a. m. Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

PERSONAL :- Hon. John McMillan, Post LABRADOR HERRINGS, a horse, sleighs | Choi Buffalo robes etc., are advertised for sale

attraction for tomorrow evening. THE DANCING ASSEMBLY postponed last Masonie Hall Chatham.

anspices of Newcastle Division.

while lying at Duclair, near Rough, Dec. soon as the Seine opened to navigation.

Messrs. T. & H. P. Crocker shipped 1,000 pairs, Messrs. R. & A. Adams 980 pairs and Messrs. Tozer & McDonald 580 pairs of

LECTURE :- Rev. Dr. Jardine will deand Mahometanism" in the Methodist Church, Chatham on Thursday evening the 22nd of January. A Silver Collection will be taken up for the benefit of the THE SMALL POX CASE :- The Advance

iu that Caraquet case. - Freeman. We did'ut insist on anything of the kind.

which the officer referred to so impudent: | tive Committee were desirous of having

a rink of n arried and a rink of single men, taken, as it was then constituted. belonging to the Chatham Club, played a Fairey, W. Wilson and P. H. C. Benson. lors winning by three points. It is be so surprised over the result, that when they have arrived at a reasonable conclusion as to how they came to win, they will have the temerity to offer a return match for The "beef and greeus."

FLOWERS PLANTS AND SEEDS:-James Vick of Rochester, New York publishes the handsomest Florist's Annual we have ever seen. It is called Vicks Floral Guide and should be in the hands of all who have a taste for the cultivation of flowers or the pleasant work of gardening. Its illustraions are first class and it contains just such information as householders with flower pots and garden patches require at this season of the year. Send five cents in stamps for it and you will be more than pleased. We can recommend Mr. Vick as ladies would not come, there would be a reliable, having received excellent plants sufficient number of young persons pre-

blooming and seeds in capital order. " The Miramichi."

J. C. E. Carmichael Esq., Capt J. J. hard to provide an entertainment once a Brown and Mr. Jas. Henderson proceeded fortnight. People had little time and the trict assessment. The expenditure was novelty had worn off. It would be well \$2,021.77 leaving a balance on hand of a survey on the Norwegian barque Mira- to allow the Society a little rest and it \$103.67. a mile due west of Sand Point, Bay des mission they found had little influence on ment was all secured, but about \$37-a Vents Island. Several planks are cut the attendance. He thought it best to remarkably good exhibit. through by ice and there is considerable postpone the meetings for a month, and damage by chating along both sides. A then have something grand, but whatever I. B. Oakes Esq. from the position of prinon of the deckload having been re- the Society resolved on they must submit | Principal of the Grammar and High ed, the damaged portion of the hull is to. raised and the vessel is, therefore, making The President said he was sorry to hear no water. The Surveyors have resonn of the proposal for postponement as he was bids fair to mantain the excellence of the mended that the Miramichi be cut in afraid it would be till next summer. He School, to the vacancy was announced. through the ice to Bay des Vents harbour | did not think, however, they could continue to prevent further, damage by ico in the the weekly meetings; he would prefer oft-debated question of children not living Spring, and tenders for the work are asked them once a fortnight.

by advertisement in another column, by the Norwegian Vice-Consul. Chatham Temperance Reformers On Tuesday evening the fortnightly be I cent.

meeting of the Chatham Temperance Reformers was held in the Masonic Hall. The President Mr. A. W. Paterson occapied the chair, and the meeting was opened with prayer by Mr. William A. After a Chorus had been sung by the

Mr. William Johnston, in a brief address, said there seemed to be an impression on the part of the public that the Society, being out of funds, could not con-tinue, but this was not the case as the Society had property to the amount of some \$400. When he saw what the Societies were doing in St. John and other places, he was surprised that this one did room of Mr. William Frecker to get up a ber on the roll, some pupil from outside

in their pockets rather than see it go the organization would be very much im-

and instrumental music (organ) by Miss Haviland, which received an encore. Mr. Alexander McLennan spoke of the difficulty of getting people to help in the with reference to this point. He remem-

would get along well. Signatures to the pledge were now taken Office Inspector, was in town this week. during which a chorus was sung by the

The President, Mr. A. W. Paterson, said he felt badly about the Association, THE GRAND DIVISION, S. of T., is to but he did not want to see it go down meet at Newcastle next Wednesday in There was an impression that the Execumi annual Session.

REV. DR. BENNET'S lecture in St. he thought they had done their share, and John's Church, Chatham, is the great that the matter rested with the fathers and mothers, who could not afford to let They must have a good programm MIRAMICHI RELIGIOUS TRACT SOCIETY their interest in the Society abate until is to hold its annual meeting on Tuesday | they were quite sure that their children of next week at Mr. Ellis' office, Chatham. | were secure. Where were the men who once said that they had passed such a week on account of it being the Week of pleasant time at Christmas owing to the Prayer, is to take place this evening in influences of the Society? He thought a large amount of responsibility in reference "DIVINE SYMBOLISM" is the title of a to the state of the Society rested on the ecture to be delivered on Friday evening ladies of Chatham who had once assisted Executive. of this week by Rev. Dr. Jardine in the them until the movement became one of Newcastle Temperance Hall, under the the grandest ever seen. What was the uspices of Newcastle Division.

BARK "MOLILAMO" is reported as haveduty? It appeared that there was someing sustained some damage from the ice thing wrong somewhere. The Executive Committee had requested him to propose 22, and would have to put into Havre as a postponement of the meetings of the Society for a month. In Newcastle the REV. MR. MACKIE'S LECTURE in Masonic | Society had unfortunately been disbanded,

Hall, N wcastle, on Monday evening last and the existence of the Society here depended on the ladies and their hasbands, best platform efforts that a Newcastle and especially on mothers. He was also audience has listened to for some time, sorry to miss the little boys who used to be PARTRIDGES .- During the year 1879 present in such numbers, for though they made considerable noise they helped to fill up. He believed also that boys induced their parents to attend and take an in-Partridges to the United States-all from terest. They wanted the ladies to interest

themselves if the Society was to flourish He would next call on Mr. John Sherriff liver his admirable lecture on " Buddaisan and afterwards adjourn the meeting and John Shirreff Esq. said he was sorry to

meetings for a month, which were now and really hope that notwithstanding the terest in the Society. He saw no cause facts, the quarantine claim is either settled | for the present state of the Society, and or in a fair way of adjustment. The fact | when he looked back on its career, he who established and maintained the quar. been done. He related his own experience autine as long as it was believed to be as a clerk in former days, when the last item of an order was generally 5 gallons a well known and wealthy resident of Derby, died suddenly in the Victoria to temperance. He thought even with Hotel, Newcastle, on Friday morning last the numbers present that evening the at an early hour. While sitting in a chair meetings should not be discontinued. He replied, and we have let them off on that aid was summoned, but he was about exponed as proposed, and would much prefer holding them once a week, and he would bors see that they don't pay the printer." arrived. We understand that Mr. Jas. like to see that question put to the meet-Robinson of Derby is heir, by will of 'the ing. It was very gratifying to hear of the deceased, to nearly all his property, which is estimated to be worth about \$100.000. our own parish last week, though he was lesson. Some of the dearest of our Noticeable:—It is a commentary on the manner in which fishery matters are society, which had, however, to contend the paper far too long without paying for managed just now that a person who was with the same difficulties as the Chatham it-will soon find that the advertiser's A just now that a person who was with the same difficulties as the character of the character of the same difficul

Fisheries for abusing his authority and, ness. He thought that the mothers and among other things, advising fishermen to wives of this town were responsible for the those for whose benefit the above facts are violate the law, was subsequently restored | failure of the Society here, as they seemto office by the present administration and ed indifferent whether their husbands or is now figuring as one of our largest fi-h sons were drunkards or not, and it was shippers. The Government ought, for sons were drunkards or not, and it was decency sake, to put a stop to the disgrace- in greater numbers that evening (Applause) The President stated that the Execu-

monthly meetings, and it would be well CURLING. -The Curlers, represented by that the sense of the meeting should be Adam Shirreff, Esq., said he had been match on Friday last. The married were considering the difficulties of the situation Messrs. John Brown, Geo. Brittain, for some time past. Those they had ask-Thos. H. Fleiger and D. G. Smith, the ed to speak had said they did not want to single, Messrs. John Johnston, Richard speak to children. The funds were low, but they could pay what they owed, and The game was well contested, the bache- he thought if there was a postponement of the meetings for a month or until the end lieved by the losers that the winners are surprised over the result, that when they loss they sustained by not encouraging the Society, as there was no denying that it had done more good than any similar one

in the community. He proposed that the meeting be adjourned this this night John Shirreff, Esq., said he was thoroughly opposed to the proposal made by the last speaker, and would move a counter resolution. The success of the Society depended on the ladies, and he did not even believe in having meetings once a fortnight, He would move that their meetings be held weekly, and that

the admission fee be Ic. Mr. J. U. Loggie seconded the motion. John Shirreff, Esq., said that if the ladies would not come, there would be a from him by mail nicely packed and sent, but he did not like to see tittering and laughing when a speaker was address

agree with Mr. Shirreff as they found it receipts of the year to have been \$2125.44, The vessel lies three quarters of would come off better. The price of ad- The Trustees reported that the assess-

Mr. John Shirreff's amendment to the ended the meetings should be

The amendment was carried almost nanimously. As a matter of form, the original motion it involved additional expense. for postponement for a month, or until

and lost. those who were in favor of the motion cost exactly the same for maintenance as were glad of the result. the chairman was speaking only for him- to the District, had been refused admis-

would assist. John Shirreff, Esq. was appointed in the sion to any school which had its full num-

he was in favour of giving the Society a Mr. Johnstone expressed himself satisfi- at meeting, \$1,888.67. A song was now given by Capt. Brown, month's hoist, yet on hearing the remarks | ed with the explanations given.

work of the Society and his own experience should be ladies I cent and gentlemen districts, inasmuch as it prevented them by Mr. Sivewright, which they stated are hered the fine meetings they used to have. He had done his best and he hoped they ciency at the end of the month. Capt. Brown said there ought to be

the meetings from being disturbed. Mr. John Shirreff said it would only be necessary to take the names of those who made a disturbance and hand them to the Police Magistrate.

The President requested that the lady président of the Executive Committee be notified in reference to the programme Mr. John Sherriff said that no doubt the

lady President of the Executive would be glad to do all she could in reference to a programme if properly assisted, but perhaps other ladies had not done their part, and, if so, it was discouraging. The President duly acknowledged the activity of the President. of the ladies'

The proceedings concluded with the National Anthem

Tco Bad.

We were showing an advertiser our abscription list the other day to convince him that we had a much larger Miramichi circulation than any other paper, and as the list shows the time up to which every person who receives the paper has paid, the advertiser remarked that we had five cr six hundred "triends" wlo received the paper and who had failed to pay their subscription when due, "I presume," said he, "you have not

reminded them of their duty." appears in the list, and one of them is placed on the first page of every paper Audit Committee reported the accounts sent to each subscriber. They are inrequest the members of the Society to formed in plain printing,, just below the alip, that they have owed for the paper of office as Trustee having expired, the since the date marked (that is, when the sub- meeting proceeded to elect his successor. see they had been obliged to drop the scription has expired) yet there are many Moved by Alexander Loggie, Senr. and Methodist Sabbath School under whose plan of having regular programmes, and so mean or neglectful that they do not also to hear the proposal to postpone the pay up." [Here the reader will examine McMurray be Trustee. Moved by Arthur and Mr. Michael Whelan, Secretary of insists that somebody is afraid of the facts | held only once a fortnight, and though he | whether it is paid for in advance as it had often regretted his own absence from should be, or whether the subscriber has A ballot being had, the result was a tie. factory condition, showing a balance of

up.] I'm afraid, "said our friend," that in elected Auditor for the ensuing year. estimating the value of my advertisement, that Capt. Poulin's malady was not small thought that the people of the County had I must deduct for those who do not the meeting, to build a class room in conhis paper, when it is printed and mailed, postage prepaid by the publisher to him, would be a poor and undesirable customer SUDDEN DEATH: -Alex. Ferguson, Esq. of rum. He also adverted to the social for me. How do you manage to have you not sue them ?" said he.

"They profess to be our friends," we The advertiser thereupon advised us to prepare the necessary magistrate's blanks lesson. Some of the dearest of our

test reported as follows :--

At a party one evening, several contested the honor of having done the most extraordinary thing; a reverend gentleman was appointed judge of their re One produced his tailor's bill, with a re-

ceipt attached to it. A buzz went through when a second proved that he had just arrested his tailor for money that was lent "The palm is his," was the generous

cry, when a third put in his claim. "Gentileman," said he, "I cannot boast of the facts of my predecessors, but I have returned to the owners two umbrellas that "I'll hear no more!" cried the astonished arbitrator. "This is the very acme of

honesty, it is an act of virtue of which I never knew any one capable. The prize-"Hold!" cried another. "I have done still more than that." "Impossible!" cried the whole company. Let us hear."

"I have been taking my paper for twenty years and have paid for it every year He took the prize.

Annual School Meetings.

The following reports of Annual School Meetings have come to hand :-

DISTRICT NO. 1. CHATHAM. E. Winslow, Esq. Trustee, Mr. T. Crimmin, Trustee and Secretary of the District acting as Secretary. Wm. Hickson,. ing the audience.

Mr. William Johnston said he could not submitted by the Trustees showed the of which \$1,611.53 was derived from dis-

School was made and the appointment of his successor, Mr. H. G. C. Roberts, who Mr. D. T. Johnstone brought up the within the District being admitted to the schools, intimating that he had been innotion of postponement, was now put. formed that children belonging to the District had, in consequence, been preonce a week and that the admission should | vented from gaining admission. He also thought that as there were about thirty of these outside children being educated

within the District in the public echools,

Mr. Winslow, on behalf of the Trustees, the next quarterly meeting was then put explained that the four schools now maintained were necessary in order to keep up The President said he was sure that the grading and that they would exist and now if there was not a child admitted to Mr. A. D. Shirreff said he presumed them from outside. No child belonging self, as it was impossible to get up a sion to any of the schools which it was weekly programme, and he hoped that those who voted for the amendment derstood that whenever a qualified child belonging to the District applied for admis-

or until next quarterly meeting, and he be should be happy to carry out the befleved that many would put their hands spirit of the resolution they had passed, than those from outside who were accoming to \$4.049.62 and the receipts \$4.413.95. but he thought that there should be some | modated in the District; besides the Dis- | The balance on hand, including \$92, | been united in the bonds of holy matri they postponed their meetings for a month the mothers and daughters of Chatham. | coming in, and as they cost the District 1880, is \$2,995. Resources \$1,014,33. F. and A. M. officers for ensuing year Mr. J. U. Loggie said although at first nothing this was a positive advantage.

> of Mr. Shirreff he agreed with him as to Mr. A. W. Paterson, however did not tion of the Schools compared favorably the weekly meetings.
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> Capt. J. J. Brown said he thought that
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> appear satisfied, and said something about that of former years with the exception of the Advanced Department, taught I cent admission was not enough. It side districts being an injustice to those by Mr. McCully, and the school taught 3 cents. Mr. John Shirreff said if it was from perfecting their schools, but as not in as satisfactory a condition as they necessary, they could put their hands in those present could not understand what would wish. their pockets and make up any small defi-

> > voted for assessment, being four hundred dollars less than the assessment of last

F. E. Winslow, Esq., being the retiring Trustee, he was nominated for a second term, but desired to be relieved from duty. He made a neat speech in recommendation of G. A. Blair, Esq. in which all present seemed to heartily concur and ended by nominating that gentleman who was seco unanimously elected. Mr. Howard was re-elected Auditor, and a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Winslow for his efficient and faithful services during his term of office, Mr. W. making a suitable acknowledgement. This brought the proceedings - which occupied only about

three quarters of an hour-to a close.

DISTRICT NO. 3 CHATHAM.

The meeting in this District was held in the School House, Black Brook, It was called to order by Mr. Stephen Dealy, secretary to Trustees. Mr. Jas. Ahearn was elected Chairman. Mr. Stephen Dealy acting as Secretary to the meeting. The Trustees' report was read and adopted. The Auditor for the last year having "Oh yes," was the reply, "there are left the county, Messrs. Robert Loggie, yellow slips printed just as the address | Jas. McMurray and William Loggie were appointed an Audit Committee. The correct and they were approved by the time for dinner." meeting. Mr. Alexander Loggie's term seconded by Jas. McDonald that Jas. Mr. Patrick Hogan was elected Chairman, Alexander Loggie. Mr. Jas. Percy was voted for the present year is \$115. The

The Trustees were directed, by vote of Trustee in room of Mr. John Whelan, the size being left to their discretion DISTRICT NO. 8, CHATHAM.

The meeting in this District was held in Mr. W. Connors called the meeting to

On motion of L. J. Tweedie Esq., William Lawlor Esq., was elected Chair-The Secretary of the Trustees was ap-

cointed acting Secretary of the meeting and the minutes of last meeting being ead were adopted.

The Trustees' report for the year ending 1st Oct. 1879, shewed amount expended during the year to be \$1631.48, amount received \$1624.17, leaving a balance due the Secretary of \$7.31, which amount will be collected from the default list at

The Auditor made a verbal report to the effect that he had examined the accounts and found them correct. On motion the Trustees' and Auditor's reports

were received and adopted. The Trustees' estimate for the year 1880 was as follows:-4th instalment of loan

Teacher's Salaries-260 00 200.00 155.00 Sister Carter, Assistant, Rent of School Room, Wood and contingencies. 100.00 60.00 328 50 year. ing taxes,

\$1.521 50 Amount to be collected from
Defaulters List
6 County money

Amount required for 1880 \$1,200 00 The amount asked for being put to the meeting was unanimously voted. L. J. Tweedie, Esq., being the retiring Trustee it was moved by Mr. Samuel Waddleton, seconded by Mr. F. J. Letson, that Mr. Tweedie be re-elected, which was

carried unanimously. On motion of Mr. Benjamin Flood, seconded by L. J. Tweedie, Esq., F. J. Letson, Esq., was re-elected Auditor of School Accounts for the year 1880. The meeting adjourned at 11.30 a. m.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 CHATHAM The meeting in this District was opened by Thos. F. Gillespie, Esq., Sec. of the School Trustees, when John Brown, Esq.,

was elected Chairman.

The Trustees reported that they had ollected for 1879, \$1.489.60, and from Defaulters List of 1878, \$58,34, and that the amount in the Treasurer's hands was \$340, out of which \$500 was to be paid towards liquidating the debt on the school house and the balance to be appropriated to pay teachers' salaries for the April term that the liabilities of the District, when the \$500 was paid, would be \$2,024.00. Messrs. Thos. F. Gillespie and Robert

trusteeship and on a vote being had there were fourtees for Mr. Gillespie and twelve for Mr. Bain, Mr. Gillespie was, therefore Mr. Wm. Fenety was re-elected Auditor. The meeting then voted an assessment of \$800.00 for 1880, \$500 to be used for liquidating the debt on the building and \$300 for school expenses.

Bain were nominated for the vacated

The Trustees elected for the year were Mesars, Duncan Davidson, T. F. Gillespie, and John Ferguson. The meeting adjourned at 11. a. m. DOUGLASTOWN.

The Asnual School Meeting was duly eld at Donglastown on Tuesday. Mr. A. Jessamin was called to the chair Mr. James Henderson, Secv. to Trustees. acted as Secy. Mr. Thomas Troy's term, of office having expired he was re-elected. Mr, Wm. Russell, Junr., was re-appointed Auditor. The balance on hand from last year was shown to be \$526,00. The sum of \$400,00 was voted for the ensuing year. DISTRICT NO. 7. NEWCASTLE.

The Annual School Meeting of School District No. 7 was held in the Temperance he proceeded to the house wherein resided Hall Newcastle, on Thursday 8th inst., the fair one. And, mirabile dictu! the lady at 10 a. m. A. A. Davidson, Esq. was called to the Chair. John Ferguson, Esq., umberland's single gen leman was obliged not do better. He believed that it was programme for next meeting in conjunction the interests of the Society that their tion with Mrs. John Shirreff of the Ladies Mr. Crimmin also showed that the Trustees, which showed that the average a wise man. Subsequently the issuer of Trustee, submitted the Report of the to return whence he came, a sadder if not

me tings should be postponed for a month Executive Committee. Mr. Shirreff said children belonging to the District who attendance was 494 pupils for the year the marriage license was asked to dis-Amount to be assessed, less \$92.00 received

The Trustces reported that the condi-

The Report stated the entire debt of and did not, like Mr. P, wish to take the District had been wiped out. Mr. charge of their own and others' affairs also, Joseph Hays was elected in place of Mr some one at the door cutside to prevent his carefully prepared observations were Creaghan who declined a second term. received with merited silence and the re- Wm. A. Park Esq. having declined the gular business was proceeded with.

The Trustees report and the report of the Auditor, W. B. Howard, Esq. certifying the correctness of the accounts, were year. In reference to the action of the received and adopted and \$1,200-the Board of Education in the matter of the amount asked for the current year-was High School Grant, it was moved by S.

Wheras great injustice will be done to the educational interests of the District by the withdrawal of the Superior School Govt. Grut.

Resolved, That the Trustees be request-

ed to memorialize the Govt. to continue ed to memorialize the Govt. to continue such grant to this District for the support of the High School.

It was moved by Mr. C. S. Ramsay, seconded by Mr. John Cassidy, and carried, that the Trustees of this District be empowered to make the salary of the Principal \$800, inclusive of the Provincial Grant to be received from the Govt.

After the usual votes of thanks the After the usual votes of thanks the

meeting adjourned. GLENELG-DISTRICT NO. 5. Mr. Reuben A. Sweezey was chosen chairman. The Auditor not being present year were continued and \$45 was voted as the assessment for the current year. Ferguson, Wm. Anderson. Mr. Benjamin Sweezey is Secretary of this District.

DISTRICT NO. 8 UPPER NELSON. A correspondent writing from this District says: "Everything passed off pleasantly. Our retiring officers were re-We voted \$100 for general trade. Carmichael Bros. school purposes, and adjourned in good

DISTRICT NO 2 RENOUS RIVER. The Annual School Meeting in District No. 2, Renous River, was held in accordance with the requirements of the law. the first page of this paper and observe Palmer and seconded by John Rice that whether it is paid for in advance as it. Alexander Loggie, jur., be re-elected. were examined and found in a very satis
A New Zealand, on the thirteenh day of Oct.

1889, Mr. Isaac McLeod aged 75. them, it had not been caused by loss of interesting the Society. He saw no continue the date to go by without paying. The Chairman decided in favor of Mr. \$59 in favour of District. The amount Cornelious O'itegan, aged 72 years. May she rest officers elected were Mr. Patrick Hogan, Esq., River des Caches, on the 7th inst., An Robicheaux, relict of the late Louis Robic

> Wm. Hartt, Esq., occupied the chair of the meeting in District No. 1 Derby and Mr. Jas. N. Wathen was Secretary. The Trustees' and Auditor's reports being satisfactory, were adopted. \$275-twenty-five of which was for the erection of a wood shed-was the assessment voted. Mr. Thos. Parker was elected in place of Mr. John Betts, retiring Trustee and Mr. Betts was elected Auditor.

DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTHESK. At meeting in District No. 2, Northesk the meeting was called to order by Mr. John Hosford, Trustee. Mr. John Shaddock was chosen Chairman, Mr. Hosford Sec'y. to Trustees, acted as Secretary. The Trustees and Auditor's Reports were read and passed. Mr. John Way was elected Trustee in place of Mr. John Hosford, whose term had expired. Mr. Joseph Copp was re-elected Auditor.

HARDWICKE DISTRICT NO. 2. Mr. John O'Neil Secretary called the neeting to order at ten o'clock a. m. Patrick Walsh was appointed Chairman. Mr. Patrick Walsh being the retiring Trustee, it was proposed by Mr. John Mandwell seconded by Mr John Walsh, that he be continued which was unanimously carried. Mr. Thomas Sargent was elected Auditor. The minutes of last meeting were read; the accounts of 1879 were satisfactory. The sum of \$30 was voted for School purposes for the present

BATHURST TOWN DISTRICT. At the meeting in the Town District, nothing worthy of note transpired beyond the ordinary routine business. John 260.00 321 50 Sivewright Esq., was the retiring Trustee. On motion of Wm. Mann seconded by John Kerr Mr. Sievewrght was reelected by acclamation. \$650 was ordered to be assessed on the District for the coming year.

ST. PETER'S VILLAGE. In St. Peter's Village District, Hon. John Ferguson was appointed Chairman. Samuel Melancon was the retiring Trustee and F. J. McManus, Esq., M. P. P. tee and F. J. McManus, Esq., M. P. P. was elected in his stead. \$480 was ordered to be assessed for the next year, being \$312 less than last year. John E. Baldwin, Esq., was appointed Auditor. Dr. Rand's favorite idea of centralization and the enlargement of the District were ventilated by Mr. McManus, but the subject meeting with no favour assumed no positive form.

Kent County Notes.

NEW YEAR'S:-The proprietor of the Exchange Hotel," Richibucto, received a substantial New Year's gift as will appear which w by reference to another column. FOR THE WIST:--Mr. Robert N. Doherty, farmer and mill owner of St. Nicholas River, will leave this week for San Francisco, California. KINGSTON, KENT Co. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY Officers for 1880:

Wm. H. McArthur, President; H. P. Warman, Herbert Irving, Vice John Brait, Sec'y- 1 reasurer ;

John Brait, Sec'y-Treasurer;
A. Girvin, E. Hutchinson, Wm. J.
Brait, Audit Committee;
Robert McClelland, A. McNairn, David
Main, J'B. Wright, W. Brown, T. Steven
son, R. J. Atkinson, Henry Forddred;
Jas. Murray, Clement Richard, Alexander
Murray, W. Smith, Directors. KENT COUNTY DRIVING PARK :- The following are the Officers for the ensuing Alexander Girvan, President.

W. H. McArthur, John Taylor, Geo. ardine, Isaac W. Doherty, M. D., Direc-A. James Girvan, Sec'y-Treasurer. THE SMELT FISHING is being prosecuted

with vigor in Kent County. Mr. David McAlmon of Kingston has a contract to deliver five (5) tons weekly at Welford Station. Large quantities are daily forwarded to Chatham from the North West and Kouchibouguacis. MANY A SLIP :- He came from North umberland County and having visited theshire town of Kent and procured the necessary document, the fee being \$5,50.

John Taylor, S. W.
James Murray, J. W.
Thos. Wetmore Bliss, Secy.
James M'Dougal, Trea.
Allan Haines, S. D. Allan Haines, S. D. Thomas Curran, J. D. John Richard Peters, S. S. Albert Yates Clarke, J. S. Charles Lee Barnes, I. G. Rev. Isaac Newton Parker, Chap.

William Brown, Dir. of Cer. William Henry M'Arthur, I. P. M The year 1879 has been a successful on for Lodge St. Andrews. Quite a number have joined the Lodge and some very in portant business has been transacted which will tend much to its better work

Miramichi Highland Society. At the general annual meeting of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at

Miramichi, held at Newcastle on Tuesday, the following were elected office-bearers for the easuing year :-President--Hon. R. Hutchison. Vice-Presidents-Alex. Morrison, R. I

Call. Hon, P. Mitchell, Chaplain-Rev. J. A. F. M'Bain. Treasurer-D. Ferguson. Bard-Rev. John Robertson. Secretary-A. D. Shirreff. Asst. Secretary-William Watt. Piper-John Niven.

DIRECTORS. Wm. Murray, R. Marshall, John Sadler, W. A. Park, Jas. Johnston, Rev. Dr. Jardine, E. Hutchison, Allan Ritchie, Jas. Brown, R. B. Haddow, J. Mitchell, Wm. Muirhead, jr., John Shirreff, D. the meeting listened to reading of the Morrison, Alex. Stewart, John C. Miller, accounts by the chairman and all being J. D. M'Kay, Capt. J. J. Brown, H. found fatisfactory, the Trustees of last Marquis, J. W. Davidson, J. C. E. Carmicheal, Hon, W. Muirhead, Hon, J. SCHOOL DIRECTORS

> D. Ferguson, H. Muirhead, William On is advancing, but we will guarantee to sell it to you cheaper than any in the

DIED. At Marinette, Oconto Co., Wisconsin, of apoplexy, superinduced by valvular disease of the plexy, superinduced by valvular disease of heart, on the 14th December last, in the 37th of her age, Margaret, the beloved wife of James Murphy, and daughter of Mr. Robert of Bartibogne, Northumberland Co., N. Be-cessed lived for several years at Eathurst, 2

LYLKE KILLID. On the 13th inst., at the pro-Cathédial, by the Rev. Thomas Bannon, James Keonghan, Janet, se-cond daughter of James Harris, all of Chatham. BIRTH

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