### Business Notice.

The ADVANCE office is open for business from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. every week-day.

It is not open for delivery of papers in the evening. Town and local country subscribers will, therefore, please call for their papers at the delivery window before 6 p. m.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The insertion of advertisements can only be insured each week by their reaching the office before 6 p. m. on Tuesdays.

## Miramichi and the North Shore.

WANTED.—A boy to learn the jewelry business. Apply to Myer Moss, Chatham.

THE ROYAL ARCANUM meets to-morrow evening at 9 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

THE KENT NORTHERN.—On Tuesday of last week track-laying on the Kent Northern Railway was completed to Richibucto.

BIBLE SOCIETY.—Do not forget the sixty-third annual meeting of the Miramichi Ladies Auxiliary Bible Society in Chatham Temperance Hall this afternoon.

OBITUARY.—The Richibucto correspondent of the *Globe* writes that Mr. James Hannay, at one time a prominent merchant and hotel keeper, died at his residence, Kingston, on Sunday morning. He had been ailing for some years.

THE SQUARE.—We are requested to state that a picnic and excursion in aid of Chatham Public Square fund, will take place next Thursday to Bay du Vin. All who can do so should join in the trip which will be the last of the season for this purpose.

A ST. JOHN MAN IN DANGER.—Mr. Alonzo Allan, formerly of the tug *Relief*, was engineer of the str. "Muriel," which was towed into St. Thomas on the 25th ult., with her propellor broken. She was on the passage from New York to Antigua, and encountered a hurricane.

MILL ACCIDENT.—On Monday last as Mr. David Carruthers was adjusting a side-gauge to the large circular saw in Mr. Peter Loggie's mill, the wrench with which he was working slipped, and the back of his right hand, coming in contact with the side or "swedge" of the saw-teeth, was very severely lacerated. He will be disabled for a short time by the accident.

SERIOUS FALL.—One day last week a girl while drawing water from a well on the property owned by the Rev. Mr. Murray, on the highway, pitched in head foremost and went down into the water at the bottom. The well is forty-five feet deep, and is rigged with a windlass and rope. Her cries brought help and she was got out, considerably shaken but not seriously hurt.—*Advocate.*

ATTEMPTED SHOP-BREAKING.—On Saturday or Sunday night last an attempt was made to enter Messrs. Patterson & Loggie's store by way of the cellar. An entrance to the cellar was effected by the parties crawling under the building from the east side, but when the lifting of the trap-door leading up into the shop was attempted it failed because of a number of shoe cases being piled upon the hatch. The would-be thief had, therefore, to depart without "booty".

THE "WORLD" is out again calling hard names. The following from *Harper* for November seems to be appropriate in this connection.—

In estimating men whose names only are familiar it is necessary to know who it is that extols them and who sneers at them. It is this knowledge which makes honest public men absolutely impervious to the shafts of the most venemous ridicule, and unmindful of the heaviest missiles of abuse. The contempt of such men baffles the sneers of blackguardism as the sun extinguishes the feeble flicker of a match. Indeed, there is nothing more ludicrous than the constant and elaborate vituperation which is sometimes poured by a newspaper or a politician upon an opponent who is as absolutely unconscious of the incessant assault as a picture is heedless of the buzzing of a fly. Or out of sheer humanity toward suffering, such a man may so far reward the arduous struggle of the harmless traducer as to exclaim, good-naturedly, "Shoo, fly, don't bother me!"

### Serious Fire.

On Thursday last a fire, which, at one time, threatened to destroy a large number of buildings, broke out on Pleasant St., between Hill and Benson Sts. It was first discovered by Mr. Nicholas Cunningham in his barn and was burning near the stall in which his horse was standing, Mr. C. being, at the time, engaged in making a boxing for his waggon. He threw a bucket of water on it and ran for two more, but on returning found the flames beyond his control and his horse in danger of being burned. He cut the animal loose and by that time the alarm had been given. In a very short time Cunningham's barn was a mass of fire and before the town engine reached the scene the house was also in flames, as well as the two buildings adjoining, one of which was also owned by Mr. Cunningham and the other by the widow of the late John Stapleton. Meantime, a line of hose was run from the hydrant connected with the powerful steam pump of the Snowball mill and water was played on the buildings to leeward of the burning block, which were already smoking and would soon have been on fire. By the time the town engine had sufficient steam on to work with, the two Cunningham houses and that of Mrs. Stapleton were past saving and all efforts were directed towards preventing the spread of the fire. Fortunately, the wind, which was high when the fire broke out, moderated, but some houses on the opposite side of the street ignited and soon blazed up. At this juncture a lot of men, in dragging at the nozzle end of the town hose, instead of lifting along its whole length, parted it and a new joint was put in and water again being thrown when the reservoir from which the engine was pumping was exhausted. There was another delay in making a shift to the Muirhead mill slip, during which the rear portions of the houses on the south side of the street were burning. Men worked hard with buckets and water was hauled in casks to supplement the work of the town engine, while the Star hall engine was doing well-directed and effective work in not only preventing the fire's progress eastward, but assisting the town Department in extinguishing the flames across the street.

About five o'clock all danger was practically over, and by six o'clock nothing was left to be done but extinguish the smouldering ruins. The damage done was found to be as follows,—

Two houses and a barn owned by Nicholas Cunningham, totally destroyed; one of the houses was insured for $600 and the other for $400.

One house belonging to Mrs. Stapleton, totally destroyed, uninsured.

One house belonging to Mr. Colin Grant of Antigonish, N. S., rendered useless, insured for $500, valued at $700.

One house owned by the Foley estate, damaged slightly.

One house owned by Mr. Augustus Fleigher, slightly damaged.

One house owned by Mr. R. Stapleton, badly damaged. A barn owned by the widow of the late George Letson, partially destroyed.

The loss and damage of household effects was great. The houses burned and those in danger were quickly cleared of their furniture, which was badly broken. It is also said by several of the owners that a good deal was stolen.

The insurance is in the Ætna and Hartford Companies represented by Mr. Gillespie.

The principal losers of household effects are Mr. Cunningham, who saved nothing; Widow Stapleton, who lost nearly everything in her house; Miss Sarah Stapleton her daughter, who lost clothing, jewelry and a sum of money—said to be over $100; the Foley family, whose loss of furniture was considerable, Mr. Richard Stapleton; Mr. Murray and Mrs. Young, tenants of Mr. Stapleton; Harry Brobecker and Walter Coughlan tenants of the Grant house—Brobecker, losing $20 in money besides his furniture. It was also said that Coughlan lost some money.

### It was Loaded.

On Sunday last five lads, named Allan Cameron, Harry Steeves, James Walls, Jas. Skields and Albert Smith, instead of going to Sunday School or engaging in some such occupation proper for the day, took a walk towards the back of the town. Three of them—Cameron, Steeves and Walls,—had a revolver each, and some cartridges to match, and when they were near the residence of Dr. Pallen the weapons was several times discharged. They stopped under the shade of Dr. Pallen's fence to re-load Cameron's pistol and one cartidge had to be forced into place. While this was being done, or immediately after, there was an accidental discharge from Cameron's revolver when its muzzle was not more than a foot from Steeves' body. The ball struck Steeves' breast and he remarked, "I guess that went into me," and examination proved that he was correct. The lad then went with Cameron and Walls to Dr. Baxter's office, where, after careful probing, the ball could not be found. Steeves went to the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. Mersereau, where he lay, not suffering to any great extent, all day Monday, when it was reported towards evening that fever had set in, the ball, as was supposed, being lodged somewhere near the shoulder, or under the arm. Since that time he has been restless and suffering some pain, but Dr. Baxter's opinion is that the wound is not a very serious one.

### A Fatal Blow.

Last Saturday night about eleven o'clock, John Hubbard, a young man living near Redbank, Southesk Parish, called at the house of Wm. Mullin of the same locality, for the purpose of obtaining liquor. He had procured liquor from Mullin early the same evening and meeting Mr. Alex. Johnston on the road after ten o'clock, invited him to go to Mullin's to get a drink. Johnston waited on the road while Hubbard went to Mullin's window and roused him up. Mullin, however, refused to let Hubbard have a drink and the latter, as he went away, carried Mullin's dog out to the road and managed to get it fighting with Johnston's dog. Mullin, who was irritated, at being awakened to give liquor to Hubbard, left the house to look after his dog and struck at Hubbard when he reached the road, missing him, however. As he left to return to his house, Hubbard followed him with a large stone in each hand, which, however, he dropped at the request and remonstrance of Mr. Johnston. Hubbard then went to a point near Mullin's house and called him hard and insulting names, challenging him to fight, etc. Mullin, thereupon, rushed at Hubbard with a stick about four feet long and two inches thick and dealt him a blow across the head which felled him to the ground. Before he was taken away the injured man made intelligible answers to enquiries and walked a short distance unaided, but he lingered at a neighboring house in an almost insensible condition until Sunday afternoon when he died.

An inquest was held on Monday, by Coroner A. C. Smith, M. D., of Newcastle. It lasted from 7 a. m. until 2 p. m. In addition to testimony respecting the circumstances above stated, Drs. Fish and McLearn of Newcastle, who made a post-mortem examination of the body, testified that there was a complete fracture of both sides of the skull, several large arteries in the brain were torn across and much blood was effused into the brain.

In his charge to the Jury the Coroner asked them to consider whether such terrible results as were evidenced by the careful and skilful examination made by Drs. Fish and McLearn, might not have been caused by an intention to kill.

The Jury, which was composed of John McLean, foreman, Elijah Tozer, Wm. Matchet, Wm. P. Blackmore, Wm. Tozer and Wm. H. McDonald found that deceased came to his death as set forth above and, further, that William Mullin was guilty of manslaughter.

The Coroner at once issued his warrant for Mullin's arrest and the Deputy Sheriff and assistants started in pursuit of him. On Tuesday afternoon, however, Mullin, who had disappeared as soon as Hubbard died, went of his own accord to the jail at Newcastle and gave himself up. He is now a prisoner there.

### A Porcupine Fallacy.

A "visitor" writes asking, how far the porcupine can "shoot its quills." Of course, he refers to the Canada porcupine, or Urson. "Visitor" need have no fear of being impaled by the quills. If he will not interfere with the porcupine it will imitate his example, but, in any case, the innocent animal has no power to shoot its quills any more than snakes have power to jump. Axioms of natural history are that a snake cannot jump or a porcupine shoot its quills. A self-possessed man provided with an ordinary stick has nothing to fear from the largest snake in North America, while a porcupine can, at any time, be killed by a kick or two provided the foot is protected by a boot of ordinary leather. The quills of the porcupine are discharged from the animal's body only when they are in actual contact, with an opposing object and their power of penetration, at the time of discharge, is comparatively light. It is sufficient to pierce the skin of a man's hand, but not much more. If, however, left sticking in any animate object they gradually—and quite quickly—work into it. A popular mistake is to suppose that there is a certain amount of "life" in porcupine quills. There is a very fine barb-armor on their points which causes them to penetrate further and further with every movement of the substance to which they are attached, provided it is softer than the quills. If stuck in a stationary quarter of beef, however, even and fresh-discharged porcupine quill would of itself penetrate no further than it was at the time of first contact.

### That Address.

*Editor Advance,*—

DEAR SIR,—As an humble admirer of the Hon. Judge Fraser I wish to thank you for your timely remarks concerning the recent address of the Grand Jury. It is to be regretted that some heads of families are permitting their children, of both sexes, to grow up devoid of that respect which is due to age and position. We look in vain for the respectful bearing toward superiors which was so carefully inculcated by our forefathers. The insolent address recently presented to Judge Fraser is evidently an outcome of the lack of courtesy so prevalent in our community. I am pleased to see the ADVANCE, together with the respectable portion of our County, condemning such vulgar impertinence.

Yours truly,

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 15th, 1883.

MR. EDITOR,—In behalf of myself and others who have incurred a certain responsibility in connection with the Grand Jury's address on the opening of the Court at Newcastle, on 11th inst., I think it right to explain that the matter was pretty well taken out of our hands by the Foreman. In the first place, there seemed to be an understanding that he was to be foreman, for the Sheriff nominated him for the position. That was an unusual thing, I think, and none of us seemed to realize that it was so, until afterwards. Then, it was said, that Mr. Stewart had the address prepared a day or two before hand, and when it was laid before us by him he gave us to understand that he had shown it to the Judge, who approved of it, and that any alteration could not be made after that. I felt at the time, that the address was very strangely worded, and a number of other jurymen did not approve of it, but let it pass under the circumstances. We are now sorry we did so. The whole trouble arose out of our taking it for granted that our foreman was capable of getting up such a document. We now know he was not, and, of course, our carelessness in the matter makes us responsible for the result of his incapacity and wretched taste.

A MEMBER OF THE GRAND JURY

Chatham, Sept. 15th.

The *Telegraph* quotes the address as "an insult to the Bench" and says it needs no comment. "It is with regret," says the *Telegraph*, "that we see the name of a journalist appended to it."

The *Freeman* of 15th inst. says,—"Judge Fraser paid his first official visit to Northumberland this week, and the Grand Jury presented him with an address which is a curiosity in its way."

In connection with the above subject the *World*, says the expression, "Member of the Crown" was a misprint. It was, however, not a misprint. It was written "member" and not "minister," as the *World* would now have its readers believe. The fact is the whole affair, emanating, as it did, from a Grand Jury of the County of Northumberland is a matter of reproach to it. The members of the Grand Jury no doubt, allowed the wretched piece of composition, laden with false and silly sentiments, to pass, through carelessness, but they will hardly thank the *World* for attempting to defend it, because they offer no defence, themselves. They were imposed upon and like most of us when we are "sold" feel that the less said on the subject the better. Respecting the foreman's intimation to his fellow grand jurymen that His Honor had approved of the Address, it may be assumed that such was not the case. The only purpose for which it could have been shown to him beforehand would be to acquaint him with its points so that he might be in a position to reply to them. His reply clearly showed that he entirely disapproved of some portions of the address. We understand that the foreman thought the production such a wonderful one that he showed it to several of his friends outside of the Grand Jury, but because these did not criticise its silliness it does not follow that they approved of it. Northumberland grand juries will, no doubt, be on the alert, hereafter, for ready-made addresses.

### Nelson Notes.

*To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.*

DEAR SIR,—Allow me, through the columns of your valuable paper, to say a few words regarding Nelson school and its surroundings and its Trustees. Some one styling himself "One Interested," complained last spring of the school house and surroundings. Since then the reason for complaint has been removed. During the past summer vacation the school house has not only been repaired, so that it is as good as new, but it has been greatly enlarged and the building placed in such a position as to show off to the best advantage.

The building is now large enough to seat comfortably one hundred and twenty or twenty-five pupils. When the new furniture arrives, which will be in a short time, the school house of Nelson will not look like a "dilapidated old warehouse," but compare very favourably with any of the school houses on the Miramichi.

Mr. Thomas Doolan, the contractor, has fulfilled the contract to the letter and, moreover, has rushed the job along in such a way that it reflects credit on himself and those helping him. While mentioning Mr. Doolan's name I must not be unmindful of Messrs. O'Brien and Burchill, especially of the latter, who manifested such an interest in it that whenever opportunity permitted he came to the school to see how the work was progressing. I think the ratepayers and teacher are fortunate in having such an efficient man for a Trustee. I understand that Mr. B. will, out of his own private purse, defray the expense of putting furniture in the new part of the building. Here let me say that I believe if the Trustees secure the services of a good teacher for an assistant and keep the present teacher, Mr. Gosline, Nelson will make rapid strides in school matters.

Early this summer the members of the R. C. Church of this place built a new and substantial fence around their burial ground, and not long since some of them met and cleared it of rubbish and bushes. These things show a respect for the dead that is not everywhere manifested. It also improved the looks of the place very much.

Through the generosity of some of the monied men of this place the inhabitants of Nelson will have the benefit of the side walk now being built, and when completed it will extend from Flett's Mill to Chatham Head. The professional and business men of the place, as well as the labourers will, as they travel to and from their daily work through the mud of spring and fall, feel deeply grateful to the promoters and builders of the sidewalk.

I remain yours truly

X. L. C. R.

Nelson, Sept 15th, 1883.

### The Supt. of Education to go.

The relinquishment of the theological faculty in connection with the Acadia College is to be speedily followed by another "departure" on the part of the governors of that institution. We understand on good authority that the board of governors of Acadia College have decided to establish at once in that institution a chair of education or didactics—similar in character to the chairs of education in the Scotch universities of Edinburgh and St. Andrews.* The salary of the professor is to be $2,000 per annum. We also learn that the chair is to be tendered to Dr. Theodore H. Rand, at present Superintendent of Education in New Brunswick, and that it is probable he will accept the position, and enter forthwith upon his new sphere of labor.

The importance of these two steps, not only to the college but to the whole maritime provinces, we believe, will be very marked. The new chair, while the first of its kind in Canada, has been recognized by educationists in Europe and the United States as eminently necessary and useful. It may be remembered that some three months ago a discussion on the subject of a university chair of Education took place in this city before the alumni of the Normal School and others interested in education. The meeting unanimously approved of education being regarded as a university subject, and a hope was expressed that some of our colleges would take the matter up.—Halifax *Herald.*

We understand that Dr. Rand has resigned the Superintendency of Education in New Brunswick and has accepted the above position.

### A $20.00 Biblical Reward.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for October, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 in gold to the person telling us how many letters there are in the shortest chapter in the New Testament Scriptures, by Oct. 10th, 1883. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner Oct. 15, 1883. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver, or postal note (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the Nov. *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Address, RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

THE TRADES PROCESSIONS.—We have received several enquiries as to whether trades outside of St. John can take part in the trade procession. There is not the least doubt, whatever, that the various craftsmen here will cordially welcome to their ranks fellow craftsmen from all parts; nor is there any doubt that a hearty reception will be given by the Executive Committee to any organized body in St. John or out of it, who may desire to make a representation. Letters on the subject should be addressed to John H. Parks, Chairman, or L. P. Crear, Secretary, of the Executive Committee.—*Globe.*

EDUCATIONAL.—If the statement is correct that Mr. Rand is to retire from the Board of Education in New Brunswick, the Government should at once take steps to remodel the Board. The head of a department which controls such a large expenditure of public money should be upon the floor of the House, where he can be made accountable to the people for his acts. This could be effected without increasing the number of heads, by uniting the offices of Surveyor General and Chief Commissioner of Public Works, by abolishing the office of Solicitor General and by sweeping away the "forecastle" members. Indeed, all these changes might not be necessary, but the Government will find that it could not do a wiser thing than to take firm hold of this Educational matter.—*Globe.*

ST. ANDREW'S CURLING CLUB.—A very large representation of the membership of the St. Andrews Curling Club was in attendance at the last annual meeting of the club, to re-organize for the approaching season. Owing to the increase in members it was decided to have twelve skips, instead of eight, which has been the rule in the past. Mr Thos. Rouet, of London, was chosen as honorary member. The election of officers and skips resulted as below:—

Simeon Jones, president;
Geo. Stewart, vice-president;
Frank O. Allison, secretary-treasurer;
Thos. Rouet, London, and Luke Stewart, representative members.

John White, A. O. Skinner, John S. Cumming, S. S. deForest, Jos. Edgar, Alex. Watson, A. L. Law, J. M. Johnson, Luke Stewart, Simeon Jones, J. B. Hegan and W. H. Purdy, skips.—*Telegraph.*

A SUCCESSOR FOR THE "BYSTANDER."—The Fredericton correspondent of the *Telegraph*, writing on 13th says,—Mr. Chas. G. D. Roberts, M. A., will remove his family to Toronto next week, where he will take the editorial chair of a literary, political and critical journal, which will likely succeed the *Bystander*, as it is presumed that the latter will be discontinued after the October number. The proprietors of the new journal will be Prof. Goldwin Smith and C. Blackett Robinson, of Toronto. It will be a weekly journal and will be issued in November; will be independent in politics and will be called *The Canadian Journal.* The appointment of Mr. Roberts as editor-in-Chief will be universally approved by those who are familiar with his scholarly attainments, and Fredericton, while feeling the honor done to another of her sons by the promotion, will greatly regret his departure.

### Newspaper Annual.

Messrs. N. W. Ayer & Son, of Philadelphia, have sent us their American Newspaper Annual for 1883, which is quite up to, if not above, the average. In such a work, treating of a business in which there are changes constantly going on, absolute correctness is an impossibility, but Messrs. Ayer have succeeded in producing their Annual as free from errors as it is possible for it to be. Of course, they are not responsible for the over-statements of circulation claimed by the younger and more ephemeral papers and they give them only for what they are worth, without their endorsement—a course that is honest and calculated to protect newspaper advertisers.

The Annual contains a list of all the newspapers and periodicals published in the United States and Canada, so grouped together as to be easily referred to. This list gives particulars of each publication such as its title, politics or general characteristics, date of establishment, size, circulation and advertising rates for ten lines one month. There is a statement of population of the U. S. and Canada; also of each State and Province and County, of the chief towns and cities—the figures for Canada being from the census of 1881. There is a descriptive introduction to each Province and County, in which valuable information is given in reference to natural resources, industries, etc. In fact the Annual contains much more information than we have space or time to refer to and is one of the most useful works published, not only to the newspaper fraternity but to all interested in general business. It is sent by mail to any address, carriage paid at $3 per copy.

BANK FAILURE.—A Montreal despatch of Monday last says,—"The Directors of the Exchange Bank resolved, on Saturday evening, to suspend payment this morning and put the bank into liquidation until the temporary pressure is over. The liabilities are two millions of deposits, and four hundred and thirty thousand dollars in circulation. The last statements showed a surplus over all liabilities, including half million capital, of four hundred thousand dollars. The cause of suspension is over discounting, and a large amount locked up by inactive assets taken over from creditors. The directors say the circulation will be met promptly. There is fear of commercial trouble ensuing, as the Bank was said to be carrying some weak firms. The Directors are wealthy men and four out of the five hold nearly three fourths of the stock. Their names are Thos. Craig, President; A. W. Ogilvice, Vice do.; Alex. Buntin, E. K. Greene and Henry Bulmer. This is the second failure of the institution."

The circumstances attending the death of Mrs. Gregg, of Grand Bay, who, with two of her children, was buried yesterday, are peculiarly distressing. While Mr. Gregg was absent in the city for a physician for his wife, a little daughter who was playing about the door was suddenly seized with convulsions. A neighbor immediately started with a horse and carriage to hurry the physician, but the horse took fright, ran away, destroying the carriage and severely injuring the driver. When the physician arrived, both Mrs. Gregg and her daughter were dead, and a few hours later they were followed by the infant child.—*Telegraph.*

SAYS DRYDEN:—

"She knows her man, and when you rant and swear,
Can draw you to her with a single hair."

But it must be beautiful hair to have such power; and beautiful hair can be ensured by the use of **Cingalese Hair Renewer**. Sold at 50 cts. by J. D. B. F. Mackenzie.

## BIRTH.

At Peterboro, Ont., on 11th inst., the wife of Mr. D. B. Gardner, of a son.

### SHIPPING LIST.

#### Port of Chatham.

ARRIVED.

14.—Bk. Georgie, West, Greenock, bal., Guy Bevan & Co.
17.—Ship Peter Young, O'Brien, Liverpool, bal., Guy Bevan & Co.
Bktn. Night Watch, Carter, Bahia, bal., Guy Bevan & Co.
Bktn. Kate Carnie, Arnisen, Penarth, bal., J. B. Snowball.
S. S. Mayo, Hughes, Liverpool, bal., J. B. Snowball.
18.—Bk. Batvid, Hendricksen, Limerick, bal., A. Morrison.
Bk. Insula Capri, Danielsen, Algiers, bal., J. B. Snowball.
19.—Bk. Ailsa, MacFarlane, Droheda, limestone, J. B. Snowball.

CLEARED.

Sept. 13.—Bk. Lammergier, Whiteside, Belfast, deals, Guy Bevan & Co.
14.—Bk. Rentigern, Wadman, Mersey, deals, J. B. Snowball.
15.—Brig Starkodder, Paulsen, Garston Dock, lumber, Guy Bevan & Co.
Ship Nettle Murphy, Doty, Liverpool, deals, Guy Bevan & Co.
18.—Bk. Forest Queen, McConnell, Belfast Lough, deals, Guy Bevan & Co.

#### Port of Newcastle.

ARRIVED.

Sept. 12.—Bk. Wm. Gordon, 731, Crosby, Barrow, bal., G. McLeod.
17.—Bk. Carla, 502, Tonnesen, Cardiff, bal., G. McLeod.
Bk. St. Julien, 1049, Fritz, Barcelona, bal., R. A. & J. Stewart.
Bk. Crown Jewel, 716, Grafton, Barcelona, bal., R. A. & J. Stewart.
18.—Bk. Arlington, 618, Tergesen, Belfast, bal., R. A. & J. Stewart.
Bk. Sigrid, 615, Amundsen, Hamburg, G. McLeod.

CLEARED.

13.—Bk. Libertas, Visin, Cette, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
17.—Bk. Amsterdam, Olsen, Sharpness, deals, Geo. McLeod.
Schr. Althea, Melanson, Boston, Grindstones, Goodfellow & Co.
18.—Bk. Mippa, Bonde, Dublin, deals, Geo. McLeod.
Bk. Joannes, Mathenodes, Marseilles, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.

## Notice of Meeting.

The Sixty-Third Annual Meeting of the

**Miramichi Ladies' Auxiliary Bible Society**

will be held in the Temperance Hall, Chatham on

THURSDAY THE 20th INST.,

at 2 o'clock, p. m.


## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

$40,000 IN PRESENTS GIVEN AWAY!

This Offer Good Till Thanksgiving Day Only.

The proprietors of the FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE, being desirous of having their already well-known paper still more widely known, have determined to throw out all profit this year, and in addition use a portion of the money received for subscriptions to pay the following list of Presents to be given away at our THANKSGIVING FESTIVAL. To the holder of one of the following Presents to be given away at our THANKSGIVING FESTIVAL.

Read These Testimonials.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21, 1883.
We have FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE for the past year, and find it a good paper for the money. Our subscription has expired, and we have NEWS. Send us Prospectus and Sample copy, and we will see what we can do for you in getting up a club. Yours truly, JONES BROS. & CO.

CHICAGO PAPER CO.
The Proprietors of the FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE have paid us several thousand dollars for printing their paper. We have always found them prompt in all our dealings with them. CHAS. L. MAYO, Pres.

August 15, 1883.
I am highly pleased with your paper. The information it contains is worth five times the price of the paper. I shall do all in my power to get up a club. Yours truly, W. H. MORGAN, Pres. Morgan Co., Ala.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 11, 1883.
I am READ WOOD, Ill., Aug. 11, 1883.
Every number seems to me to become more valuable than the last. I have taken it home to several of my friends, who, like myself, are delighted with it. Yours truly, MRS. J. H. BILLE.

WAUKEON, O., July 24, 1883.
A friend in Ohio, to whom I showed your paper, says that I was well pleased with it, and it seems to me that it is just the paper for farmers, of which class I am one. With facts and figures, it is natural, every farmer can see for himself. E. W. HOYT.

MEXICO, Juniata Co., Pa., July 24, 1883.
I hereby send you the money for FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE, which I secured in two hours. Success to the FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE. E. P. HOFFER.

SOUTH UNION, Ky., July 18, 1883.
It is certainly the best paper I receive, as it contains much valuable, instructive and interesting matter. E. P. MOTLEY.

ELDERTON, ONT., Aug. 5, 1883.
I have taken your paper for a year, and find it just what it purports to be, a family paper, and I feel pleased with it. Yours truly, ROBERT MCCLELLAND.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., July 9, 1883.
I have taken your paper for a year, and am highly pleased with it. Yours truly, TIMOTHY MOSELEY.

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Chatham, June 22nd, 1883.

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