EVERY BOTTLE OF KENDRICK'S Liniment is the same, you can depend upon the quality at all times, at all times the best.

1000 GEESE were shipped by Mr. R. C McLeod of Summerside to the Boston market on Thursday last.

AS WELL TRY TO KEEP HOUSE successfully without bread as without a supply of Kendrick's Liniment—the King of all Liniments.

AT S. MARY'S:—Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, M. A., of Bay du Vin, conducted morning service in S. Mary's, Chatham, last Sunday in the Rector's absence.

EXCHANGE OF PULPITS:—Rev. D. Henderson, of St. Andrew's Church and Rev. D. Fraser, of Kingston, exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

CRAMPS, CHOLERA, DIARRHŒA and all Summer Complaints in Children and Adults readily cured by Fuller's Blackberry Cordial. Always reliable. At all dealers at 25 cents.

SOLOIST:—Mr. H. C. Wilson was the soloist in St. Andrew's Church last Sunday evening, and he interpreted "Rock of Ages" with rare purity and expression in the presence of a very large congregation.

BOARD OF TRADE:—The President and members of the Halifax Board of Trade have extended to members of the Chatham Board the privileges of the Board rooms during the Exhibition week in the Nova Scotia capital.

FULLER'S BLACKBERRY CORDIAL is a remedy for all Summer Complaints in Adults and Children—in use over twenty-five years and thoroughly reliable. At all dealers at 25 cents a bottle.

HYMENEAL.—Two of the members of the Presbytery of Miramichi were married this week, viz:—Rev. A. F. Robb, of Doaktown, and Rev. H. R. Reid, of Bathurst—the former at Westville, N. S., and the latter at Pictou, N. S.

THE SCOTTISH PRIMA DONNA:—It is now definitely arranged that Miss Jessie N. MacLachlan, the great Scottish soprano, will sing in Chatham on Friday evening, 11th October. A full house greets Miss MacLachlan everywhere.

WHEN THIS PARAGRAPH CATCHES your eye you will see at once that it is an advertisement. But how else can we let you know what a capital thing Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is? Write and tell us. 25c. all Druggists.

NELSON MATHER WOUNDED:—An Ottawa despatch of Tuesday says "The militia department has received a cable from Chamberlain to inform A. Mather, of Newcastle, N. B., that his son, Nelson Mather, is reported wounded in the foot at Bushman Kop, Sept. 3rd.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH:—Anniversary services are to be conducted in St. Andrew's Church on the 29th Sept.—Sunday week. Rev. D. Henderson has secured the services of the Rev. Dr. Pollock, Principal of the Presbyterian College, Halifax, for the occasion.

HAS STOOD THE TEST for over twenty-five years with thoroughly satisfactory results. Fuller's Blackberry Cordial may be relied upon as a remedy for all Summer Complaints, in Children and Adults.

ROBINSON-HOBEN.—The home of Superintendent Thomas Hoben, Fredericton, of the Canada Eastern Railway, was the scene of an interesting event Wednesday afternoon, when his youngest daughter, Miss Francis M., was united in marriage to Rev. William R. Robinson, pastor of the Baptist church at Gibson. Rev. J. H. McDonald performed the ceremony.

A FIRE-BUG:—Damien Cormier and Oliver LeBlanc, under arrest for setting fire to E. J. L. LeBlanc's building at Buctouche on Sunday, Sept. 1st, were tried before Judge Wells under the speedy trials act on Friday last. Cormier pleaded guilty and was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. LeBlanc was tried and discharged. Hon. H. McKeown and R. A. Irving for the Crown and Geo. V. McInerney for the prisoners.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS:—Now is the time to place your orders for cemetery work and avoid the spring rush. We have now on hand and coming one of the largest stocks of marble and granite monuments, headstones and tablets ever shown on the north shore, all from the latest designs and worked from the best material the market can produce. Call and get our prices. They are right.

JOHN H. LAWLOR & Co.

SYNOD OF MARITIME PROVINCES:—The Maritime Synod of the Presbyterian Church, which met at St. Andrew's, Chatham, last autumn, is to meet in St. Andrew's, St. John, this year, and we observe that the Presbyterians of that city are busy providing accommodation for the same. Chatham's complete arrangements were most favorably commented upon by the press—secular and religious—last year, and St. John will no doubt, more than uphold the good name of our fair province for hospitality this year.

THE DEATH OF MR. WILLIAM HOOD took place at Indiantown yesterday morning, at the residence of Mr. Levi Garrah. He was head of the firm of Wm. Hood & Sons, who have been for some years engaged in quarrying grindstones, etc., at Indiantown. Friends who saw him in Newcastle a fortnight since say that he was then in apparently good health. He had a stroke of paralysis about a week ago and never recovered from it. Mr. Hood was about sixty years old and very much esteemed by all who knew him. His sons will take the body, for burial, to Montreal, where the family belong.

PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac G. Stevens of St. John are visiting Chatham and are the guests of the Misses Bowser.

Mr. D. Maclaren, of Liverpool, was in town last week.

Mr. Stanley Morrison is to be transferred to the St. John branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, and Mr. Roy Muirhead will take his place at the Chatham branch as teller.

Mr. Manuel Fernandez, formerly of Chatham, and of the ADVANCE printing office, but now living in Boston, is here on a visit.

Rev. D. Fraser is in town. He addressed the St. Andrew's Church prayer meeting last night.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

Resolution of Thanks.

At a meeting of the ladies of St. John's Church, held on Monday evening, Sept. 16th it was on motion, duly made and seconded, unanimously agreed,

"That the thanks of the ladies of St. John's Church be conveyed through the "ADVANCE" to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Smith for the use of their beautiful and commodious grounds for the recent garden party, and for their generous and hearty assistance in connection therewith; to Mr. George Hildebrand for the use of piano; to all other friends who contributed in any way to the success of the affair, and to the public for their liberal patronage.

It Will Give you an Appetite,

And a stomach to take care of it, a digestion that will fill your veins with rich blood; if weak, it will strengthen the heart; will make the liver discharge its proper functions. Ferrozone will do all this, and more too. Ferrozone will increase your nerve force, and capacity for mental labor, and will make work a real pleasure. Every man, woman and child can derive benefit from Ferrozone. Sold by C. P. Hickey.

To Our Readers.

The ADVANCE will be obliged to its numerous readers if they will enable us to make reference in our local columns to matters and events in which they are interested, or may think their friends may be. This they can do by giving the information in person at the office or writing to us about it. Many things proper to be noticed in the ADVANCE's columns do not appear therein, simply because our attention is not called to them by those who would like to see reference to them in the paper, but have omitted to do their part in making them known. Come, therefore, or write and tell us your local news.

Death of Conductor Olive.

I. C. R. Conductor A. E. Olive, who was stricken with paralysis while attending to his duties on the accommodation train between Jacquet River and Campbellton on Monday, 9th inst as stated in last week's ADVANCE, died on Friday morning at 2.15 at his residence Moncton, Conductor Olive's condition was regarded from the first as serious. He gradually sank and on Wednesday night lapsed into unconsciousness, remaining in that state until he died. The deceased was one of the best known and most popular conductors on the Intercolonial. He was a son of the late Isaac Olive, the well known ship builder of St. John, and leaves a large family connection, his brothers being William J., of Montreal, George M., Percy and Frank, of Boston, John, of Halifax, and Isaac, inspector of marine hulls, St. John. In Moncton deceased leaves a widow and eight children, the latter being Mrs. T. W. Stenhouse, David L., Chipman, Edna, Weldon, Sadie B., Avard H. and Allison H. Conductor Olive was 52 years of age and had been 29 years in the service of the Intercolonial, 27 years as conductor. He was a member of the Order of Railway Conductors.

Miramichi Yacht Club Race.

Thursday last was an unpromising day for yacht-racing, as it was almost a calm during the forenoon and little better later. Such wind as there was came from the S. W. and S. S. W., and although it was doubtful, at two o'clock, whether the ten-mile course could be sailed over within the prescribed time it was determined to send the boats away, as there had been so few races this season.

Mr. F M. Tweedie, Secretary of the Club, took his steam yacht, Wenonah, to Newcastle and placed her at the race committee's disposal for the afternoon and, Commodore Miller took the direction of the preliminaries.

The race was for a prize contributed by James Robinson, Esq., M. P. and was over the usual Newcastle course—about ten miles. The contestants were the Maude, sailed by Mr. James Miller; the Oriana by Mr. J. L. Stewart and the Avis by Mr. C. B. Wyse. The start was at 2.58 and the finish at 5.18.25, Oriana winning by 8 minutes, 15 sec. ahead of Maude and 29 minutes and 5 seconds ahead of Avis. The latter carried no topsail. It is an important sail in such light wind. Commodore Miller was starter and Mr. John Ferguson time keeper. Messrs. J. R. Lawlor, D. G. Smith and Fred Dyke were judges.

Victims of Catarrh. Prejudiced.

Tried Snuffs, they failed. Ointments and washes failed. Said there was no cure. Knew there wasn't because he had tried them all. This is how prejudice acts. There is however a balm in Gilead, a sovereign remedy for Catarrh, not dangerous because it acts quickly, not unpleasant because it is sure to cure. Its name is Catarrhozone. It destroys germs, it soothes, it heals. As certain as death to cure, as pleasant as sunshine to use. That's Catarrhozone. Your money back if it is not so. 25c. and $1.00. Sold by C. P. Hickey.

Millerton Notes.

Quite a number of Derby men went to Sussex on Monday last to the annual drill, looking very imposing in their military uniforms.

No less than four dwelling houses are now in the course of construction in Derby, all of which when completed will add much to the general neat appearance of the Derby residences.

Mr. Wm. Carruthers, jr., of Detroit, is in Millerton, after an absence of several years.

Mrs. Barney, a hearty supporter of W. C. T. U. work, and who is lecturing at different points, will deliver a lecture on Temperance Work in the Public Hall, Millerton, on Wednesday, 18th inst. Mrs. Barney is a speaker of world-wide reputation, and a large appreciative audience will certainly be in attendance. Silver collection at the close.

The provincial exhibition at Fredericton has many attractions for the residents of Millerton, as can be seen by the large numbers leaving daily for the provincial capital.

We are pleased to hear from those who left for Manitoba's harvest fields some time ago that they have been attended with good fortune. Those who went from Millerton and vicinity express their intention of remaining after the harvesting operations are completed.

Partridge, which in former years were so few in the up-river woods, are reported to be uncommonly plentiful this year, one observer having seen no less than two dozen within gunshot of each other.

Lumber Operations.

According to the *Fredericton Gleaner*, there are about 38,000,000 ft. of logs in the St. John and its tributaries above the booms, and appearances suggest that the much larger quantity will not be available for the mills this fall. There are now about 15,000 000 between Kingsclear and Kilburn's, or Andover. The balance is above the Grand Falls, and on the other corporation limit. It had been hoped that sufficient rain would have fallen before now to assist in bringing down much of this lumber, but it may be weeks before there is rain enough to give any important rise in the river of springs. The recent rain did not extend further up than Woodstock, or thereabout and therefore had no influence in the upper waters of the St. John. Arrangements are being made at the Sugar Island boom to winter the whole of the cut now held in the river in case the fall rains do not bring it down in time to have it rafted and towed to the mills before they close down.

The supply of logs at the Fredericton mills will not, it is estimated, hold out longer than the middle of October, unless some of the stranded lumber reaches the ponds there before that time.

On the S. W. Miramichi the lumbermen were more fortunate than those on the St. John. There were but 3,500,000 of last year's cut hung up; 2,000,000 of these belonged to Wm. Richards Co., Ltd., and 1,500,000 to Mr. T. Lynch.

A number of men have already gone to the woods for the season's operations, and from this on the number will be increased daily. The average wages paid will be about the same this year as last. It is estimated that the season's cut on the St. John and also on the Nashwaak and the Miramichi will be about the same as last year's, but the condition of the lumber market and the state of the weather will have an influence at a later date in deciding whether more or less will be cut. The output on the Southwest Miramichi will in all probability be not less than 40,000,000; and on the Northwest Miramichi it will be at least 20,000,000. On the Restigouche the cut will not likely be more than last year's.

W. M. S. M. C. C. Convention.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the N. B, and P. E. I. branch of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church in Canada is to open in St. Luke's Church, Chatham, on Tuesday next, 24th, and continue for four days. The programme is as follows:—

PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY.

DISTRICT ORGANIZERS' CONFERENCE.

10.00 a.m.—Prayer Service, Mrs. McAlmon, Hopewell Hill. How to Reach Unorganized Places, Mrs. Corbett, Woodstock. How to Prepare a District Organizer's Report to Branch, Mrs. Chipman, St. Stephen. The difficulties of Preparing for District Convention, The Organizers.

2.00 p.m.—Prayer, Mrs. Johnson, Charlottetown. How to Conduct a District Convention, Miss Palmer. How to get Full Representation at a District Convention, Miss Stewart, Sackville. Comparison of Reports.

7.30 p.m.—Executive Meeting.

WEDNESDAY.

9 00 a.m.—Opening Service—God's Glory, is it Ours? Mrs. Chipman. Roll Call. Executive Minutes. Appointment of Committee. Memorials, Resolutions. The Duties of a Delegate. Open Parliament, Mission Band Secretary. Report of Organizers. Question Drawer.

2 00 p.m.—Devotion Have You Done Your Best? Mrs. Thomson, Fredericton. Minutes. Reports of Organizers. Report of Mission Band Secretary, Mrs. Byron Coulthard. Report of Corresponding Secretry, Miss Palmer. Report of Treasurer, Mrs. S. E. Reid.

RECESS.

Greetings. President's Address, Mrs. Chipman. Consecration Meeting, Mrs. Sprague, Sackville.

THURSDAY.

9.00 a. m.—Prayer Service, Working together with God, Mrs. Howard, Baie Verte. Minutes. Auxiliary Hour. Object Lesson on Common Mistakes. Anniversary Pastor Meetings, and Study plan. Easter Services.

INTERMISSION.

The distribution and Use of Mite Boxes, Mrs. G. E Coulthard. Model President Open Parliament, Band Secretary.

2.00 p.m.—Bible reading, Faithfulness, Mrs. Munroe. Minutes. Mission Band Hour. Programmes and the making of them The Band Secretary. Aims of "Palm Branch", The Editor. The use of "Palm Branch," A Band Leader.

INTERMISSION.

Importance of Holding our Young People between Band and Auxiliary, Mrs. W. Jackson. Question Box.

FRIDAY.

9.00 a.m.—Bible Reading, Divine Guidance, Miss S. E. Smith, St. John. Minutes. Election of Officers. Election of Delegates to Board.

RECESS.

Appointment of Delegate to Conference. Election of Organizers. Question Box.

2.00 p.m.—Bible Reading Dr. Killam, China. Minutes.

The Conditions of Women in Heathen Lands, Miss Whittaker, St. John.

DISCUSSION.

Woman's Debt to Christ, Mrs. Wood, Sackville. Discussion. Unfinished Business. Minutes.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25TH. 7 30 P. M.

PUBLIC ANNIVERSARY.

Reports of General Officers.
Address—Dr. Maud Killam, China.
Special Music.

OFFERING.

Presentation of Mission Band Banner.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 26TH, 7.30 P.M.

An informal talk on our Mission Stations, Illustrated by Lime Light Views.

The public are cordially invited to attend the different sessions of the convention.

Rheumatic Pains Cured by Nerviline.

This is the testimony of Mr. Benjamin Dillon, of Leeds, Ont., who says: I feel it my duty to proclaim the marvellous value of Polson's Nerviline as an infallible cure for rheumatic pains; it cures them every time. Nothing I know of equals it as a household liniment, and mothers should feel it as necessary as bread itself. Nerviline has cured rheumatism of 30 years standing, and can cure you. Instant relief, absolute cure, large bottle 25c. Sold by C. P. Hickey.

A "Has Been's" Statements.

It is a humiliation for anyone who respects his word and is straightforward in his business transactions to be obliged to discuss any matter of that kind with ex-Alderman Watt. His vulgarly impertinent and untruthful letter in Saturday's World on the subject of the printing of the Town by-laws last year however, was, no doubt, written by him for the purpose of securing notice from the ADVANCE, and while it cannot but increase the public contempt in which he is already held and, perhaps, ought to be left in silence to the judgment of those who know him, a statement of a few relative facts will perhaps not be out of place.

After stating in his place in the Council, at the last meeting before the civic election, that the printer of the by-laws had not been fairly treated, and having also referred to his bill for the work, which was then in ald. Watt's hands, the latter has since changed his attitude completely and now wishes it to be understood that he never had anything to do with the matter. He has even stated that he never had the bill.

We beg to state, from personal knowledge, that Mr. Watt went in person to the office of the printer in question and requested him to tender for the work, was given the price per page at which it would be done and, a few days after, told the printer that it had been decided that he should print the by-laws at the price named, and that the copy would be furnished to him by Mr. W. J. Loggie, who had been engaged to revise the old by-laws for re-printing. Subsequently when the copy furnished by Mr. Loggie, pursuant to Mr. Watt instructions, was being printed, and the printer found errors in it and called Mr. Watt's attention to them he instructed him to make the necessary corrections, agreeing that the printer ought to be paid extra for the alterations and for holding the type standing for months on account of the By-Law Committee not attending to its work.

Mr. Watt, instead of referring the printer to the By-Law Committee, as he incorrectly states he did, said it was doing nothing and its chairman was "no good" and was not attending to his duties, and that it was useless to depend on him.

As to the part of Mr. Watt's letter which charges Mr. Smith with falsehood (in the ex-alderman's usual choice and original language) because of the error in last week's ADVANCE'S report of ald. Hooken's remark in Council, attributing a statement to Mr. Watt directly, which ald. Hooken explains that he said he got second-hand from Mr. W. J. Loggie, it is only necessary to say that the error was a natural one, inasmuch as it is well known that Mr. Watt made the remark to others besides Mr. Loggie and to Mr. Smith himself.

As to Mr. Watt's denials and statements in connection with this or any other matter, they can have little weight. The Town pumping machinery transaction, for instance, indicates what he is capable of doing when his interests render it necessary for him to make false statements and resort to other questionable devices. In that matter he was exposed, only a few months since, in having, in his place in the Council, misrepresented the advice given in a letter addressed to him by Mr. Freeman C. Coffin, the town water works engineer. Mr. Coffin recommended certain pumping machinery, but Mr. Watt wanted to influence the Council to purchase certain other machinery of less capacity which, however, would cost the town more money, and he not only concealed from the Council the fact that Mr. Coffin recommended the lower priced plant, but untruthfully stated that he favored the purchase of the other. When the ADVANCE exposed his duplicity and new members of the Council wished to examine Mr. Coffin's letter on the subject, which had been addressed to Mr. Watt as acting chairman of the Public Works Committee, Mr. Watt could not find it, and subsequently said he had placed it on fyle at the Town Hall with other papers. It was searched for at the Town Hall, but could not be found, and Mr. Watt's misrepresentation of the matter would never have been fully proved but for the fact that Mr. Coffin, having learned that he had been misrepresented, forwarded to the Mayor a copy of his former letter to Mr. Watt. Mr. Coffin's letter to the Mayor was, in part, as follows:

After last seeing you in Chatham, I was informed that I was quoted as approving the purchase of the Worthington triple expansion pump for which the Council had made a contract. This is not true, and I wish to disclaim any responsibility for the awarding of this contract. I enclose a copy of my report upon the bids for pumping machinery. I wish it so be distinctly understood that I did not advocate the pump that was chosen. The difference in the bids between the pump which I suggested, including the difference in the cost of the Underwriters' pump is about $4000.00, or if the other high duty pump $2000. I do not wish to be held responsible for this increase in the cost of the work.

Yours very truly,
FREEMAN C. COFFIN.

Here is a case in which Mr. Watt's duplicity and resort to misrepresentation cost Chatham some thousands of dollars, and when the trick was discovered the citizens had additional reasons to congratulate themselves that they had rejected him as a mayoralty candidate.

It is generally such persons as Mr. Watt who indulge in coarse accusations of falsehood against citizens whose reputation for integrity they have good reason to envy, in view of their own dubious records. Mr. Smith and the ADVANCE will never be forgiven by Mr. Watt for the exposure of the questionable part he played in that pumping machinery business, and his abuse must be read in the light of that and other episodes of his career in which the ADVANCE'S duty has required it to stand between the rejected mayoralty candidate and pumping contract manipulator, and the interests of the public.

Douglastown R. C. Church Dedicated.

The handsome new R. C. church at Douglastown was dedicated on Sunday last by Rt. Rev. Thos. F. Barry, Coadjutor Bishop of Chatham, in presence of a very large number of people, many of whom had come from outside places, the steamers Nelson and Miramichi running special trips for the occasion. His Lordship, after the blessing of the new edifice in solemn form, assisted at a solemn High Mass. Rev. Father Varrily was celebrant, assisted by Rev. F. Power as deacon and Rev. H. O'Leary, sub-deacon. Rev. Fathers Morrisey and McLaughlin assisted the Bishop, and Rev. Father Dixon, in whose charge the new church is, was director of ceremonies.

Rev. Father Morrisey was the preacher and his sermon held the undivided attention of the congregation, which completely filled the church. He said:—

The dedication of a new church to Divine Worship, has been from the earliest ages an occasion of joy and thanksgiving to God. It interests, and with reason, not only the people who erect it, but also their relatives, neighbors and co-religionists around them. This occasion awakens more than ordinary joy, gladness, and gratitude to God, because it is the dedication of the first R. C. church in this old town on the Miramichi—"dear old Douglastown," as former residents, now sojourning in other lands, and who claim it as their birth-place, love to call it—because of its devoted Catholic inhabitants, and their dear departed ancestors, several of whom came here seventy-nine or eighty years ago, bringing from across the waters the old faith,—and who lived, and died, longing and praying that, if they themselves might not live to see this day, at least their children should. This day has at length come, and that long-looked-for joy is felt deeply, and from the hearts of this congregation, their relatives and well-wishers, goes up a fervent prayer of thanksgiving and gratitude to the throne of Grace; that a church has been dedicated here solely and solemnly to the worship of God.

This handsome church of faultless proportions, of workmanship that has received the highest praise from acknowledged judges, and whose decorations, without being elaborately ornate, are chaste and effective, and carried out on correct lines of artistic taste, must be a source of joy and gratification to this congregation, their generous benefactors,—and to their zealous pastor, who has worked so long, and so faithfully here, and of whose ministry, it may be said, in relation to this locality, "The end crowns the work."

Among the many emotions that would find expression to day on the part of this flock is the deep feeling of gratitude to those generous benefactors, who have contributed so munificently toward the erection of this church. Of some of these it may be said recollections of native place,—childhood's home, with its endearing memories—are not mere pleasing, passing impressions left on their memory, but enduring emotions that reach head and heart, finding expression in active sympathy and generous aid toward objects at home as well as abroad, worthy of their generosity.

The kindly feeling shown, the words of encouragement spoken, and the generous aid given by those of other beliefs, shall be never forgotten, and must ever make the bonds of friendship and brotherly love between Catholics and non-Catholics strong and enduring. Speaking of the benefactors to this church, I must say that there would be one here to day, in spirit, if not in person, had not death overtaken him very unexpectedly, if not suddenly, but a few months ago. Although not of our faith, yet he endeared himself to this congregation not only by his generosity, but by the kind words of cheer and encouragement he addressed to those immediately interested in the work of building. No wonder that his memory is enshrined in the hearts of his fellow countrymen of all classes and creeds, as one of nature's noblemen, and that the history of his fair fame and noble deeds shall be handed down from sire to son, for many years to come.

The ceremony of church dedication has a meaning and significance that awaken deep religious feeling, recalling to our mind the command of God to men from the beginning, to pay His worship. It dates back to the days when Abel, Abraham and Noah, by the command of God, worshipped on altars of sacrifice, erected and set apart for this end—when Moses built the Holy Tabernacle according to the design that God had shown him on Mount Sinai, anointing it by His command with the oil of unction (Exod. XXV, 40, XL., 9). In obedience to this law imposed upon men, Solomon built that magnificent temple which was the pride and glory of God's people, and dedicated it to the most High with a pomp and grandeur surpassing everything witnessed or heard of before. Well might Solomon exclaim in the words of his father David on the completion of the magnificent temple: "I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of Thy house; and the place where Thy glory dwelleth." (Ps. XXV: 8) After the ark had been brought into the temple and placed in the Holy of Holies, the majesty of God filled the place so that the priest could not stand to minister because of the dazzling glory of the Divine presence. After Solomon prayed before the Altar of Holocausts, fire fell from heaven and consumed the offerings. Seeing this, the Israelities fell prostrate on the ground in awe and adoration, and they went away praising the holy name. God appeared a second time to Solomon, and told him that He had heard his prayer, and sanctified this house which he had built. This was the first dedication of a temple to the worship of God, but it was not the origin of the Jewish ceremony called the Feast of Dedication, consisting of religious exercises, rejoicings and grand illuminations (John X: 22). It was in the time of Judas Machabeus that this feast was instituted. Judas having secured the possession of Jerusalem, immediately set about repairing the Temple, and reorganizing its services, setting up a new altar in the place of that which had been polluted by Antiochus (I Mac. III, IV). In memory of this event he instituted an annual feast of eight days to be called in future the Feast of Dedication. Our Lord participated in the ceremonies of this Feast in His time.

Christians from the earliest times not only dedicated their churches, but they also celebrated every year the anniversary of their dedication. Among other reliable authorities, Cardinal Bona, and the well known Cardinal Wiseman, both agree in the opinion that St. Evaristus, pope and martyr, who suffered martyrdom under the Emperor Adrian, issued a decree relating to the rite of dedication, the blessing of altars, and the titles of churches; but the Roman martyrology should be for us authority in this matter. This event happening in the early part of the second century, shows conclusively that the rite has come down to us from apostolic times.

As soon as heathen persecution had ceased in the early ages, church dedication as a liturgical observance became law. History tells us that the consecration of the church of The Martyrs, built at Jerusalem by Constantine the Great, was annually observed as an eight days' festivity. In their invectives against Athanasius, the Arians held that he transgressed the rulings of the established ritual by having said mass in an unconsecrated church.

St. Ambrose in his writings dwells upon the conditions to be complied with in dedication, pointing out one in particular that he thinks is essentially necessary.

I shall quote but one instance more on this very interesting subject, the antiquity of the rite in question: In the year 441, the Council of Orange made some regulations concerning the already established ritual of dedication, a fact which proves that the ceremony had been regularly observed long before that time.

This day, then, you have witnessed a form or part only of the ancient ritual of dedication, and while it appeared imposing and significant, yet to some of you, perhaps, in a certain sense, it seemed new,—but reading and reflection will convince you that it is as old as the church, inasmuch as its origin can be traced through past ages and convincing records, to apostolic times.

This is a world of change, in which the watch-words are, change, reform, progress, power,—with their truly great objective results going on continually round us—old ways and forms giving place to new and better methods, and to wonderful developments in art and science. But in this changing world, it is a great consolation to reflect that neither our faith nor our religion changes, but points directly for nearly two thousand years to their Divine Founder, Jesus Christ, or to that church which he has established upon earth, and against which neither change nor vicissitude of time shall prevail.

With all its grandeur and magnificence, Solomon's Temple was but a faint image of our churches in which Jesus Christ, true God, and true man, dwells on our altars under the appearance of bread, bestowing upon us every blessing we need in time, and promising us that by eating of this bread we shall live in, and reign with, Him forever.

What a happiness it is for you that you possess this sanctuary where you can gather together and offer up prayer in common, following the advice of our Lord: "Where there are two or three gathered together in My name, there I am in the midst of them." (Matt. XVIII, 20.) When temptations beset,—combats binding you nobly strive, await,—come to this beautiful church, that you have built and this day dedicated, and you will obtain strength to conquer. When trials and tribulations, earthly cares and disappointments, bear you down, and your cross seems too heavy to carry, come to this house of prayer, to your Father Himself who dwells here,—seek that treasury of grace, always open for you, the sacraments, and you will find solace, peace and rest of soul; and from the depths of that soul of yours you will learn to love the beauty of this sanctuary, exclaiming in the words of the Psalmist: "I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of Thy house; and the place where Thy glory dwelleth."

May these beautiful words of homage and praise, thrilling your hearts in time, echo in your souls for eternity.

Amongst those whose liberality has enabled Father Dixon to erect this handsome and artistically finished church, Hon. Samuel Adams, of New York, was the first to contribute. He gave the first subscription and has continued to give. Like other members of the well known family to which he belongs, he is very loyal to his birthplace and has, time and again, manifested the feeling by giving substantial aid toward its local advancement. In May last he sent $1000 to Father Dixon for the new church fund, and on Sunday his son, Herbert, handed in a further gift of $100 for the offertory at the dedication. On Saturday Father Dixon received the following telegram from Mr. Adams, showing that his interest in Douglastown's new church was in no way abated.

Rev. F. W. Dixon,

Heartly congratulations to you and Douglastown congregation on completion of church. Regret exceedingly my inability to be present at dedication service; but though far away, shall be with you all in thought tomorrow.

SAMUEL ADAMS.

Other members of the Adams family were generous contributors to the work, Mrs. John Flanagan, of New York (nee Miss Elizabeth Adams) giving the altar and its furnishings. The late Edward Sinclair, although not a Roman Catholic, gave liberally to the building fund—as he expressed it, for the sake of Douglastown and to assist in having a handsome building near his mother's residence. Other gentlemen contributors might be mentioned whose gifts have been the means of placing the handsome church where it is without a dollar of debt standing against it.

It was designed and built by Mr. Thos. Power, of Newcastle, and is a credit to his architectural taste and skill. The ADVANCE joins in hearty congratulations to Father Dixon and his Douglastown congregation over their having so fitting an edifice in which to worship.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state and province (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business of solid financial standing. Salary $18.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Caxton Building, Chicago.

MARRIED.

Sept 11th, in the Manse, by Rev A W Lewis, Alward Dealy and Everetta A Taylor, both of Loggieville.

DIED.

On Tuesday 17th Sept, inst, Mary Lenore, infant daughter of Robert H. and Ethel Anderson, aged five months. Funeral at 3 p m to-day—Thursday.

Shipping News.

PORT OF CHATHAM.

Entered from sea

Sept 16—Bk Nova Scotia, 1001, Halvarsen, Belfast, F. Dyke, bal.

Sept 17—S. S Lyeaker, 1280, Mitch, Fleetwood. F. E. Neale, bal.

Cleared for Sea.

Sept 12—Bk Fran, 711, Marini, Marseilles, J B Snowball Co., Deals.

Sept 13—Schr Jonatan, Kalmin, Mersey F. O., J. B Snowball Co, boards.

Sept 16—Bk Maria Della Guardia, 709, Bregneto, Port Vendres. J B Snowball Co, Deals.

New Advertisements.

Building Lots in Campbellton, N. B.

To be sold at Public Auction on Saturday 5th October next, at 2 p.m. on the grounds, a number of

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS

on the Old Manse Property, near the centre of the town.

Plan to be seen at the subscriber's office or on application to Mr. D. Furgason, Chatham.

TERMS:—¼ down, ⅓ in one year and balance in two years.

I will also offer for sale at the same time and place the central part of the well-known

Athol House Property

situate on the south side of the Restigouche River within three miles of Campbellton, containing 480 acres more or less with its valuable

Net Salmon Fishing Privilege.

About 80 acres of the best soil for all kinds of crops are cleared, the remainder being covered with a heavy growth of hard and soft woods.

Terms at sale.

CHAS. MURRAY,
Campbellton, N. B., 17 Sept 1901. Auctioneer.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR A NEW STATION AND FREIGHT HOUSE AT TROIS PISTOLES AND A 50,000 GALLON WATER TANK WITH FOUNDATION AT CHAUDIERE.

Separate sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tender for Station and Freight House, Trois Pistoles," or "Tender for Tank at Chaudiere," as the case may be, will be received up to

TUESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 1901,

for the construction of the above works.

Plans and Specifications may be seen on and after the 18th day of September, 1901: For the Tank at Chaudiere, at the Station Masters' Offices at Chaudiere Curve and at Levis; those for the work at Trois Pistols, at the Station Masters' offices at Levis, Rivere du Loup and Trois Pistoles, and for the work at both places, at the Chief Engineer's office at Moncton, N. B.

Forms of tender may be obtained at all the places named.

All the conditions of the Specifications must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
Railway Office, General Manager.
Moncton, N. B, Supt 13th, 1901.

EQUITY SALE.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 30th day of November A. D. 1901 at the hour of 11o'clock in the forenoon, opposite the store of William Wyse, Esq., in the Town of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, there will be sold at Public Auction, under and by virtue of, and in pursuance of the authority given to me the undersigned Referee in Equity, in and by a certain Order of the Supreme Court in Equity bearing date the 30th day of August, A. D. 1901, and made in a certain suit in which Mary Loudoun is the Plaintiff and Alexander Loudoun and John Loudoun are defendants and in pursuance of the fourth Chapter of the act of the general assembly, made and passed in the 53rd year of the reign of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria entitled "An Act respecting the practice and proceedings in the Supreme Court in Equity" free of the dower of the said Mary Loudoun—All that piece parcel or lot of land situate lying and being in the Town of Chatham, in the county of Northumberland, and Province of New Brunswick bounded on the easterly side by King Street, so called, on the northerly side by Wellington Street, on the westerly side by lands now owned and occupied by Wilfred R. Gould, and on the southerly side by lands formerly owned and occupied by the late J. R. Goggin, and now in the possession of his widow and heirs, which said lands and premises were in the occupation of late Alexander Loudoun at the time of his death.

Dated the 16th day of September A. D. 1901.

SAM. THOMSON,
Referee in Equity.

COMMON SOAP

WILL CAUSE

ROUGH SKIN

On Face and Hands.

We have just imported a large lot of

Olive Oil and Cucumber Soap

direct from the factory which we can sell for the next TWO WEEKS

—AT—

3 Cakes for 10 cents.

It is made from Pure Olive Oil and the Juice of Cucumbers. We can recommend it.

Mackenzie's Medical Hall.

Chatham, March 18, 1901.

PULP WOOD!

The DOMINION PULP CO'Y LTD, opposite Chatham, N. B. are now prepared to contract for their supply of Pulp Wood for next season. Also for CORD WOOD, nine feet lengths, delivered ON CARS at Chatham Station or BY SLED TO THEIR MILL during winter.

Particulars on application.

Postal address: CHATHAM, N. B.
P. O. Drawer 3.

THE DOMINION PULP CO. LIMITED.

FARM HELP.

Anyone in need of Farm Help should apply to Hon. A. T. Dunn at St. John, as a number of young men who have lately arrived from Great Britain are seeking employment. Applicants should give class of help wanted and any particulars with regard to kind of work, wages given, period of employment to right man, etc.

BUILDING STONE.

The subscriber is prepared to furnish stone for building and other purposes.

Apply to

L. J. TWEEDIE

or the office of L. J. Tweedie.

The J. B. Snowball Co. Ltd.

SUMMER AND FALL GOODS

Are Now Arriving in

DRESS MATERIALS AND TRIMMINGS,
DAPERIES, NAPERIES,
HOUSEKEEPERS' REQUISITES.
HATS & CAPS. CLOTHING. BOOTS & SHOES.

TRUNKS, VALISES, ETC.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT.

The conclusion of the Lenten Season will mark the begining of a large increase in our Grocery trade. It is therefore to our interest to see that our stock in all lines of Grocery Staples is completely assorted. We may say that our prices are right and our trade has maintained a fair average for this season of the year.

Woodenware.

This is the season of the year for all kinds of house-cleaning supplies and we recommend our Stock of

WASHBOARDS, BUCKETS, BROOMS, TUBS

and

ALL KINDS OF BRUSHES.

SALT.

WINDSOR SALT. We offer an excellent article in this line in TINS, BOXES, BARRELS, AND SACKS.

BEANS.

We have a car load of PRIME BEANS LANDING. (In barrels.)

Marmalades and Jams.

April is a good month for MARMALADE.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S is the best. We always keep it in stock.

English Spices.

It has always been our boast that we sell none but the very best

ENGLISH SPICES.

A FULL LINE NOW IN STOCK. MORE TO ARRIVE.

TAPIOCA.

A very popular article at all seasons.

OUR STICK TAPIOCA AT 10c. PER LARGE PACKAGE IS JUST THE THING.

ARMOUR'S Canned Goods.

Here are a few new lines that ought to interest our best grocery trade;

CANNED CORN BEEF, VEAL LOAF, HAM LOAF, CHICKEN LOAF, OX TONGUE, LAMB TONGUE, POTTED HAM, POTTED TONGUE, STAR SLICED BACON AND ARMOUR'S MINCE MEAT IN PACKAGES.

Jelly Powders.

We have in stock a full line of P