

Miramichi and the North Shore.

Dr. Clarke, Dentist, will not visit Newcastle each Friday on Saturday as heretofore, until further notice.

THE LIBRARIAN, who appeared at Chatham on Tuesday evening last evening, gave the most satisfactory and entirely acceptable performance ever witnessed here.

THE HARRIS REGATTA.—The regatta which took place at Harris, Ont., on Monday last on Lake Simcoe was a great success.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—On Monday evening some 200 of the inhabitants of Chatham enjoyed a moonlight excursion on the Andover going down the River as far as Sheldrake Island and back.

PICTURE.—From the large number of excursionists who left on the Andover for the R. C. Pictorial Grounds at Renouf River yesterday, the affair was no doubt a great success.

REMARKS BY DAVIDSON.—A despatch dated Toronto, N. B., Aug. 7th, states an attempt to rob the Savings Bank and Custom House at Dalhousie was made on the 6th inst.

NEW SCENERY FOR THE MAONIC HALL.—The Masonic Hall is being provided with a full set of stage scenery and a handsome drop curtain.

PARTY TACTICS.—The Liberals of St. John had a very handsome banner-sign of large dimensions placed between the Dominion flag and Union Jack across Canterbury street from the upper stories of their General Committee room building and a building opposite.

THE SIX CHARGES Mr. Snowball had having had "public officers dismissed because they voted against him and their causes filled with creatures of his own."

"THERE'S MONEY IN IT."—Masters of Pilot boats or other small sailing craft are offered a chance to make a few hundred dollars, which ought to be very acceptable these times, by Pilot Allan McEachern, as follows:—

CHALLENGE.—I, Allan McEachern, owner and master of the Pilot boat, May Queen, hereby challenge any pilot boat, Schooner or other sailing vessel under 50 keel owned on this river or on Pilot boat to sail from this port to and around Prince Edward Island and back, making point, the wharf of J. B. Snowball, Esq., stakes, any amount from \$100 per side upwards not exceeding \$500.

ST. MICHAEL'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.—This institution re-opens in the new college building on Monday, 16th prox., as intimated by card in another column.

PROGRAMME.—Chorus—"Precious Promises," by the Choir. Address—By the Rev. Mr. McCain. Solo—"Watching by the Golden Gate," by Miss Ann Davidson.

A Very Strange Affair.—A Shipman correspondent writes us, enclosing a copy of a letter which he says was mailed by him on 25th July, but which did not reach this office.

On Monday evening the Dutch Reformers held their weekly entertainment in the Masonic Hall. The President, John Shireff Esq., occupied the chair and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. McKewen.

James Morris, James Firth, James Ferguson, and others, who had signed the pledge to support the report of the Secretary stated that up to Aug. 12th, the number who had signed the pledge was 64, of whom two were females, and 17 who had signed the second time.

The Treasurer's report alluded to the falling off in the collections at the weekly meetings, but congratulated the society on a general increase of funds.

The installation of officers now took place, and the address being delivered by the Rev. Mr. McKewen.

Short addresses were also given by the President, A. D. Shireff Esq., and also Mr. Tweedie, who announced that Mr. Dutcher would be here on Thursday the 15th, when a meeting would be held in the hall, or St. Andrew's Church in the evening.

"Two Richmonds in the Field."—It was only a few weeks ago that the Advocate was telling us what a magnificent figure Mr. Mitchell cut at Ottawa.

Mr. Mitchell is Sir John. But it is apparent that such a policy on Mr. Snowball's part would make him appear as a rascal.

Our Shipman correspondent, writing on the 3rd inst says:—The COD FISHING is good, and last week was one of the best since 1874.

THE FISHERMEN COMPLAIN a great deal about the American schooners which they say are now in the bay, and catch no bait, the Americans seeing all there is.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Last Monday, in the night as some parties were out fishing lobsters for W. S. Brown, one of their number, German Blanchard, son of Havner Blanchard, died very suddenly.

OLD TRICKS.—The St. John campaign daily opens out statements of the most stale and worn out character in the Protestant interest.

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On Monday, 13th inst., at the residence of Robert Esq., John Noble, aged 92 years, was one of the oldest residents of the Miramichi, and was universally respected.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Chatham. Aug. 8.—Bark Samson, 501, Johnson, Gottenburg, bal. R. A. & J. Stewart.

Port of Newcastle. Aug. 12.—Schooner Vigilance, Wolf, St. John's, N.B., South Gilmore, Bachelar & Co.

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GENERAL BUSINESS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS! I HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK OF ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

EVERY ARTICLE WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION. I have also on Hand, a large Stock of Jewelry and Fancy Goods, Pipes, Cigars, Tobacco, and all kinds of Requisites.

General Advertisement! J. B. SNOWBALL has just received by Royal Mail Steamers, via Halifax, the larger portion of his Spring Stock of Exquisite and DRY GOODS.

16 inch, 18 inch and 20 inch Stair Linens. 1 UNION CURTAIN DAMASK. 1 UNION CURTAIN DAMASK.

RUSSIA CRASH FOR ROLLERS. SHEETINGS, PILLOW COTTONS, WHITE SHIRTING COTTONS (best make) UMBRELLAS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENT. FIRST ANNUAL COMPETITION NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

\$50 MATCH: IS PRIZES. RANGES 200, 400 & 600 Yds. 5 rounds at each.

WALNUT BEDROOM SETS. With French Bureaux and Dressing Cases. We call special attention to these Sets, as their equal cannot be found elsewhere in the City.

THE VOX HUMANA. A High-Class Monthly Journal of Music & Musical Information. Each number contains eight to ten pages of original and carefully selected music.

GEO. WOODS & CO'S ORGANS. EXCEL. 1. In thoroughness of construction and quality of material.

TO FARMERS. Notice of Sale. Just received: A supply of FRESH Timothy, Clover and Turnip Seeds.

Insolvent Act of 1875. AND AMENDING ACTS. Benjamin Carruthers, Plaintiff, Robert Baldwin, Defendant.

Insolvent Act of 1875. AND AMENDING ACTS. Patrick McPeake, Plaintiff, Daniel McLaughlin, Defendant.

Insolvent Act of 1875. AND AMENDING ACTS. Robert Lee and William J. Logan, Plaintiffs, James F. Maher, Defendant.

Insolvent Act of 1875. AND AMENDING ACTS. In the Matter of James F. Maher, an Insolvent.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

CLEARANCE SALE OF DRY GOODS! FIRST INSTALMENT OF FALL GOODS!! IMMENSE REDUCTIONS!

GENUINE BARGAINS MAY BE EXPECTED! COLORED DRESS GOODS, BLACK DRESS GOODS, PRINTED COTTONS, FLANNELS, TASSOES.

OUR STOCK OF MILLINERY. We offer at cost, in order to clear it out.

HABERDASHERY. Gents' Department. OUR STOCK OF WELL MADE READY MADE CLOTHING.

READY MADE CLOTHING. HATS AND CAPS, SHIRTS, COLLARS AND TIES, HOSIERY, RACES, &c., &c.

LADIES' PRUNELLA BOOTS. This Sale is genuine. We would respectfully ask an inspection before purchasing elsewhere.

NOTICE. MIRAMICHI FOUNDRY WAREHOUSE, Lower Water St., Chatham.

COOKING STOVES, RANGES, BASE BURNERS, Of all kinds and Sizes.

HALL & PARLOR STOVES, REGISTER GRATES, AND HOT AIR FURNACES.

SMOKERS. Myrtle Navy Tobacco. EACH PLUG IS STAMPED T. & B.

PATENT MEDICINES. INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

THE GREAT FEMALE REMEDY. Clarke's Periodical Pills.

HARD & SOFT COAL. Anthracite Coal, Superior Steam Coal.

FANCY SALE. To be held (p. v.) at the TEMPERANCE HALL, near the Steamboat Wharf, in DEBBY.

"VICTOR HUGO." The Northumberland Agricultural Society will hold for the season the above "Victor Hugo" through out the various settlements.