

Miramichi and the North Shore etc.

THE STA. MIRAMICHI made her first regular trip to down-river points yesterday.

RECENTAL—Miss Mabel Hillon and her party had a grand picnic at Campbellton on Tuesday evening.

FIRE AT BATHURST—The roof of Mr. P. Hillon's carriage shop at Bathurst was destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon.

SHIPPING MATTER—Brown has removed his office to the Harbour building Water St., one door above the new Dominion building.

WORK resumed on the Dominion Public building, Chatham, and it is to be hoped that it will now proceed without interruption until the structure is completed.

PERSONAL—The Montreal Gazette—Hon. Peter Mitchell has so far recovered as to be out on Thursday, and he was heartily congratulated by his friends who met him.

ST. LEON'S CHURCH—The children's service will be held at St. Luke's church next Sabbath morning, when a sermon will be preached by the Pastor suitable for the occasion.

THE NEW LABORATORY—The contract for building the new Laboratory at Chatham has been awarded to Messrs. Stewart & O'Connell, whose tender was the lowest—less than \$40,000.

POTATOES—Mr. R. A. Howard, representing a Boston firm, was in Bathurst last week buying up all the potatoes he could get. He paid an average of 75 cents per barrel for them.

ATHLETICS—A large number of Campbellton young men have expressed their willingness to join in forming an athletic club, and negotiations have already been entered into for a club room and gymnasium.

FRUIT CULTURE is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in Canada, have a variety in this section. Write them at Toronto, Ont., for their terms.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT—Today being the Festival of our Lord's Ascension there will be services in St. Mary's Chapel at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. At 7.30 a. m. and at 11 a. m. there will be celebrations of the Holy Communion.

POLICEMAN RAINSBOTTOM resumed his place on the Chatham force on last night. Town has been well served for two months by policeman Forrest alone and as he is now associated with so good an officer as Rainsbottom the public will be well pleased.

SHORTHAND STY—Mr. S. Spear, at the Canada House, is open to give lessons in shorthand, bookkeeping, etc. at low rates. Shorthand class forming at once—Mr. Spear is an experienced stenographer and teacher.

COACHES—The St. John Globe says—William Green, a teamster, beat his wife's brains out and then cut his own throat at Adams, N. Y., Thursday. He is dead and his wife cannot live.

Medical records show that people invariably die when their brains are beaten out.

THE FAMOUS FISH JEWELLERS SINGERS to appear at the Massey Hall on Saturday night. They continue to play at other places where they have appeared this season.

MR. MAGGIE L. PORTER—Her original soprano is with them and will sing on Saturday night.

MILL BURNED—Mr. Richard Peters' shingle mill, situated on Miller's Brook on the line of the Carleton Railway, was totally destroyed by fire about four o'clock Friday afternoon. The loss will amount to about twelve hundred dollars. The cause of the fire is unknown.

DOMESTIC MISDEEDS—The annual Assembly of the Church of England in Canada was read in St. Paul's and St. Mary's Churches on Sunday last. The affair was an eloquent and instructive one.

A FAMILIAR CASE—Some time ago Mr. Loh, Tweedie while attending court in St. John fainted and fell on A. B. Walker, the colored barber. Mr. Walker claims he sustained serious injury.

MONS TROUBLE—Post Office Inspector King has notified postmaster Adams of Chatham to deliver the Trade route mails to Mr. Coghlan, instead of Mr. Ulloch.

SUBSIDY—The Summer Journal says that the difference between the Dominion government and the Charlottetown Steam Navigation Company, relative to the subsidy, has been settled, a satisfactory compromise having been effected.

MIRAMICHI RIVER STOCK—Mr. Geo. E. Fisher has imported the thoroughbred registered Holstein bull, "Prince Rooker," a fine large shag looking animal.

What is the Explanation?—On Monday of last week a gentleman living in Nelson wrote a letter to the editor of the ADVANCE, which contained some directions in reference to the publication of this paper of the address presented to Rev. Father Wallace by his parishioners of Berarby River.

Why do you come to Chatham?—The editor of the ADVANCE, in which it had been retained until too late for it to appear in last week's ADVANCE. The gentleman who wrote to us says he did not send the matter to the World. If someone else delivered it to that office, it was clearly not the intention that it should be withheld from this office until too late to appear last week. That was, however, what was deliberately done. It is not the first time we have been annoyed by similar trickery—to use a mild term—in the same quarter, and therefore hope our friends will bear it as they see fit.

First Arrivals

As will be seen in our ship news list the barque Corona was the first to reach port this season, closely followed by Mr. Hutchinson's Armenia. These are the earliest arrivals from sea for a good many years.

Since 1854 the first ocean going vessel to arrive here were the following:—

- 1854—Bk. Tolmach, 623, May 17.
35—Bk. Gretha, 399, May 18.
86—Bk. Comersuorant, 377, May 10.
87—Bk. Atlanta, 1127, May 10.
88—Bk. St. Louis, 1665, May 11.
89—Bk. Capehart, 606, May 1.
90—Bk. Slavia, 483, May 13.
91—Bk. S. Monday, 1666, May 12.
92—Bk. S. Russia, 1547, May 4.
93—Bk. Armenia, 600, May 2.
94—Bk. Corona, 1193, April 20.

Dental Notice

Dr. R. E. Sullivan, D. D. S., of Boston, begs to inform the people of Chatham and vicinity that he proposes opening dental parlors in Chatham some time during next month and will introduce to the public—

Well known Hall method for the painless extraction and filling of teeth. Being a dentist of over ten years experience and a graduate of Philadelphia, he comes highly recommended. See card later as to office location.

A Big Fish

Our friend, Mayor Beakwith of Fredericton, who is the only man who ever killed five pound trout in July at Berarby Church appears to have had big fishing with a rifle.

"Since the days of the Lake Utopia serpent there has not been such a 'giant fish' as the monster which was killed at Fredericton last Thursday, when it was announced that there was a whale between the bridge and several boats put out but before reaching the monster, the men became frightened and put back to the wharf. Several men, however, remained and taking a secure stand on the railway bridge proceeded to catch the intruder with bullets. There were all sorts of tales, and much running to and fro, and the strange animal which was as large as a whale, was a humpbacked whale, the strength of the current occasionally forced to the surface."

Gunners' Thesis

A grunter named Thomas had a narrow escape at Tynish the other day when the ice moved out of the mouth of the Tynish river. Thomas was on the outer edge of the ice field, several square miles in extent, in a gun boat when the ice started and his only chance lay in making for the shore over the ice.

The ice was going out at a rate of about five miles per hour at the time and he managed to reach the inner water, launch his boat and regain the shore.

Mr. Edward Barnes, of Buctouche, and Mr. James Barnes, contractor, met with a very painful if not serious accident in Buctouche on Monday of last week.

The young man left his home early in the morning on a goose shooting expedition. He took with him a Winchester repeating rifle, a seven shooter. He discharged one cartridge, and was in the act of ejecting the shell when a cartridge, which had in some unaccountable way become loose from the breech lock, exploded, the powder flashing into the face of the young man, burning it badly, besides severely injuring one of his eyes. It is anticipated the consequences will not be very serious.

T. M. C. A.

The Chatham Association moved into its new home on Tuesday. Furnishing and fitting is going on. The rooms will be opened with a public reception.

The meeting of the young men's association was largely attended by young men. Next Sunday the "young men's meeting" will be held in the new rooms.

Efforts will be made to have attractive and interesting meetings each Sunday, and to make the "young men's meeting" the rallying point of the association.

The following new committees were appointed at business meeting following the public class on May night:—Reception Committee, (to manage for the opening reception) D. P. McLaughlin, Jas. Nicol, B. B. Bennett, Antimachy, Committee, Rev. P. Porter, Robert H. Hegan, Alex. McKeen, Archie Woods. The anniversary of the organization of the association occurs on May 18th. The following ladies were added to the Women's Committee—Mrs. D. T. Johnston, Mrs. Edith Shaw, Miss Tweedie, Miss Charlotte Ulloch, Miss Clara Loggie, Miss Sadie Gillipie, Miss Ferguson, Mrs. Strang.

The greater part of the gymnasium fittings and apparatus are being made here. They will be put in in a few days. It will be practically impossible for the association to pursue the aggressive policy planned by the Executive and Finance committees unless they are able to retain the services of a general secretary. New Glasgow, Pictou, St. Stephen, and others of our Provincial towns, of less population than Chatham, are able to do so.

Whether or not the Chatham Y. M. C. A. is to have such an officer will depend entirely upon the response given to the solicitation for financial support. Members of the Finance Committee are making a personal canvass of our citizens. The support given them will determine the future policy and work of the association.

Reinsborough-Maloney Log Case

A good deal of interest was awakened, in Chatham at least, by the report which was tried on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in Massey Hall, Chatham, the decision of which was reached by the sheriff's jury just as we were going to press on Wednesday, so that the report in this paper to publish the result only. The plaintiff was Mr. Chas. Reinsborough of Bay du Vin, and the defendant Mr. John Maloney of Rogersville.

Messrs. Trevelin and Bennett were counsel for plaintiff and E. A. Lester for the defendant. The property in dispute consisted of 280 logs, which had been seized by the sheriff under a writ issued at the plaintiff's instance. The defendant claimed absolute property in them. The result of the sheriff's court was to determine to whom he should deliver the logs.

Maloney, being the claimant, first presented his case. He claimed to have purchased the logs from one Dan. Barriett of Rogersville on the 16th January, 1894. An agreement for the sale of logs to him entered into on that date, and signed by Dan. Barriett, was put in evidence, and under it Maloney had the logs sawed and marked as his.

Barriett admitted that he and his father, Louis Barriett, had received \$140 from Reinsborough prior to entering into this agreement with Maloney but claimed that he had the absolute right to sell the logs to whom he liked.

Maloney himself admitted that he had heard of Reinsborough's claim to the logs before he made the arrangement for their purchase from Dan. Barriett, but he claimed that he was told that Louis and Dan, had sold them to Reinsborough. Notice had been given to Maloney by Reinsborough that he claimed the logs, and not to make further advances on account of them. Maloney, however, continued to make advances, amounting, in all, to about \$57.00.

Reinsborough claimed the logs on the ground;—first, under an agreement with Louis Barriett, second, because they were cut on land on which he has a permit to cut from the license, Geo. K. McLeod.

The evidence for Reinsborough was, in effect, that in the middle of November 1893 he and his brother, Alexander Reinsborough, were cruising in the woods, when they were told to come to the house and see him. Chas. Reinsborough, the plaintiff, his brother Alexander and Dan. Barriett went to Louis Barriett's house, and after some talk, it

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was agreed that Louis should sell the logs to Reinsborough, and enter into an agreement to that effect at a later date. All this time Dan. was present.

On 20th November, 1893, the agreement was signed by Louis Barriett to sell Reinsborough 80,000 ft. of spruce and pine logs, and on Louis' representations, Reinsborough gave him an order on Hon. J. B. Southwell for \$140, (an advance of \$2 per M. on the estimated quantity) and Louis came to Chatham and got goods and cash on the order on the next day.

On the evidence it was contended, on behalf of Reinsborough, that it was not necessary to deal with the question of title to the land, inasmuch as Daniel Barriett, through whom Maloney claimed, was stopped from claiming the logs, he having, by his representations that his father was the owner of the logs, induced Reinsborough to enter into an agreement with his father for their purchase as above stated.

The jury, after deliberating for about fifteen minutes, found the property in Chas. Reinsborough, as stated in last week's ADVANCE.

St. John Newspaper man Dies

St. John, April 25.—T. N. Robertson, business manager and member of the publishing firm of the St. John Globe, died here on Monday, April 23rd, at his residence in the city, after a long illness.

He was born in Scotland, and came to St. John in 1858, and was for many years in the city and during a great part of that time chairman of the finance committee. He was supposed to be the best authority in town on municipal finances. Deceased was a representative member of the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W., and was a member of the A. M. E. W., with the possible exception of his partner, Mr. Ellis, the most prominent man in the province. He had been master of the grand lodge of the grand lodge of Scotland, holding also similar offices in the Royal Arch chapter and the socium of St. John, K. T. He was at his death grand secretary of the grand lodge, and the representative of the grand lodge of Scotland, presiding officer of the grand lodge of the maritime provinces and commander-in-chief of the New Brunswick consistory of ancient and accepted Scottish rite.

MARRIED

At St. Andrew's church, on 29th inst. by Rev. Wm. H. Allen, M. A., Rev. J. W. G. Southwell, M. A., M. A. and Misses daughter of Mr. James McLean of Chatham.

Shipping News

PORT OF NEW CASTLE
Arrived:
April 29—Ks. Corona, 1193, Porey, Hamburg, D. & J. Ritchie, ball.
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April 30—Ks. Corona, 1193, Porey, Hamburg, D. & J. Ritchie, ball.

PORT OF HALIFAX
Arrived:
May 1—Ssh. Spedwell, 34, Assen, New Castle, Alexander Bro.
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May 1—Ssh. Spedwell, 34, Assen, New Castle, Alexander Bro.
May 1—Ssh. Pico, 24, Butler, New Castle, Alexander Bro.

General Consignees
May 1—Ssh. Admiral, 104, Dupat, Capra, for the F. M. Co.
May 1—Ssh. Thetis, 119, Bellinger, is taking in lumber for the F. M. Co.

Vessels Cleared for Miramichi

Robt. Ferguson, Troon, April 2.
Norman, Burnley, Liverpool, April 2.
Capenhurst, Liverpool, April 2.
Bader, Toronto, April 2.
Harvey, Quebec, April 2.
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An Attractive Convention

The Provincial Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of the maritime provinces announce that by invitation of the St. Stephen Y. M. C. A., the Twenty-seventh annual convention of that organization will be held in that town, beginning Thursday, June 7th, at 10 a. m., and ending Sunday, June 10th, at 10 a. m., following:—

Monday, June 7th, 10 a. m., to 4 p. m., in the hall of the Y. M. C. A.
Tuesday, June 8th, 10 a. m., to 4 p. m., in the hall of the Y. M. C. A.
Wednesday, June 9th, 10 a. m., to 4 p. m., in the hall of the Y. M. C. A.
Thursday, June 10th, 10 a. m., to 4 p. m., in the hall of the Y. M. C. A.

New Advertisements

House for Sale
Land for Sale
Thoroughbred Holstein Bull

Prize Rooker (3 Years Old)
High Class Horses for Sale

Millinery
Manchester House

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We have opened a large assortment of all wool challies newest patterns.

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CHATHAM CARRIAGE AND SLEIGH WORKS AND Agricultural Machinery Warerooms.

Mr. Alex. Robinson, Proprietor of the Chatham Carriage and Sleigh Works, has been doing business in Chatham for the past twenty years. His business has increased so much that he has been compelled to enlarge his workshops and warerooms and now has every facility for manufacturing first-class work in every variety of vehicles such as Phaetons, Top-buggies, single and double Wagons, Express Wagons, Lumber Wagons, Delivery Wagons, Slovens, Carts, single and double Sleighs and Pungs and can also make any special kind of vehicle at short notice, and guarantee satisfaction.

Mr. Robinson having always on hand a supply of seasoned wood and Competent Workmen has special facilities for repairing of all kinds, which will be promptly and satisfactorily done.

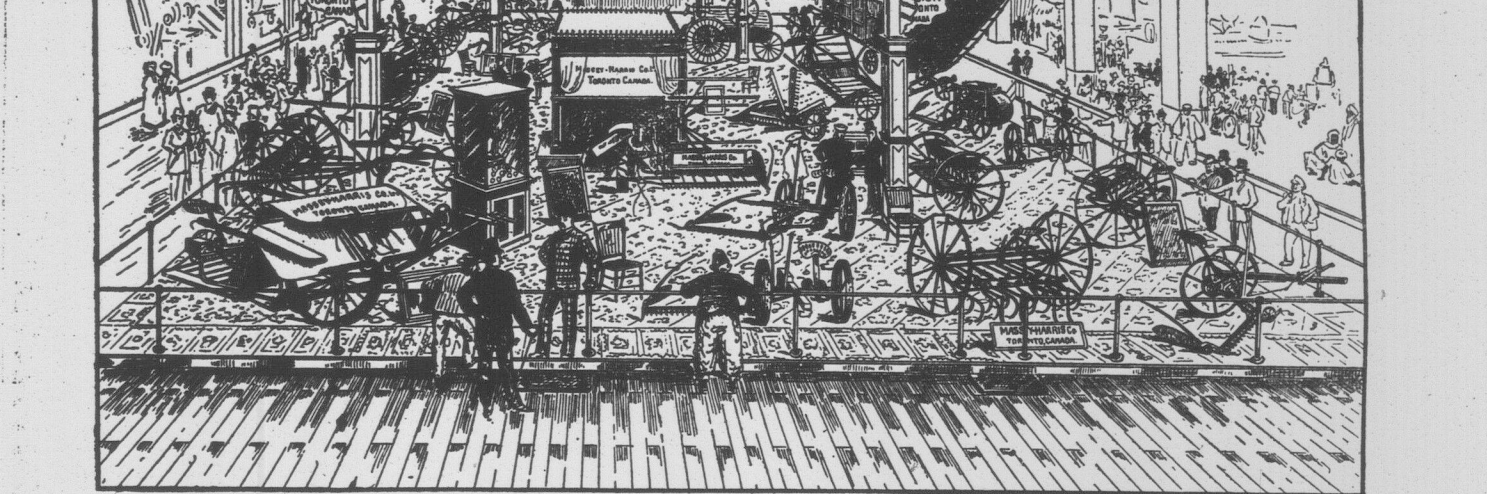
Paintings and trimmings also executed in a superior manner and in any color and style to suit every customer.

A prominent feature in Mr. Robinson's business is the sale of Farm Machinery and Implements of every description. This year he is making a specialty of the celebrated Massey-Harris Farm Machinery of all kinds, a full stock of which he always keeps in his warerooms, and will also supply any special implement not in stock, at short notice.

Mr. Robinson also keeps constantly on hand all kinds of parts of machinery needed for repairs and any part giving out can be quickly supplied, and the farmer can, with very little loss of time, replace the missing part. He also keeps a large stock of the best Driving Harness, that can be supplied at the very lowest prices.

The Chatham Carriage and Sleigh Works is an establishment well-known in this County and holds the reputation of turning out first-class work both in design, finish, quality of material and perfect workmanship. Mr. Robinson is a thorough practical workman of long experience and gives his personal supervision to all the details of manufacture, and we can with pleasure recommend our readers who want a good carriage or vehicle of any kind at a fair price to patronize the Chatham Carriage and Sleigh Works.

The Agricultural Machinery Wareroom of Mr. Robinson is of especial interest to FARMERS, and anyone requiring the best and most improved implements will find it to their advantage to call on him, who is the only one here who can supply the world-renowned farm implements of the Massey-Harris manufacture. Mr. Robinson informs us that he effects a large saving by not keeping agents travelling through the country. This large item of saving enables him to give such prices and terms that cannot be bettered. And it seems only reasonable to say that it is to the advantage of farmers to patronize Mr. Robinson.



THE MASSEY-HARRIS BUSINESS, CHATHAM, N. B.

Output 1893: 49,737 machines and implements, or very nearly a machine every four minutes for 300 working days of 10 hours.

The manufacture of farm machinery has now become one of Canada's largest Industrial Enterprises. Varying nature of the land in different sections of the country, and the variety of the crops grown throughout the Dominion have demanded machines of the highest character, of the greatest strength, and the widest range in capacity. It will thus be readily understood that farm implements that satisfy the needs of Canadian farmers would, with slight adaptation to the needs of foreign countries, soon create a world-wide demand.

The greater portion of the raw materials used in the manufacture of Canadian agricultural implements is of home production, and the quantities of pig iron, bar iron, steel, lumber, and the thousand and one other items that comprise raw materials in the production of agricultural implements, makes up figures of great magnitude.

Mr. Robinson is to be congratulated on having the agency of the leading agricultural implement manufacturer under the British flag.

STORE TO RENT. FITZ MAURICE. GRAND OPENING SALE!

Dress Goods, Household Goods Clothing & Spring Novelties. J. D. CREAGHAN.

Great Slaughter of High Prices all along the Line. Axminster, Moquette, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets. Dutch, Jute and Hemp Carpets and Mattings, Linoleums, Crumb Cloths and Furniture Coverings, Window Hangings and Parlor Draperies.

Moquette, Smyrna and Velvet pile Rugs, Mats & Squares. The above high-class and stylish goods must be moved off. House-keepers this is the time and place. We offer you unprecedented advantages in price and quality. Come and see. The sight of such goods will delight and refresh you after the toil and worry of house-keeping.

We are showing the latest shades and styles in Ladies' Dress Goods, Cloakings, Trimmings, Capes & Jackets. A special drive in New Prints and Challies. All wool French Challies 15c to 25c sold elsewhere at 30c to 45c per yard.

Wholesale and Retail. J. D. CREAGHAN.

ISLAND MESSENGER, REAL ESTATE FORSALE.

Part of lower end of Black Brook known as Island property. For further particulars apply to W. S. LOGGIE, Chatham, N. B.

AUCTION.

Above lands will be sold at auction in front of Post Office, Chatham, on Monday 7th May at 11 a. m. W. S. LOGGIE.

ZEPHYR.

The above well known thoroughbred horse will travel during the coming season on the usual route—about the same as last season—under the auspices of the undersigned, who represents the following:

INSURANCE.

The Insurance business heretofore carried on by the late Thomas H. Gillespie, deceased, is continued by the undersigned, who represents the following:

DR. J. HAYES, Membr. Royal Col. Surg., Eng. Lic. Royal Col. Phys., London. W. S. LOGGIE, Manchester House, CHATHAM, N. B.

Various small notices and advertisements at the bottom of the page, including mentions of W.S. Loggie and other local businesses.