LOCAL NEWS.

As we desire to make the ADVANCE strong in its local news department, friends who wish to aid the paper can do so very effectively by sending notes of any event of consequence that may transpire in their localities. Send along the facts, and even if they are not written in good style we can soon put them into shape.

TYPHOID FEVER is quite prevalent here.

GOOD SKATING was enjoyed at the Lake on Tuesday.

ICE FISHING has commenced on the river.

THE BARK "FAWCETT," the last Miramichi Ship of the season sailed on Monday.

TWENTY BRANT AND GEESE were bagged by two young sportsmen at Bay du Vin last week.

OYSTERS.—Two thousand barrels oysters were raked at Lower Bay du Vin during the autumn just closed.

THE DEBATING CLUB.—The subject for debate by the members of the Debating and Literary Society on Tuesday evening next is "Are the mental capacities of the sexes equal?"

NEW MUSIC.—Messrs. Peiler and Brother of St. John, publish the "Skating Mazurka" composed by Chr. Neilsen. It is just the thing for the season.

THE RIVER CLOSED on Monday night. It was perfectly free from ice as far up as Newcastle on Monday. At present there are indications that it will open again.

"VICTORIA BRIDGE," at the mouth of Black River is ready for crossing. The travel to and from Bay du Vin, Escuminac, etc., will now be by that route to a great extent.

GOOD FARMING.—Alex. Williston Esq. of Bay du Vin last week threshed out 130 bushels of cleaned wheat from the product of 8 bushels sown last spring and 140 bushels oats from 8 bushels planted at the same time. The above all came out of one field and shows that Northumberland can hold its own in grain-raising.

PHOTOGRAPHS.—We have great pleasure in directing attention to the Advertisement of Mr. T. R. Colpitts, who has just moved into his new Photographic Studio opposite the Canada House. Some specimens of Mr. Colpitts' work exhibited at this office are really creditable, showing what can be done by first class appliances in the hands of a good operator.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Allen Haley who has been practising Dentistry at Newcastle for a few months is about to visit Bathurst, where he will remain for a few weeks, and then go, in turn, to Dalhousie and Campbellton. A long acquaintance with Dr. Haley justifies our recommending him to our friends as a gentleman thoroughly competent to perform any work pertaining to his profession. He is to return to Newcastle in February next.

SERIOUS FALL.—On Friday evening last about five o'clock while Mr. T. E. Parker, carpenter, was working on the roof of Mrs. Sharp's two-storey house near the ferry, the staging gave way and he fell to the ground, a distance of over thirty feet alighting almost on his feet. He had a hatchet in his hand at the time, but providentially escaped with a cut eye and a considerable shock, from which he is recovering.

STORM-TOSSED.—The Schr. *Dove*, Doyle, master, from Rustico, P. E. I., with oats for Charlottetown, being in the Straits on Sunday last, was driven far out of her course by the violent storm and blown across to the New Brunswick shore. The atmosphere was very thick and the vessel fortunately under the influence of the Fog-whistle and succeeded in getting up inside of Fox Island in the afternoon, where she anchored. On Monday she ran up to Chatham where the cargo was purchased by Mr. Muirhead. As the river is now closed for the season the vessel will winter here.

PERSONAL.—Samuel Napier, Esq., ex M. P. P., of Bathurst, leaves Boston by Cunard steamer, on Saturday, for Liverpool, where he intends taking up his residence, and engaging in mercantile pursuits. —*Telegraph.*

Hon. Peter Mitchell was in St. John during the present week.

J. B. Snowball, Esq., has gone to Ottawa.

The Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Tilley are in St. John.

Mr. Brydges is in Halifax.

BRIGHAM YOUNG is, at last dying. It is positively stated that he cannot live a week longer.

To cure dull times—apply an advertisement to the afflicted part.

A sign-board can't tell everything. It takes an advertisement to do that.

All who advertise do not get rich, but precious few get rich without it.

The world is full of advertising, yet every one wants to see what is new.

The world's memory is short. It will forget you if you do not jog it frequently

Early to bed and early to rise will all in vain if you don't advertise.

The world is sure to find out an honest man, but it will find him out a great deal quicker if he advertises.

A SAD CASE.—On Saturday last, John Lane, a young man who resides near the Ballast Ponds, Chatham, divested himself of his clothing near the Wesleyan burying ground and wandered away to the back part of the town. The clothing was found and identified and a search for Lane being made he was discovered behind a tree with a halter and chain in his hand, and brought to his home. He cut his throat last spring and almost ended his existence, and had he not been pursued and discovered on Saturday, would doubtless have perished in the storm of that night. His lunacy is said to have been produced by excessive drinking.

THE WRECK OF THE "FASIDE."—Reference was made in the ADVANCE last week to the wreck of the bark *Faside* on the preceding Monday. She left Chatham on that morning being towed by the *Relief*. When near the bar buoy the snow came down and the pilot ordered the vessel back and she was towed to anchorage in seven fathoms water at half-past six p. m. The storm increased and at about ten she parted a chain shackle three fathoms from the anchor and went ashore on the back of the "Horse Shoe," where she filled, and at high water she drifted off, waterlogged, and was again anchored. On Thursday she was put ashore at Portage Island in about twenty-four feet of water. She has been condemned and will be sold. The Steamer *Sultana*, belonging to Messrs. Brown Brooks & Ryan, proceeded to the wreck on Monday and brought up the men and stores, some canned mackerel, running rigging, etc.

GRETNA GREEN, Windsor N. S. was the place, the young lady was the daughter of a prominent Presbyterian clergyman of St. John the young man an M. D. and son of a merchant of the same city. There was no necessity for their doing it in that way, but some young people like to be romantic. They have gone to Bermuda—bless you my children.

Chatham and St. Andrew.

Our friends in St. John must not think that while they enjoyed their grand ball at the Victoria Hotel on the Anniversary of St. Andrew, in Chatham, were content to let the day pass without properly celebrating it. The Canada House, on the evening of Monday last was the scene of not so brilliant a gathering as was that in the ball room at St. John—for the Chatham re-union was not graced with the presence of "the crowning work of creation"—but there was a dinner party composed of the sterner sex—men who came over the sea years ago from the country that was never conquered, others who may be quoted, in commercial parlance, as recent arrivals, and a contingent remainder of natives of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and other countries, who were considered sufficiently near what scotchmen ought to be to entitle them to the distinction of being guests of the evening. The committee who had the dinner in charge consisted of Messrs. Henry Wyse, James Neilson, Wm. Johnston, and John Fotheringham. Mr. Wyse was Chairman, his place being taken in the "wee sma' hours," however, by Mr. Neilson, and Mr. Johnston occupied the Vice chair. The spread was one that did credit to the Canada House, and after the solids were disposed of the "walnuts and wine" were enlivened by the usual toasts and responses, interspersed with songs. Messrs. Henry Wyse, Daniel Ferguson, L. J. Tweedie, Peter Moor, A. A. Lockerby, John Fotheringham, John Johnston, James Anderson, James Neilson, J. H. Montgomery, of P. E. I., M. A. Tracey, T. G. Russel, W. Smith, John Rice, E. H. MacAlpine, A. S. Templeton, Wm. Stewart, Jas. Gray, James Carter, R. B. Pattison, Robt. Murray, Wm. Johnston, Wm. Sinclair, D. G. Smith and others responded to calls, many of their utterances being particularly appropriate. Mr. Tweedie was eloquent in responding for the Bench and Bar, Mr. MacAlpine could not have spoken better in behalf of the Ladies had a thousand of them been looking love at him or were his wedding day set and the license in his pocket. Messrs. Neilson, Lockerby, Tracey and others did ample justice to St. Andrew and other saints, while the songs of Messrs. Gray, Russell, Anderson, MacAlpine, W. Smith, Montgomery and others contributed largely to the success of the whole affair, the recollection of which will cause those who were present to look forward with pleasurable anticipations to St. Andrew's "next merry meeting."

Reckless Engine Driving.

Referring to our remarks on the accident on the Intercolonial near Armstrong's Brook, Restigouche, by which an old man was seriously injured by being struck by a construction train the *Advocate* says it occurred after work hours and the men were returning home in the dusk of the evening and were not seen by the driver until the train was upon them. It is very true, as the *Advocate* says, that the men should have known better than to have been walking on the track at all, but the same may be said of all men on all railway tracks. Railway regulations relating to to precautions to be taken in running trains are not made for the safety of those who are cautious and careful, but the reverse. If the train referred to was running after dark and its running was necessary, the driver cannot be blamed for the accident, but if it was only in the dusk of the evening, he was very much to blame for not keeping such a lookout as would have enabled him to have stopped the train short of the track in time to warn them with bell or whistle. We do not know anything more about the merits of this case than we have learned from our contemporary, and our reference to it was solely with a view of checking a recklessness that is far too prevalent amongst those who have charge of locomotives or railway construction generally. When a locomotive runs over and mangles men to death it is not enough to say they had no right to be on the railway, for as long as there are men who do not know better than to walk on railway tracks, so long will it be the duty of drivers to keep a sharp lookout for, and warn them off.

Gunboat Arrested and Sent to Prison.

Just imagine the ADVANCE gravely informing its readers that the Canada House ditch across the sidewalk was arrested and sent to the lock-up for ringing the fire bell; or that the Miramichi Shipbuilding Company's new vessel was committed to jail in Newcastle for contempt of court; or that three policemen who are paid salaries not large enough to keep a school girl who likes candy in pocket-money, are sufficient to properly look after the town of Chatham—and what a queer paper persons would say we were. But the Saint John *News* gravely prints a bit of telegraphic information as follows:—

At Buenos Ayres the rebel gunboat *Brandera* and *La Espanol* were arrested and sent to prison for violation of the press laws.

Now this *News* telegram is very puzzling. How can it be said a gunboat *were* arrested, and how can two gunboats, the *Brandera* and *La Espanol* be one gunboat? If they or it were gunboats, or a gunboat, how could they violate press laws, and if they did how could they be imprisoned? We are a simple-minded people up here—each person you meet in Chatham is a guileless and unsophisticated child of honesty and simple-mindedness—we have been fairly educated, and some of us are learned in the law. We have prisons, but they are not provided with cells for gunboats, but as some vessels come here in summer time with unruly crews, we should like to know how the gunboat prisons are made and if they will serve for, say barques of 700 tons, and if they are not too expensive we will have one. Davy Jones' locker would be nothing to it. If the *News* will let us know how vessels violate the press laws perhaps we can make something out of it, for a good many vessels come here in a year. But the editor of the *News* is in the Government, and ought to know more about some things than we do, yet, at the same time he should not publish things that are paradoxical to ordinary minds, without explanatory notes or one of those comprehensive headings of his which are sometimes the concentrated essence of a whole column.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.—The Eastport *Sentinel* records a melancholy drowning accident in that harbor on Wednesday forenoon. A two masted boat from Deer Island was run into off Cherry Island by the Sch. "Commodore Kearney" of Calais, and upset, drowning two of the occupants of the boat, Charles Henry Adams and Miss Maggie Lambert. The boat contained three men and two women, who were on their way to Eastport. The survivors state that the schooner ran them down carelessly; two of the men succeeded in clambering upon the schooner, one of the ladies, Mrs. Iris Butler, was picked up by Mr. Colon McNichol, who arrived upon the scene just in time to save her, but the two above mentioned found a watery grave.

MURDER TRIAL.

The Laborers' Society forced to Reduce Wages.

A DOCTORS' LEAGUE.

(Special to the Advance.)

ST. JOHN, Dec. 3rd.

George Blair is on trial here for the murder of Michael P. Tole. The evidence, so far, is against him.

The Laborers' Society have decided to reduce the rate of wages to $2.50 per day. This has been rendered necessary by the action of rebels who are now employed in preference to the Society men.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3rd.

In Montreal, where small-pox is raging with great violence, a number of French Canadian Physicians have formed an anti-vaccination league, to oppose the operation of law on this subject and agitate for its repeal.

The Miramichi Ladies' Auxiliary Bible Society.

From the report of Mrs W. M. Wilson, Secretary of the above Society, submitted at its fifty-fourth annual meeting and published in the *Advocate*, we learn that the following collections were made during the past year:—

Newcastle, by Miss Ramsay	$69 10
Lower Chatham, by Misses Bain & M'Kenzie,	91 20
Upper Chatham by Misses Bowser & M'Cully,	79 46
Douglastown, by Misses Falconer & M'Lean,	30 90
Black Brook, by Mrs Wells,	25 77
Upper Napan by Miss, Kerr	10 89
Lower Napan, by Miss Gillis,	7 62
Nelson & Derby, By Miss Robertson,	20 00
	$334 94
Amt. of Sales in Chatham, Mr. Brown,	11 31
" Newcastle, Mr. Robinson,	48 23
" Newcastle, Mr. Ferguson,	7 07
	$501 55

It was unanimously agreed to that these funds should be appropriated as follows: £50 sterling, a free donation to the Parent Society, the British and Foreign Bible Society, in London and the balance to be applied to the purchase of Scriptures for the depositories.

A vote of thanks to the President and collectors was passed unanimously and the office-bearers for the present year were elected as follows:—Mrs. H Cunard, *President* Mrs. Kerr, Mrs, M'Dougall, Miss Chalmers, Vice Presidents. Mrs. M'Curdy *Treasurer*, Mrs W, M. Wilson, *Secretary*,

COMMITTEE:—Mrs. Muirhead, Miss Henderson, Mrs. M'Neil, Mrs. Haberlie, Mrs. A. A. Davidson, Mrs. J. C. Gough, Mrs. R. Davidson, Mrs. W. Parker, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs Park, Mrs. A D. Shirreff, Mrs. Snowball, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Waterhouse, Mrs. R. Grey.

A steamer of the "Mitchell Line" is to be placed on the route between St. John and Portland in connection with the Grand Trunk Railway. This will preclude the possibility of blockades of freight at Portland, such as have occurred during our winters of late, and which have been so perplexing to our merchants. The steamer "Polino" is expected to arrive at this port in a day or two, and will be put on the route immediately to remain until she is relieved by the "Normanton," which will run the remainder of the season.—*News.*

SINGULAR ACCIDENTS.—The Kentville N. S. *Chronicle* says that Mr. George Driscoll, was strangled to death a few nights since. Mr. Driscoll was a shoemaker by trade, and a neighbor called to get a boot mended, Driscoll said he would mend it if he would leave it; the boot was left. This was in the evening, and next morning about 8 o'clock, the neighbor called to see if his boot was finished. He found the door of the house open, and Driscoll sitting on his bench,—the boot in one hand,—and leaning against the window; a silk hankerchief about his neck had caught on a hook, at the side of the window, and caused strangulation. The jury found a verdict of accidental death.

A young man named Newcomb, a clerk in a Kentville store went to Wolfville and stopped at the Acadia Hotel. During the night a doctor who was called out suddenly to see a patient, heard a groan in the front yard under the hotel window, and upon investigation, found a person who said his leg was broken. The injured man was carried into the house, and it was some time before he was recognized by those who knew him. His right leg was broken above the ankle, his nose broken and his face fearfully cut. He was also hurt internally, and fears were entertained of his recovery. It appears that he walked out of a third storey window while in a fit of somnambulism.

The Eastern *Chronicle* says that a few days ago, Dr. Christie, of Pictou, returned from a short stay in Cape Breton. He was apparently in his usual health, and attended to some work about his house. He was taken suddenly ill that night and died before Thursday morning.

The Halifax Health authorities are taking steps to prevent importation of Small-pox from Montreal into that city.

A young man now residing in Queens County N. S. is about to bring an action for damages against a young lady formerly of Lockeport, Shelburne County, and who is now residing in some part of Annapolis County, for breach of promise.

The Breakwaters at Dipper Harbor in this Province and Liverpool N. S. were destroyed by the late gale.

An old man named Michael Mack of St. John tried to cut his throat with a table knife on Friday last. He did not operate successfully and is recovering at the Hospital.

The Sackville *Post* Says:—

And now Hopewell Hill, Albert Co., is reported to have a clerical scandal. The charge is incompatibility of temper between the pastor and his flock, and the former has forsaken the remedies pointed out by the church in the case of those who are smitten, and has employed eminent legal counsel at Dorchester Corner to smite in return. The Tilsons and Moultons of Hopewell may look out for writs for slander, as he is rather "egotistical" on the point of personal dignity.

Fellows' Syrup of Hypophosphites saved my wife, after her case became apparently hopeless from Tubercular Consumption.

H. L. HARDINGE, Nelsonville, O.

It was in Albany. The man was strongly in favor of the eight-hour movement, and the woman was averse to the new-fangled notion. So when he went home the other evening for his supper, he found his wife, not in the best of tempers, sitting in her best clothes, on the front stoop, reading a volume of travels.

'How's this?' he exclaimed; 'where's my supper?'

'I don't know,' replied the wife; 'I began to get your breakfast at six o'clock this morning, and my eight hours ended at 2 p. m.

A Horrible Career of Crime.

(From the correspondent of the N. Y. Times.)

MAZATLAN, MEXICO, OCT. 22.

An Englishman named Tom Adams, who for the past eight or ten years had owned a low tavern and dance-house in this place, and gained general notority as desperate character, died on the 15th inst. from the effects of a pistol-shot wound received in a fight several months ago. Just previous to his death, when assured that his doom was inevitable, he sent for Captain Verplank, the American commercial agent at this port, and intimated that he had some important disclosure to make, which he desired should be given publicity in the Eastern States. Captain Verplank having consented to comply with his wishes and take down whatever statement he had to make in writing, the dying man unburdened his conscience by confessing himself guilty of FOURTEEN MURDERS all but one of which were committed in the United States and Canada. Adams commenced his narative by stating that his proper name was Geo. Worley, and that he was a native of Manchester England. He commenced his career of crime by murdering the second mate of the American ship Cultivator in the Liverpool docks, about the year 1854. After this deed he went to Canada, and roved about through those Provinces for two years in pursuit of robery. In the year 1855, at which time he was known by the name of Orton, he was engaged as a sailor on the lakes. While lying in the American port of Oswego he murdered a man whom he understood to be a painter, by throwing him over a bridge. He met his victim in a drinking saloon, where he went to collect a bill of the proprietor, and followed him until the opportunity was favourable, when he struck him down with a slung shot, and disposed of the body in the way mentioned.

After this, Adams returned to Canada, and assumed the name of Townsend. With two accomplices he commenced a campaign of robbery, and perpetrated four murders in the country west of Toronto, ending with the killing of a sheriff a few miles west of Niagara River. That country becoming too hot for him, in consequence of the offering of a large reward for his arrest, he escaped on board of a schooner passing through the Canadian canal to the American port of Teledo. From this port he went to Chicago and committed three murders in that place during the same summer. One of his victoms was the captain of a vessel, whom he followed from the St. Charles saloon; another was a German saloon keeper, who he killed in his bed at night, in his place of business which was situated near a railroad depot; and the third was a man unknown to him, whom he murdered after leaving a brothel. After these crimes he was arrested in Chicago, tried and convicted of a burglary, and served a term of three years in the Illinois States Prison. on obtaining his releas, Adams went to New York, where he remained about one year, during which time he committed two murders, both of his victims in that city being men unknown to him. One was a countryman whom he enticed to the outskirts of the city, and obtained about $2,000 on his body. After leaving New York he was engaged in a series of robberies through the Southern States. He returned to Baltimore and murdered a prostitute in that city. Subsequently he committed a murder in Louisville and one in Memphis but of the names of his victims he had no knowledge.

Adams left New Orleans about the time of the breaking out of the war and went to Vera Cruz; from thence he went to the city of Mexico, end came to Mazatlan about ten years ago. Since his sojourn here he was widly known and generally feared, his place being one of the most notorious rendezvous of desperate characters on the coast. He finally met his fate at the hands of a Spanish gambler, named Gonzales, in a drunken quarrel over a throw of dice. He leaves between $15,000 and $18,000. in cash or its equivalent, of the result of his career of astrocious crime, which he has willed to a sister, supposed to be his only living relative, who resided at Sheffield, England.

The Church Militant.

The theological tilt between Mr. Gladstone and Archbishop Manning is not the only church matter to interest the English people. The contriversy about the baptism and conformation of the Archbishop of Canterbury is still more peculiar, and involves at least temporal interests of equal importance. The only baptism which Dr. Tait ever received was administered by his old Scotch nurse when he was a child. This would be sufficient were there proof that this ceremony was performed with proper intention and with the essential words. This was made known to Bishop Bagot after he had confirmed Dr. Tait, and he sent for him to say that he could not be confirmed unless validly christened and he asked him to have both ceremonies performed over again. But the gentleman who was Mr. Tait at that time refused, and thus the case had stood and now stands, with a revival of the periodical discussion of the matter. It certainly would seem to be the wiser course to take the validity of the old Scotch nurse's baptism for granted, because otherwise considerable agitation would be caused in the Church, so closely connected and interwoven are all parts of the Episcopal system. There are three hundred clergymen who have been confirmed by the Archbishop, and unless his baptism is accepted as genuine their ordinations must be declared spurious. It is to be hoped no such wholesale breaking up will be considered necessary.—*Boston Post.*

LEAKING:—The scow, *Normanton* from Sydney, C. B., with a cargo of coal for St. John put into Halifax on Saturday last leaking.

THE MAXWELTON:—The Summerside *Progress* says:—"The brigt. *Maxwelton* which cleared from this port for Charlottetown on Friday last had to return owing to the heavy wind. In coming up the harbor she ran on the bar, where at low water she lies on her beam ends. She will most likely be got off at high water."

The *Maxwelton* was here only a few weeks ago with a cargo of herring.

DIED.

A Newcastle, on Saturday, 21st Nov., of Measles, ANNIE, eldest daughter of Ann and John Hall, aged one year and 4 months.

At Jacquet River, Boston Mass., on 7th November, of Consumption, MARY ANN NEWTON, wife of Henry Newton, and eldest daughter of the late William Ward, aged 20 years.

Suddenly at Douglastown, Nov. 26th, ANNIE K. RUTT, wife of John Anderson, aged 32 years.

At Chatham, Wednesday 25th Nov. of Measles, DONALD McLEAN, aged 9 years and 2 months.

CHATHAM POLICE REPORT.

BEFORE G. A. BLAIR, ESQ., POLICE MAGISTRATE.

Nov. 27.—Stephen Bubbie, Selling Spirituous Liquors on Sunday. Fined $10 and costs.

Dec. 2. Albert Hickey, drunk and shouting on the streets. Fined $2 and costs; and $2 and costs for resisting Police Officers.

Thomas Wilson, drunk and shouting on the streets. Fined $2 and costs.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF CHATHAM.

(Masters of Vessels coming to this Port are requested to report ship disasters or other news from the Sea at the Advance Office.)

ENTERED.

Nov. 30—Schr. Dove, Doyle, Rustico Oats W. Muirhead.

CLEARED.

Nov. 28—Bk. Fawcett, Beak, Liverpool, Deals, J. P. Snowball.

Nov. 28—Schr. Manager McCarthy, Cascumpec, Deals, J. & C. Loggie.

Auction Sales.

Hay, Oats, &c. &c.

AT AUCTION

To be sold at the Farm of Mr. JOHN JARDINE, NAPAN, on Thursday, 11th Dec. at 11 o'clock:

1 MARE, 1 COW, 1 CART, 1 PLOUGH, 1 PAIR ARROWS, 1 SLED, 3 TONS GOOD PLAND HAY 40 BUSHELS OATS, 2 BARRELS POTATOES, And other articles.

Terms:—all sums under $5, Cash; over $20 approved joint notes payable 1st August 1875.

A. D. SHIRREFF, AUCTIONEER.

Chatham, Dec. 1st, 1874. 2-2

Land At Auction.

To be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 15th of December next at 12 o'clock, M. on the premises.

THE lot of land situate on the west side of the road LEADING from Lower Nelson to Stymiest mill owned by Joseph Russell, at present occupied by Mrs. James Stymiest, being the Residence of the late W. W. Stymiest, Esq. For further particulars apply to the Subscriber in Chatham.

JOHN ELLIS.

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A. D. Shirreff

Offers for Sale, Low for Cash, or Approved Paper,

Tubs Butter Cheese, Hams, Winter Apples, Codfish:

A FIRST-CLASS ARTICLE.

LABRADOR HERRING AND CAPAHQUET HERRING, HALF BARRELS MACKEREL.

A large Assortment of

ALL WOOL HOMESPUN CLOTH, Socks & Mitts, FLANNELS, COTTONS, Prints, &c., &c., &c.

Salmon, Trout and Herring Twines. Numerous other articles intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to call and inspect before purchasing elsewhere.

CHATHAM.

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TEACHER

Wanted Immediately.

A First class Male Teacher to take charge of a Catholic School in the town of Bathurst. Application stating salary and references to be addressed to

K. F BURNS.

BATHURST 1st Dec. 1874.

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Bridge Contract.

TENDERS will be received at the office of Public Works, Fredericton, until THURSDAY, 24th day of December next at noon, for the erection of a new bridge over Nashwaaksis River, at the Town of Woodstock, according to plan and specification to be seen at said office and at the store of Hon. Wm. Lindsay at Woodstock. Each Tender to be marked "Tender for Woodstock Bridge" and to give the names of two responsible persons willing to become sureties for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. M. KELLY,
Chief Commissioner

Department of Public Works, Fredericton, Nov. 25th, 1874. dw 12 23

W. N. & A. HARPER,

WATCHMAKERS,

UPPER WATER STREET,

CHATHAM, N. B.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry for Sale.

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A GRAND RUSH

—AT—

COLPITTS'

NEW STUDIO,

Nearly Opposite the

Canada House, - - Chatham.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES!

1 Dozen Ambrotypes for 60 cents.

THE SUBSCRIBER having just procured a New Sett of Instruments necessary to carry on a First-Class business, is prepared to do as kind of First-Class Work, such as PHOTOGRAPHS, from the SMALLEST to the LARGEST SIZE, finished in INDIA INK or ENAMEL.

Also, Enlargements produced from the smallest miniature and in the LIFE SIZE.

Picture Framing.

Parties wishing pictures framed would do well to leave their orders at this Establishment, where every attention will be paid with neatness and care.

A large assortment of Mouldings, Chromos, Lithographs, and STEEL ENGRAVINGS on hand—for sale cheap.

Also, a very large and well assorted stock of Square and Oval FRAMES in Rosewood, Black Walnut and Velvet. STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS, STEREOSCOPES and LARGE FANCY WORK BOXES, together with the best and assorted stock of WATCHES and JEWELRY in Chatham.

Call and satisfy yourselves, and please Remember if you want a Real Good Picture, this is the place to get it, as I have the best light in the Province, and no stairs to climb.

☞ I warrant the Pictures I take never to fade, not like those we frequently see taken by inexperienced operators, with but a few months practice in the business.

T. R. COLPITTS.
ARTIST.

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LIVERY STABLE.

Parties in need of a FIRST-CLASS TURN-OUT, for either a trip or drive, can be accommodated by calling at the subscriber's

Boarding and Livery Stable,

OPPOSITE TEMPERANCE HALL,

CHATHAM.

THOMAS SULLIVAN.

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Provincial Fire Insurance Co

OF CANADA.

CAPITAL $500,000.

Insurances can be effected for the above Company on application to

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WHO WILL REMAIN IN CHATHAM AT EXCHANGE HOTEL FOR ONE WEEK

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FIRST-CLASS TAILORESSES WANTED.

APPLY

DAVID WEBSTER,

NEAR GOLDEN BALL.

DENTISTRY!

DR. ALLAN HALEY,

(Graduate Philadelphia College.)

LATE HALEY & MAVENNEY,

Successors to T. A. D. Forster, St. John,

After visiting Fredericton, Dalhousie, Campbellton, etc., will visit Chatham about the first week in January next.

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THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to inform his Friends in CHATHAM and the Public in General that he has now on hand a fine and well assorted Stock of

GOLD & SILVER WATCHES.

ALSO:

Gold, Silver and Gold Plated Ladies' and Gents' Watchains.

LADIES JEWELLERY, BRACELETS, Sets of NECKLACES, LOCKETS, Plain and Set WEDDING RINGS, BROACHES & EAR-RINGS, SLEEVE BUTTONS, SHIRT STUDS, SCARF PINS, &c., &c., &c.

REAL JET Bracelets, Lockets, Brooches, Ear Rings, &c.

Imitation Jet Jewelry in Great Variety.

THERMOMETERS, BAROMETERS, TELESCOPES, SPECTACLES, &c., &c.

ALSO, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS.

The above, and a quantity of other Goods on hand, are all selected from the stocks of First-Class EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS, and having had many years experience in the Trade, the Subscriber can guarantee that his Goods, although sold cheaper than those of pretentious, are equal if not superior to anything in CHATHAM.

Ladies wishing fair dealing are respectfully invited to examine the Stock, as the articles will speak for themselves.

Oscar Ericsson,

PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER & JEWELLER.

CHATHAM, N. B.

Store—Opposite Golden Ball.

Administrators' Notice.

All persons having any just claims against the Estate of HUGH McLEAN, late of the Parish of Hardwicke, in the County of Northumberland, Farmer, deceased, are requested to hand the same duly attested within three months from date to the Subscribers, and all persons indebted to the said Estate are notified to make immediate payment to them.

GRACE McLEAN,
ADMINISTRATRIX,

JAMES McLEAN,
ADMINISTRATOR.

Hardwicke, 3rd Dec. 1874. 2-18

PHOTOGRAPHS!

JAMES A. STEPHENS

BEGS to announce to the Public that he has taken the PHOTOGRAPHIC ROOMS over

Hickey's Store,

And, having so changed their former defective arrangement and fittings as to intelligently meet the requirements of the business, is now prepared to produce

PHOTOGRAPHIC WORK,

WHICH IN

STYLE, SHADING AND FINISH,

CANNOT BE EQUALLED IN CHATHAM.

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Which have Picture Framing, Moulding, Lithographing, Engraving and other legitimate departments connected with them, each of which is in charge of competent and experienced persons. While it would seem imprudent to keep up such an establishment in Chatham, and at the same time, have it in effective working order, it would be really absurd to get up a studio, on one, and in addition crowd it with a lot of Cheap Auction Stuff, such as Ladies' shoes, etc., etc. We put in a little book stock, as we are building that the boys might send away some night, it would be lightning, and expose the proprietor to the risk of being forever known as "Jack of All Trades."

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Photographs in all the Various Styles, CARBO, VIGNETTES, BERLIN HEADS, Enlargements from one to Life Size. FERROTYPES and other Pictures produced in the Best Styles and at

LOWEST PRICES.

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DAVID DALLING,

Sleigh & Carriage Painter.

House Sign Painting and Jobbing as usual to suit customers. Prompt attention and MODERATE CHARGES. *Shop on St. John Street.*

☞ Store room for Carriages on the Premises.

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NEW GOODS.

The Subscriber has now completed his usual

FALL AND WINTER STOCK,

CONSISTING OF

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

Among which are a nice assortment of

DRESS MATERIAL, COTTONS,

Woolens, Flannels, Blankets,

HOSIERY, GLOVES, COTTON WARPS &c.

HARDWARE

in great variety, comprising Nails, Glass, Iron, Flat, Spring and Blister Steel, Chain, Rope,

FISHING LINES AND TWINE,

Sail Canvas, Paints, Oil, & Turpentine &c,

Also a fine assortment of

GLASSWARE.

Paraffine Oil Lamps,

Hanging Lamps and CHANDELIERS, FLOWER VASES In China and Glass, HANGING FLOWER POTS &c. &c,

PROVISIONS & GROCERIES,

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Wholesale and Retail

A few barrels of choice WINTER APPLES cheap for cash.

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BOOTS & SHOES, Largest Stock IN NEWCASTLE AND SELLING CHEAP. GROCERIES & WINES.

JAMES BROWN.

FANCY GOODS.

HARDWARE.

JUST ARRIVED BY EX "JARDINE BROS.," FROM LIVERPOOL, Steamers and Schooners &c., from Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax and St. John.

The most thorough and complete stock of HARDWARE ever offered for sale in Chatham.

CONSISTING OF

Axes in Bench, Narrow, Broad, Shingle, Hunters, Lathing and Shingle Saws in Cross Cut, Hand, Panel, Tenon, (Gray and Champion Best) Meat, Gig, Compass, and Buck saw Blades.

Clinch Rivitting Horse Shoe Tacks, Shoemakers and Carpenters Hammers of all qualities, Chisels in firmer paving and mortise, assorted sizes Planes in Trying, Jack, Smoothing, Jointers, mouthing, Rabbit, Match, Grooving, Bead, Ogees, Grecian, Reverse Ogees, Cornice, Reverse Ogees, Fillets, Hollows and Rounds, Sash and Plough.

Spoke shaves, Iron and wood, Gouges, Iron and Steel, and Trying Squares, Mortise and Marking Squares, Turn Screws, Bevels, Saw Sets, Patent do., Centre and Augur Bits, Dividers, and Compasses, Drawing Knives Patent Auger Borers, Braces, Firmer and Mortise Chisel Handles, Spirits Malets, Caulking Irons, Marline Spikes, Ship Scrapers, Slices, Gouges, Augurs (assorted sizes) Bench Screws, (Wood and Iron) Cramps, Monkey and Wagon Wrenches, Nippers, Pincers, Shoe Pincers, Brick and Plastering Trowels, Saw and Plane Handles, Plane Irons, Rules, in Ivory and Boxwood Brass Oilers, Awls, Sickles, Horse Traces, Back Halters, and Dog Chains, 600 feet 5-16 600 feet, 3-16 Chains, Hinges of all kinds, Pick's Farm Door Rollers, 50 Kegs Cut Nails (assorted sizes) Wrought and Clinch Nails, Horse Nails Clout Nails and Tacks of every size and description, Screws Brass and Steel, Grid, Sad, Fire and Italian Irons, Foot, Scrapers, Dust Pans and Brushes, Milk Strainers, Spittoons, Wire and Steel Traps, Zinc Water Pails, Preserving Pans, Lanterns, Slop Pails, Hand Bellows, Cow Bells, Curry Combs, Counter Scales, Coarse Bags, Guns (single and double barrel, Revolvers and pistols, in great variety Cartridge all sizes, Shot Belts and Pouches, Powder flasks, Gun Caps, Molasses and Oil.

Gates, white and red Chalk, Sausage Fillers, Clothes Wringers, Egg Beaters, Spring Balances Steelyards, Dog Collars, Bullet Moulds, Sheep Shears, Sauce Pans, Cash Boxes Horse Hames, Brushes all kinds, Wash boards Wood and Zinc Setts of measures, Sailors Belts, Weavers Reeds, Mouse Traps, Candle Sticks flour and Sand Sives, Zinc, Spades, round and Square Mouth and Miners, Bed Cords, Clothes Lines, Window Brushes, Codlines, Powder in Flasks and Blasting in kegs, Shot all sizes, Peg Brakers, Metal Teapots, Glue Pots, Whips in great variety, Patent Awl Handles, and Awls, Sad Iron Stands, Scuttles, and coal Vases, Tape Lines fishing Lines and Hooks, Fly Hooks, a Large assortment of Castors.

Tea Canisters, Tower Bolts, Hat and Coat Hooks Common and Fancy, Porcelain Fancy Brackets (assorted sizes) Spanners, Bush and common, Chest Handles, Choice Brass handles, Spring Gate Latches, Thumb Latches, Fancy Store Door Handles, a large assortment Rasps and Files, Axle Pulleys, wood and iron, Hooks and Staples, Lamp Hooks, Timber Markers, Scissors, Barbers Shears, Common and Curb Bitts, Pinching Irons, Brass Locks, Gun Locks, Nipple Wrenches, Dogheads, Gate Hooks and Eyes, in brass and iron, Fancy Picture and Brass Nails, Martingale Rings, Stair, Rods and Eyes, Door Springs, Window Fasteners, in iron and Fancy brass, Saw Handle Screws.

Thermometers, Drawer Pulls, Fancy Porcelain Curtain Hooks, Rein and Polo Straps, Buckles, Cattle Leaders, Can Openers Brass Screen Rings and Hooks, Brass Cupboard, Buttons and Tack Claws, Scratch Awls, Nut Crackers, Awl Handles, Egg Lifters, Tormentors, Brass Knobs.

Best Nickle Silver Table Desert and Tea Spoons, and Iron do., Match Safes, Harness Polish Polishing Paste, Furniture Polish, Curtain Holders, Wood Taps, Rim and Mortise Doors Knobs, in Mineral and Porcelain Common and Choice, Wood and Porcelain, Drawer Knobs, assorted Size, Window, Cords, Sash Cord, Twine Holders, Rein and Girth Webs, Patent Molasses Gauges.

Locks, in Rim, Mortise, Pad, Trunk, Plate, Cupboard, Valise, Spring, Chest, Drawer, Box, Cabin door, Brass and Iron, Pad and Dead Locks.

Escutcheons, in Iron Brass and choice Porcelain.