. THE PRICES are $6.50 to $13.00

MEN'S SERGE SUITS, Black and Blue Single and Double breasts. Prices, $4.00 to $12.50.

Also an assortment of MEN'S LIGHT SUMMER VESTS. Prices $1.50, $1.75 and $1.85.

We have also a large assortment of BOYS' and YOUTHS' SUITS in Tweeds and Serges.

In CHILDREN'S SUITS we have a large variety in Sailor and Norfolk Styles. Prices, $1.25 to $4.00

Also CHILDREN'S Blue and White Duck Blouses and Knickers. Prices, Blouses 75c., Knickers, 50c.

W. S. LOGGIE Company, Ltd.,
COMMERCIAL BUILDING.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Appointments—Wild Cat Bounty Abolished.

Last week's Royal Gazette contains the following.

County of Restigouche—Louis G. Pinault, M. D., to be member board school trustees, Campbellton, in place Dr. Victor J. A. Venner, deceased; Josephine, wife of J. Albert Verge, appointed school trustee, Campbellton, John Savoie to be revisor for parish of Colborne, in place of William Savoie, deceased.

Notice is given that after the first of July the crown land department will not pay bounties on wild cat or lynx killed in this province.

Obituary.

The death of Mr. Benjamin Clancy, who has been in poor health for several months, occurred at his home on lower Water street Wednesday evening. Interment took place in St St. Michael's cemetery on Sunday. Mr. Clancy leaves a widow and large family.

Breakman Wm. Irving, of Conductor D. Sweeney's special going north on Thursday morning, missed his footing in attempting to jump on the pilot of the engine at Newcastle about 7 am. and fell under the wheels which passed over his legs near the body and inflicted other injuries from which he died some 6 hours afterwards. He had been employed on the railway only about a month His bereaved mother, who lives on the Dorchester road, came on Thursday's Ocean Limited and accompanied the remains to deceased's former home.

Why do Women Suffer

Such pain and endure the torture of nervous headache when a quarter buys a bottle of Nerviline which never fails to relieve. Just a few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water cures nervous or sick headache, relieves heart palpitation and makes you feel better immediately. Nerviline can't be beaten for quickly curing stomach and bowel troubles and should be kept in every home. It's good to rub on for external pain and excellent for inward use. Sold in large 25c. bottles.

The Result of Carelessness.

Carelessness on the part somebody was responsible for a good deal of damage to the cars of the Ocean Limited train from Montreal on Thursday last. The mishap took place at Bartibog Station. It seems that the fast train in backing into the siding to get out of the way of the Ocean Limited pushed an empty flat car against a loaded one, which it mounted, one of its corners, projecting out towards the main line. The Ocean Limited does not stop at Bartibog, but ordinarily goes through at a high rate of speed. On this occasion, however, the engineer, seeing the situation, had slackened speed as much as the time at his disposal permitted. The projecting flat car on the siding however, came into violent contact with the sides of the cars on the express as it went by. Windows were smashed, mouldings and hand rails torn away and the paint and varnish much injured. Every car had more or less panes of glass broken out on one side, and the train presented, from one point of view, a very dilapidated appearance, indeed.

It is fortunate that no one was injured by the flying glass from the broken windows. Had the flat car been but a short distance further out, the whole express train might have been derailed and much damage done.

Quoiting.

[Advocate]

It's quoits now! Premier Tweedie pitches with scientific precision. So do several of the leading citizens of Chatham and Newcastle. The first named town has a bang up quoit club and among those on the membership roll is Premier Tweedie.

Last week a few of Newcastle's leading business and professional men heard a good deal about the fun the Chatham men were having at quoits, so they put themselves into communication with the down river quoiters with the result that a meeting was arranged for on Saturday afternoon last.

Bushville was selected as the gathering place and at 3 o'clock the following were assembled there from Chatham:—Premier Tweedie and Messrs. R. A. Lawlor, Robt. Murray, Jas. Johnston, John Lawlor and McNealey.

The following went from Newcastle:—Messrs. W. A. Park, R. Corry Clarke, R. H. Armstrong, W. S. Moore, A. A. Davidson and R. T. D. Aitken.

Mr. Moore proved to be the crack man on the Newcastle team. In fact he out-striped all of the Chatham veterans.

After playing for some time and breaking about even it was decided to have a game played between the two star players of each team so Messrs. Moore and Aitken played against Messrs, McNealy and Lawlor.

At the last round the score was 19-19. Here Mr. Aitken made 2 thus defeating the Chatham cracks.

It is likely Chatham and Newcastle will play again at Bushville on Saturday next.

The Newcastle men are now organizing a club and are trying to procure suitable grounds.

Save Your Potatoes.

THEY SHOULD BE SPRAYED NOW TO PREVENT BLIGHT AND ROT.

Farmers continue to lose hundreds of bushels of potatoes every year from blight and rot which might be saved by spraying the vines with Bordeaux mixture. The results obtained at the Central Experimental Farm and elsewhere have proved over and over again how well it pays to spray, but comparatively few farmers spray their potatoes for the prevention of rot even yet. At Ottawa one variety that was sprayed yielded at the rate of 201 bushels more per acre than the same variety unsprayed, and taking the average of 11 varieties there was an increase of 120 bushels per acre. The formula used is 6 lbs bluestone, 4 lbs. lime and 40 gallons water. If the potato beetle is still active 8 oz. Paris green may be added to this. If fresh lime cannot be obtained, 7½ lbs washing soda will take its place. There should be about 4 sprayings, the first about the middle of July, the second from ten days to two weeks later, the third and fourth at about the same intervals, the object being to keep the vines covered with the mixture until September.

It has been proven by experiment that over half the crop of potatoes will be produced after August 22nd., if the vines are kept green, and this is what spraying will do, as at the Experimental Farm, the vines have been kept green from 18 to 20 days longer than where left unsprayed. The cost of 4 sprayings is about $7.00

Fuller particulars will be furnished on application to the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

W. T. MACOUN,
Horticulturist,
Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

You May Have Kidney Trouble

If your back aches and you suffer from dragging pains it is an evidence of diseased kidneys. Get Ferrozone at once and take it regularly. Ferrozone makes kidney sufferers feel better at once. "I was bothered a great deal with my kidneys last year" writes S. G. Denton of Everett "but got quick relief from Ferrozone. My trouble manifested itself by pain in the back, dull heavy feeling and constant headache. I quite recovered after using a few boxes of Ferrozone which has given me more strength and better health than I ever had before: I can recommend Ferrozone as a positive cure." Price 50c. at all druggists.

Personal.

Miss Stead, of St. John, is visiting her brother, Mr. Geoffry Stead, Chatham.

Dr. Montizambert, the director general of public health for the Dominion of Canada, is now on his annual tour of inspection and was in Chatham on Thursday last in consultation with Dr. John McDonald, port physician.

His Honor, Lt. Governor Snowball, left for Ottawa on Monday afternoon's "Ocean Limited."

The Weidmann angling party, consisting of Messrs. J. Weidmann, Hary G. Cheney and Robert Cheney, and Misses Weidmann and Hoosey, who had been salmon fishing at Camp Weidmann, Square Forks, Savogle, since June 17th, came to Newcastle on Monday and took the Ocean Limited en route to New York on Monday afternoon. They took more than a hundred salmon and grilse during their stay.

Miss Maud Lawlor has gone on a visit to Montreal and Ottawa.

Mr. Allen Kerr, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. Andrews, is spending a part of his vacation at home.

Mr. Arch. Alcorn, of Blackville, was in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whyte, of Doaktown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loggie.

Miss Laura Snowball went to Fredericton on Tuesday.

Miss Snowball is expected home tomorrow.

James Friel, K. C. of Dorchester, was in town on Monday.

Lighthouse inspector, John Kelly, was in town this week.

Mrs. J. M. K. Loteon and family, of Vancouver, B. C., are visiting Mrs. Loteon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McIntosh, upper Chatham.

[From The Advocate]

Mrs. Helen N. Flett of Vassar College, Poughkeepsie N. Y. is visiting her former home at Nelson. She was accompanied by her son William's wife and family and also by her son George's two children, of Waverly, Mass.

Rev. James E. Strothard, of Chatham N.B. arrived at Bear River on Tuesday last to see his son, J. Lester, who was taken suddenly ill. Mr. Strothard has given up his position in the bank at Bear River and accompanied his father to Chatham to recuperate.—Exchange.

Mrs. R. T. D. Aitken and Mrs. Butcher left yesterday for St. John to visit their sister, Mrs. W. E. Stavert, wife of the general manager of the Bank of New Brunswick.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs G. A. Colquhoun of Millerton held a reception at the residence of Mr. William Campbell on Friday evening Ice cream was served and a very enjoyable time spent.

Speed of the Salmon

[New York Sun]

Just how fast salmon can travel has never been proved. Owners of weirs say that a healthy salmon can swim faster than any torpedo boat. Here is some evidence on the subject:

Frank Arey, of Winterport, went fishing the other day at the pool below Bangor dam. He landed two small salmon on the flood tide. About 11.30 a. m. he struck a big one, which caused his rod to bend until it was perilously near the breaking point. Then the salmon darted under the boat, and catching the line against the keel, severed the fly and leader from the silk string and escaped.

Disgusted with his luck, the young man landed and went to Bangor at 11.40, remaining in the city until the afternoon train took him home. His father met him at the station, saying:

"I have got your fly and leader all right, Frank. I found them in the jaw of a 26-pound salmon which I took from the weir at high tide today. It was just 12 10 when I dipped the fish from my wier into my punt. What time did you lose your rig?"

On comparing watches, father and son learned that the fish had gone from a mile above Bangor to Bucks centre, a distance of 13 miles, inside of half an hour. The tide was flowing up river at the time at the rate of three or four miles an hour. After making due allowance for every condition, it was proved that the salmon had covered the distance at the rate of about 28 miles an hour.

One of the Vilest Diseases

Is catarrh which first attacks the nose and throat and finally spreads all through the system. The one sure cure is fragrant healing Catarrhozone which is sent by the air you breath direct to the root of the trouble. Mr. T. Y. MacVicar of Yarmouth, suffered for years from catarrh and says, "In my long experience with this loathsome disease I never used any remedy that relieved so promptly as Catarrhozone. When my nostrils were so stuffed up that I couldn't breathe I found a few inhalations of Catarrhozone was sufficient to clear away the mucous. I am perfectly cured by Catarrhozone and free from the disease entirely." Use only Catarrhozone. Complete outfit $1.00; trial size 25c.

The Cathedral Bazaar.

The Roman Catholics may congratulate themselves on the very successful opening of the Chatham Bazaar in aid of the fund for the building of the New Cathedral of the Diocese, the erection of which is now making excellent progress. The exhibition building in which the Bazaar is being held is admirably adapted for the purpose, affording ample room for the different departments of the undertaking, with areas of platform for promenading which are good for the accommodation of the largest number of possible patrons.

The refreshment tables, where light beverages of many kinds, ice cream and more solid refreshments are dispensed, are ranged along the north side of the central portion of the ground floor, in the centre of which are the different sales tables which are attractive to patrons by reason of the variety and excellence of the articles offered for sale from them by the assiduous and courteous ladies in attendance at them.

The supper tables are laid on the northern promenades up stairs flanking the main central gallery, which is fitted up as a kitchen and general work room for the managers and their assistants.

St Michael's band furnishes music each evening. Various games and amusements are also provided.

The opening time each evening until and including that of Monday next is 5 o'clock. A bean supper will be served each evening.

The ordinary receipts on Tuesday evening were $483, which with the admission fee referred to below made these of the day $983.00.

A gratifying feature in Tuesday afternoon's Bazaar incident was introduced by Mr. P. Hennessy, of Newcastle, whose name is a synonym for liberality in the support of all good things. Mr. Hennessy, instead of paying the ordinary entrance fee of ten cents handed in his check for $500 on the Royal Bank of Canada to Mr. W. C. Winslow, to be given to the treasurer of the Cathedral building fund.

We hope to be in a position to report in our next issue that Mr. Hennessy's liberal example has been followed by others.

Carleton County's First Hanging.

George Gee is to be hanged at Woodstock, Carleton County, tomorrow. The particulars of his crime are thus given in the St. John Globe:—

George Gee borrowed a rifle from the captain of the military corps to which he belonged. He had previously borrowed a rifle from the same person and had gone shooting deer with it (defying the game laws,) and had returned the rifle in good condition. The captain, on the witness stand, testified that he was in the habit of lending a rifle to those in his company whom he trusted and Gee was one of them. Evidently it did not enter his head that the rifle was intended to be used for the purpose for which it was used. Gee was drinking somewhat in the afternoon of the Saturday immediately preceding the early Sunday morning of the shooting, the 16th of March last.

About 11 o'clock at night of Saturday he made his way to the house of one Bennie Gee, a brother-in-law of the dead girl. Bennie's wife had left him. He found in the house Bennie, Millie Gee (the dead girl, with whom he had been keeping company), and one Daniel Crane and his wife. George brought with him to the house the gun and two quart bottles of whiskey, one full and the other at least three-quarters full. They all played cards, and there does not appear to have been any very serious quarrelling. On one occasion George said he was going to kill himself, and the gun "was the lady which would do the trick." This led to the gun being taken away from him.

During the night he and Millie went out of doors, and were out some little time. They came back. Then, about half-past two in the morning George got up to go for good. Millie got him the rifle and went with him out of doors. After a while those in the house heard the report of the rifle. Millie fell in the door. It was found a bullet had passed through her body about the hips. George went on his way. He at once went to the nearest telephone office and asked that the doctor be called, as a girl was badly shot "and he had done the deed." He also telephoned to the deputy sheriff, and said he was ready to give himself up. When the doctors arrived they had a consultation and decided to operate on the girl, all agreeing that the bowels were perforated. The operation showed that their diagnosis was a mistake, for there was no perforation of the intestines. It was found after the girl's death that the bullet had passed through the body of the fourth lumbar vertebra, that the spinal chord was not touched, but there was no serious hemorrhage to have caused death. The doctors said that death resulted from peritonitis from the bullet wound. It was admitted that the operation was a very dangerous one, that it was at least as dangerous as an ordinary operation for appendicitis. In spite of the doctors' testimony, many intelligent laymen after hearing the evidence were led to express the opinion that had there been no operation the girl stood a good chance for recovery, and some doctors were pronounced in the expression of a similar opinion.

The motive of the crime was jealousy of Bennie Gee, with whom the murdered girl had been living as his wife.

It is said that Radcliffe is to be Gee's hangman, although the sheriff has had many offers from men willing to do the job for sums varying from $2 50 to $250.00.

The Unsavory Russian Duke.

According to a Berlin despatch of 14th, the Tageblatt claims to have authentic information that G and Duke Boris has been recalled from Manchuria in consequence of a personal assault on General Kuropatkin. The paper says that the Grand Duke arrived at Mukden with a retinue of young women of doubtful character. General Kuropatkin, learning of this, summoned the Grand Duke and told him that he must send the women away immediately. Boris angrily asked Gen. Kuropatkin if he remembered whom he was talking to. The General replied: "Yes, perfectly. You are a lieutenant of hussars; I am commander in chief of the army. You must obey my orders or take the consequences." The Grand Duke in a fit of rage drew his sword and slashed at Gen. Kuropatkin, who stepped back, avoiding a serious blow, but the sword grazed his nose, inflicting a disfiguring wound. The commander in chief reported the affair by telegraph to the Czar, who immediately ordered Boris home. It was rumored in St. Petersburg at the beginning of the month that Grand Duke Boris had become involved in a quarrel with Gen. Kuropatkin, but no details were given. It was stated, however, that as a result of the altercation Boris had been transferred to Harbin.

NEWS AND NOTES.

J. L. S. DesBrissy who for the past four years has been connected with the firm of J. J. McGaffigan, Ltd., St. John, has severed his connection with the firm and is visiting his home in Petit Rocher previous to starting business at Ottawa. Mr. DesBrissy is very popular in social, business and athletic circles and his many friends wish him success in his new venture.

Tyler L. Gordon, thirteen years old, son of Sherman Gordon, of Springfield, York county, met a sad death on 13th. He went for the cows on horseback, thoughtlessly tying the end of the halter rope around his waist while he sat in the saddle. Not returning a search was made by his father and the dead body was found. He had fallen from the horse and was dragged a considerable distance bruising, cutting and mangling his body in a shocking manner.

The Grand Falls Water Power Company represented by Barton E. Kingman, of New York, and his associates, have paid into the provincial treasury $10,000 on account of the deposit required from the company by local government as evidence of the company's bona fides in the proposed development of the great water power at the falls. Evidently the company intends to begin at once the work of developement, and the establishment of works by the Electric Manganese Company at Grand Falls is to follow.

The salmon season in St. John harbor and down the shore is nearing the end. The weirs in St. John harbor and the drift men did less that last year. The boats down the shore made better catches than in 1903. They averaged all the way from 150 to 250 salmon and some 400. The places where these fishermen outside of the harbor reside are Lorneville (formerly Pissarinco), Dipper Harbor and Chance Harbor. It is estimated that Lorneville sent out 40 boats, Dipper Harbor 10 boats and Chance Harbor 8 boats. There were two men in each boat.—Sun.

A deputation of twenty members of the Lumbermen's Association of Ontario waited on the Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, and Sir Wm. Mulock, Minister of Trade and Commerce, at the King Edward Hotel on 11th inst to ask for changes in the tariff on lumber imported from the United States. The members of the deputation asked that the duty placed on Canadian lumber by the United States, $2 per thousand, should be imposed by this country on American lumber. They discussed the situation with the ministers for some time and came away well pleased.

The St. John Sun, of last Friday, says:—

A gentleman from the headwaters of the St. John river who was here yesterday reported that there are hung up between Edmundston and St. Francis River some thirty millions of logs. The Corporation logs on the St. Francis River are not yet out. They are all hung up there or on the St. John river.

The greater portion of these logs are for the big mills at Van Buren, which are owned by the concern which attempted to introduce the dam in the St. John river, about which there was so much excitement in this province not long ago.

United States Senator Redfield Proctor's strict regard for the laws, even those of minor importance, is well known. An illustration of this happened recently. The senator and his son, Redfield Proctor, jr., were hunting rabbits in the mountain east of Rutland a few months ago. The younger man, who had become separated from his father, shot a large raccoon, and when he next met the senator he proudly exhibited his prize. "My son," said the senator, sternly, "the open season for 'coon hunting has not yet begun. Come with me."

The senator thereupon marched the young man off to the residence of a justice of the peace, where he appeared against him, and where the boy was fined for the offence, the money being advanced by the senator himself.

An incident occurred at Dorchester on Tuesday in connection with the twelfth of July celebration which is likely to be given an airing at the next grand lodge meeting in New Brunswick. When the hour for organizing the parade arrived, Grand Master Heine and County Master Erhardt both appeared mounted on white horses. A protest was at once entered by some of the members against two representatives of King William being at the head of the procession.

Mr. J. I. McLaren, one the prominent members in the higher branches of the order spoke vigorously against following two white horses, and he was upheld in his stand by some of the other members of the order. The incident created quite a lot of excitement for a time. Mr. McLaren and others declared their determination not to take part in the demonstration at all, unless the usual practice of one white charger at the head of the parade was adhered to. County Master Ehardt at last restored harmony by exchanging his white horse for an ordinary bay. Further argument was then suspended and Grand Master Heine and County Master Erhardt rode side by side at the head of the procession, the former on the historic white horse and the latter on the more docile bay. But the end is not yet.

Fattening Chickens for Market.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
Commissioner's Bench,
Ottawa, July 14, 1904.

FEEDING IN CRATES. THE BEST RATIONS.

In order to have the chickens plump and well fitted for the market when they are at the most profitable age, they should be placed in the fattening crates when they are three months old. It is not meant by this that chickens cannot be fatted profitably when they are more than three months older Suitable market chickens of any age will show gains in the crates. In selecting chickens for fattening, these should be fatted that have a good constitution, denoted by strong short beak, head wide between the eyes, lively appearance, and that are of medium size, and are of a broad square shape, with short, straight legs set well apart.

EQUIPMENT FOR FATTENING.

In fattening chickens for market, it is advisable to use the fattening crates recommended by the Poultry Division, Ottawa. If only a small number of chickens are to be fatted, packing boxes of suitable dimensions can be adapted for the purpose. The open top of the box should become the bottom of the crate, and one side should be removed for the front. Laths should be nailed up and down the front, and also lengthways of the crate to form the floor. The laths are placed at the same distance apart as recommended in the construction of the fattening crate. A board should be loosened in the top of the crate to remove the chickens from, and a feed trough arranged in front. A shaping board and shipping boxes are also required.

FATTENING RATIONS.

A satisfactory fattening ration, is one that is palatable and that will produce a white-coloured flesh. Ground oats, finely ground with the coarser hulls sifted out, should form the basis of all the grain mixtures. Ground corn fed in excesss will result in a yellow-coloured flesh of inferior quality; ground peas impart a hardness to the flesh that is not desirable. Ground oats, ground buckwheat, ground barley and a low grade flour are the most suitable meals for fattening.

SATISFACTORY MEAL MIXTURES:—

1 Ground oats (oats over hulls removed.)

2 Siftings from rolled oats (no hulling dust should be included.)

3 Two parts ground oats, two parts ground buckwheat, one part ground corn.

4 Equal parts ground oats, ground barley, and ground buckwheat.

5 Two parts ground barley, two parts low grade flour, one part wheat bran.

The ground meal should be mixed to a thin porridge with thick sour skim-milk or buttermilk. On the average 10 pounds of meal require from 15 to 17 pounds of sour skim-milk. A small quantity of salt should be added to the mash.

When sufficient skim-milk or buttermilk cannot be obtained for mixing the mashes, a quantity of animal or raw vegetable food should be added to the fattening ration.

The chickens should remain in the fattening crates for a period of 24 days more or less depending on the condition of the bird. Before they are placed in the crates they should be well dusted with sulphur to kill the lice. They should be again sulphured three days before they are killed.

THE FIRST WEEK.

It is necessary to feed the chickens lightly the first week they are in the crates. A small quantity of the fattening food should be spread along the troughs and as time is taken more food is added, but not as much as the chickens would consume. The food should be given three times a day, and after feeding the troughs should be cleaned and turned over. The chickens should receive fresh water twice a day, and grit two or three times a week while in the crates.

THE SECOND WEEK.

The chickens should be given twice a day as much food as they will eat. Half an hour after feeding the feed troughs should be cleaned and turned over.

THE LAST TEN DAYS.

At the commencement of this period one pound of tallow a day should be added to the mashes for every 70 chickens The quantity of tallow should be gradually increased to that at the latter part of the period one pound of tallow is fed to 50 chickens. The chickens should receive the fattening food twice a day.

DIED.

At the residence of Mrs. Alexander Brown Wentworth St. on Wednesday July 20th, Annie A. daughter of the late John Brown Esq. of Chatham. The funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. Alexander Brown on Friday the 22nd inst at 3 o'clock p. m.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on FRIDAY, THE 26TH AUGUST, 1904, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week each way, between NEWCASTLE and REDBANK from the 1st October next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Newcastle and other offices on the route and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

Post Office Department,
Mail Contract Branch,
Ottawa, 11th July, 1904.

GRAND PILGRIMAGE.

A special pilgrimage train will leave Shediac

Wednesday, July 27th,

at 3 o'clock p. m.,

—FOR—

ST. ANNE DE BEAU PRE,

and will stop at all intermediate Stations between Moncton and Campbellton to take up pilgrims for Ste. Anne.

The train will leave Chatham Junction at 7.13, p. m. Newcastle at 7.35 p. m. and will arrive at Ste. Anne Thursday noon.

Pilgrims will leave Levis FRIDAY JULY 29 at 6 p. m. reaching distination Saturday. The price of the tickets for the round trip is $5.50. Tickets on sale at Hutchison Bibles-au's, Chatham, and Thomas Foley's (Commercial Hotel) Newcastle.

PER ORDER.

Barnchois, July 14th, 1904.

The J. B. Snowball Co. Ltd.

SEEDS: Just Arrived Pure, of Best Quality---

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Brazilian Turpentine,
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Now Landing.

10 Cases	Pumpkin	50 Cases	Mackerel
10 "	Squash	50 "	Lobster, ½ lb. and 1 lb.
15 "	Golden Wax Beans	50 "	Peas
15 "	Baked Beans (Tomato Sauce)	50 "	Corn
20 "	Baked Beans (Plain)	50 "	Tomatoes.

ETC., ETC., ETC..

Canned Fruits.

5 Cases	Sliced Pineapple,	2 lb.	10 Cases	Strawberry,	2 lb.
5 "	Grated "	"	10 "	Raspberry,	"
5 "	Whole "	"	10 "	Crawford Peaches,	"
10 "	Bartlett Pears,	"	15 "	" "	3 lb.
10 "	" "	3 lb.	25 "	Gallon Apples.	

Canned Fish.

Salmon, Lobster, Mackerel, Kippered Herring, French Sardines Oysters, 1 lb. and 2 lb.

New Crop Dried Fruits.

Cross & Blackwell's Lemon, Orange, and Citron Peels, California Seeded Raisins, Valencia Raisins off stock and selected Layer Raisins, Cleaned Currants, Prunes, Apricots, Peaches, Evaporated Apples.

Smoked, Salt and Canned Meats.

10 Cases	Pigs Feet,	1 lb.	50 Cases	Corn Beef,	1 lb.
10 "	"	2 "	30 "	"	2 "
10 "	Boiled Ham,	1 "	5 "	"	6 "
10 "	"	2 "	3 "	Ox Tongue,	1½ "
10 "	Lunch Tongue,	1 "	3 "	"	2 "

Potted and Devilled Ham and Tongue, Smoked Rolled Bacon, English Breakfast Bacon, Small and Large Hams and Bologna.

2 Cars American New Heavy Mess Pork.
2 " " Clear Back "
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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

Tender for Pipes, Fittings, etc.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Pipe Fitting, will be received up to and including

FRIDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF JULY, 1904,

For the providing and erecting of all Pipes, Fittings, Valves, ect., in connection with the Pipe Fitting in the Engine Houses at St. John, N. B., CHAUDIERE JUNCTION, P. Q., STE. FLAVIE, P. Q., and RIVIERE DU LOUP, P. Q.

Tenders will be received for one or more of these places.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Station Masters' Offices at St. John, N. B., Chaudiere Junction, P. Q., Ste. Flavie, P. Q., and Riviere du Loup, P. Q., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where form of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specifications must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.

Railway Office,
Moncton, N. B.,
4th July, 1904.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Hospital Building, Partridge Island" and "Tender for Detention Buildings, Partridge Island," respectively, will be received at the office until Friday, July 29, 1904, inclusively, for the construction of the above named buildings at the Quarantine Station, Partridge Island, St. John, N. B.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the office of W. H. Waterbury, Esq., Clerk of Works, Custom House, St. John, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
FRED GELINAS,
Secretary and acting Deputy Minister.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, July 8, 1904.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department, will not be paid for it.

REMOVAL.

Dr John S Benson has removed his office to the residence, lately occupied by Mrs Alexander Robinson on St. John Street, where he may be found at all hours.

Chatham, July 7 1903.

BUILDING STONE.

The subscriber is prepared to furnish stone for building and other purposes.
Apply to
L. J TWEEDIE,
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$25.00 REWARD.

I will pay the above reward for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the person or persons who broke into my store on Sunday night last. The information will be treated as confidential.

J. D. B. F. MACKENZIE,
Chatham, N. B., June 13th, 1904.

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Henry G. Vaughan, D. D. S.
Office Hours:—9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. 2 p.m. to 6 p.m
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Saturday—9.30 a.m. to 1 p. m. 7.30 p. m. to 9 p. m:

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