

The Country.

An Epitome of Events
Gathered by
ADVOCATE REPORTERS

CARAQUET.

Caraquet, June 16.—The many readers of the Advocate in this county will be pained to learn of the death of Mr. Joseph Sewell which took place at his home on Sunday, June 1st. Deceased was well known on the North Shore; when he was a prominent fish dealer. He was 72 years old, and leaves a widow and six children—four girls and two boys who will long mourn the parting of a kind husband, and a dear loving father. Two of his children are a daughter, Mrs. Branch, of Baronsville, Gloucester county, and his youngest boy, John in Kippewa, Quebec. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at 7:30 and was largely attended. Mrs. Sewell and family have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

Miss Mabel Kerr of Youghall has been visiting Miss Mabel Blackhall for some time.

A Norwegian barque loaded with salt for Char. Robin, Collas & Co., went aground at the entrance of the harbor and quantity of her cargo had to be thrown overboard in order to float her. Much complaint is heard on account of the buoys not being placed in position yet. The vessel sustained no injury as the sea was not rough.

One of the characteristic sights of Caraquet is the ever present porker wandering around the roads, a plague to both travellers and natives. Pigs are so much in evidence that Caraquet is known among knights of the grip as the place with the pigs. Some remedy ought to be devised to remedy this nuisance.

On Sunday last an interesting ceremony was performed at the wharf here. All the boats assembled at or near the wharf and the Parish Priest, Father Alford proceeded to bless them. The band was present and played a number of selections.

Fish are very plentiful but the weather has been very rough which makes fishing only possible at times, thus the catch is just about an average.

WHITEYVILLE.

The basket and pie social which this Division of the S. T. intended holding on the evening of Wednesday, 25 inst has been postponed until Wednesday evening, July 2 inst.

Mrs. James Lebbins of Blackville was the guest of Mrs. John Forsythe last week.

Inspector Mesereau visited the schools in this section on Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret McAllister of Lytleton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Addington McLean.

Miss Pickles of Newcastle, is the guest of Miss Berdie H. Whitney.

Mr. Ernest Hare and family have lately moved to Newcastle.

Miss E. J. Tweedie spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Strathadam.

The roads in this place are being rapidly repaired. The road machine is used and splendid work is being done.

LOWER LUDLOW.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Mr. James and Cephus Dudley on Friday evening. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

well. Music was well furnished by Mr. Everett and Howard Lyons. A grand tea was served in the evening free. They danced until the wee sma hours. Everyone thanks James and Cephus for their kindness.

Mr. Flavous Clowater's son Perley, of this place had the misfortune to jam his foot very badly on a bicycle. Dr. Wier of Doaktown examined quickly and had to take the foot off. The patient is doing as well as can be expected. We hope to see him around again in a few days.

Mrs. Alexander Storey of Doaktown was visiting her sister Mrs. David Stewart at this place on Saturday and Sunday. She was also visiting other friends.

Mrs. Margaret Reid and her son Alexander of Doaktown, was visiting her sister Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell at this place. She was also visiting other friends.

Miss Beattie Foster and her sister Myrtle of Campbellton are visiting friends here. Our school at McNamara's will be vacant for the coming term. Miss Maggie Norrard has resigned and is going to take a school near home so the school will be vacant for another good teacher.

Mrs. Matilda Parker of Doaktown was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Price at this place.

JANEVILLE.

We are having very cold weather with a lot of rain. It is very bad for the crops which are at a standstill.

The salmon are very scarce. The high tides and heavy blows have wrecked the nets badly.

Mackerel have been caught this week in the nets.

The roads are very bad.

Mr. Henry Roy was visiting his friends in Janeville last week.

W. H. O'Brien has moved his saw-mill to Caraquet where he is sawing the lumber for the new college.

W. and Birdie Caie spent several days last week in Tetagouche.

Ed. Dempsey is erecting a large new kitchen.

Mrs. T. J. Smith spent Monday in Bathurst.

A. J. W. McKennie and W. H. Caie drove to Burnsville on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Ritchie spent a day in Janeville recently.

Miss Maggie Roy is at home again after a winter in Bathurst.

We are sorry to hear that our popular teacher, Miss Wright, is going to leave us at the end of the term.

The school meeting was held in the school house on the 21st inst.

SCOTT ACT.

On Saturday, June 14th, Geo. Colepaugh, of Renous, was before Police Magistrate John Niven, Esq. under the C. T. A. and was convicted and fined \$50 and costs.

On Tuesday, June 17th, Patrick Donovan of Renous, was before the above Magistrate but was dismissed.

On Thursday, Clemis Kitchen of Bridge-ton was before Police Magistrate Niven and convicted and fined \$50 and costs.

A Bad Breath

A bad breath means a bad stomach, a bad digestion, a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache.

25c. All druggists.

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Miramichi Agricultural Society.

Messrs. W. B. Snowball, Sydney D. Heckbert, John McDonald, Andrew H. Marquis, Angus S. Ulock, Geo. Hildebrand Chas. Reinaborrow, Jos. Tweedie, Fred M. Eddy, Geo. Watt, Alex. Dickson, Geo. P. Searle, Richard A. Lawlor, Robert Murray, Thos. Flanagan, Mitchell Morris, Peter Archer, and James Johnson of Chatham, John D. Coughlan, of Newcastle, and John P. Burchill, of Nelson, are applying for incorporation as the Miramichi Agricultural Exhibition Association.

The object for which incorporation is sought are:

To promote and encourage agriculture, domestic economy, industries, arts and sciences.

To acquire land in the Town of Chatham and such other real and personal estate as may be required for from time to time to encumber the same, or any part thereof, and from time to time dispose of any property real or personal, at pleasure.

To build suitable exhibition buildings or other erection and maintain a driving park athletic grounds.

The office or chief place of business of the Company is to be at Chatham.

The amount of the capital stock of the said company is to be nine thousand five hundred dollars divided into nine hundred and fifty shares of ten dollars each.

The Editor's Mail.

Dear Editor,

On June 15th, when the summer schedule went into effect on the Intercolonial Ry. the short run for the few fire men lying off in Newcastle was abolished, thus depriving these men of the opportunity of living at home and making it necessary for them to go to Moncton to secure work. It is altogether likely that in the near future the engines will be also called upon to reside in and run out of Moncton, when Newcastle will become a mere way station and not a terminal as it should justly be.

This action was brought about by some of the senior firemen of Moncton, who not content to live and let live, wish to secure a monopoly of the R. R. work. This selfish spirit has always been shown by the resident R. R. men of Moncton, in general was demonstrated several years ago when the other branches, trainmen and conductors, were moved from Newcastle to Moncton and obliged to run to Campbellton a distance of 185 miles, the longest division on the entire system and in fact the longest freight division now in existence on any railway in the country. The average division of the system is about 100 miles, and why it is allowed to make this section of the road an exception is something difficult to understand, unless it is that the apathy of the representatives of Northumberland Co., allows the Moncton men to satisfy their greed for gain without a word of protest.

It surely must be realized by the business men of Newcastle, that an increase in the wage earning population would very materially benefit them, particularly a class such as is employed in R. R. work, who for the greater part are of steady and thrifty habits and generally circulate the earnings advantageously.

There are a great many of the sons of Newcastle now engaged in R. R. work on the I. C. R. who have been obliged to move to the different terminals as far east as Sydney, and it surely must be that they have some weights with the control power, and then Newcastle would receive what it rightfully is indebted to, a fair share of the revenue derived from this work. We claim it should fight for it, and not let up until it is granted or a reasonable explanation given for not complying with the request.

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An attempt was made to have all crews on the northern drive run from Campbellton to River du Loup and do away with St. Flavie as a terminal, but the move was prevented by the prompt action of the representative at St. Flavie and the same could and should be done by the men from Newcastle or Northumberland Co., as a whole. During the time of the short run there were about ten train and engine crews residing in Newcastle, their average total earnings about \$4000.00 per month which was a large extent spent in Newcastle and neighboring villages, in addition to this a good amount was circulated by the other men who run in but did not reside here. I refer to the Moncton men who need their cars as dead in weight on this end of their run. Were the government to derive any benefit from the existing long run, there would then be some cause for it, but

CREAGHAN'S

We are the only people selling Perrin's Kid Gloves on the Miramichi.

Crompton's Corsets lead for style and shape. We sell them from 50cts to \$2.25 per pair.

Ladies' Wash Fabrics

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We are selling these goods in the new shades and designs, and as our stock is very large we are making special prices to clear it out. 40c and 50c Lawns for 25c and 35c per yard. First come, first served.

DRESS MUSLINS.

These goods are made in the newest shades with very pretty colored stripes and brocades. We also have a few pieces of spotted Muslins that was 18 cents we are clearing the lot out at 10 cents per yard. Come early and avoid the big rush.

Men's and Boys' Clothing

MEN'S CLOTHING.

We lead, others follow, that is what the people say that wear our Tyke Serge and Scotch Tweed Suits.

We have a few odd suits that have to be cleared out to make room for new stock. Regular prices \$5.75, \$6.50 and \$7.75. Reduced prices \$4.50, \$5.75 and \$5.95. There is only a limited number of these goods, so don't forget that delays are dangerous.

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Boys' Vesty Suits for boys from 4 to 8 years old. Prices \$2.75, 3.25, 4.25, 4.75.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits for boys from 4 to 8 years old, very nicely pleated back and front. Prices \$1.95 to \$5.75. Boys' 3 piece suits.

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John Russell & Co.
Newcastle.

Oct. 8th, 1901.

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THOS. MALTBY & SON.

Newcastle, June 2nd, 1902.

The Advocate Souvenir Edition

This edition which will be ready this week, will contain, besides a large number of illustrations of big game, local scenes, etc., the following articles:

A History of Miramichi. Its early days, the fire, etc.

A description of Northumberland County and its big game.

A number of Short Hunting Stories, by John Connell and others.

"The Man Behind the Boat Hook," a poem descriptive of the big log jam at the railway bridge in 1881 as well as the poem, "The Days of Duffy Gillis," by the same author.

These with a brief synopsis of the new Brunswick Game Law and other short articles will make an interesting number.

Orders will be taken for any number of copies at 10 cents each. Orders filled in rotation as received. Cash usut accompany order.

New Bakery.

I have installed an oven, am now selling at my store on Pleasant street all kinds of cake and bread.

Bread 7c a loaf, 3 for 20, 4 for 25

Cakes 8 cents a dozen.

ISAAC MCDONALD.

May 6th.

New Restaurant.

I have opened a first class Restaurant in the Morrissey brick block on the corner of Castle and Pleasant street.

Ladies and Gents dining room and lunches served at all hours in first class style. No need to be hungry.

Ice cream and confectionery. May 6th, 3m. L. P. JAMES.

A Cut in Prices for the Remainder of June.

For the remainder of this month, only, we will sell goods at following low prices.

SUGAR—24 lbs. Granulated sugar for \$1.00
26 lbs. Light Brown " " \$1.00
28 lbs. Darker Brown " " \$1.00

5 lbs. good Tea for 90

5 lbs. package Tea \$1.00

5 lbs. good Raisins 25

Choice Porto Rico, for 40

Mill Java for 55

pure Spice, Cloves, Pepper, 5

Self-washing soap for 25

special soap for 25

Compound for 4

Compound (2 size) 7

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